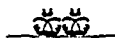


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AS DESCENDED FROM

## CAPTAIN JOHN SEAMAN

OF HEMPSTEAD, LONG ISLAND



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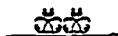
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CREST—A demi-sea-horse salient argent.

MOTTO—Spectemur agendo (Let us be judged by our actions).





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## FOREWORD

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**R**EPEATED requests for a general history of the Seaman family in America has led to the presentation of the present volume.

It makes mention of different families bearing the same name who made separate settlements in America, but deals specially with the establishment of the Long Island family by Captain John Seaman of Hempstead.

Grateful appreciation is extended to the many descendants who have given so generously of their contributions and support; to Mrs. Frank Haviland for the privilege of including the valuable manuscript of herself and her husband, now in the possession of The Long Island Historical Society of Brooklyn; to The Long Island Historical Society itself for its exhaustless resources and untiring assistance; and to the many interested friends and well-wishers; to all of whom the name of Captain John has acted like the magic key that unlocked the chest of hidden treasure.

Regret is expressed for the absence of such names as could not be included, and for fuller records of early days which have been lost to history.

The book goes forth to the many descendants of Captain John with the earnest hope that the trail blazed by his dauntless courage and noble example may be kept clear and open by all succeeding generations.



## HISTORIC LEGEND

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The Seaman family was originally Danish. In old Norse times the members of families banded together, and sailed the wide seas over in their ships of beauty, getting what they might and holding what they could. On one of their excursions they landed off the eastern coast of England, whipped the natives and held the land. They remained in possession until subdued by the Norman Conqueror, 1066. They passed under the name of "Sea Men" (men of the sea). One of these leaders joined the Crusaders in the Third Crusade, 1187, under Richard Coeur de Lion, gained renown in the Holy Land, and on his return from Jerusalem was knighted by the king and given a Coat-of-Arms and a Crest. This Coat-of-Arms and Crest consists of a shield crossed by wavy bars of azure and gold, emblazoned with a Crescent and surmounted with a Crest, a demi sea horse, arising out of the Crescent. The wavy bars of azure and gold and the sea horse represent the sea or calling of the family. The crescent represents the part taken in the Crusade.





## EARLY HISTORY

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The Ancient Paternal Arms of the Old and Historic of Seaman's, as described in the Dictionary of Heraldry, or General Armory, of all Armorial Bearings, from the earliest to the present time, by Sir Bernard Burke, LL.D., King-at-Arms, etc., etc., are as follows:

Barry wavy of six argent, and azure, a crescent or.

Crests—a demi sea-horse salient argent.

The arms of the Seamans of London of later grant, are Barry wavy of six argent and azure, per bend counter changed, over all a Crescent Erminois. Crest out of a Crescent Erminois, a demi-sea-horse, barry wavy of six argent, and azure.

Argent—silver.

Azure—the color of this name.

Erminois—THE FEW THUS CALLED.

Or—Gold.

### SIGNIFICATIONS OF THE QUARTERINGS CREST, ETC., OF THE SEAMAN COAT OF ARMS.

Barry wavy, i.e., composed waved bars or wavy lines Guillim says "They may put us in mind that as in a tempestuous storm, one wave succeeds high above the other in immediate succession, so God has ordained one trouble should succeed another, to keep his chosen in continual exercise, and that His faithful may have manifold experience of His great providence, and Fatherly care in preserving them in all their troubles, giving them a comfortable event, and happy end in all their afflictions." As an example of the symbolic bearing of the wavy bars or fess (fess), we read that Sir Francis Drake had granted to him on a black shield, a Fess wavy, between two polestars—the Arctic and Antarctic—all colored silver on white (vide page 46 of the Symbolismus of Heraldry)—a treatise on the meaning and derivations of family armorial bearings, etc., by W. Cecel Wade.

The following bearings were imported into Heraldry as tokens of the Crusades (and Crusaders), commenced almost simultaneously with the rise of heraldry itself; namely crosses of various kinds, Crescents, Pilgrims, staves, escallop schell, which were the ancient badges of pilgrims, bezants, or coins of gold; amulets, or rings, swords, battle-axes and arrow heads. (Vide Wade—page 19.)

The Sea-Horse is indicative of the ancient Norse origin of a family, and is only borne on the Coat Armor of those whose lineage has been positively traced to Old Norse parent strains.

From the preceding explanations from unquestionable and universally recognized authorities; as also what is set forth as to the origin of the family name, the ancient lineage of this family is clearly shown, as also the antiquity of the Coat of Arms.

In the Sea-horse we have the concretion of its old Norse origin, and in the Crescent the evidence of a Sir Knight Crusader of the Seaman name.

Taking only the Crescent in the Seaman Coat of Arms, we have the proof of its beginning in the period of the Crusader.

The later addition of the Sea-horse indicates that the Lineage was traced still further back—to the very ancient days of the Norsemen.

#### DOOMSDAY BOOK.

By common consent allowed to be the greatest and remarkable National Record in Europe, was compiled by Commissioners appointed by

#### WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR

in 1085, and was completed in 1086. It is a faithful summary of all the lands of his Realm (three or four northern counties excepted), and contains the names of their proprietors. In this compilation we find the name of this family, and who, as we have learned from Lowe's (*Vide Patronymica Britannica*), held lands in Surrey before the making of that record, thus showing it to have been already at the very early period of English History, of prominence and influence and possessed of domains, manors, and other forms of the properties of that time.

As has been shown in the quotations from Lowe's *Patronymica Britannica*, the name of this family is in the favored list of original Knights, and holders of Desmesnes, and from Bardsley we learn of the name being in the Hundred Rolls, and also in the *Placitorum in Dom. Cap. Westminster*, or records of Westminster.

They are also in the ancient records and wills of Parliament.

A brief account of their historic records is of interest and of value, for the clearer understanding of what is set forth in this compilation.

The celebrated compilation known as the DOOMSDAY BOOK.

#### SEAMAN.

In the DOOMSDAY BOOK of Surrey there is a Seaman who held lands before the making of that record—Old Anglo Saxon, Saemann (*Vide* Lowe's *Patronymica Britannica*).

SEAMAN.

SEAMAN le Baylief.

SEAMAN, Carpenter.

SEAMOND, Champagne.

The first is mentioned in the *Placitorum*, in *Doom. Cap. Westminster* (*Vide* Bardsley). Our Seamans though apparently in occupation, are not so in reality—as a Christian name the term is found in such designations as, Seaman de Champagne, or Semanus le Clerk, etc. *Vide* page 23 of Bardsley.

#### SEAMAN.

Dutch—Seeman a personal name (*Vide* Baiber).

#### THE ROTULI HUNDREDORUM.

Or Hundred Rolls of 1273, is another of the valuable and absolutely authentic records of that period. Its history is also of interest—"en re" the Seaman family.

King Edward I, on his return from Palestine, after the death of his father Henry III, caused inquiries to be made into the state of the Desmesnes, and rights and revenues of the Crown, many of

which, during the previous turbulent reign, had been usurped both by the Clergy and the Laity.

The inquisitions being made upon the oaths of a jury of each hundred throughout the Realm, this mass of documents is appropriately called

#### THE ROTULI HUNDREDORUM

or HUNDRED ROLLS. In these Rolls, as has already been said, as also in the equally famous "*Indicies Nominum*," or index of names of the Hundred Rolls, and also in the celebrated "*Coley Dyplomatica Saxonice Alvi*," or Saxon Chronicles and Charters, we find more or less mention of the Seamans.

"*INDICES NOMINICUM*" contain references to about 70,000 names.

The period in which the Rolls were drawn up was one when family names which had been gradually coming into use for nearly two centuries had become general among all classes of persons—which prevailed in later centuries—though almost every individual mentioned in these records bears a surname of some kind.

Some of these surnames are in Latin, some in French, some in Old English, and so on, and consequently the same person's name is written in two or three languages, with twice that number of Orthographies.

We also find one and the same tenant called by different forms of the name, in different places in one and the same ROLL or record.

This in brief explains the "vagaries" of family names then and also even at this day and period.

## ORIGIN OF NAME

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"Simmonds — Simmons — Simonds — Simons — Symonds—Symons. This name in its various forms has evidently two origins. Generally it would seem to be derived from Simon, a name of Norman introduction and represented by Simund in Doomsday: but there is much to support the opinion of Mr. Lower that it is in not a few cases a corruption of Seaman, which, as Seman, is very common in the records of the Cinq Ports, and other places on the coasts of Kent and Sussex. The instance is adduced by him of a Sussex family of Simmons resident at Seaford for three and a half centuries, in which we can trace all the changes of the name from Seaman and Se-man, its earliest forms in the sixteenth century, to Simmons, as it is now spelt: they are as follows:—

Seaman, Seamen, Seamans, Semons, Simonds, Symonds, Simmonds, Symonds, Simmons.

It is also remarkable that at the present day Seaman is a name mostly restricted to Norfolk and Suffolk, in which two counties Symonds is also well represented.

The several varieties of the name arrange themselves readily into two groups, Simmonds and Simmons, being most numerous in Cornwall and Sussex, and afterwards in Bucks, Oxfordshire, Berks and some of the adjacent counties: whilst Simons, Symons, Symonds, etc., have their great home in Cornwall; but are also fairly numerous in Devon, Dorset, Cambridgeshire, Suffolk and in some of the neighboring counties. The localities of the various forms of the two groups are noticed in the alphabetical list.

When we come to consider the combined distribution of all the forms, we find that this name is essentially characteristic of the southern half of England and especially of the coast countries. It has three centres; the principal being in the southwest in Cornwall, the second being in Sussex, the third in Suffolk and Cambridgeshire, from which centres it has spread to the counties adjacent."

"Furgerson's Names and the Name system has Seaman from the Gothic, Old Norse, Old High German and Anglo-Saxon. Fac (Sa) English Se or Sea, and man (manus, hero).

Old German (7th Century) Sa, Sarian, etc.

Old English (9th Century) Seman, Seaman, etc."

"The name was spelled Seaman, Symonds and Simmons with the variations usual to the times. When spelled Symonds, it was pronounced Simmons. In Old English the word Symond stood for Seaman. In the ancient records of Norfolk County, England, both forms of spelling were used."

"Seaman; In Sussex and Kent and probably in other counties, the name has been corrupted into Simmons; in the Domesday Book of Survey there is a Seman who held lands before the making of that record."

In the History of the Crusaders, the first printed book published in Frankfort, Germany, in 1548, mention is made several times of a Sir Knight Crusader Johannus Seman of the English Contingent, of the first Crusade, A.D. 1096.

In de Joinvilles Chronicles of the Crusades (English Edition 1892) there is a Monsieur Jean de Semon.

"The English Knight bore on his surcoat three bars and a crescent."

In the New Haven Records of 1646 we find that Captain John Seaman (later of Hempstead, Long Island) bore arms with a demi-seahorse for crest.

### Different Families of Seaman in America

The Seaman Family who moved from England to Holland about 1605, and remained there for seventy-five years before emigrating to America in 1680. Arriving in America, they moved west into Pennsylvania, west into Ohio and then west into Missouri.

The Seaman Family who originated in the Palatinate, emigrated to America, and settled in Pennsylvania.

The Seaman Family who emigrated from Havre, France, by the name of Simone. When the family came to this country the French pronunciation of the name was lost, and it was anglicized as Seaman, which, for convenience sake, they generally adopted.

The Seaman Families coming directly from England included three distinct lines:

Those who went to Delaware Bay, Maryland and Virginia, and later, for reasons of political and religious dissensions, were banished to the Barbadoes and still later returned to New England.

"A list of what TICQ<sup>ts</sup> have been granted out of the Secy<sup>ts</sup> Office of the Island aforesaid for the departure off this Island of the several psones hereafter menconed beginning in January 1678, and ending in December following, 'September the 22<sup>d</sup> 1679,—Seaman, Thomas in the Ship Thomas and Sarah for London, James Day Comander time out"

Those who went to Swansea, Massachusetts, and were sometimes called Simmons.

And those who came from Essex, Old England, to New England, moved through Massachusetts, Connecticut and New York to Long Island, where they settled at Hempstead, and from there spread throughout almost all regions of what is now the United States of America, and into Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. "Three brothers came over, one went back, and two remained." Of these two who remained one was Captain John Seaman, the pioneer settled on Long Island.

## EARLY RECORDS

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The following statement by Dr. Ferdinand Seeger is presented by the compilers without their verification for authenticity:

1. A.D. 1042, Seman held lands in Surrey of Edward the Confessor
2. A.D. 1085-86, John, son of preceeding, is in Domesday and other records holding the same lands
3. A.D. 1096, a Sir Knight Crusader John Seaman is recorded as bearing arms, six bars wavy, argent and azure, surmounted by a crescent, gold. The consensus of date plainly indicate him as a son of the preceeding
4. A.D. 1120, Robert, who according to the same consensus of date was a son of the preceeding, held the same lands in Surrey
5. A.D. 1146, John, son of the preceeding
6. A.D. 1170, William, son of the preceeding
7. A.D. 1196, Richard, son of the preceeding
8. A.D. 1222, Osmund, son of the preceeding
9. A.D. 1239, Lawrence, son of the preceeding
10. A.D. 1265, Lawrence, son of the preceeding
11. A.D. 1290, William, son of the preceeding
12. A.D. 1311, William, son of the preceeding
13. A.D. 1338-9, William, son of the preceeding
14. A.D. 1363, Lawrence, son of the preceeding
15. A.D. 1388, Roger, son of the preceeding
16. A.D. 1415, William, son of the preceeding
17. A.D. 1440-4, John, son of the preceeding
18. A.D. 1462, John, son of the preceeding
19. A.D. 1471, John, son of the preceeding
20. A.D. 1518, John, son of the preceeding
21. A.D. 1546, John, son of the preceeding
22. A.D. 1569, Dr. John Seaman, L.L.D., etc. (Doctor of Laws of Oxford) was born . . . . . He removed to Leicester, where
23. A.D. 1602 his son John was born. He came to New England in 1630, and is the famous Captain John Seaman of early Colonial fame, and with him begins the American line of Seaman.



## CHANGE OF DATES

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**O**N January 1, 1752, a change in dates was adopted, the time previous to that being called "Old Style," and the time following being called "New Style," as is shown in the following statement :—

Old Style		New Style
11th month	January	1st month
12th month	February	2nd month
1st month	March	3rd month
2nd month	April	4th month
3rd month	May	5th month
4th month	June	6th month
5th month	July	7th month
6th month	August	8th month
7th month	September	9th month
8th month	October	10th month
9th month	November	11th month
10th month	December	12th month



## First Generation

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“**N**OWHERE was a race of purer English descent than in the plains of Hempstead,” writes Martha Bockée Flint in her history of Early Long Island.

The Progenitor of the Seaman Family on Long Island:

1. CAPTAIN JOHN SEAMAN, was born in Essex, England, between 1603 and 1610, came to America in 1630 with the Winthrop fleet of ten vessels, nine hundred immigrants, and died early in 1695 in Hempstead, Long Island. His will is dated August 5, 1694, and was proved March 20, 1695.

In 1631 and 1632, John Seaman, Thomas Moore, William Cooper, John Underhill and others were co-operating with Captain John Mason, John Winthrop and Sir Richard Saltoustall, in the efforts to effect settlements in New Hampshire, and these colonization efforts not being successful, we next find all of these, a little later on, in Connecticut and Long Island.

They were not Pilgrims, but were a Puritanic section still adhering to the Church of England.

Captain John Seaman and others went from their first landing to Watertown, Massachusetts, which they left to escape the imposition of a tax, which the Massachusetts Bay Colony proposed to levy on all the settlers for the purpose of fortifying Newtown (now Cambridge). From Watertown they went to Weathersfield, Connecticut, where they stayed but a short time, having some dissensions concerning church matters. In 1636 John Seaman owned two acres of land at Wrights Island in Weathersfield.

In the Catalogue of Puritanic settlers of Connecticut we find it recorded: “John Seaman, one of the original purchasers of the town of Stamford, where he settled in 1641. It is supposed he moved from Weatherfield to Stamford.” The settlers at New Haven who had no charter had purchased property in various places, among them being what is now called Stamford, Connecticut, and an arrangement was then made with these discontented settlers of Weathersfield and the settlement at New Haven, by

which the Colony from Weathersfield obtained right to settle Stamford, then called Rippowam. The list of these settlers included the name of John Seaman, the purchase price being one hundred bushels of corn, and John Seaman obtained six acres.

"From Roxbury, Massachusetts, he (John Carman) went to Weathersfield, Connecticut, and thence in company with John Seaman, whose ancestors were also burned at the stake in England."

John Seaman owned land in Salem, Mass., in 1643.

In 1646 John Seaman and his brother Caleb are recorded in New Haven, Conn. At this period came the Pequod Indian War, and Captain John Mason was given chief command (as Major) of the Connecticut Troops. To John Seaman he gave command of one of the Companies, and John Strickland (who later became his father-in-law) was lieutenant of John Seaman's company. Hence John Seaman's title of Captain. The histories of the day record "John Seaman, later of Hempstead, Long Island, bore arms with demi-seahorse for crest." Another record states that on October 6, 1646, Caleb Seaman was fined 10 shillings for not carrying arms, and on November 3, 1646, "Caleb Seaman desired his fine might be remitted for defect of arms, he going shortly for England. Upon his request it was remitted provided he goe for England."

Captain John Seaman was one of the sixty-two original signers (in Connecticut) of the Hempstead compact of land, and in 1647 we find him settled in Hempstead, Long Island, where he became one of the most prominent men for half a century "and has left such a host of descendants as to be remarkable, genealogically."

The Town Records of Hempstead, Long Island, state:

"It seems probable that in the previous year Captain John Seaman coming from the eastern end of the island, had settled land adjoining what was subsequently the eastern boundary of the Hempstead Purchase, and had secured title to a tract comprising more than twelve thousand acres, which, in 1685, under the Dongan patent, became part of the town of Hempstead."

From that time on we find his name in many pages of history, recording a life of ceaseless activity in the establishment of this section of America.

“Once he signed an agreement or pledged his faith he never disclaimed his share of it.”

In a Provincial Convention called in New Amsterdam, by writ of Governor Stuyvesant, December 11, 1653, John Seaman and William Washburne were Representatives. December 21, 1656, John Seaman and Richard Gildersleeve were nominated by Governor Stuyvesant.

“March the 17th, 1657, Stylo Novo. Chosen by the towne of Hempstead for townsmen for the abovesaid yeare ffrancis Weeckes, richard brutnall, richard valling-tyne, robert bedille, Addam Mott.

Wee the magistrates of the towne of hempstead doe hereby ingage our selves to stand by and bare out with full power in all such actes and orders as shall conduce for ye good and benefit of this towne of hemsteed this present yeare giving oute of Land and receiving in of inhabitants onely excepted given under our hands this 16th of April 1657 Stylo Novo.

R. Gildersleeve  
John Seaman

teste

John James.”

July 17, 1657, Governor Stuyvesant visited Hempstead, and a few days later, July 25th, John Seaman was again sent to the Governor by the town on errands of peace. March, 1658, John Seaman, and others were sent by the town in concert with Chekanow, an Indian representative of the Montauk Sachem and other Indians, to lay out bounds of the town to be known by marked trees, and to “continue forever.” “Mr. Seaman was allowed 8 s. for two days travel in laying out the bounderies.” In 1658 he had 20 gates (lengths) of common fence to make, 30 cattle, 15 cows, 43 acres of meadow.

February 1659 “Mr. John Seaman was allowed a bounty of £2 for killing two wolves. For many years a bounty of 20 s to

25 s each was paid by the town of Hempstead for killing wolves." "This may sartyfi that the constable hath satisfied for the woulfs two to two indians and one to Captain John Seaman twenty shilens for ech woulfe." In 1664 John Seaman was again appointed by the town on a Commission about the bounds, and was often subsequently employed in like service.

In 1665 he became Captain of Queens County Troop of Province of New York. October 2, 1665, Captain John Seaman served on a Grand Jury at Hempstead in a charge of witchcraft, "but—let it be recorded to the credit of John Seaman—the accused was not convicted." In 1666 the Village of Jerusalem in the Town of Hempstead, was settled by Captain John Seaman and his six sons, to whom a special patent was granted by Governor Nichols, for a considerable tract of land which had previously been purchased by them from the Meroke tribe of Indians. It is recorded that its location was pleasant and its population about 150. May 1669, Thomas Rushmore was ordered to give up to Captain John Seaman the colors he received from the Governor. In 1668 and 1669 assessment upon land holders shows Captain Seaman was one of the largest landowners, his payment being £4, 3s., 4 p.

#### From Land Papers

"March 6, 1668

Confirmation on L.I. from Gov. Nicolls to John Hicks, John Seaman, Richard Gildersleeve and others, freeholders of ye said town"

Six of his sons also held land under the new patent. July 3, 1671, he was sent by the town to New York to treat with the Governor about the east bounds. August 1673, Schepen for Hempstead. May 14, 1674 appointed to hold Court with the Scout at Jamaica.

"At a Jeneral townd Meting Held in Hempstead the 14 day of May in the yeare 1674 Captain John Semans was elected an chosen by the Ma Jer Vot to be a committee to keepe Cort with the Scout at Jemaco.

Nathaniel Pearsall Clarck."

Commissioner of bounderies for a dozen years, 1674 to 1686.

"Hempsted July the 4th 1670, at a Cort of constable and overseers by his magis atorite and our Honnound govenours apoyntement under his Royal hines the duck Captain John Seaman plaintive enters an action against Joseph Genens defendant, an action of trepass upon the case."

He became a member of the Society of Friends before 1686.

"May 26, 1679, Governor Andros in his attempt to dictate religious services, having ordered R. Gildersleeve to prevent Quaker Meetings, was informed by R. Gildersleeve that Captain John Seaman, though forewarned, had a very great meeting at his house the last Lord's day! In this Mr. Seaman took an exact line which he could defend: for a man has a right to use his house as his castle, and could not legally be deprived of this use, even for public accommodation, without just compensation. He could have all his children at home and hear one of them read or speak. He was not bound to exclude visitors, but had a right to exclude spies. There was no indication of religious adherence by him to Friends before this. He defended his own rights in protecting them from wrong."

"Att a tound meeting in hempsted in October the 9, 1684 there was chosen by majer vote Mr. Seman; left. Jackson: Seman Serin: John Tredwell: John Smith sen: Addam Mott sen: John Pine: Richard Gildersleeve sen: Nathaniel Perceull: Jonathan Smith senir: these men was chosen to goe to York the 20 daye of the instant month and to indevor the purchasing off a pattin for the townd.

Recorded by mee

Josias Starr Clark."

"Att the foregoing Tound Meeting (held in hempsted in ye 12th off December 1684) there was chosen by the mayger vote of ye people Left. Jackson, Mr. Seaman, George Hulet and John Tredwell to agree with ye indians consarning there deeds, and if the(y) will not agree without then thes whose names are above specified have power to give such a sum of money as the(y) and the

indians do agree upon and what shall bee given is to be payed by way of reate.

Josi Starr Clark."

"June the 28th, 1677, Mr. Seaman, Mr. Jackson, Richard Vallantin, John Ellison, and blew smith went to Yourck to the Governor a bout the tounds land

Nathaniel Pearsall."

"Mr. Seaman for 2 days travel in Laying out ye boundes 0-8-0 unto him for killing 2 wolves 2-0-0."

"Also was granted unto Mr. Seaman the Tounne house for this yeare for ye summe of forty three shilling come pay, and what hee doth at Repairing ye house, it is to bee set of in ye rent."

"Also by a Major vote was Concluded ye same tounnemeeting, (Dec. 14, 1663) that Mr. Seaman, Mr. Jackson and Henry Pearsall should lay ye aforesaid land. (Mathew Garriss ons bay and Matinacock) and have for their labour a penie an Acre".

"At the seame tound meting (the first day of Esprell in the yere of our Lord 1678) Mr. Seamans and George Hulet were chosen for overseres for the insuing yeare.

Nathaniel Pearsall Clar."

"At the seame tound meting (4-1-1678) Mr. Seamans and John Smith blew was chosen to Go to agree with Joseph Carpenter to bild a meting hous the demen-tions of the hous is as followeth that is 30 fut long and 24 fut wid an 12 fut stud with an lentwo on ech side".

"At a tound meting Held in Hempsted the first day of Esprell in the yeare of our Lord 1678 - - John Jackson was chosen Oversere for one yere in Mr. Seamanses Rome".

"At a Jeneral tound meting Held in Hempsted the 17: day of September the yeare 1681

Mr. Semans Mr. Jackson John Smith nan Richard Gilderslive John Ellison and Nathaniel Pearsall was chosen by the ma Jer vote of the tound to Joyn with the Constable and Overseres for the carying on and maneag-



ing of what hath bene in agetation in this meting that is first Concerning our Cuntry charges, and, allso concerning the Maneaging and maintaining of our Rights on the Cow Neck.

At the scame Meting Mr. Semans was chosen to Go to Oysterbay About this busnis before mentioned and afterwards he was chosen to Go to Huntington to mete and agitate with the other tounds deayts his deputation followeth

HEMPSTEAD SEPTEMBER THE 26: 1681

*Respected and well Esteemed frends*

We the inhabitants aforesaid have Ellected and Requested Our Loving Neighbor John Semans in our behalf to appeare for us with you to aJestate and acte in any matter of buisnis that shall be Presented before you so fare as in your Wisdome shall be seene to condus to the Jenerall Good of the Country which we desire

by Order and in the behalf of the tound,  
Nathaniel Pearsall Clar."

"At a Towne Meeting held at Hempsted October the 20th 1683 by Reazon of an Ord'r sent from New York ffrom ye Honor'd Governor and Councel wee the Inhabittants of Hempsted have chosen too attend ye Governor's ord'r in the behalfe of the towne Captain John Cieman Symon Searing and Left John Jackson to attend ye Honors order send unto uss

per ord'r Recorded by mee Francis Chappell  
Clark".

"At a Towne Meeting held on Munday ye 14th of this Instant October: Capt. John Ciemans and John Smith now are Chossen by ye mager vote to goe Downe to New York to enter upon the trial for Cow Neck in the behalfe of the Towne and to proceed in common Law If not granted then to proceed noe farthur being granted by ye former Governor Recorded pr order of ye Towne by mee

Francis Chappell  
Clerk"

"Whereass Capt John Ciemans & John Smith N  
were chosen to goe downe Too New York by A Towne  
voate. These are to informe any that ye above choice  
is Dissanaued pr ord'r of ye Counstable & Overseers  
by mee Francis Chappell Clerk"

"At a tound meeting helld in hempsted the twenty  
seventh of September 1684 Captain John Seaman John  
Jackson Simon Serin John Tredwell was chosen to goe  
to Yorck to Mack their deed apeese about the Lands and  
to end the diferance about there Line.

Att the foregoing tound meetin it was agreed by the  
mager vote that Richard Stites is to hold his line in half  
neck as other men doth.

Recorded by mee  
Josias Starr, Clerk"

"Att a Towne Meeting held in Hempstead this 24th  
day of May 1684 there was chosen by the Major vote  
to meet the neighboring Townes fflushing, Jamaica,  
Oaster bay to make an agreement with them concerning  
the bounds of the Township Capt John Seaman Left  
Jno' Jackson John Tredwell and Nathaniel Pearsall: and  
what Agreement these four men shall make shall be A  
finall end of all ffarthur Differences between them and  
uss provided their agreement be not contrary to ye Guife  
of the Towne

by ord      Recorded by mee  
Fra. Chappell, Clerk"

March 1, 1665, A convention was held at Hempstead under  
authority of the English Governor. John Underhill represented  
Oyster Bay and John Seaman, Hempstead.

"On the ground south of the Bowling Green Park,  
New York City, on which the U. S. Custom House has  
just been completed, in 1683 stood a large roomy three  
story building. Use Governor's House. In one of the  
spacious drawing rooms on the first floor an event oc-  
curred of the greatest interest.

In that year the English Governor, Thomas Dongan,  
a broad and liberal executive (subsequently Earl Lim-

erick) issued a call for the Election of delegates (to be selected from the leading men of the Colony) to meet at his house in the Fort to arrange the first Council and Executive Assembly in the history of New York, and in that drawing room looking out upon the old Dutch Church and the barracks of the Redcoats of Britain, this Assembly met and enacted the famous

*Charter of Liberties*

providing for religious freedom, liberty of choice in Elections, and no Taxation without Representation, an event of prophetic significance.

Among the Delegates and also one of the Committee which formulated the Charter was Captain John Seaman, who defied another Governor in upholding religious freedom, and gave shelter and protection to the persecuted believers in the principles of the Society of Friends".

Captain John Seaman was twice married.

He married first in 1644, Elizabeth Strickland, daughter of John and Jane Strickland of Charlestown, Mass. John Strickland had come to America with the first party of "Bay Coherts" to Salem in 1629, took possession of Charlestown and vicinity in 1630, and was made Freeman in May, 1631. John Strickland and all his family except one son (Thwaite) came to Long Island after 1646, and were among the early settlers of note in that vicinity.

Captain John and Elizabeth (Strickland) Seaman had four sons and one daughter:—

- +2. John Seaman, Jr., born about 1645; died about 1697; married Hannah Williams.
- +3. Jonathan Seaman, born about 1647; married Jane —.
- +4. Benjamin Seaman (called Simmons), born 1649 or 1650; died 1733; married Martha Titus, daughter of Edmond and Martha (Washburne) Titus. (She was born January, 1663.)
- +5. Solomon Seaman (called Simmons), born about 1651; died 1733; married before 1682, Elizabeth Linnington, daughter of Henry and Katherine (Ellison) Linnington.

6. Elizabeth Seaman, born about 1653; married Colonel John Jackson, son of Robert and Agnes (Washburne) Jackson. (He was born between 1645 and 1650; died 1724 or 1725). Colonel John Jackson was a prominent public man, and one of the first settlers of Jerusalem, L. I. Member of Assembly, January 11, 1664; Member Commission to Governor Stuyvesant, 1685; Patentee of land, 1687; Captain of Queens Troops in expedition to Albany, July 9, 1689; Juryman, 1691 to 1695; High Sheriff of Queens County, 1693 to 1709 and 1710 to 1716; Representative from Queens County to Colonial Legislature, 1699; Justice of the Peace of Queens County, 1700; Lieutenant Colonel, 1701; Colonel, December 30, 1701; Member of Protestant Petition to King William III, 1703; Commissioner of Highways, 1710 to 1723; Judge of Queens County. They had eight children, of whom seven are on the census list of 1698:

Samuel Jackson, married, first, Ruth Smith; married, second, Abigail Seaman (67), daughter of Thomas and Mary Seaman, and had eight children.

John Jackson, married Elizabeth Hallett, daughter of Samuel and Bridget (Blackwell) Hallett, and had seven children.

James Jackson, married 1694, Rebecca Hallett, daughter of William Hallett of Halletts Cove. They settled at Rockaway in the Town of Flushing, and had twenty-one children.

Elizabeth Jackson, married Charles Doughty.

Martha Jackson, married Peter Titus.

Sarah Jackson, married Joshua Barnes.

Mary Jackson, married Jeremiah Scott.

Hannah Jackson, married Richard Seaman (65), son of Thomas and Mary Seaman.

Captain John Seaman married, second, 1655, Martha Moore, daughter of Thomas and Martha (Youngs) Moore, of Southold, L. I. (She was born in England; baptised in Salem, Mass., October 21, 1639; died 1698.) They had four sons and seven daughters:—

+7. Samuel Seaman, born 1668; died 1732; married 1695, Phoebe Hicks, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Doughty)

Hicks, of Suffolk County, L. I. (She was born 1672; died 1732.)

+8. Thomas Seaman, died 1724; married Mary —.

+9. Nathaniel Seaman, died October 9, 1759; married August 9, 1695, Rachel Willis, daughter of Henry and Mary (Peace) Willis. (She died August 28, 1739.)

+10. Richard Seaman, born about 1673 in Hempstead, L. I.; died September 5, 1749, at Westbury, L. I.; married 1693/4 Jane Mott, daughter of Adam and Mary (Stillwell) Mott. (She was born 1680; died August 31, 1759.)

11. Sarah Seaman, married Lieutenant John Mott, son of Adam and Jane (Hewlett?) Mott. (He was born about 1659; died 1688.) He was taxed in 1683, and was a Freeholder in 1685, with seventy acres. They had six children:—

John Mott, Jr.

James Mott.

Sarah Mott.

Martha Mott.

Jane Mott.

Patrick Mott.

12. Martha Seaman, born 1639; died July 6, 1712; married, 1674, Nathaniel Pearsall, son of Henry and Anne Pearsall, "a man of weight and force in his community". (He died August 24, 1703.) They had "a remarkable family of twelve children," of whom eleven are recorded in the Westbury, L. I., Records:—

Nathaniel Pearsall, born January 27, 1676; died November 30, 1679.

Thomas Pearsall, born April 18, 1679; married, 1708, Sarah Underhill, daughter of John and Mary (Priar) Underhill. (She was born August 17, 1687.)

Martha Pearsall, born October 10, 1681.

Hannah Pearsall, born January 22, 1683; died April 20, 1689.

Sarah Pearsall, born January 5, 1686; married Thomas Townsend, son of John and Susannah (Hurcutt) Townsend.

Elizabeth Pearsall, born August 28, 1688; unmarried; lived in Rye, N. Y.

Hannah Pearsall, born December 14 (or April 12), 1690; died November 30, 1718.

Phoebe Pearsall, born October 20, 1693; died July 14, 1703.

Samuel Pearsall, born December 18, 1695; died December 4, 1720.

Nathaniel Pearsall, born August 11, 1699; died April 17, 1701.

Mary Pearsall, born February 20, 1703; married, 1726, Thomas Franklin.

13. Deborah Seaman, married before 1694, John Kirk of Hempstead Harbor, L. I., and had two sons:—

Arthur Kirk, married Temperance Seaman.

William Kirk, married Abigail Valentine and had two sons.  
“The Kirk family has produced noted men, scattered far and wide.”

14. Hannah Seaman, married before 1666, John Carman, son of John and Florence (Fordham) Carman. (He was born July 8, 1633; died 1684.) John Carman, senior, came to America in the ship “*Lyon*” 1631, and was the progenitor of the Carman family. John and Hannah Seaman Carman had one son:—

Thomas Carman, married Mary —.

15. Daughter, died before 1694; married Caleb Carman, of Hempstead, South.

16. Daughter, died before 1695; unmarried.

17. Mary Seaman, married Thomas Pearsall, son of Henry and Anne Pearsall. They had one son:

Henry Pearsall, born 1690; died 1750; married, 1717, Mary Titus, daughter of John and Sarah Titus.

“Of these sixteen children all but one daughter married and raised families and he had at least ninety-five grandchildren, and his descendants are very numerous.”

“He settled six of his sons at Jerusalem, in the Town of Hempstead, L. I., and removed with Nathaniel and

Richard to Hempstead Village. One of his grandsons, John, and his family, settled in Hempstead, and another grandson, Joseph, became the founder of a very large family at Little Egg Harbor, New Jersey. Of Jonathan's descendants, many went to Kakiak-on-Hudson, and from there to Virginia. The oldest branch of Benjamin (called Simmons) went to Staten Island. Two sons of Solomon (called Simmons) went to Maryland. Some of Samuel's family went to Suffolk County, N. Y. Most of Thomas' family lived around Jerusalem in 1800. One branch of Nathaniel's family lived at Hempstead, and one branch at Westbury, Long Island."

For a man of these accomplishments it seems superfluous to quote from early records that he was active in the affairs of Hempstead and neighborhood for nearly half a century:

"Was diligent and successful in his own business,"  
and that "he had a well trained family."

Tribute should be paid to his two remarkable wives, who shared the hardships of the early settlers with him, brought up all of the sixteen children to maturity and usefulness, and were loved and respected in their community. To the "large gun" which protected the homes, and was mentioned in his will "for the use of all my sons." And to the undaunted spirit, tireless energy, high integrity, and loyal, faithful service of this early pioneer on American soil. He was called the Elder of Hempstead. His motto was "Let us be judged by our actions." Surely history can add its verdict that "he builded better than he knew."

Captain John Seaman died in 1695, and this account of his life can best be closed by reading in his own words, his provision for his family in his will:—

EXEMPLIFIED COPY OF THE WILL OF JOHN SEAMAN

(Seal)

*The People of the State of New York,  
By the Grace of God, Free and Independent.*

To all to whom these Presents shall come or may concern,

Send Greeting:

KNOW YE, That the annexed is a true copy of the will of John Seaman deceased as recorded in the Office of our Surrogate, in and for the City and County of New-York. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused the Seal of Office of our said Surrogate to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, Silvanus Miller ————— Esquire, Surrogate of said County, at the City of New-York, the twenty fifth day of May — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve — and of our Independence the thirty-Sixth.

Silvanus Miller.

**In the Name of God, Amen.** I, John Seaman the Elder of Hempstead in Queens County upon Long Island /alias Nassau/ in ye Province of New York being weak & indisposed in body but of perfect mind and memory—glory be to God for ye same but considering w<sup>th</sup> myself ye frailty and uncertainty of life w<sup>ch</sup> is mortall & y<sup>t</sup> it appertaineth to every man to sett in order all worldly concerns so y<sup>t</sup> after descends noe suite trouble or controversy may ensue or arise for ye same and being well advised with that great and weighty work I am now about Doe make and declare this my last Will and Testam<sup>t</sup>. in manner and form following, that is to say, First and principally I doe recommend my Soul and Spirit to God and my body to ye earth of w<sup>ch</sup> it was fraimed to be decently interred at ye discretion of my wife and my sons that may survive and as touching that outward Estate that God hath endowed me withall concerning of Lands Goods & Chattells I give bequeath and devise in manner and form following—Item, I doe give and bequeath to my eldest son John Seaman a certain two and twenty acre Lott of Land more or less of which he is now in possession of where he now lives as also a certain Twenty Acre Lott of Meadow more or less scituate upon a Neck called by ye name of ye Great Neck lying Eastward and w<sup>th</sup> in bounds of ye said Town of Hempstead to him & his Heirs and assigns forever. Item, I doe give and bequeath to my five sons namely—Jonathan, Benjamin,



Solomon, Thomas and Samuell Seaman—Four hundred acres of Land according to a Pattent granted by Col- lonell Richard Nicolls scituat<sup>d</sup>. and lying at a place com- monly called and known by ye name of Jerusalem within the bounds of Hempstead. aforesaid to be equally di- vided amongst them and to them and to their heirs and assigns forever also to my said five sons namely Jona- than, Benjamin, Solomon, Thomas and Samuel Seaman I give and bequeath a certain Neck of Meadow lying Eastward from said Town of Hempstead called in ye Indian Tongue Ruskative Neck bounded Easterly w<sup>th</sup> Oyster bay Line and upon Hempstead Westward to be equally divided amongst them and to their Heirs and assigns forever. Item I doe give to my three sons namely John, Nathaniel and Richard Seamans ye remaining of my Meadow whereof ye one moyetie of it is already con- firm<sup>d</sup>. to my son in Law Nathaniel Pearsall w<sup>h</sup>. four or five acres of ye upland for his convenience for yardage for wintering his Cattle w<sup>ch</sup>. said Meadow lyes and is scituate upon a Neck called by ye name of ye halfneck, or in ye Indian Tongue Musakchim to be equally divided amongst my said three sons and to their Heirs and as- signs forever. Item, I doe give more to my Eight sons to witt John, Jonathan, Benjamin, Solomon, Thomas, Samuell, Nathaniell and Richard Seamans all ye upland lying and scituate upon Ruskative Neck as also upon ye Neck called by ye name of ye halfe neck excepting ye four or five acres confirmed to my sonn in Law Na- thaniell Pearsall all w<sup>ch</sup>. said upland to be equally divided amongst my Eight sons afores<sup>d</sup>. and to their Heirs and assigns forever. Item, I doe give and bequeath to my two sons Nathaniell & Richard Seamans all that my Lott of Meadow lying at a certain Neck called Stuklins Neck also a parcel of Meadow lying upon Newbridge Neck to be equally divided betwixt them and to their Heirs and assigns forever also I doe give and bequeath to my said two sons Rich<sup>d</sup>. & Nathaniell Seaman one hundred and fifty acres of upland scituated and lying at a place com- monly called success by vertue from an order from s<sup>d</sup>. Town to be equally divided betwixt them and to their

Heirs and assigns forever. Item I doe also to my sons Nathaniell & Richard Seamans a certain parcell of Land by estimation Three hundred and Sixteen acres more or less lying at or near ye harbos head so called being already confirmed to my said two sons by Deed of gift to be equally divided betwixt them and to their heirs and assigns forever. Item I doe give and bequeath all my rights of ye undivided Land within ye bound of Hempstead to my Eight sons namely John, Jonathan, Benjamin, Solomon, Thomas, Samuell, Nathaniell and Richard Seamans to be equally divided amongst them and to their Heirs and assigns forever. Item, I doe give and bequeath to my well beloved Wife Martha Seamans a certain home Lott adjoyning to ye Land of James pin—by estimation three acres more or less for and during her natural life or marriage and att or marriage or death my will is y<sup>t</sup>. ye said home Lott of Land shall decend to my two sons Nath<sup>n</sup>. & Richard and to their Heirs and assigns forever. Item I do also give to my two sons Nath<sup>n</sup>. & Richard Seamans ye remainder of my Home Lots ye Pasture and ye field att ye east end of ye Town called ye Holly w<sup>th</sup>. ye barns to be equally divided betwixt them and to their Heirs and assigns forever. Item I doe give and bequeath to my well beloved Wife Martha Seaman ye one half of my dwelling House and at her death or marriage my will is that ye said half of ye dwelling House shall decend to my son Rich. Seaman and to his Heirs and assigns forever. Item I doe give ye other half of my dwelling House to my son Nathaniell Seaman and to his heirs and assigns forever. Item I doe give and bequeath to my loving Wife Martha Seamens ye one third part of my moveables within Doors to give and dispose of as to her shall seem meet. Item I doe give to my two sons Nath<sup>n</sup>. and Richard ye other two thirds of my moveables within Doors to be equally divided betwixt them. Item I doe give to my loving Wife Martha Seamans one Pair of oxen one Horse and one breeding Mare four cows tern Ewe Sheep and one breeding Sow. Item I doe give to my son Rich<sup>d</sup>. one three old mare. Item to my son Nathanell Seaman one pair of oxen also to my

Know all men by these presents that I John  
Semans senior of Hempsted on Long Island in  
quens County have given granted and also by  
these presents give grant assigne and release  
from me my heirs Executors administrators and  
assigns to my son Nathaniel Semans and my  
son Richard Semans to them their heirs Execu-  
tors administrators or assigns one a lotment  
of Land containing three hundred and sixteen  
acres more or les as it was laid out it lyes  
and is situated on the East sid of Hempsted  
Harbar in the bounds of Hempsted bounded  
on the south by a lot of Ellisons on the  
North by a lot of Docksmiths on the west  
by the harbor and on the East by marked  
trees I say I have Given the afore mentioned  
Lot of land from me my heirs Executors ad-  
ministrators or assigns to my two sons afore-  
named to them their heirs Executors ad-  
ministrators or assigns peaceably to Enjoy for  
Ever to be Equally divided between them  
two and in Confirmation hereof I have  
set to my hand and seal this 17 Day of  
March in the yeare of our Lord 1692  
Signed sealed and delivered  
in presents of us  
Nathaniel Pearsall  
John Semans



son Richard Seaman I give one Pair of oxen one pair of three year old Steers and two Cowes as also to Natha<sup>l</sup>. one pair of three year old Steers and two Cows. Item I doe give and bequeath to my well beloved Wife Six acres of meadow lying att hay bridge and att her death or marriage ye said shall decend to my sons Natha<sup>l</sup>. and Richard Seamans in equall portion to them and to their Heirs and assigns forever also I give to my daughter Mary Pearsall two Cows and Six Ewe Sheep. Item I doe give and bequeath to my son Samuell one pr. of oxen and one Cow and as for ye rest of my Stock of Neat Cattle and Sheep my will is that the two third shall be equally divided amongst my five daughters namely Martha Pearsall, Hannah Carman, Mary Pearsall, Sarah Mott and Deborah Kirk and ye other third part of my Stock Neat Cattle and sheep to be equally divided amongst my Eight sons John, Jonath, Benj. Solomon Sam<sup>l</sup>. Tho: Nath<sup>l</sup>. and Rich<sup>d</sup>. Seamans. Item I doe give and bequeath to my daughter Elizab. Jackson twenty Shill to be paid her when division is made of ye Estate. I doe give and bequeath to Nathan<sup>l</sup> and Richard all my Instruments of Husbandry of all sorts to be equally divided betwixt them. Item I doe give to my Eight sons above mentioned all my Horse kind to be equally divided amongst them, I doe give to my sons Nathaniel and Richard Seamans all my arms excepting my large Gun which my will is shall be for the use of all my sons. Item I give to my loving wife son Nathanell and Richard ye rest of my swine. I do appointe ordaine & make my loving wife Martha Seamans my sons Benjamin and Tho: Seamans to be my Sole Executors of this my last will as also requesting my two loving friends Tho: Powell & John Townsend Senior to be overseers desiring them to be helpfull in assisting my Executors to see this my will truly performed in all things according to ye true intent and meaning hereof revoking all former wills by me made and doe declare this to stand and remain my last will and Testament. In Confirmation whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my hand and affixed my Seal this ye twenty fifth day of August 1694

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John Seaman Seal

Signed Sealed and published to be my last will and Testament in ye presence of John Smith, John Carl, George Fowler, James Clement, Benjamin Fletcher, Governor, etc. To all to whom these may come. Know ye that at New York the 20 of March, 1695 the last will of John Seaman was proved and his sons Benjamin and Thomas were confirmed as executors.

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Agriculture, education, religion, medicine, law, legislature, military service, public welfare, with insistence on the rights and justice of others, and open minded fortitude for the greatest good to the greatest number.

Thus our pioneer fathers established their name in America, leaving a heritage to be sustained by all who followed.

## ACCOUNT OF RACHEL SEAMAN HICKS

Written in Westbury, L. I., before 1829

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**H**ENRY AND MARY WILLIS, members of the Society of Friends, from whom descended Thomas Willis, John and Henry Willis of Jericho, came from Westbury in England, about the middle of the seventeenth century, and bought a piece of land of Captain John Seaman which he had purchased of the Indians, and named it Westbury,—settled upon it, built a good framed house in 1688. Nathaniel Seaman, seventh son of Captain John Seaman, married a daughter of Henry and Mary Willis, purchased the farm, where his son Thomas and grandson Gideon Seaman lived and died, and where Rachel Hicks, daughter of the latter, now lives. He, Nathaniel Seaman, also owned the farm where Joseph Hicks (also his descendant) resides, and settled his son Samuel on it. Several years previous to his death he resided with his son Thomas, who had two sons, Simeon and Gideon, and four daughters, Anne, Hannah, Rachel and Phebe. Simeon died when a child, and Gideon had no son, but two daughters, Mary and Rachel. Mary married Richard Willits of Jericho, and left one son, the present Edward S. Willits of Westbury, who also resides on a part of the same tract of land Henry and Mary Willis bought of Captain John Seaman. Rachel married Abraham Hicks, nephew of Elias Hicks, and had five children, William, Elizabeth, Gideon, Gideon the second, Abraham, all deceased. Having a clear recollection of incidents in the life of Captain John Seaman which my father, Gideon Seaman, having received from the lips of his grandfather, Nathaniel Seaman, used to relate with great satisfaction. At the request of Jacob Seaman of Cornwall, Orange County, N. Y., I now relate from memory, believing it may be useful to the descendants of Captain John Seaman to remember the wisdom and forbearance of their ancestor, who, though it appears did not give, by will, any part of his property to his daughters, was nevertheless far in advance of his English education, in making his eight sons equal instead of giving all of his estate to his eldest. I have often heard my father say that when a youth his ancestor, John Seaman, was bound to a carpenter to learn that trade, and during

his apprenticeship his master having come to a conclusion to emigrate to America, liberty was given to the apprentice to choose either to go home to his father and live with a step-mother, or come to this country with his master. Choosing the latter he came to Boston and there served out the term of his apprenticeship,—and then being left to himself to work his way as well as he could in the new world, he left Boston, and travelled on foot toward Long Island, stopping by the way to work to earn money to defray his expenses, until he arrived at the small settlement of white people, now the flourishing village of Hempstead, about 20 miles from the city of New York, and five from Westbury, where he settled, and, there is reason to believe, manifested sound judgment, energy, and perseverance, as in that day such men were sought out to fill important offices in government, surrounded as they were by eminent dangers;—he was elected or appointed Justice of the Peace, and Captain of the militia, as the following incidents show. At one time a Friend travelling as a minister came to Hempstead, probably the first that had been there, caused great excitement, and being engaged in controversy with the priest, the people, men and women, gathered around them to hear it: among them was Captain John Seaman's wife who ran with a child in her arms. It soon became evident that the priest was overmatched by the arguments and weighty reasoning of the Friend. The people in their excitement ran to their Justice of the Peace for a warrent to take up the stranger for no other reason than that he was a Quaker, which Seaman refused to give, because, on examination, the people had to acknowledge he, the Quaker, had not broken the peace or transgressed the civil or moral law, then said Captain John Seaman, "Let him go about his business." But the people, intent on their purpose, no doubt exasperated in seeing their priest unable to sustain himself before a poor despised Quaker, went several miles to another magistrate by the name of Gildersleeve, and obtained of him a warrent, and the Friend was taken to Jamaica and imprisoned there, how long is not now known. My father used to relate this incident with great satisfaction in the feeling, and I doubt not many others of his, Captain John Seaman's numerous posterity also do, that our ancestor was clear of this cruelty and injustice.

Another incident I will preface by relating the account I heard Betty, a pious old Indian woman, give of the arrival and



reception of white people here. Betty descended from one of the Long Island kings, and her retentive mind was one of those pages of history on which the Indians were in the practice of impressing whatever they wished to transmit to posterity. She lived on the south side of Long Island and for many years made my father's home her home while she bottomed chairs, and later in life begged and collected a store of food for winter. Although unlearned and unpolished in manners there was a native simplicity and dignity about her, and above all a reverence of the Great Spirit and a desire so to live as to be prepared for eternal happiness, that made her respected and receive a hearty welcome, I believe, wherever she went. In my childhood and early youth I hailed it as a season of pleasure when Betty came, and delighted to sit by her side and hear her relate circumstances of olden time. She said, and she always spoke of it with great seriousness, that when the Indians saw the first ship they ever beheld approaching these shores, they wondered what it was, were struck with awe and astonishment, and when they saw white men moving about it thought they were angels sent by the Great Spirit and received them with reverence; believing that some great event was about to occur to the inhabitants here, they felt bound to do everything requested of them. Sometimes the newcomers gave them something to drink, that looked red in a glass, which made them feel very happy for a little while and put them to sleep, and when they awoke, were told by the white men that they had conveyed to them a piece of land; they grew uneasy seeing their possessions thus taken from them. At one time a cannon was landed, and they were told it was a God and would speak and they must stand before its mouth in a straight line; they obeyed and many of them fell dead when it was fired off and uttered its thundering voice. These and similar cruelties at length roused the spirit of revenge and a desire to relieve themselves of such troublesome invaders, and being very numerous, it required great vigilance and prudence, on the part of the small number of white settlers who pursued a more humane course of treatment, to secure their own safety, than the first who arrived here did. The Indians did not seek open warfare but to take the whites by surprise when they were not looking for them. Thus when John Seaman was Captain of the militia at Hempstead, it was reported that on a certain night the Indians were coming to cut off the white people:—as they looked to their Captain for

direction in this great danger, he feeling the responsibility of his position, was brought under great exercise of mind, but looking to the Almighty for council, he felt prepared to tell the inhabitants not to retire as usual, and the men to arm themselves, but gave positive orders not to fire on the Indians unless he gave the word of command. Thus they waited in intense anxiety until they heard the sound of many voices near the village. Captain John Seaman then led his little band to meet the thousands that were approaching them, and going up to the Head man or chief ordered him to stop; he did so, and Seaman asked him where they were going; he replied to Cow Neck (now Manhasset); why did they go in the night?—because it was cool; would he promise to go through the town and do no harm?—and not thinking it prudent to go on before him, walked by his side and perceived the Indian to tremble. With great firmness he restrained his own men from firing on the Indians, for he saw clearly that had they done so, they would have exasperated their invaders and would in a short time have cut off the little handful of whites without mercy. Next day on seeing the tall grass had been tramped down, it was evident the great company had separated for the purpose of one part attacking the town, and the other to come up in the rear. And it is evident Captain John Seaman did not put his trust in carnal weapon but in Omnipotence.

## THE HEMPSTEAD CENSUS

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THE Hempstead Census of 1698 contains the following members of the Seaman family. This is known to be the first Census taken on Long Island:

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 Deborah Seaman  
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 Joseph Seaman  
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 Ruth Seaman  
 John Seaman Jr.  
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 Rachel Seaman  
 Rachel Seaman Jr  
 Martha Carman  
 Richard Semman  
 Jane Seaman  
 Richard Seaman Jr  
 Thomas Seaman



## Second Generation

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2. JOHN SEAMAN, JR. (Capt John<sup>1</sup>), called Junior until 1694/5; born about 1645; died 1697. He was taxed in 1683, but was a Freeholder in 1694. They had eight children, of whom six were mentioned in the Census of 1698:—

+18. John Seaman, married Esther Williams, probably daughter of Robert and Sarah (Washburne) Williams of Oyster Bay, L. I.

19. Joseph Seaman, born 1667; had no descendants.

20. Martha Seaman.

21. Mary Seaman.

22. Ruth Seaman.

23. Hannah Seaman; died June 24, 1759; married William Mott, son of Adam and Anne Mott. (He was born January 20, 1674; died June 30, 1740.) They had four children:—

Elizabeth Mott, died December 25, 1721.

William Mott, born August 6, 1709; died March 25, 1786; married Elizabeth Valentine.

Hannah Mott, married March 5, 1731, Philip Pell, and had three children.

Martha Mott.

24. Infant.

25. Infant.

3. JONATHAN SEAMAN (Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born about 1647. Resident of the Town of Hempstead, L. I. He was a Freeman in Hempstead in 1685, with 65 acres. Married Jane —, and had nine children living in 1698, who are mentioned in the census of that year:—

+26. Jonathan Seaman, Jr., married Mary Denton, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Smith) Denton. They moved to Kakiak-on-Hudson, N. Y., in 1712.

- +27. David Seaman, married Temperance Williams, daughter of John and Leah (Townsend) Williams.
- +28. John Seaman, married Hannah Williams, daughter of John and Leah (Townsend) Williams. (She died 1777.)
- 29. Elizabeth Seaman.
- 30. Jane Seaman.
- 31. Joseph Seaman, married Nellie Cooper. They went to Kakkiah-on-Hudson, N. Y.
- +32. Caleb Seaman, died 1777; married —.
- 33. Hannah Seaman.
- 34. Sarah Seaman.

4. BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Captain John<sup>1</sup>), called Simmons, born about 1650; will dated February 28, 1723, and probated November 5, 1733; married Martha Titus, daughter of Edmond and Martha (Washburne) Titus. (She was born January, 1663.) Residents of Jerusalem, L. I., Freeholder in 1865; Justice; Assessor in 1709.

"At a toune meeting held in Hempsted in Aprrell ye second daye 1685 ther was chosen as the Law Derects John Jackson Joseph Smith Benjamin Seaman to be commistioners or select men to sit in Cort as Judicators to end diferences under forty shillings."

"Att a General Toune Meeting held in hemsted April ye 5 day 1709 - - - - -. At the aforesaid meeting Beiaman seman sener was chosen asesor for to asist Thomas Carman in making Asesments of every free holder and sogener estat in ye bounds of hemsted for the enseuing year."

Benjamin and Martha (Titus) Seaman had ten children, of whom the first nine are mentioned in the Census of 1698:—

- 35. Hannah Seaman, married Daniel Denton, son of Daniel and Deborah Denton. They had six children:—

John Denton, baptised April 12, 1719; married Deborah

Joseph Denton, baptised March 6, 1726; married, May 24, 1744, Mary Seaman.

Anne Denton, baptised December 28, 1729.

Isaac Denton.

Hannah Denton.

Daniel Denton.

- +36. Benjamin Seaman, born 1685; died September 7, 1729; married Jane Mott, daughter of Joseph and Miriam Mott of Staten Island, N. Y. (She was born November 15, 1682; died July 15, 1729.) Residents Westbury, L. I.

37. Jane Seaman, died at Westbury, L. I., January 23, 1722; married Joseph Clements. (He was born 1681, and died 1748.) They lived at Westbury and had three children:—

Martha Clements, born before 1725; married before 1745, Thomas Carpenter.

Jane Clements, born before 1733.

Joseph Clements, married Sarah —.

38. Martha Seaman, married Jonathan Rowland and had two children:—

Martha Rowland.

Jonathan Rowland, married Hannah Marvin.

- +39. Jacob Seaman; died 1766; married his cousin Mary Seaman (54), daughter of Samuel and Phoebe (Hicks) Seaman. Residents of Oyster Bay, L. I.

- +40. James Seaman; died 1781; married March 25, 1731, at Hempstead, L. I., his cousin, Martha Seaman (55), daughter of Samuel and Phoebe (Hicks) Seaman.

41. Phoebe Seaman, born 1699; died April 14, 1774, of small-pox; married Jacob Townsend. (He was born 1692; died December 30, 1742.) They had five children:—

Samuel Townsend, born 1717; died November 24, 1790; married Sarah Stoddard. (She died April 10, 1800.)

Jacob Townsend, died December 31, 1774.

Benjamin Townsend, born 1723; died September 18, 1789; married Betty Frost, daughter of George and Ann (Underhill) Frost.

James Townsend.

Almy Townsend, married Thomas Buchanan.

42. Elizabeth Seaman, married, first, James Worden; married, second, Thomas Rushmore.

43. Temperance Seaman, married three times; married, first, Arthur Kirk; married, second, Joseph Wright; married, third, William Kirby.

+44. Solomon Seaman, married 1740, Hannah Seaman, daughter of Thomas Seaman.

5. SOLOMON SEAMAN (Captain John<sup>1</sup>), called Simmons, lived in Hempstead, L. I.; died 1733; married before 1682, Elizabeth Linnington, daughter of Henry and Catherine (Ellison) Linnington. Solomon Seaman's will was dated May 20, 1728. Witness in Court 1677 and 1682. Taxed in 1683, £164, 13s, 4d; Freeholder 1685, with 163 acres.

They had eight children, of whom six are mentioned in the Census of 1698. Two of his sons went to Maryland.

45. Henry Seaman, married, 1716, Rebecca Fowler.

+46. Solomon Seaman, married, March 5, 1705/6, Mary Mott, daughter of Adam and Mary Mott.

47. Deborah Seaman, married, November 6, 1702, Joseph Willets, son of Hope and Nancy (Langdon) Willets. (He was born December 13, 1677.)

48. Elizabeth Seaman.

49. Mary Seaman.

50. Abigail Seaman.

+51. Absolom Seaman, married Elizabeth —, moved to Maryland.

52. Anthony Seaman, married, August 7, 1748, at Hempstead, L. I., Martha Smith, moved to Maryland.

7. SAMUEL SEAMAN (Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1668; died 1732; married, 1695, Phoebe Hicks, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Doughty) Hicks of Suffolk County. (She was born 1672; died 1732.) Samuel Seaman was a Freeholder in 1685, at which



time he was living with his father in Hempstead. They had seven children.

+53. Samuel Seaman, married, October 30, 1729/30, at Hempstead, L. I., Isabella Allen.

54. Mary Seaman, married her cousin Jacob Seaman (39), son of Benjamin and Martha (Titus) Seaman. (He died 1766.) They had four children, who are recorded under Jacob Seaman (39).

55. Martha Seaman, married, March 25, 1731, at Hempstead, L. I., her cousin, James Seaman (40), son of Benjamin and Martha (Titus) Seaman. (He died 1781.) They had four children, who are recorded under James Seaman (40). Martha Seaman's will is dated Jerusalem, L. I., and probated July 17, 1846, in which she left all to her sister, Mary Seaman.

+56. Hicks Seaman, born 1700 at Jerusalem, L. I.; married, Hempstead, L. I., October 30, 1726, Elizabeth Barnes, daughter of Joshua and Sarah (Jackson) Barnes. (She died 1707.)

57. Phoebe Seaman.

58. Charity Seaman.

59. Deborah Seaman.

8. THOMAS SEAMAN (Captain John<sup>1</sup>). He was the last of six sons to be named among the Patentees of the Town of Hempstead in 1660. He was not taxed in 1683, and in 1685 ranked as a Freeholder of 108 acres. His will is dated November 14, 1722, in which he is described as of Hempstead, and was probated December 29, 1724. Married Mary —, and had eleven children, of whom seven are mentioned in the Census of 1698.

+60. John Seaman, died May 11, 1798; married Sarah Allen, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Weekes) Allen. (She died November 11, 1775.)

+61. Samuel Seaman, married Anne Pratt, daughter of John and Anne Pratt of Jericho, L. I.

62. Nathaniel Seaman, died.

+63. Thomas Seaman, born 1675; will proved March 29, 1762; married Hannah —.

64. Isaac Seaman.

+65. Richard Seaman, married Hannah Jackson, daughter of Colonel John and Elizabeth Seaman (6) Jackson.

+66. Sylvanus Seaman, died on Staten Island, August 21, 1759; married, first, Rebecca Jackson, daughter of James and Rebecca Jackson of "Rocky Hill in the town of Flushing not far from Jamaica"; (she was born February 20, 1699); married, second, Mary —. Sylvanus Seaman died intestate.

67. Abigail Seaman, married, first, Samuel Jackson, son of Colonel John and Elizabeth Seaman (6) Jackson. (His first wife was Ruth Smith.) They had eight children:—

Samuel Jackson.

Richard Jackson.

Ruth Jackson, married Abel Smith.

Jemina Jackson.

Thomas Jackson, died 1750; married, 1748, Mary Willis.  
(Her daughter Mary married William Seaman.)

Isaac Jackson.

Jerusha Jackson.

Abigail Jackson, married Jacob Mott.

67. Abigail Seaman Jackson married, second, David Batty, and had one daughter:—

Abigail Batty, married Enoch Plummer, an English soldier in King George's army.

68. Hannah Seaman, married, February 10, 1732, at Hempstead, L. I., Samuel Totten.

69. Mary Seaman, married, first, John Smith; married, second, John Titus.

70. Elizabeth Seaman, married Thomas Alling.

9. NATHANIEL SEAMAN (Captain John<sup>1</sup>), died October 9, 1759; married at Westbury, L. I., August 9, 1695, Rachel Willis, daughter of Henry and Mary (Peace) Willis. (She died August 28, 1739.) There are many notices of "this Nathaniel." He was an active worker in the Society of Friends, and from 1692 his name is frequently mentioned in their records. Friends Meetings

were frequently held at his house. In 1692/3 his father, before making his will, conveyed 316 acres at the harbor head to him and his brother Richard. In 1702 he was called "of Westbury." They had nine children:—

71. Rachel Seaman, born January 26, 1696; died November 25, 1702.

+72. Nathaniel Seaman, born November 18, 1699; died June 14, 1774; married, December 28, 1721/2, Sarah Powell, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Townsend) Powell.

73. Hester (or Esther) Seaman, born September 8, 1701; died July 6, 1759; married, December 27, 1723, John Whitson, son of Thomas and Martha (Jones) Whitson. (He was born 1697.) They had two sons:—

Nathaniel Whitson, married, 1749, Mary Powell.

John Whitson, married, 1747, Martha Whitman.

+74. Jacob Seaman, born August 10, 1703; died April, 1759; married at Westbury, L. I., 1726, Mercy Powell, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Phillips) Powell of Bethpage, L. I. (She was born March 18, 1705; died March 13, 1759.)

+75. Abraham Seaman, born November 10, 1706; married, October 1, 1731, Deborah Townsend, daughter of James and Audry (Almy) Townsend.

76. Rachel Seaman, born January 9, 1708; married at Westbury, L. I., January 30, 1738, Jeremiah Elfreth of Philadelphia, Pa., and had one child who died in infancy.

+77. Hezekiah Seaman, born March 4, 1711; married Mary Doughty, daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Jackson) Doughty, (She was born 1710 at Oyster Bay.)

+78. Thomas Seaman, born November 2, 1712/13; died January 13, 1804; married at Westbury, L. I., December 3, 1741/2, Hannah Willits, daughter of Thomas and Catherine (Hallock) Willits of Islip, and later of Bensalem, L. I. (She was born October 6, 1711, died July 23, 1775.)

+79. Samuel Seaman, born Hempstead, L. I., April 13, 1715; died 1780; married, 1736, Martha Valentine, daughter of Obadiah and Martha (Willits) Valentine. (She was born November 18, 1717.)

**10.** RICHARD SEAMAN (Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Hempstead, L. I., 1673; died at Westbury, L. I., September 5, 1749; will dated April 5, 1749, proved April 5, 1750; married 1693/4, Jane Mott, daughter of Adam and Mary (Stillwell) Mott. (She was born 1680; died August 31, 1759.) Richard Seaman was "a sound minister of the Gospel for many years, having lead a solid and exemplary life from his young days." Friends Meetings were appointed to be held at his house at a time when it took courage to proclaim a religious belief which was not favored by the political powers. He was a Minister in the Society of Friends and travelled extensively in the service with "a Minute of Unity" from Westbury Meeting. In 1725, he visited Friends in New Jersey, Maryland, Pennsylvania and Virginia. In 1740, Henry Pearsall accompanied him to visit Friends towards Canada, and in 1745 he was sent on a similar service in the west. In 1692/3 his father, before making his will, conveyed 316 acres of land at the harbor head to him, and to his brother Nathaniel. He had fifteen children, of whom twelve are mentioned in his will:—

+80. Richard Seaman, born November 31, 1694/5; died 1752; married Sarah (Frost ?).

+81. Thomas Seaman, born October 19, 1696; married at Westbury, L. I., November 11, 1722, Philadelphia Titus, daughter of John and Sarah (Willis) Titus. (She was born September 29, 1700.)

82. Tamar Seaman, born May 21, 1699.

83. Jane Seaman, born August 16, 1701; died April 29, 1759; married James Titus, son of Peter Titus. (James Titus was born at about 1700.)

+84. Adam Seaman, born July 11, 1704; died 1763; married January 16, 1729/30, at Hempstead, L. I., Hannah Pine, daughter of James and Edith (Williams) Pine.

85. Sarah Seaman, born January 4, 1706; married August 30, 1728, Benjamin Dusenbury.

+86. Giles Seaman, died 1782; married 1735, Letitia Onderdonck, daughter of Henry and Mary (Foster) Onderdonck.

87. Hannah Seaman, born July 11, 1710; died at Jericho, L. I., July 26, 1753; married 1733, Isaac Doughty, son of

Know all men by these presents that I Richard  
seaman of hemite In Dutch County on newsw Island  
In y<sup>e</sup> province of new york for and In consideration  
of a valuable sum Received by me of my brother  
nathaniel seaman of hemite afore<sup>s</sup> In full satis-  
faction for all y<sup>e</sup> meadow and Land that my father  
John seaman of hemite afore<sup>s</sup> gave me In his last  
will Lying on a neck Commonly Caled newbrige In y<sup>e</sup>  
Borough of hemite afore<sup>s</sup> now know ye that I the  
afore<sup>s</sup> Richard seaman do Release make over assure  
and Confirm from me my heires Executors and admi-  
nistrators unto my brother nathaniel seaman his heires  
Executors administrators and assigns for ever all y<sup>e</sup> bene  
so Land and meadow and do for ever Quit Claime to y<sup>e</sup>  
same fully making over to him y<sup>e</sup> nathaniel seaman  
his heires and assigns to have and to hold forever as his or  
there own proper Right of Inheritance as witness my hand  
and seale this Eleventh Day of september Anno domini 1748  
signed sealed and Delivered  
In y<sup>e</sup> presence of

Richard sea<sup>man</sup>

Elizabeth Willis  
Martha Willis



Isaac and Elizabeth (Jackson) Doughty. (He was born 1704; died May 11, 1777.) They had five children:—

Richard Doughty, born about 1731; died May 6, 1777; married January 26, 1755, Phoebe Williams, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Willets) Williams. (She died May 12, 1777.) They had two sons:—

Thomas Doughty.

Isaac Doughty.

Isaac Doughty, born about 1733; died 1803; married — Thornycroft.

Samuel Doughty, born about 1745; died 1823; married 1775. Catherine Baldwin.

Elizabeth Doughty.

Hannah Doughty, married James Crafts, son of Thomas Thornycroft and Mary (Frost) Crafts. (He died 1826.)

Hannah Seaman Doughty died July 26, 1753, and December 3, 1755, Isaac Doughty married Sarah Titus, daughter of John and Sarah Titus, and widow of Edmond Titus.

88. Daniel Seaman.

89. Elizabeth Seaman, married John Townsend.

90. Phoebe Seaman, married — Townsend.

91. Mary Seaman, married December 7, 1749, William Mott, son of James Mott of Mamaroneck, N. Y.

COPY OF LETTERS PATENT from King George III, to John Jackson, Thomas Allen, and Samuel Seaman for 800 acres of land in Queens County, 10th day of July, 1767.

Recorded in New York Secretary's Office, 11th day of July, 1767. Liber of Patents Number 14, Page 227.

(George Banyar) Secretary

And Docketed in New York Auditor-General's Office, 11th day of July, 1767.

## LETTERS PATENT No. 1

GEORGE III, BY THE GRACE OF GOD, of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, etc. To all whom these presents shall come, Greeting. WHEREAS our loving subjects, John Jackson, Thomas Allen, and Samuel Seaman, by their humble petition presented unto our trusty and well-beloved Sir Henry Moore, Baronet and Captain-General and Governor in Chief in and over our Province of New York and territories depending thereon in America—Chancellor and Vice-Admiral of the same and read in our Council for our said Province on the 3rd day of December now last past did set forth that there were formerly surveyed for Jacob Seaman and his associates certain vacant lands on Nassau Island, in Queens County in our said Province, bounded westwardly by Hempstead Patent Line, northwardly by Thomas Powell's plain land, eastwardly by Oyster Bay Patent Line, and southerly by John Seaman's thousand acre Patent, as also certain meadows being all that part of Seaman's Island which lies to the eastward of Hempstead Line, containing in the whole 800 acres. That by agreement entered into by all the parties interested in the said vacant lands and meadows, the Petitioners were empowered to take a grant thereof in their own names and has become bound to convey such parts of the said premises to the said parties severally as were then held, claimed, or owned by them under deeds from the native Indian proprietors thereof or otherwise. And, therefore, the said Petitioners did humbly pray that the said vacant lands might by our Letters Patent be granted to them and their heirs, under the Quit Rent Proviso, Limitations and Restrictions prescribed by our Royal Instructions, which petition having been then and there read and considered of our Council, of our said Province, did afterward on the same day humbly advise our said Governor to grant the prayer thereof. In pursuance whereof and in obedience to our Royal Instructions our Commissioners appointed for the setting out of lands to be granted within our said Province have set out for them the said John Jackson, Thomas Allen, and Sam-



uel Seaman ; All that certain tract or parcel of land vested in our Crown, situate, lying, and being in Queens County aforesaid, within our said Province, BEGINNING in the east bounds of Hempstead Patent at Thomas Powell's plain land, and runs thence along Hempstead Patent Line S.  $7^{\circ}$  W. 186 chains and 40 links to John Seaman's thousand acre patent, and then along his line N.  $89^{\circ}$  E. 52 chains and 2 rods to the west bounds of Oyster Bay Patent, N.  $7^{\circ}$  E. 39 chains and 2 rods to a white oak tree marked with several old notches and from the said oak tree N.  $3^{\circ} 45'$  W. 144 chains to the aforesaid Thomas Powell's plain land and thence along his line N.  $84^{\circ} 30'$  W. 25 chains to the place where this land began, containing 720 acres and the usual allotment for highways. And also our said Commissioners have set out for them the said John Jackson, Thomas Allen, and Samuel Seaman one tract of salt meadow land vested in our Crown, situate, lying and being in the County aforesaid, being the easterly part of Seaman's Island so-called, BEGINNING on the south side of the creek and runs thence along the line of Hempstead Patent S.  $6^{\circ} 30'$  W. (their line being due South) 37 chains and 30 links to the Bay, thence easterly and northwesterly around the said Bay to the creek, then easterly along the said creek as it runs to the place where this tract or parcel of salt meadow land first began, containing 80 acres.

And in setting out the said two tracts of land our said Commissioners have had regard to the profitable and unprofitable acres and have taken care that the length of the said tracts or either of them doth not extend along the banks of any river otherwise than is conformable to our said Royal Instructions as by certificate thereof under their hand bearing date the 7th day of December now last past and entered on record in our Secretary's Office for our said Province, may more fully appear.

KNOW YE, that of our especial grace, certain knowledge and Meer Motion we have given, granted, ratified and confirmed and do by these presents for us, our heirs, and successors give, grant, ratify, and confirm under them the said John Jackson, Thomas Allen, and

Samuel Seaman, their heirs, and assigns forever, All those two tracts or parcels of land aforesaid, set out, abutted, bounded and described in manner and form as above mentioned: TOGETHER with all and singular tenements, hereditaments, emoluments, and appurtenances thereunto belonging or appertaining; And also all our estate right, title, interest possession, claim and demand whatsoever of, in, and to the same lands and premises and every part and parcel thereof, except and always reserved out of this our present grant unto us, our heirs, and successors forever all mines of gold and silver, and also all the white and other sorts of pine trees fit for masts of the growth of 24" in diameter and upwards of 12" from the earth for masts for the Royal Lavy of us, our heirs and successors. To have and to hold one full equal third part (the whole into three equal third parts to be divided) of the said two tracts or parcels of land, tenements, hereditaments, and premises by these presents granted, ratified, and confirmed and every part and parcel thereof, with their and every one of their appurtenances (except as hereinbefore excepted) unto them and each of them our said grantees above mentioned, their heirs and assigns respectively—To their only proper and separate use and behoof respectively forever as tenants in common and not as joint tenants to be holding on us, our heirs and successors in free and common stoga, as of our Manor of East Greenwich, in our County of Kent, within our Kingdom of Great Britain, yielding, rendering and paying therefor yearly and every year forever unto us, our heirs and successors at the Custom House in the City of New York in our said Province unto our, or their collectors, or Receiver-General therefor, the time being on the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, commonly called Lady Day, the yearly rent of two shillings and six pence Sterling for each and every 100 acres of the above granted lands and so in proportion for any lesser quantity thereof saving and except such parts of the said lands allowed for highways as above mentioned. In lieu of all other rents, services, dues, duties and demands whatsoever for the

hereby granted lands or premises or for any part thereof :  
Provided always and upon condition nevertheless, that if  
our said grantees, their heirs or assigns or some or one  
of them shall not within three years next after date of  
this present grant settle on the said Tracts of Land hereby  
granted one family, or if they our said grantees or one  
of them their or one of their heirs or assigns shall not  
also within three years to be computed as aforesaid, plant  
and effectually cultivate at the least three acres for every  
fifty acres of such of the hereby granted lands as are  
capable of cultivation, or if they our said grantees or any  
one of them, their heirs, or any of their heirs or assigns  
or any other person or persons, by their or any of their  
privity consent or procurement shall fell, cut down, or  
otherwise destroy any of the pine trees by these presents  
reserved to us, our heirs and successors, or hereby in-  
tended so to be, without the royal license of us, our heirs,  
or successors for us acting, first have and obtain, that  
then, and in any of these cases this our present grant and  
everything therein contained shall cease and be absolutely  
void, and the lands and premises hereby granted shall  
revert to and be vested in us, our heirs, and successors,  
as if this our present grant had not been given, anything  
hereinbefore contained to the contrary notwithstanding.  
Provided always and upon condition nevertheless and we  
do hereby for ourselves, our heirs, and successors direct  
and appoint that this our present grant shall be registered  
and entered on record within six months from the date  
hereof in our Secretary's Office in our City of New  
York, in our Province in one of the books of Patents  
there remaining and that the Dorquet thereof shall be  
also entered in our Auditors Office there for our said  
Province and in default thereof this our present grant  
shall be void and of non effect, anything before in these  
presents contained to the contrary thereof in any wise  
notwithstanding. AND WE DO moreover of our espe-  
cial grace, certain knowledge and Meer Motion consent  
and agree that this our present grant being registered,  
recorded and a Dorquet thereof made as before directed  
and appointed shall be good and effectual in Re Law to

all intents, constructions and purposes whatsoever against us, our heirs and successors notwithstanding any misreciting, misnaming, misbounding, or other imperfection, or omission of, in, or in any wise concerning the above granted or hereby mentioned or intended to be granted lands, tenements, hereditaments, and premises or any part thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF we have caused these presents our letters to be made patent and the great seal of our Province to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS our trusty and well beloved Sir Henry Moore Baronet, our Captain-General and Governor in Chief in our Province of New York and territories depending thereon in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral of the same at our Fort in our City of New York the 10th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty seven and of our reign the seventh.

Henry Moore.

Passed the Secretary's Office Clerk

#### COPY OF LETTERS PATENT NUMBER 2.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY SIR HENRY MOORE BARONET, CAPTAIN GENERAL AND GOVERNOR IN CHIEF IN AND OVER THE PROVINCE OF NEW YORK and the territories depending thereon in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral of the same: Andrew Elliot so-called Receiver-General of the said Province: And Alexander Colden so-called Surveyor-General of the same Province, Commissioners appointed by his Majesty's Instructions for the setting out of all lands to be granted within the said Province.

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING. WHEREAS, JOHN JACKSON, THOMAS ALLEN, and SAMUEL SEAMAN by their humble petition presented to his said Excellency and read in Council on the third day of December instant did set forth that there were formerly surveyed for Jacob Seaman and his associates certain vacant lands on Nassau Island in Queens County, bounded westwardly by Hempstead Patent Line,

northwestwardly by Thomas Powell's plain land, eastwardly by Oyster Bay Patent Line and southerly by John Seaman's thousand acre Patent; As also certain meadows being all that part of Seaman's Island which lies to the eastward of Hempstead Line, containing in the whole 800 acres. That by agreement entered into by all the parties interested in the said vacant lands and meadows, the petitioners are empowered to take a grant thereof in their own names and have become bound to convey such parts of the said premises to the said parties severally, as were then, held, claimed, or owned by them under deeds from the native Indian proprietors thereof, or otherwise, and therefore, the said petitioners did humbly pray that the said vacant lands may by his Majesty's Letters Patent be granted to them and their heirs under the Quit Rent provisoes, Limitations, and Restrictions prescribed by his Majesty's Instructions, which Patent having been then and there read and considered of his Majesty's Council for the said Province did afterwards on the same day humbly advise his said Excellency to grant the prayer thereof. In pursuance whereof and in obedience to his Majesty's said Instructions, we the said Commissioners do hereby certify that we have set out for them the said John Jackson, Thomas Allen, and Samuel Seaman, all that certain tract or parcel of land vested in the Crown situate, lying and being in Queens County aforesaid, BEGINNING in the east bounds of Hempstead Patent at Thomas Powell's plain land and runs from thence along Hempstead Patent Line S.  $7^{\circ}$  W. 186 chains and 40 links to John Seaman's thousand acre Patent, along his line N.  $89^{\circ}$  E. 52 chains and 2 rods to the west bounds of Oyster Bay Patent Line N.  $7^{\circ}$  E. 39 chains and 2 rods to a white oak tree, marked with several old notches and from said oak tree N.  $3^{\circ}$  and  $45'$  W. 144 chains to the aforesaid Thomas Powell's plain land, then along his line N.  $84^{\circ}$  and  $30'$  W. 25 chains to the place where this tract began, containing 720 acres and the usual allowance for highways. As also one tract of salt meadow land vested in the Crown, situate, lying, and being in the County aforesaid, being the easterly

part of Seaman's Island so-called, beginning on the S.S. of the creek that divides the necks of meadows from the land where the bounds of Hempstead crosses said creek and runs thence along the line of Hempstead Patent S. 6° and 30' W. (their line being due South) 37 chains and 30 links to the Bay, then easterly and northwesterly around the said Bay to the creek aforesaid and then westerly along the said creek as it runs to the place where this tract or parcel of salt meadow land began, containing 80 acres. And in setting out the said two tracts of land we have had regard to the profitable and unprofitable acres and have taken care that none of the said tracts or either of them doth not extend along the banks of any river otherwise than is conformable to his Majesty's Instructions. Given in our Office in the City of New York this 17th day of December, one thousand seven hundred and sixty-six in the seventh year of the reign of our sovereign Lord George III by the Grace of God of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, etc.

Henry Moore.

Andrew Elliott.

Alexander Colden

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## Third Generation

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**18.** JOHN SEAMAN (John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Esther Williams, probably the daughter of Robert and Sarah (Washburne) Williams. They had two children:—

92. John Seaman.

+93. Joseph Seaman, married March 20, 1730. at Hempstead, L. I., Sarah Bartoe, of French descent. Residents of Little Egg Harbor, New Jersey.

**26.** JONATHAN SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), lived in New Hempstead, Orange County, N. Y., married Elizabeth Denton, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Smith) Denton. His will was proved October 3, 1748. In the Records of Hempstead, Long Island, we find "The record of Jonathan Seaman, his land and measure, given him by his brother David Seaman, December 26, 1709." In 1712 he bought land at Kakiak-on-Hudson, N. Y., and settled there. They had eleven children:—

+94. Jonathan Seaman, baptised July 31, 1722, at Tappan, N. Y.

+95. Jonah Seaman, baptised August 3, 1720; married Jane D. Moss.

+96. Jecaniah Seaman, baptised August 3, 1720; married Rachel Secor.

97. Elizabeth Seaman, baptised August 3, 1720; married John Palmer.

98. Martha Seaman, married Michael Vandervoort.

99. Phoebe Seaman, baptised March 26, 1717; married Samuel Coe. They had ten children.

100. Hannah Seaman, married William Coe.

101. Nehemiah Seaman.

102. John Seaman, married —.

103. Jean Seaman, baptised June 17, 1817.

104. Earnie Seaman, baptised June 17, 1817.

**27. DAVID SEAMAN** (Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), lived at Oyster Bay, L. I., married Temperance Williams, daughter of John and Leah (Townsend) Williams. In 1709 David Seaman gave land to each of his brothers, Jonathan, John and Caleb, according to the town records of that date. 1732, 1741, 1742, 1748, Judge of Court of Common Pleas, Long Island. 1738, Captain of the Oyster Bay Company, Queens County. Had three children.

+105. David Seaman, born October 15, 1709; died 1759; married April 12, 1737, Mary Willets, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Jackson) Willets. (She was born March 7, 1721.)

+106. Zebulun Seaman, resident of Jericho, L. I., born March 17, 1718; died February 19, 1784; married April 17, 1743, Phoebe Valentine, daughter of Obadiah and Martha (Willets) Valentine. (She died August 4, 1803.)

107. Rachel Seaman, married Solomon Doughty, son of Isaac and Eliza (English) Doughty. (He was born about 1691; died 1761/2.) They had eight children:—

Temperance Doughty.

Elizabeth Doughty.

Mary Doughty, married May 26, 1770, Zebidee Totten.

Isaac Doughty, born about 1723.

Samuel Doughty, born about 1740.

Stephen Doughty.

Seaman Doughty, married 1779, Sarah Gallandet.

Moses Doughty, born about 1740.

**28. JOHN SEAMAN** (Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), lived at Oyster Bay, L. I., married Hannah Williams, daughter of John and Leah (Townsend) Williams. (She died 1777.) "The record of John Seaman Junior, his land and meadow given him by his brother, David Seaman, October 19, 1709." Had four sons:—

+108. William Seaman, born June 28, 1708; married at Westbury Meeting, L. L., 1743, his second cousin, Martha Seaman (119), daughter of Benjamin and Jane (Mott) Seaman. (She was born December 17, 1711; died April 23, 1774.)



+109. Robert Seaman, of Oyster Bay, L. I., married April 29, 1743, at Westbury Meeting, L. I., Esther Williams Scudder, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Willets) Williams, and widow of Thomas Scudder. (She was born 1720.)

110. John Seaman, unmarried.

+111. Jonathan Seaman, born August 8, 1716; married Elizabeth Willis, daughter of John and Abigail (Willets) Willis. (She was born 1719; died April 30, 1777.)

**32. CALEB SEAMAN** (Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Jericho, L. I. "The record of Caleb Seaman, his land and meadow, given to him by his brother, David Seaman, October 29, 1709." He married and had four sons, all of Jericho:—

112. Caleb Seaman.

113. Joshua Seaman.

114. Nehemiah Seaman, drowned in South Bay, L. I.

+115. Isaac Seaman, born 1743; married July 5, 1763, Phoebe Jackson, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Townsend) Jackson.

**36. BENJAMIN SEAMAN** (Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Westbury, L. I., born 1685; died September 7, 1729; married Jane Mott, daughter of Joseph and Miriam Mott of Staten Island, N. Y. (She was born November 15, 1682; died July 15, 1729.) His will was proved October 28, 1729. They had ten children:—

116. Elizabeth Seaman, born July 3, 1710; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., 1729/30, Amos Underhill, son of John and Elizabeth (Willets) Underhill. (He was born 1706.) They lived in Cedar Swamp, L. I., and New York City. They had three children:—

Isaac Underhill, born May 21, 1732; died at Flushing, L. I., 1816; married at Matinecock, L. I., February 7, 1732, Mary Cock, daughter of John and Sarah (Carpenter) Cock. (She was born July 3, 1730.)

Ann Underhill, married Townsend Dickinson, son of Zebulun Dickinson.

Solomon Underhill, born October 30, 1748; died February 5, 1827; married 1780, Lydia Mott.

117. Martha Seaman, born December 17, 1711; died April 23, 1774, by burning to death when house caught fire; married 1743, her second cousin, William Seaman (110), son of John and Hannah (Williams) Seaman. They had six children, recorded under William Seaman (110).

118. Jane Seaman, born December 14, 1713; married March 28, 1731, at Westbury, L. I., John Robbins, son of Jeremiah Robbins.

119. Miriam Seaman, born March 24, 1716; died August 30, 1729.

120. Hannah Seaman, born March 22, 1718; died January, 1719.

+121. Benjamin Seaman, born December 11, 1719; married at Great Neck, L. I., 1743, Elizabeth Mott, daughter of Adam and Mary (Stillwell) Mott of Staten Island, N. Y.

122. Anne Seaman, born February 8, 1722; died March, 1722.

123. Phoebe Seaman, born May 3, 1723; died February 20, 1724.

124. Mary Seaman, born March 18, 1725; died May 20, 1725.

125. Edmond Seaman, born July 16, 1726; died May, 1728.

**39.** JACOB SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Oyster Bay, L. I.; died 1766; married his cousin, Mary Seaman (54), daughter of Samuel and Phoebe (Hicks) Seaman. They had four children:—

126. Jane Seaman, born May 5, 1722; married at Hempstead, L. I., April 20, 1755, Daniel Jackson, son of Richard Jackson of Oyster Bay.

127. Almy Seaman, born May 1, 1724; married at Hempstead, L. I., September 26, 1756, Obadiah Jackson, son of John and Kesiah (Mott) Jackson. (He died 1779.)

128. Deborah Seaman, born January 12, 1726; married at Hempstead, L. I., March 26, 1755, Thomas Williams.

129. Jacob Seaman, resident Jerusalem, L. I., born October 29, 1737; married Margaret Birdsall and had no children. His

will is dated January 19, 1805, and proved December 24, 1805. (On May 23, 1808, Margaret Birdsall Seaman married Timothy Tredwell.)

**40.** JAMES SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), died 1781; married at Hempstead, L. I., March 25, 1731, his cousin, Martha Seaman (55), daughter of Samuel and Phoebe (Hicks) Seaman. They had four children:—

130. Phoebe Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., February 8, 1750, John Birdsall, son of John and Elizabeth (Langdon) Birdsall.

131. Mary Seaman, married, first, at Hempstead, L. I., Joshua Hunt; married, second, May 4, 1764, Jordan Seaman (223), son of Giles and Letitia (Onderdonck) Seaman.

+132. Benjamin Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., December 6, 1758, Letitia Allen, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Seaman) Allen.

133. Martha Seaman, married September 25, 1765, Benjamin Drake.

**44.** SOLOMON SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married 1740, Hannah Seaman, daughter of Thomas Seaman. Solomon Seaman's will was proved February 16, 1780. They had seven children:—

134. Thomas Seaman, was a schoolmaster, unmarried.

135. David Seaman, unmarried.

136. Almy Seaman, unmarried.

137. Martha Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., February 4, 1785, Alburdis Vanderwater.

+138. Israel Seaman, married March 30, 1779, Sarah Rowland, daughter of Jonathan and Hannah (Marvin) Rowland.

139. Mary Seaman, married at Huntington, L. I., December 7, 1775, Joshua Buffet.

140. Deborah Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., July 15, 1773, Samuel Jackson, son of Thomas and Mary (Townsend) Jackson.

**46.** SOLOMON SEAMAN (Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married March 5, 1705/6, Mary Mott, daughter of Adam and Mary Mott. "April 4, 1742, Solomon Seaman Jr. chosen Commistioner for Laying out of High Ways."

"At a General Toun Meeting Held in Hempstead the fifth day of April 1743, Solomon Seaman," with others

"Chosen Commitioners for Laying out and Regulating Highways for the ensuing year." Commissioner from 1742 to 1748, inclusive. Had two children:—

+141. Solomon Seaman, married Hannah —.

142. Mary Seaman, married May 26, 1744, Joseph Denton.

**51.** ABSOLOM SEAMAN (Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Elizabeth —, and moved to Maryland. They had two children:—

143. Absolom Seaman, baptised July 1, 1748.

144. Elizabeth Seaman, baptised July 1, 1748.

**53.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married at Hempstead, L. I., October 30, 1729, Isabella Allen, and had seven children:—

145. Phoebe Seaman.

146. Charity Seaman.

+147. Samuel Seaman, born in Westchester County, N. Y.; died in Dutchess County, N. Y.; married Freelove —.

148. Deborah Seaman, married March 26, 1755, William Thomas.

149. Amelia Seaman, married July 28, 1759, Jonathan Smith.

150. Margaret Seaman, married Ambrose Seaman (172), son of Nathaniel and Sarah (Powell) Seaman.

151. Anna Seaman, married Peter Perbasco.

**56.** HICKS SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1700 in Jerusalem, L. I., married at Hempstead, October 30, 1726, Elizabeth Barnes, daughter of Joshua and Sarah (Jackson) Barnes, who were early settlers of Southampton, L. I. (She was born 1717 in Jerusalem, L. I.) "Hicks lived south side of the plains,"

meaning Jerusalem. Records of the Town of Hempstead show "1740, Hicks Seaman chosen one of Surveyors or Overseers of High Ways." They moved to Westchester County, N. Y., and settled on a farm near Croton River in 1764. They had five children, of whom four are recorded:—

152. John Seaman.

153. Samuel Seaman.

154. Hicks Seaman.

155. Elizabeth Seaman, born July 15, 1776, at Somerton, N. Y.; died December 3, 1863, at Hawthorne, N. Y.; married 1797, Levi Secor. (He was born January 24, 1773; died July 3, 1856.)

**59.** JOHN SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), died May 11, 1757; will dated May 5, 1757; married Sarah Allen, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Weekes) Allen. (She died November 11, 1775.) They had five children:—

156. Elizabeth Seaman, born November 5, 1724; married Benjamin Smith.

157. Zebulun Seaman, born October 25, 1726; died August 26, 1782; will dated October 10, 1778.

158. Mary Seaman, born July 12, 1731; married at Hempstead, L. I., December 4, 1755, Silas Smith.

+159. John Seaman, born June 18, 1734; died July 9, 1778; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 30, 1756, Elizabeth Carman.

+160. Thomas Seaman, born April 12, 1739; married at Hempstead, L. I., August 6, 1761, Martha Rowland, daughter of Jonathan and Hannah (Marvin) Rowland. (She was born 1741.)

**61.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born at Hempstead, L. I.; married Anne Pratt, daughter of John and Ann Pratt of Jericho, L. I. They had three children:—

+161. Obadiah Seaman, born Hempstead, L. I.; married, first, January 9, 1756, at Hempstead, Deborah Smith, daughter of

Solomon and Hannah (Carpenter) Smith; married, second, Sarah Carman, marriage license May 23, 1771.

162. Elijah Seaman.

+163. Samuel Seaman, born Hempstead, L. I., January 11, 1738; died February 19, 1828; married at Hempstead, July 18, 1762, Mary Birdsall, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Coe Pearse) Birdsall. (She was born September 21, 1746; died October 16, 1819.)

**63. THOMAS SEAMAN** (Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Jerusalem, L. I., born 1675; will proved March 29, 1762; married Hannah —, and had four children:—

164. Hannah Seaman, married Solomon Seaman.

165. Elizabeth Seaman, married September 18, 1730, William Titus, son of John and Sarah (Willis) Titus. (He died April 18, 1750.) They had four children:—

Hannah Titus, married Joseph Willets.

Thomas Titus, married Martha Powell.

Phoebe Titus.

John Titus.

166. Thomas Seaman.

167. Richard Seaman, married Hannah Seaman.

**65. RICHARD SEAMAN** (Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Hannah Jackson, daughter of Colonel John and Elizabeth Seaman (6) Jackson, and had two sons:—

+168. Thomas Seaman, married Martha Jackson.

+169. Richard Seaman, moved to Dutchess County, N. Y.

**66. SYLVANUS SEAMAN** (Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), died August 21, 1759, on Staten Island; married, first, Rebecca Jackson, daughter of James and Rebecca Jackson of "Rocky Hill in town of Flushing not far from Jamaica, L. I." (She was born February 20, 1699); married, second, Mary —. Sylvanus died intestate. He and Rebecca (Jackson) Seaman had six children:—

170. Mary Seaman.

171. Margaret Seaman.

- 172. James Seaman.
- 173. Tredwell Seaman.
- 174. Thomas Seaman.
- 175. Rebecca Seaman.

**72.** NATHANIEL SEAMAN (Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 18, 1699; died June 14, 1774; married at Westbury, L. I., December 28, 1721/2, Sarah Powell, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Townsend) Powell. They lived at Westbury and had seven children:—

- +176. Nathaniel Seaman, resident Hempstead, L. I.; born 1724; died November 21, 1816; married at Hempstead, August 20, 1749, Sarah Smith, daughter of Richard Smith.
- 177. Keziah Seaman, married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., November 5, 1754, Jacob Mott, son of John and Rebecca Mott.
- 178. Ambrose Seaman, married Margaret Seaman (150), daughter of Samuel and Isabella (Allen) Seaman.
- 179. Stephen Seaman, married Rachel —.
- 180. Rachel Seaman.
- 181. William Seaman, went to Pennsylvania.
- 182. Thomas Seaman, resident of Oyster Bay, L. I., married August 2, 1761, Phoebe Hinton.

**74.** JACOB SEAMAN (Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Jericho, L. I., born August 10, 1703; died April, 1759; married at Westbury, 1726, Mercy Powell, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Phillips) Powell of Bathpage, L. I. (She was born March 18, 1705; died March 13, 1759.) His will was proved April 10, 1759. Jacob Seaman Surveyor of Highways. 1744 to 1749, inclusive. They had four children:—

- 183. Jacob Seaman, twin of Jemima, born February 20, 1732; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., 1752, Anne Kirk, daughter of Arthur Kirk. (She was born August 3, 1731.)
- 184. Jemima Seaman, twin of Jacob, born February 20, 1732; died young.
- 185. Amy Seaman, died June 16, 1759; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., January 31, 1759, Jacob Kirby.

186. Gilbert Seaman, of Oyster Bay, L. I., married at Hempstead, L. I., June 20, 1762, Mary Post.

**75. ABRAHAM SEAMAN** (Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 10, 1706; married October 1, 1731, Deborah Townsend, daughter of James and Audrey (Almy) Townsend and had five children:—

187. James Seaman, married 1751, Sarah Smith.

188. Peleg Seaman, married June 1, 1756, at Hempstead, L. I., Ursula Ackerly.

189. Stephen Seaman, married November 3, 1739, Martha McCoun.

190. Almy Seaman.

191. Abraham (or Absolam) Seaman, married October 28, 1769, Phoebe Andrews.

**77. HEZEKIAH SEAMAN** (Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born March 4, 1711; married Mary Doughty, daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Jackson) Doughty. (She was born 1710, at Oyster Bay). They had four children:—

192. Thomas Seaman.

193. Jacob Seaman.

194. Stephen Seaman.

195. Almy Seaman.

**78. THOMAS SEAMAN** (Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Westbury, L. I.; born November 2, 1712/13; died January 13, 1804, aged ninety-two years; married at Westbury, L. I., December 3, 1741/2, Hannah Willets, daughter of Thomas and Catherine (Hallock) Willets, of Islip, L. I. (She was born October 6, 1711; died July 23, 1775.) Thomas Seaman lived and died on the farm in Westbury, which his father, Nathaniel, had bought from Henry Willis, who in 1688 had purchased the land from Captain John Seaman, and named it Westbury after the "Westbury in Old England," from where they had come. He built "a good framed house" upon it, and here both Thomas Seaman and his son Gideon lived and died. On May 5, 1779, Thomas Seaman bought "one Negro man named Jacob about fifty years old" from Benjamin



Townsend, for the sum of forty pounds, in order to set the man free. He had six children:—

196. Simeon Seaman, born August 31, 1743; died February 9, 1751.

+197. Gideon Seaman, born December 5, 1744/5; died May 27, 1837; married February 14, 1782, Elizabeth Keese, daughter of William and Mary Keese of Flushing, L. I.

198. Anna Seaman, born December 25, 1746/7; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., August 1, 1770, Fry Willis, son of Samuel and Mary (Fry) Willis. (He was born April 9, 1744.) They had twin sons:—

Thomas Willis, born November 30, 1771; married, first, Phoebe Searing; married, second, Phoebe Young.

Isaac Willis, born November 30, 1771; died young.

199. Hannah Seaman, born August 3, 1749; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., March 5, 1783, William Jackson of London Grove, Penn., son of William and Katherine Jackson. They had no children.

200. Rachel Seaman, born March 30, 1752; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., March 5, 1783, Jacob Smith, son of John and Margaret Smith of Hempstead. They had four children:—

Hannah Smith.

Anna Smith.

Amos Smith.

Phoebe Smith.

201. Phoebe Seaman, born May 5, 1755; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., June 8, 1779, John Loines, son of Stephen and Phoebe Loines of Westbury. (He was born August 31, 1760; died August 5, 1823.) They had five children:—

Stephen Loines, born March 20, 1780; married, first, 1798, Phoebe Weekes; married, second, 1810, Sibel Powell.

Simeon Loines, born February 9, 1783; married Martha Willets.

Hannah Loines, born January 22, 1786.

Thomas Loines, born November 2, 1789; died November 19, 1792.

Anne Loines, born March 13, 1797; married John Searing.

**79.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Westbury, L. I., born Hempstead, April 13, 1715; died 1780, will proved February 16, 1780; married at Westbury, 1736, Martha Valentine, daughter of Obadiah and Martha (Willets) Valentine. (She was born November 18, 1717.) They had eleven children:—

202. Willet Seaman, married Mary Searing, daughter of Dr. Valentine Searing.

203. Valentine Seaman.

204. Obadiah Seaman, married June 5, 1767, Deborah Valentine, daughter of Obadiah and Martha (Willets) Valentine.

205. Rachel Seaman, born 1742; married February 3, 1762, Silas Hicks, son of Benjamin and Phoebe (Titus) Hicks. (He was born April 10, 1737.) They had four children:—

Benjamin Hicks, born February 22, 1763; died March 3, 1819.

Willet Hicks, born December 15, 1765; died April 10, 1885.

William Hicks, born February 12, 1768; died October 1, 1807.

Martha Hicks, born October 12, 1772; died May 31, 1795.

206. Martha Seaman, married 1768, Henry Titus, son of Peter and Mary (Scudder) Titus. They had three children:—

Peter S. Titus, married Keturah Seaman. (She was born November 18, 1808; died June 10, 1893.)

Martha Titus.

Mary Titus, born December 30, 1771; died May 1, 1803; married December 31, 1790, Andrew Cock, son of William and Anne (Feke) Cock. (He was born February 26, 1769; died January 21, 1832.) They had six children.

207. Phoebe Seaman, born June 4, 1747; died September 21, 1790; married February 3, 1765, Samuel Hicks, son of Ben-

I now all men by these presents that Whereas Nathaniel Seaman of Woburn in the County of Hampshire in divers County (or Native Island) German by Two Certain separate Deeds of Conveyances did pass and convey all his Land that he was possessed of lying Between Wicathy and Woburn in the County of Essex Bay unto his Two Sons Thomas Seaman and Samuel Seaman as may more fully appear by their and each of their respective Deeds bearing Date the Twenty fifth day of the first month this present Year relation thereunto being had Now this Instrument further manifesteth that as the said Thomas Seaman and Samuel Seaman of the County aforesaid for divers good Causes and Considerations especially moving here to farm Lot and by these presents do farm Lot on all the above demise Lands Comprised within the above Cited Two Deeds of Conveyances with all the appurtenances therein contained unto our said father the said Nathaniel Seaman for and During his Natural Life for & under the yearly rents and profits herein after expressed to Have and To Hold the above demise premises unto Him the said Nathaniel Seaman for and During his Natural Life for and in the Consideration of the yearly payment of one paper Corn yearly and every year of hereunder to be paid unto them the said Thomas Seaman and Samuel Seaman within fourteen days yearly and every year during the Natural Life of the said Nathaniel Seaman In witness hereunto the said Thomas Seaman and Samuel Seaman have set to our hands this Twenty eighth Day of the first month In the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty four

Leads and Delivered  
In the presence of  
Elizabeth Hays Samuel Willis  
mads

Thomas Seaman

Samuel Seaman



jamin and Phoebe (Titus) Hicks. (He was born 1737; died November 20, 1819). They had five children:—

Isaac Hicks, born April 19, 1767; died January 30, 1820; married May 12, 1790, Sarah Doughty, daughter of John Doughty. (She was born March 27, 1768; died August 3, 1847.)

Elizabeth Hicks, born May 19, 1771; died November 13, 1789.

Samuel Hicks, born April 2, 1782; died October 12, 1837; married October 14, 1801, Sarah Haydock, daughter of John Haydock of New York. (She was born June 13, 1781; died October 15, 1832.) They had three children.

Valentine Hicks, born April 2, 1782; died May 5, 1850; married February 23, 1809, at Jericho, L. I., his second cousin, Abigail Hicks, daughter of Elias and Jemima Seaman (298) Hicks. (She was born March 3, 1782; died February 26, 1850.)

Phoebe Hicks, born May 5, 1785; died August 12, 1851; married John Clapp, son of John Clapp of Greenwich, Conn. They had six children.

208. Miriam Seaman, born December 25, 1751; died July 2, 1826; married Stephen Robbins, son of Jeremiah and Hannah (Carr) Robbins. (He was born 1750.) They had four children:—

Mary Robbins, born August 15, 1771; died January 16, 1849; married November 25, 1790, Robert Willets. They had a son:—

Robert Robbins Willets, married Lydia Post Titus, and had a son:—

John Titus Willets, married November 21, 1858, Amelia Underhill (712).

Willet Robbins, born 1781; married 1805, Esther Seaman (516), daughter of Williams and Mary (Jackson) Seaman. (She was born April 30, 1779.)

Stephen Robbins, married.

Samuel Robbins, married.

+209. Samuel Seaman, born October 13, 1754; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., March 4, 1778, Keziah Titus, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Powell) Titus. (She was born April 23 1757.)

210. Esther Seaman, married July 28, 1777, Samuel Sands, son of Pelham and Sarah (Ackerley) Sands. He was born 1754. They had six children:—

Obadiah Sands, born July 9, 1786; died August 22, 1785, married Sarah Bussing.

Rachel Sands, married Samuel Ketcham.

Martha Sands, married William Edwanson.

Henry Sands.

Edmond Sands.

Margaret Sands.

211. Abigail Seaman, born October 2, 1749; died May 18, 1803; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., Richard Willets, of Jericho, son of Richard and Ruth (Willet) Willets. (He was born June 20, 1748.)

212. Marmaduke Seaman, died young.

**80. RICHARD SEAMAN** (Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 3, 1694/5; died 1752; married Sarah Frost (?). Resident of Merrick, L. I. Will dated May 15, 1751; proved May 16, 1752. They had three children:—

+213. Richard Seaman, resident of Hempstead, L. I. Will dated September 3, 1784; married May 26, 1751, at Hempstead, Sarah Searing, daughter of John and Martha (Smith) Searing.

214. Mary Seaman, married April 1, 1736, son of Richbell Mott. (He was born 1717/18.) They had one daughter:—

Elizabeth Mott, married Solomon Seaman of Maryland.

215. Sarah Seaman, married Joseph Lake and had two daughters:—

Sarah Lake.

Mary Lake.

81. THOMAS SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Oyster Bay, L. I., born October 19, 1696; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., November 11, 1722, Philadelphia Titus, daughter of John and Sarah (Willis) Titus. (She was born September 29, 1700.) They had four children:—

216. Sarah Seaman, born March 20, 1724; married December, 1745. Daniel Hawxhurst, son of Samson and Hannah (Townsend) Hawxhurst. (He was born October 13, 1723; died March 26, 1770; Sarah was his second wife.) They lived at Port Chester, N. Y., and had six children:—

Seaman Hawxhurst, born August 24, 1746; married Dinah Carpenter.

Phoebe Hawxhurst, born May 30, 1748; died November 23, 1831; married 1770, Abraham Miller.

Thomas Hawxhurst, born January 7, 1751; died October 6, 1843; married Sarah Wright.

William Hawxhurst, born January 8, 1755; died September 2, 1757.

Philadelphia Hawxhurst, born July 22, 1757; died March 17, 1770.

Daniel Hawxhurst, born June 16, 1760; died November, 1795; married Hannah Brown.

+217. Obadiah Seaman, born February 17, 1729; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., November 6, 1754, Maria Pearsall, daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Underhill) Pearsall. (She was born 1727.)

218. Phoebe Seaman, born January 7, 1733; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., February 7, 1753, John Wright of Norwich, Oyster Bay, son of Joseph and Temperance Seaman (43) Wright.

219. Mary Seaman, born July 28, 1737, married at Westbury Meeting, January 5, 1763, Henry Franklin, son of Henry Franklin of Greenwich, Conn. They had four children:—

Matthew Franklin, born November 6, 1773.

Richard Franklin, born February 6, 1775.

William Franklin, born July 22, 1777.

Phoebe Franklin, died 1824; married Nathaniel Hawxhurst.

**84.** ADAM SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). resident of Rye, N. Y.; born July 11, 1704; died 1763; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 16, 1729/30, Hannah Pine, daughter of James and Edith (Williams) Pine. Will dated Rye, August 25, 1757. They had nine children:—

220. Adam Seaman, mentioned in History of Rye, N. Y., in 1758.

221. James Seaman, married Jemima Lyon, daughter of Thomas and Phoebe Lyon.

+222. Israel Seaman, will dated October 12, 1809; proved May 4, 1810; married Phoebe Vohles and lived at Saw Pit, now Rye, N. Y.

223. Richard Seaman, witness in 1722, had land in upper part of Harrison, N. Y., in 1723-1730.

224. Samuel Seaman.

225. Letitia Seaman, married John Doughty.

226. Jane Seaman.

227. Hannah Seaman.

228. Mary Seaman.

**86.** GILES SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), died 1782; married 1735, Letitia Ouderdonk, daughter of Henry and Mary (Foster) Onderdonk, and had six children:—

+229. Jordan Seaman, born February 17, 1743; died September 26, 1810; married at Hempstead, L. I., May 4, 1764, Mary Seaman (284), daughter of Zebulun and Phoebe (Valentine) Seaman. (She was born November 5, 1745.)

230. Richard Seaman, married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., Sarah Smith, daughter of Edmond and Deborah Smith of Hempstead. They had no children.

+231. Giles Seaman, born June 30, 1748; died November 28, 1827; married Lydia Mott.



232. Mary Seaman, married Jacob Hawxhurst, son of Joseph Hawxhurst, of Oyster Bay, L. I., and had four sons:—

Richard Hawxhurst, born 1768; died March 27, 1858.

James Hawxhurst, born February 15, 1770; died September 20, 1844; married three times; married, first, Elizabeth Oakley; married, second, Abigail Van Velsor; married, third, Mary Rose.

Israel Hawxhurst, born June 11, 1775; died August 29, 1861; married August 2, 1797, Sarah Stratton.

Giles Hawxhurst, born July 12, 1777; died May 15, 1880; married Evelina Bedell.

233. Hannah Seaman, born 1747; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., April 28, 1779, Henry Oakley.

234. Zipperah Seaman.



## Fourth Generation

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**93.** JOSEPH SEAMAN (John,<sup>2</sup> John Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born at Hempstead, L. I.; married March 20, 1730, at Hempstead, Sarah Bartoe, of French descent. They moved to West Creek, N. J., and settled at Little Egg Harbor, N. J. They had ten children:—

+235. John Seaman, married —.

+236. David Seaman, twin, born November 11, 1746; married Anna Pharo, daughter of James Pharo of Little Egg Harbor, N. J.

+237. Benjamin Seaman, twin, born November 11, 1746; died August 7, 1812; married Amelia Pavia, daughter of Adam and Susannah (Shourds) Pavia. (She was born February 19, 1750; died December 14, 1817.)

+238. Joseph Seaman, married Keziah Parker, daughter of Joseph and Edith Parker.

239. Mary Seaman, married John Pearsall and had six children:—

Hannah Pearsall, married — Baldwin.

Phineas Pearsall, married — Nicholas.

John Pearsall.

Margaret Pearsall, married Joseph Jacobs.

Samuel Pearsall, married Elizabeth Smith.

Keziah Pearsall, married — Smith.

240. Elizabeth Seaman, married Peter Parker.

241. Abigail Seaman, married Joseph Parker.

242. Hannah Seaman, married John Havens.

243. Jemima Seaman, married Elias Truax.

244. Sarah Seaman, married John Sprague.

94. JONATHAN SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), baptised at Tappan, N. Y., July 31, 1722; married and had a son and daughter:—

245. Jonathan Seaman.

246. Daughter.

95. JONAH SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), baptised August 3, 1720; married Jane D. Moss and had fourteen children, seven sons and seven daughters:—

+247. Jonathan Seaman, was twice married<sup>1</sup>; married, first, Elizabeth Baldwin; married, second, —; moved from Long Island to Virginia and later to Ohio.

248. Jonah Seaman, moved from Long Island to Virginia; married —.

249. Son.

250. Son.

251. Son.

252. Son.

253. Son.

254. Daughter.

255. Daughter.

256. Daughter.

257. Daughter.

258. Daughter.

259. Daughter.

260. Daughter.

96. JECANIAH SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), baptised August 3, 1720; married Jane Secor; lived at Tappan, N. Y., and had ten children:—

+261. Jonathan Seaman, married Mary Conklin.

+262. Jonah Seaman, born June, 1759; died July 11, 1861; married March 26, 1793, Martha Anthony. (She was born May 5, 1775; died May 31, 1838.)

- 263. Elizabeth Seaman, married Isaac Odell.
  - 264. Hannah Seaman, married John Monroe.
  - 265. Esther Seaman, married Justin Monroe.
  - 266. Anna Seaman, married Richard Wilkes.
  - 267. Phoebe Seaman, married November 30, 1773, Daniel Lawrence.
  - 268. Martha Seaman.
  - 269. Polly Seaman, resident of Hempstead, L. I.; married February 7, 1778, at Hempstead, Townsend Jackson.
  - 270. Catherine Seaman, married Robert Cayton.
- 105.** DAVID SEAMAN (David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Oyster Bay, L. I.; born October 15, 1709; died 1759; will dated March 23, 1759; probated April 25, 1759; married April 12, 1737, Mary Willets, only daughter of Joseph and Mary (Jackson) Willets. (She was born March 7, 1721; died April 26, 1781.) They had five children:—
- 271. Willet Seaman, born May 3, 1738; died young.
  - +272. David Seaman, born August 30, 1739; married June 27, 1762, Hannah Hicks, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Seaman) Hicks. (She was born February 18, 1743.)
  - 273. Willet Seaman, born May 17, 1741.
  - 274. Mary Seaman, born November 19, 1742.
  - 275. Temperance Seaman, born at Oyster Bay, L. I., August 30, 1744; died February 14, 1826; married Lott Frost, son of Benjamin and Rose (Springer) Frost. (He was born March 1, 1744; died December 28, 1811.) They had seven children:—
- Zebulun Frost, born 1784.
  - Hannah Frost.
  - Rosannah Frost, married, first, — Griffin; married, second, Dr. Scott.
  - William W. Frost, born May, 1787; married Jemima Lounsbury; lived at Albany, N. Y.
  - James Frost, born August 4, 1783; died December 23, 1851; married January 2, 1805, Mary Marsh, daughter

of Silas and Mary (Hare) Marsh. (She was born October 24, 1787; died December 23, 1851.)

Benjamin Frost, married Elizabeth Sherman; lived at Charlestown, N. Y.

276. Rebecca Seaman, born February 3, 1747; died January 31, 1814; married March 30, 1771, Samuel Jacobs. (He was born 1743; died December 31, 1821.)

+277. Micah Seaman, born December 1, 1748; married Jemima Ball; went to Ohio and Illinois.

278. Abigail Seaman, born September 28, 1751.

279. Robert Seaman, born February 23, 1753. Went to Ohio.

280. Hannah Seaman, born July 31, 1754.

+281. Isaac Seaman, born September 12, 1755. Went to Ohio.

282. Martha Seaman, born November 4, 1758.

**106.** ZEBULUN SEAMAN (David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born March 17, 1718; died February 19, 1784; married April 17, 1743, Phoebe Valentine, daughter of Obadiah and Martha (Willets) Valentine. (She was born 1721; died August 4, 1803.) Zebulun Seaman was in the Assembly at Albany from 1769 to 1775. The Assembly offered a premium for the best linen that the Assemblymen could produce. They had to raise the flax, the wives to spin, and perhaps weave, the cloth. Zebulun raised the flax, Phoebe spun the thread, and they took the premium. A piece of the homespun linen was preserved by the family for several generations. They had eleven children:—

283. Leah Seaman, born March 11, 1744; died 1818; married March 3, 1762, Thomas Willits, son of Amos Willits. (He was born January 4, 1738; died 1818.) They had eight children:—

Mary Willets, born June 22, 1768.

Phoebe Willets, born February 1, 1770; married Richard Elched.

Rachel Willets, born April 4, 1773; married Edmond Pearsall.

Rebecca Willets, born January 1, 1776; married Benjamin Prince.

Joseph Willets, born February 1, 1778; married Abigail Lyon.

Sarah Willets, born September 5, 1782; married 1806, Benjamin Albertson.

Zebulun Willets, born May 15, 1786.

Charles Willets, born 1760; married 1780, Esther Powell. (She died 1828.)

284. Mary Seaman, born November 5, 1745; died December 19, 1797; married May 4, 1764, at Oyster Bay, L. I., Jordan Seaman (229), son of Giles and Letitia (Onderdonck) Seaman. They had six children who are recorded under Jordan Seaman (229).

+285. Zebulun Seaman, born November 22, 1747; died April 1, 1806; married June 1, 1771, Jane Jackson, daughter of Daniel and Jane Seaman (126) Jackson.

+286. John William Seaman, born November 9, 1749; died February 26, 1826; resident Oyster Bay, L. I.; married February 13, 1775, at Hempstead, L. I., Rebecca Demilt, daughter of Obadiah and Phoebe (Frost) Demilt.

287. Martha Seaman, born February 27, 1755; died April 29, 1816; married November 9, 1782, Daniel Willets, son of Jacob and Hannah (Powell) Willets. They had one son:—

Seaman Willets, married April 4, 1818, Ann Pearsall.

+288. Leonard Seaman, born September 27, 1762; died June 25, 1821; married, first, 1784, Mary Titus. (She died 1788.) Married, second, Leah Simonson.

289. Phoebe Seaman, died young.

290. Esther Seaman, died young.

291. Rachel Seaman, died young.

292. George Seaman, died young.

293. Phoebe Seaman, died March 19, 1849, aged 78 years; married January 8, 1788, Samuel Searing, son of John and Martha (Smith) Searing. (He was born August 5, 1756.) They had eight children:—

John Searing, married Anna Loines.

Rebecca Searing, born February 9, 1792; died August 7, 1874; married March 28, 1816, Townsend Hawxhurst.

Richard Searing, married Sarah Haines "and others."

Charles Searing, married Jane Baker.

Martha Searing, married James Beatty.

Zebulun Searing, died young.

Esther Searing.

Leonard Searing, married Maria Leniham.

**108.** WILLIAM SEAMAN (John,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Capt. John<sup>1</sup>), resident Jericho, L. I.; born June 28, 1708; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., 1743, Martha Seaman (117), daughter of Benjamin and Jane (Mott) Searan. (She was born December 17, 1711—burned to death when house caught fire, April 4, 1774.) They had six children:—

294. Edmund Seaman, born December 28, 1743; died January 30, 1744.

295. Micah Seaman, born May 19, 1745; died November 29, 1746.

296. Jane Seaman, born November 16, 1746; died January 29, 1845; married February 2, 1780, David Ketcham, son of Israel and Esther (Skidmore) Ketcham of Jericho, L. I. (He was born 1753; died January 29, 1845.) They had three children:—

John Ketcham, married Rebecca Sherman.

David Ketcham, married Martha Hallock.

Martha Ketcham.

297. John Seaman, born December 27, 1747; died June 29, 1748.

298. Benjamin Seaman, born August 27, 1749; died July 11, 1750.

299. John Seaman, born May 14, 1751; died August 23, 1756.

**109.** ROBERT SEAMAN (John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), lived at Oyster Bay, L. I.; died 1729; married July 6, 1743, at



the sketch of a character which we think will be read with pleasure, and found worthy of imitation.

ELIAS HICKS was born in Rockaway, Long Island, in the year 1748. In his youth he embraced the principles of the Society of Friends, from which he never swerved. For nearly sixty years he has been an active and useful Minister of that Society, and has travelled and preached with great success in almost every state in the Union. His life was a practical illustration of the precepts he inculcated, which secured to him a weight of character and influence which few men have ever enjoyed. The cause of this may readily be discovered in his conduct.—His was the integrity that bent not before power; the purity that tampered not with pollution; the boldness that feared for nothing in the cause of truth—the single-heartedness which acknowledged but one principle of action, that of truth and virtue. He possessed a warm heart, but it was tempered by sound discretion; his feelings poured in a rapid current like the course of many waters—they were vast, but they rebelled not—they were full, but they overflowed not—or if ever, at the call of nature, and in the sacred cause of truth, they burst for a season beyond their boundaries, like the waters of the Nile they nourished; they enriched—they covered; they protected; they impregnated with plenty; and when the work of protection or beneficence was ended, silently they stole into their ancient current, and flowed again with their former tranquillity. He was religious, but his religion was not that of outward ceremony; it was the heart. He had faith, but it was rational; hope, it was well founded; charity, it was real and unaffected. He was pious not because he felt it a duty to be so, but because when he looked around, and when he looked above him he found it impossible to be otherwise. He worshipped his Maker, not because he was a bigot, but because he was not a fool. Such was Elias Hicks, and as far as this earthly stage of our existence is concerned, is no more.—The sod has covered him: no monument proclaims his worth—no tablet records his virtues—they are written upon the hearts of all who knew him—they live in their remembrance, and learn to imitate what they once admired, they will live also in their actions. “Weep not for him, thou who hast read this brief recital of his excellencies; but go and do likewise.”

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On the 17th inst. at Jericho, L. I. Jemima, consort of Elias Hicks, in the 79th year of her age. She was born in the same house in which she died, and in which her long life was spent. On the 19th inst. her earthly remains were interred in Friends' burying ground at Jericho. At the close of a large and solemn meeting in which Elias Hicks (who was that day 81 years old) gave a feeling and interesting account of their union in the marriage covenant, to which they had lived more than 32 years in the greatest harmony and affection.



Westbury Meeting, Esther Williams Scudder, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Willets) Williams of Hempstead, and widow of Thomas Scudder. (She was born 1720.) They had one son:—

- +300. Williams Seaman, born February 22, 1744, Jericho, L. I.; died at Jericho, April 22, 1779; married May 4, 1768, at Westbury Meeting, Mary Jackson, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Willis) Jackson. (She died November 22, 1779.)

111. JONATHAN SEAMAN (John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born August 8, 1716; married Elizabeth Willis, daughter of John and Abigail (Willets) Willis. (She was born 1719; died April 30, 1777.) They lived at Jericho, L. I., and had four children:—

301. Son.

302. Son.

303. Son.

304. Jemima Seaman, born at Jericho, L. I.; died at Jericho, 1729; married January 2, 1771, Elias Hicks, son of John and Martha (Smith) Hicks. (Elias Hicks was born March 19, 1748; died February 27, 1830.) He was a distinguished Minister in the Society of Friends. Of Jemima Seaman Hicks it was said, "To her, and all like her, the lasting gratitude of the sons of men is due." They lived at Jericho, L. I., and had eleven children:—

Martha Hicks, born October 20, 1771; died 1862; married Royal Aldrich.

David Hicks, born February 15, 1773; died February 25, 1787.

Elias Hicks, born December 14, 1774; died March, 1789.

Elizabeth Hicks, born March 4, 1777; died December 20, 1779.

Phoebe Hicks, born July 5, 1779; married Joshua Willets.

Abigail Hicks, born March 3, 1782; died February 26, 1850; married February 23, 1804, her second cousin, Valentine Hicks, son of Samuel and Phoebe Seaman (207) Hicks. They had five children.

Jonathan Hicks, born September 24, 1784; died May 1, 1802.

John Hicks, born February 1, 1789; died November 13, 1805.

Elizabeth Hicks, born September 16, 1791; died July 5, 1871.

Sarah R. Hicks, born October 9, 1793; died November 19, 1835; married November 3, 1814, Robert Seaman (965), son of David and Sarah (Kirby) Seaman.

Infant, born and died.

**115.** ISAAC SEAMAN (Caleb,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). born 1743; married July 5, 1763, Phoebe Jackson, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Townsend) Jackson. Member of the Colonial Legislature. They had two sons:—

+305. Daniel Seaman, born April 21, 1766; died August 3, 1844; married July 18, 1790, Mary Duryea, daughter of John and Ann (Pratt) Duryea. (She was born October 20, 1771; died September 7, 1861.)

+306. James Seaman, married November 30, 1796, Jerusha Powell, daughter of James Powell.

**121.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Westbury, L. I., December 19, 1719/20; died 1781; married at Great Neck, L. I., 1743, Elizabeth Mott, daughter of Adam and Mary (Stillwell) Mott of Staten Island, N. Y. (She was born at Westbury, 1720; died September 7, 1781, in New York City.)

Benjamin Seaman was a member of the 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st Colonial Assembly, 1756 to 1775; Surrogate 1759; County Judge 1775. "At the opening of the Revolutionary struggle he was on the side of resistance to parliamentary tyranny and was Chairman of Correspondence when war began, but later became, with his children and father-in-law, an active loyalist, and moved to Nova Scotia, at the end of the war. In 1784 they settled at Granville, Annapolis, Nova Scotia. His property on Staten Island was confiscated by an act of the New York Legislature in 1776, as was the property of his son-in-law, Colonel Christopher Billopp."

"The old Seaman homestead, at Glen Ridge (Staten Island) stood on the Fresh Kill road, just east of the road leading to Eltingville. It was originally of Dutch style of architecture, and at some time had been partially changed to that of Gothic. How many generations of the Seaman family had occupied it, we are unable to say. We know, however, that it was the home of Judge Benjamin Seaman, the last Colonial Judge of Staten Island, and that after his departure with the Loyalists in 1783, it passed to other members of the family, probably by purchase, for it was seized by the Government and sold.

Judge Seaman was the father of the second wife of Colonel Christopher Billopp. Several years ago the writer conversed with an old colored woman, whose mother, a slave in the Seaman family, had witnessed in this old house the marriage of Colonel Billopp and Jane Seaman.

The Seaman Estate was purchased in 1880, and when a new residence was erected, the old Seaman homestead was demolished. It stood on historic ground, and adjoined the church and graveyard of the "French Congregation."

They had eleven children:—

307. Mary Seaman, born 1743; married August 3, 1759, Paul Micheaux.

+308. Edmund Seaman, born 1745; died 1828; married, first, December 24, 1768, Elizabeth Zabriskie, daughter of John and Anna Zabriskie. (She died January 27, 1774.) Married, second, November 7, 1775, at Hempstead, L. I., Hester Van Ranst, daughter of Cornelius and Catherine (Cannon) Van Ranst, who died on the day of her marriage.

309. Elizabeth Seaman, born 1747; died 1748.

310. Benjamin Seaman, born 1749; died 1750.

+311. Richard Seaman, born 1751; married December 19, 1770, Elizabeth Cortelyou.

312. Jane Seaman, born 1754; died 1802, at St. John, N. B.; married February 11, 1773, Colonel Christopher Billopp, son of Thomas and Sarah Billopp. (He was born 1737; died March 28, 1827.) They had five daughters:—

Katherine Billopp, married Honorable John Black, of Halifax.

Louisa Billopp, married John Wallace.

Mary Billopp, married Archdeacon Willis.

Jane Billopp, married Honorable William Black of St. John, N. B.

Anne Billopp, died unmarried.

Colonel Christopher Billopp was a prominent resident of Staten Island with large property at Bently Manor. He was a Representative in the New York Assembly, and a public-spirited citizen, but he became a Loyalist in the Revolutionary War, and had his property on Staten Island confiscated by an act of the New York Legislature of 1776 as was also the property of his father-in-law, Benjamin Seaman. He moved to St. John, New Brunswick, where he became a man of prominence. Histories and records of the time give graphic accounts of the struggles and experiences of families in those days of which the following are quoted:—"Life-long friends pleaded with him to join the cause of independence at the commencement of the Revolution, but he chose to follow the fortunes of Royalty. He was a good citizen, a noble man, his misfortune being that he was on the losing side of a cause in which he had everything at stake." . . . "The descendants of Colonel Christopher Billopp have passed on to the fourth generation, and are now scattered throughout the Dominion of Canada and England. They are people of whom any community might be proud." Colonel Christopher Billopp was married twice, his first wife being Frances Willett. They had five children:—

John W. Billopp, born 1769; died 1798 of yellow fever.  
Sarah Billopp, married Henry Seaman (316), son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Mott) Seaman.

Thomas Billopp, married Abigail Moore.

Elizabeth Billopp, married — Robinson.

Catherine Billopp, married Benjamin Seaman (313), son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Mott) Seaman.

+313. Benjamin Seaman, born 1756; married Catherine Billopp, daughter of Colonel Christopher and Frances (Willett) Billopp. Benjamin Seaman was a member of the Class of 1774 of Kings (now Columbia) College, New York City, and was one of its earliest alumni.

+314. John Seaman, born 1758; married Rebecca Benson, daughter of Christopher and Mary (Simmonds) Benson.

315. Elizabeth Seaman, born 1759; married 1781, Robert Stewart.

+316. Henry Seaman, born March 21, 1761; died February 28, 1799; married 1784, Sarah Billopp, daughter of Colonel Christopher and Frances (Willett) Billopp. (She was born 1765; died 1811.)

+317. William Seaman, born 1764; married Elizabeth Benson, daughter of Christopher and Mary (Simmonds) Benson. (She was born 1771.)

**132. BENJAMIN SEAMAN** (James,<sup>8</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident South Hempstead, L. I.; married at Hempstead, L. I., Letitia Allen, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Seaman) Allen. They had four children:—

+318. Enoch Seaman, married August 13, 1780, at Hempstead, L. I., Mary Smith.

319. Esther Seaman, died unmarried.

320. Almy Seaman, married May 15, 1783, Braddock Seaman (365), son of Thomas and Martha (Jackson) Seaman.

321. Martha Seaman, married August 6, 1791, John Alt-house.

**138. ISRAEL SEAMAN** (Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Jerusalem, L. I.; married April 11, 1779, Sarah Rowland, daughter of Jonathan and Hannah (Marvin) Rowland. They had three children:—

322. Solomon Seaman.

+323. Benjamin Seaman, born September 12, 1781; died June 28, 1862; married Jane Rhinehart. (She was born August 7, 1788; died January 8, 1860.) Moved from Jerusalem, L. I., to St. Catherine's, Canada.

324. Almy Seaman, married January 18, 1806, at Hempstead, L. I., William D. Jones, son of David and Elizabeth Seaman (368), Jones of Cold Spring, L. I.

**141.** SOLOMON SEAMAN (Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Hannah —, and had four children:—

+325. Samuel Seaman, born 1741; died December 11, 1837; married Abigail Hall. (She was born 1754; died February 9, 1838.)

326. Martha Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., October 25, 1781, Epenetus Burtis.

+327. Jacob Seaman, married Phoebe Underhill.

+328. Thomas Seaman, married —.

+329. Benjamin Seaman, married, first, Mary Denton; married, second, February 27, 1783, at Jamaica, L. I., Hannah Denton.

**147.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Samuel C.,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Westchester County, N. Y.; died in Dutchess County, N. Y.; buried at Hyde Park, N. Y. Married Freelove —, and had thirteen children, twelve sons and one daughter, of whom six sons and one daughter are recorded:—

+330. Samuel Seaman, born November 1, 1756, at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; died November 10, 1811; married twice.

+331. Albert Seaman, born 1762; died January 29, 1846; married Elizabeth —. (She was born 1771; died October 29, 1847.)

+332. Andrew Seaman, born 1764; married, first, — Van Vleck; married, second, Sarah McLain. Lived at Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y., and Schenectady, N. Y.

333. Phoebe Seaman, born 1766; married 1790, Sutton Reynolds, son of Sutton and Anna Reynolds of Chappaqua, N. Y. (He was born 1744; died June 26, 1828.) Lived at Billingtown of Beekman, Dutchess County, N. Y., and had five dren.

Mary Reynolds, born December 26, 1793; died August 26, 1867; married March 9, 1820, James Johnson, son of Samuel and Sarah Johnson. (He was born January 12, 1792; died February 24, 1870.) They had three children.



Elijah Reynolds, married and had five children.

Joseph Reynolds.

Susannah Reynolds, born February 12, 1785; married August 22, 1807, Philip Cramer. (He was born March 20, 1787.)

Catherine Reynolds, married James Johnson. (He was born January 12, 1792; died February 24, 1870.) Had no children.

+334. Benjamin Seaman, born December 28, 1776; died August, 1831; married March 17, 1795, Ann Nelson. (She was born October 10, 1772; died April 9, 1865.) Lived at Schaghticoke, N. Y.

+335. Henry Seaman, resident of Epratah, N. Y.; married, first, Mary Bull; married, second, Hannah Youngs.

+336. Stephen Seaman, born February 10, 1782; died December 29, 1874; married December 10, 1807, Mary A. Seaman (725), daughter of Sylvanus and Nancy (Gedney) Seaman. (She was born September 5, 1789; died February 16, 1858.)

**159.** JOHN SEAMAN (John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I., born June 18, 1734; died July 9, 1778; married at Hempstead, January 30, 1756, Elizabeth Carman. They had five children:—

337. Mary Seaman, born April 11, 1758; married James Birdsall, son of John and Phoebe Seaman (130), Birdsall. They had two children:—

Benjamin Birdsall.

Almy Birdsall.

+338. John Seaman, born June 28, 1761; married Mary Stephens.

+339. David Seaman, born December 21, 1764; married a daughter of Jacob Conklin.

340. Elizabeth Seaman, born July 20, 1766; married at Hempstead, L. I., February 5, 1786, Jeremiah Terry.

341. Sarah Seaman, born February 2, 1771; married at Hempstead, L. I., November 18, 1787, Elisha Post.

**160.** THOMAS SEAMAN (John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born April 12, 1739; married at Hempstead, L. I., August 6, 1761, Martha Rowland, daughter of Jonathan and Hannah (Marvin) Rowland. (She was born 1741; died 1826.) They had five children:—

342. Jacob Seaman, born November 29, 1761; married at Hempstead, L. I., December 22, 1786, Anna Van Cott. They had no children.

+343. Zebulun Seaman, born March 15, 1764; married, first, November 27, 1785, Charlotte Birdsall, daughter of Benjamin and Freelove (Jones) Birdsall; married, second, Martha Coombs.

344. Almy Seaman, born November 23, 1768; married William Jones, son of David and Elizabeth Seaman (368) Jones.

345. Mary Seaman, born August 4, 1774; married December 14, 1794, Zebulun Seaman (441), son of Jordan and Mary Seaman. They had four children recorded under Zebulun Seaman (441).

+346. Rowland Seaman, born November 15, 1777; died November 1, 1851; married, first, Esther Smith, daughter of Lucius and Dorcas G. Smith; married, second, Ruth Buffet; married, third, Ann Rowland.

**161.** OBADIAH SEAMAN (John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born at Hempstead, L. I.; married, first, at Hempstead, January 9, 1756, Deborah Smith, daughter of Solomon and Hannah (Carpenter) Smith; married, second, Sarah Carman, whose marriage license was May 23, 1771. They had eight children:—

347. Catherine Seaman, married, first, July 12, 1779, Willet Powell of Oyster Bay, L. I.; married, second, August 15, 1821, Jacob Willets, son of Daniel and Phoebe (Carpenter) Willets.

+348. Isaac Seaman, married, first, Sarah Carman; married, second, May 6, 1787, Lucretia Mowbray.

+349. Jonathan Seaman, married Rebecca Douglas.

350. Deborah Seaman, died 1802; married William Nicoll, son of William and Francis (Smith) Nicoll. (He was born 1776; died 1799.)

351. Ann Seaman.

352. Sarah Seaman.

353. Silas Seaman.

+354. Stephen Seaman, married November 11, 1759, at Hempstead, L. I., Martha McCoun.

**163. CAPTAIN SAMUEL SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; born at Hempstead, January 11, 1738; died at Hempstead, February 19, 1828; married at Hempstead, July 18, 1762, Mary Birdsall, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Coe, Pearse) Birdsall. (She was born September 21, 1746; died October 16, 1819.) They had nine children:—

+355. Samuel Seaman, born April 22, 1763; died at Merrick, L. I., October 30, 1850; married at Hempstead, April 23, 1786, Charity Tredwell, daughter of John Tredwell of Merrick, L. I. (She was born December 1, 1761; died March 17, 1846.)

356. Jemima Seaman, born April 14, 1766; married January 17, 1785, John Jackson Seaman (364), son of Thomas and Martha (Jackson) Seaman. They had four children recorded under John Jackson Seaman (364).

+357. John Seaman, born May 21, 1769; died July 17, 1849; married July 18, 1790, Mary Whitson, daughter of Silas and Sarah (Powell) Whitson. (She was born July 14, 1772.)

+358. Elijah Seaman, born March 26, 1772; married Phoebe Willets, daughter of Jacob Willets.

359. Elizabeth Seaman, born July 31, 1774; died August 11, 1833; married February 7, 1808, William Bunting.

+360. Thomas Seaman, born January 12, 1777; married Sarah Smith Williams, a widow, daughter of Amos Smith.

361. James Seaman, born November 7, 1779; died September 10, 1837.

362. Mary Seaman, born February 2, 1787; died March 29, 1849.

363. David Sands Seaman, born August 18, 1791; died August 11, 1798.

**168.** THOMAS SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Martha Jackson, daughter of John and Keziah (Mott) Jackson. His will was dated April 24, 1792 and proved July 3, 1792. They had five children:—

+364. John Jackson Seaman, married January 17, 1785, Jemima Seaman (356), daughter of Samuel and Mary (Birdsall) Seaman.

365. Braddock Seaman, married Almy Seaman (320), daughter of Benjamin and Letitia (Allen) Seaman. They had no children.

366. Rosetta Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., October 17, 1770, Richard Townsend.

367. Mary Seaman, married October 17, 1770, at Hempstead, L. I., Townsend Jackson, son of Samuel and Mary (Townsend) Jackson.

368. Elizabeth Seaman, married, first, at Hempstead, L. I., February 4, 1768, David Jones, son of William and Phoebe (Jackson) Jones; married, second, October 17, 1770, Townsend Jones, son of William and Phoebe (Jackson) Jones. They had one son:—

William Jones, married Almy Seaman (344), daughter of Thomas and Martha (Rowland) Seaman.

**169.** RICHARD SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). moved to Dutchess County, N. Y.; married and had two sons:—

369. Nathaniel Seaman.

+370. Sylvanus Seaman, born March 1, 1757; died March 3, 1834; married three times; married, first, January 16, 1783, Nancy Gedney; married, second, June 11, 1797, Phoebe Aitkin; married, third, April 24, 1803, Lydia Champion, daughter of Ezra and Mary (Bump) Champion of Lyme, Connecticut.

**176.** NATHANIEL SEAMAN (Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I., born 1724; died November 21, 1816, aged ninety-two years; married at Hempstead, August 20, 1749, Sarah Smith, daughter of Richard Smith. Nathaniel's will dated November 11, 1816; proved December 14, 1816. Sarah's

will dated August 13, 1817; proved February 5, 1819. They had one son:—

- +371. Richard Seaman, born June 17, 1753; died 1799; married March 15, 1771, Elizabeth Lawrence. (She was born October 8, 1751; died July 1842, aged ninety years.)

**178.** AMBROSE SEAMAN (Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Margaret Seaman (150), daughter of Samuel and Isabella (Allen) Seaman. They had nine children:—

- 372. Samuel Seaman, died.
- +373. Noah Seaman, married, first, April 27, 1783, at Hempstead, L. I., Hannah Nostrand; married, second, February 27, 1787, at Hempstead, Martha Totten.
- 374. Sarah Seaman, married Daniel Weeks.
- 375. Nathaniel Seaman, died.
- 376. Hicks Seaman, died.
- 377. Ibbe Seaman, married.
- +378. Ambrose Seaman, married.
- +379. William Seaman, married.
- 380. Philadelphia Seaman.

**182.** THOMAS SEAMAN (Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Oyster Bay and Half Hollow Hills, L. I.; married August 2, 1761, Phoebe Hinton. They had eleven children:—

- +381. Jacob Seaman, married September 2, 1797, Sarah Hewlett.
- 382. Eliphalet Seaman.
- 383. Gideon Seaman.
- +384. Stephen Seaman, married.
- +385. Benjamin Seaman, married.
- 386. Phoebe Seaman, born March 17, 1775; married at Smithtown, L. I., December 17, 1794, Ebenezer Rogers. They had ten children, and moved to Indiana in 1812 or 1814.

387. Sarah Seaman, married July 30, 1789, at Huntington, L. I., Philetus Scudder Snedeker.
- +388. Isaac Seaman, born December 27, 1778; died May 4, 1832; married May 25, 1802, Elizabeth Dingee, daughter of Selah and Ruth (Conklin) Dingee of Huntington, L. I. (She died December 13, 1831.)
- +389. David Seaman, married.
390. Amy Seaman, married Daniel Abbott, son of Daniel Abbott of Brooklyn, N. Y.
391. Elizabeth Seaman.
- 183. JACOB SEAMAN** (Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>); born February 20, 1731 (twin of Jemima); married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., January 1, 1752, Ann Kirk, daughter of Arthur Kirk. (She was born August 3, 1731.) They lived at Jericho, and had three children:—
392. Benjamin Seaman, twin, born November 11, 1753.
393. Samuel Seaman, twin, born November 11, 1753. Moved to Nova Scotia in 1783.
394. Jemima Seaman, born November 13, 1755.
- 186. GILBERT SEAMAN** (Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>); resident Oyster Bay and in Flushing in 1784; married June 20, 1762, at Hempstead, Mary Post. They had one daughter:—
395. Amy Seaman, married December 9, 1784, Walter Farrington, son of John and Mary Farrington.
- 197. GIDEON SEAMAN** (Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Westbury, L. I.; born December 5, 1744; died May 27, 1837; will dated January 3, 1832; married February 14, 1782, Elizabeth Keese, daughter of William and Mary Keese of Flushing, L. I. They had two daughters:—
396. Rachel Seaman, born April 10, 1789; died August 13, 1854; married December 27, 1815, Abraham Hicks of Rockaway, L. I., son of Stephen and Mary (Hewlett) Hicks. (He was born January 16, 1791; died May 8, 1827; his will was proved June 2, 1827.) They had five children:—

William K. Hicks, born October 7, 1816; died November 30, 1833.

Elizabeth Hicks, born September 19, 1818; died August 10, 1820.

Gideon Hicks, born February 14, 1821; died October 29, 1823.

Gideon S. Hicks, born October 19, 1823; died December 5, 1831.

Abraham Hicks, born June 14, 1826; died November 1, 1854.

Rachel Seaman Hicks was an influential member of the Society of Friends. "I would bring to your notice Rachel Hicks, one of our townswomen, who is worthy of double honor. She was a faithful worker in the Father's Vineyard. She travelled many hundred miles to carry the gospel message; her last journey being performed when she was in her eighty-fifth year. At that time she attended yearly meetings of Ohio, Indiana and Baltimore, and some meetings comprising them, especially the remote meetings in Indiana and Iowa. The most distant one being 1300 miles from New York."

397. Mary Seaman, born May 10, 1783; died December 30, 1805; married April 30, 1800, Richard Willits, son of Richard and Abigail (Robbins) Willits. (He was born May 24, 1774; died December 11, 1840.) They had two children:—

Gideon Willits, born October 10, 1801; died May 12, 1803.

Edward Seaman Willits, born September 22, 1803; died December 17, 1869; married January 13, 1831, Esther Whitson. They had seven children:—

Mary Seaman Willits, born February 20, 1832; died January 10, 1928; married October 19, 1865, Edmund Seaman (1340) and had three children recorded under (1340).

William Willits, born February 2, 1835; died July 30, 1835.

Abraham Willits, born May 24, 1836; died August 1, 1861.

Richard Willits, born March 26, 1838.

Rachel Willits, born September 1, 1839; died September 25, 1839.

Rachel Hicks Willits, born September 30, 1840.

William H. Willits, born November 11, 1843.

**202.** WILLIT SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident North Hempstead, N. Y.; born North Hempstead, October 5, 1737; died New York City, May 4, 1807; married at Hempstead, February 11, 1762, Mary Searing, daughter of Dr. Valentine Searing. (She was born July 5, 1739; died June 8, 1813, in New York City.) They had twelve children:—

398. Elizabeth Seaman, born December 6, 1762; married October 6, 1781, Isaac Cock, son of William and Dinah (Hopkins) Cock. (He was born at Buckram, L. I., February 5, 1760; died at Flushing, February 6, 1814.) They had five children:—

William Cock, born October 25, 1784; died December 2, 1784.

James Cock, born July 26, 1786; died September, 1862.

Esther Cock, born New York City, May 15, 1788; married at Flushing, L. I., Dr. Joseph Bloodgood.

Mary Cock, born May 7, 1790; died at Flushing, March 13, 1869.

Elizabeth Cock, born June 4, 1792; died February 24, 1828; married October 2, 1811, Townsend Cock, son of Elijah and Temperance (Townsend) Cock. (He was born December 19, 1787; died September 21, 1844.)

399. Martha Seaman.

+400. John Seaman, married Charity Jackson.

401. James Seaman.

+402. Dr. Valentine Seaman, born April 2, 1770; died July 3, 1817; married at Flushing Meeting, May 7, 1794, Anne Ferris, daughter of James Ferris. (She was born December 8, 1771, at Throggs Neck, N. Y.; died November 5, 1854, at Newburg, N. Y.)

403. Gulielma Seaman, born March 4, 1772; died March 18, 1791.





SEAMAN HOMESTEAD AT OLD WESTBURY, L. I. (still standing)  
Built by Nathaniel Seaman (9) and presented to his son Samuel Seaman (79), and occupied by him and  
his descendants for many generations



404. Mary Seaman, born September 14, 1776; married March 8, 1815, William R. Thurston, son of Peleg and Amy Thurston.

405. Rachel Seaman, born February 15, 1779.

+406. Willet Seaman, born June 7, 1781, at North Hempstead, L. I., or New York City; died New York City, April 10, 1864 married at Nantucket, Massachusetts, September 7, 1808, Mary Jenkins. (She was born at Nantucket, April 8, 1786; died July 14, 1880, at Bronxville, New York.)

407. Samuel Seaman, born March 17, 1783; died January 28, 1803.

408. Benjamin Seaman, born July 15, 1787; married October 12, 1815, Amy Titus, daughter of John and Amy (Cock) Titus. They had a son and daughter, both of whom died in infancy.

409. James Seaman.

**204. OBADIAH SEAMAN** (Seaman,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married January 5, 1767, Deborah Valentine, daughter of Obadiah Valentine. They had six children, all of whom died young:—

410. Sarah Seaman.

411. Samuel Seaman.

412. Peter Seaman.

413. Phoebe Seaman.

414. Martha Seaman.

415. Keturah Seaman.

416. Jacob Seaman.

417. Catherine Seaman.

**209. SAMUEL SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born October 13, 1754; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., March 4, 1778, Keziah Titus, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Powell) Titus. (She was born April 23, 1757.) They moved from Long Island to Clove, back of West Point, New York. They had eight children:—

- +418. Thomas Seaman, born February 16, 1779; died August 9, 1849; married Sarah Brown. Lived at Cornwall, New York.
  - +419. Silas Seaman, born August 16, 1784; died September 7, 1849; married March 30, 1809, Hannah Green. (She died June 27, 1848.) Lived at Blooming Grove, N. Y.
  - 420. Martha Seaman, born December 21, 1781; married Joshua Hazard.
  - +421. John Seaman, born April 29, 1792; died October 3, 1873; married, first, October 29, 1819, Amy Pearsall. (She was born November 10, 1793; died February 13, 1865.) Married, second, Jane Pearsall; both were daughters of Wait and Hannah (Rushmore) Pearsall. Lived at Kakiak, N. Y.
  - 422. William Seaman, born September 17, 1787.
  - 423. Rachel Seaman, born August 2, 1789; married Joseph Marshall.
  - 424. Isaac Seaman, born December 22, 1791.
  - +425. Samuel T. Seaman, born April 11, 1795; married, first, Anna Pearsall. (She was born August 16, 1797; died April 27, 1835.) Married, second, Phoebe Pearsall. (She was born May 20, 1811.) Both were daughters of Wait and Hannah (Rushmore) Pearsall. Residents of Ridgeburg, N. Y.
  - 426. Robert Seaman, born May 20, 1811; married — Marshall.
- 213. RICHARD SEAMAN** (Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; died 1784; will dated September 3, 1784; married at Hempstead, May 26, 1751, Sarah Searing, daughter of John and Martha (Smith) Searing. They had four sons:—
- +427. Richard Seaman, born January 31, 1745; died October 6, 1843; married Sarah Searing.
  - +428. Jacob Seaman, married.
  - +429. Benjamin Seaman, married Jane Willis.
  - +430. John Seaman, married.
- 217. OBADIAH SEAMAN** (Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 17, 1729; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I.,

November 6, 1754. Maria Pearsall, daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Underhill) Pearsall of Hempstead. They had five children:—

- 431. Walter Seaman, born September 22, 1755.
- 432. Philadelphia Seaman, born March 26, 1759.
- 433. James Seaman, born December 26, 1761.
- 434. Thomas Seaman, born August 18, 1764.
- 435. Richard Seaman, born August 2, 1767.

**222.** ISRAEL SEAMAN (Adam,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Saw Pit (now Rye), N. Y.; will dated October 12, 1809; proved May 4, 1810; married Phoebe Vohles and had two sons:—

- +436. Isaac Seaman, born 1768; died April 14, 1805; married May 8, 1788, Phoebe Lyon, daughter of Gilbert and Mary Lyon. (She was born January 10, 1771.)
- 437. Israel Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., May 27, 1799, Jane Seaman.

**229.** JORDAN SEAMAN (Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 17, 1743; died September 26, 1810; married at Oyster Bay, L. I., May 4, 1764, Mary Seaman (284), daughter of Zebulun and Phoebe (Vohles) Seaman. (She was born November 5, 1745; died December 19, 1796). They had six children:—

- 438. Jane Seaman, born December 6, 1764; died August 28, 1829; married Garret Layton.
- 439. Esther Seaman, born November 18, 1766; died September 14, 1834; married at Hempstead, L. I., Peter Willis.
- +440. Henry O. Seaman, born January 22, 1769; died October 2, 1826; married at Hempstead, Almy Jackson, daughter of Richard and Rosetta Jackson. (She was born June 20, 1773; died January 2, 1832.)
- +441. Zebulun Seaman, born January 3, 1771; died September 7, 1838; married December 14, 1794, Mary Seaman (345), daughter of Thomas and Martha (Rowland) Seaman. (She was born August 11, 1774; died September 19, 1861.)
- +442. Andries Seaman, born July 23, 1780/81; died September 8, 1825; married December, 1804, Sarah Underhill, daugh-

ter of Israel Underhill. (She was born January 7, 1780; died August 12, 1864.)

443. Rachel Seaman, born September 15, 1782; died December 5, 1829; married Isaac Underhill, son of Israel and Mary (Wright) Underhill. (He was born 1789; died 1832.)

**231.** GILES SEAMAN (Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born June 30, 1748; died November 28, 1827; married Lydia Mott. They had one daughter:—

444. Letitia M. Seaman, married Elisha Carpenter, son of Jonathan and Esther (Coles) Carpenter. (He was born November 15, 1786; died May 12, 1863.) They had no children.

## Fifth Generation

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**235.** JOHN SEAMAN (Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had six children:—

445. Hannah Seaman, married — Baldwin.

+446. Phineas Seaman, married Hannah Nichols.

447. John Seaman, died.

448. Margaret Seaman, married Joseph Jacobs.

449. Samuel Seaman, married April 17, 1821, at Hempstead, L. I., Elizabeth Smith.

450. Keziah Seaman, married — Smith.

**236.** DAVID SEAMAN (Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), twin of Benjamin; born November 11, 1764; married Anna Pharo, daughter of James Pharo. They lived at Little Egg Harbor, N. J., and had five children:—

451. Jerusha Seaman, married Joseph Havens.

452. Abigail Seaman, died.

+453. Maurice Seaman, married Elizabeth Cranmer.

454. Jemima Seaman, married William P. Cook.

455. Ann Seaman, married Enos (or Sylvanus) Sharp.

**237.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), twin of David, born November 11, 1764; died August 7, 1812; married Amelia Pavia, daughter of Adam and Susannah (Shourds) Pavia. (She was born February 19, 1750; died December 14, 1817.) They lived at Little Egg Harbor, N. J., and had nine children:—

+456. Joshua Seaman, born November 13, 1769; married Mary Ellsworth.

457. Achsah Seaman, born April 5, 1772; died 1792; married Jesse Sprague.

458. Lydia Seaman, born January 24, 1775; married Stephen Willets, son of Timothy and Mary (Birdsall) Willets. (He was born 1772.) They had seven children:—

John Willets, married Hannah Thompson.

Timothy Willets, married Keziah Cranmer.

Amelia Willets, married David Jones.

Stephen Willets, married Mary Oliphant.

Benjamin Willets, married Harriet Crane.

Mary B. Willets, married Nathan Atkinson.

Lydia Willets.

459. Phoebe Seaman, born February 25, 1778; married Philip Ellsworth, son of William and — (Stratton) Ellsworth. They had three children:—

Mary Ellsworth, married James Pharo.

William Ellsworth, married Mary Pharo.

Catherine Ellsworth, married John Hughes.

460. Mary Seaman, born March 11, 1781; married Cornelius Kelly, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth Ann (Cranmer) Kelly. They had six children:—

Benjamin Kelly, married, first, Ann Ivins; married, second, Elizabeth Ann Cranmer.

Susan Kelly, married Miles Sweeney.

Amelia Kelly, married Patrick Smith.

John Kelly, married Elizabeth McCamridge.

William Kelly, married Sarah Seaman.

Dennis Kelly, married Susannah Cranmer.

+461. Benjamin Seaman, was married three times; married, first, Rebecca Jones; married, second, Hannah Alexander; married, third, Hannah (Gifford) Cummings.

462. Susannah Seaman, born June 26, 1786; married, first, George Langdon, and had seven children:—

Jane Langdon, married Amos Naile.

John Langdon, married Catherine Camburn.

Elizabeth Langdon, married John Naile.

David Langdon.



George Langdon.

Susannah Langdon, married Borden Pharo.

Amelia Langdon, married Captain John Rockhill.

Susannah Seaman Langdon married, second, Joseph Page.

+463. Samuel Seaman, born May 13, 1789; married Miriam Pharo, daughter of James and Ruth (Cranmer) Pharo.

464. Amelia Seaman, born December 5, 1792; married Elihu Mathis, and had six children:—

Leah Mathis, married Ezra Brackman.

Sabra A. Mathis, married William C. Sears.

Lydia Mathis, married Jessie R. Sears.

Benjamin Franklin Mathis.

Sophronia R. Mathis, married Joseph Parker.

Lovenia Mathis, married Jesse R. Parker.

**238.** JOSEPH SEAMAN (Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Keziah Parker, daughter of Joseph and Edith Parker. They lived at Little Egg Harbor, N. J., and had one son:—

+465. Joseph Seaman, married.

**247.** JONATHAN SEAMAN (Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), moved from Long Island to Frederick County, Virginia, being a pioneer settler there. Later moved to Ohio. Married twice; married, first, Elizabeth Baldwin, and had two sons:—

+466. Jonah Seaman, born Berkeley County, Virginia (now West Virginia), April 16, 1770; died in Ohio, April 4, 1836; married Catherine Sheets. (She was born in Frederick County, Virginia, September 15, 1777; died in Ohio, April 23, 1834.)

+467. William Seaman, moved from Virginia and lived in Springboro, Ohio, and in 1808 lived in Lebanon, Warren County, Missouri. Leather manufacturer. He had one son and one daughter.

Jonathan Seaman married a second time and had two sons:—

468. Joseph Seaman.

469. Myer Seaman.

**261.** JONATHAN SEAMAN (Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), probably lived at Tappan, N. Y.; married Mary Conklin and had eight children:—

470. Hannah Seaman, unmarried.

471. Phoebe Seaman, married William Furman.

472. Jecaniah Seaman, died.

473. Catherine Seaman, died.

474. Amy Seaman, married William Furman; no children.  
gan.

475. Rachel Seaman, married John Coe and lived in Michigan.  
gan.

+476. William Seaman, married Elizabeth Odell.

+477. Daniel Seaman, married Margaret Fritts.

**262.** JONAH SEAMAN (Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), probably lived at Tappan, N. Y.; born June 6, 1759; died July 11, 1841; married March 26, 1793, Martha Anthony. (She was born May 5, 1775; died May 31, 1838.) They had ten children:—

478. Rachel Seaman, born April 4, 1794; died April 30, 1879; married November 27, 1844, Jacob R. Young.

479. Elizabeth Seaman, born May 27, 1796; died May 5, 1856; married July 12, 1832, Jesse Baldwin.

480. Esther Seaman, born April 22, 1798; died March 16, 1838, unmarried.

481. Martha Seaman, born April 4, 1801; died July 2, 1879; married May 7, 1831, Josiah Conklin, and had four children.

482. Sarah Seaman, born July 19, 1804; died November 19, 1864; unmarried.

483. Susannah Seaman, born August 26, 1806; died April 4, 1833; unmarried.

484. Phoebe Seaman, born February 16, 1809; died March 3, 1856; married November 19, 1835, William Williams.

+485. John Seaman, born March 13, 1818; died March 25, 1891; married May 26, 1848, Elizabeth Fritts, daughter of Thomas and Penelope Fritts. (She was born July 10, 1815; died May 29, 1896.)

**272.** DAVID SEAMAN (David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born August 30, 1739; married June 1, 1762, Hannah A. Hicks, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Seaman) Hicks. (She was born February 18, 1743.) They had five children:—

486. Abraham Seaman, born June 2, 1763, went to Kakiakon-Hudson, N. Y.

487. Elizabeth Seaman, born February 13, 1768; married Jacob Hicks.

488. Jacob Seaman, born May 28, 1769.

489. Mary Seaman, born December 2, 1771/2; married March 11, 1790, Henry H. Mott, son of Adam Mott. (He died 1844.) They had six children.

+490. David Seaman, born February 16, 1774; married Martha Mott, daughter of John and Martha (Seaman) Mott.

**277.** MICAH SEAMAN (David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born on Long Island, December 1, 1748; died Durham, Bucks County, Pennsylvania; married Jemima Ball. (She was baptised November 22, 1761.) Lived in Marshall County, Illinois, and later went to Ohio. Enlisted July 8, 1775, and served in Continental Line in Revolutionary War, Captain Daniel Denton's Company; passed muster in the Continental Army in the third Regiment raised in the Province of New York. Had three sons:—

491. Jonathan Seaman.

+492. David Seaman, lived in Marshall County, Illinois.

+493. Daniel Seaman, born April 5, 1777; died March 25, 1853; married January 1, 1797, Susannah Knight, daughter of Peter and Ann Christine Knight. Resident of Woodville, Ohio.

**281.** ISAAC SEAMAN (David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born September 12, 1755; married and had eight children who are believed to have lived in Ohio:—

+494. John Seaman, married and lived in Ohio.

495. Charles Seaman.

496. Elijah Seaman.

497. Daughter.

498. Daughter.

499. Daughter.

500. Daughter.

501. Daughter.

**285.** ZEBULUN I. SEAMAN (Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Oyster Bay, L. I.; born November 22, 1747; died April 1, 1806; married June 1, 1771, Jane Jackson, daughter of Richard and Jane Seaman (126) Jackson. Lieutenant of Jerusalem, L. I. Militia, having joined army at the outbreak of the Revolution. Had two sons:—

+502. Richard I. Seaman, born 1769; died August 15, 1846; married, first, Margaret Simonson; married, second, December 17, 1805, Mary Allen.

+503. Jacob Seaman, married — Conklin.

**286.** JOHN WILLIAM SEAMAN (Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Oyster Bay, L. I.; born November 9, 1749; died February 26, 1826; married at Hempstead, L. I., February 13, 1775, Rebecca Demilt, daughter of Obadiah and Phoebe (Frost) Demilt. From October 13 to October 27, 1801, Delegate to Convention of 1801 regarding Committee on appointment of a governor and number of Assemblymen from Queens; County Judge of Queens 1806 to 1809; Surrogate for Queens 1821-1826; Member of following sessions of Assembly from Queens:

29th Session—February 28th to April 7, 1806.

30th—February 27th to April 7, 1807.

31st—February 28th to April 11, 1808.

Presidential Elector—appointed by Legislature, November 7, 1808, also November 8, 1816.



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They had five children:—

+504. George Seaman, married December 31, 1803, Sarah Wright.

505. Phoebe Seaman, married January 10, 1803, Robert Mitchell. (He was born November 1, 1776; died March 22, 1808.)

506. Mary Seaman, died September 19, 1815; married December 15, 1809, Simeon Searing.

507. Rebecca Seaman, married Simeon Searing.

508. Martha Seaman, married May 20, 1835, Luther Anthony.

**288.** LEONARD SEAMAN (Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born September 27, 1762; died June 25, 1821; married, first, at Hempstead, L. I., April 23, 1784, Mary Titus, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Mudge) Titus. (She was born 1765; died 1788.) They had two children:—

509. Mary Elizabeth Seaman, born October 19, 1786; died April 26, 1881; married April 19, 1819, Silas Carle, son of John and Phebe (Hicks) Carle. (He was born July 13, 1786; died January 16, 1861.) They had no children.

+510. Dr. Zebulun W. Seaman, born July 12, 1788; died April 9, 1842; married Amelia Clussmann.

Leonard Seaman married, second, Leah Simonson, and had one son:—

+511. William Seaman, born February 24, 1791; died January 19, 1832; married March 3, 1813, Hannah Weed.

**300.** WILLIAMS SEAMAN (Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Jericho, L. I., February 22, 1744; died at Jericho, April 22, 1779; married at Westbury Meeting, L. I., May 4, 1768, Mary Jackson, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Willis) Jackson. (She was born July 6, 1749; died November 22, 1779; after the death of her first husband she married May 3, 1787, Willet Kirby of Westbury, L. I.) They had four children:—

+512. David Seaman, born June 12, 1770; died October 2, 1843; married November 24, 1791, Sarah Kirby, daughter of

Willet and Hannah (Titus) Kirby. (She was born March 23, 1772; died November 16, 1844.)

513. Mary Seaman, born March 27, 1774; died September 21, 1854; married Jacob Kirby, son of Willet and Hannah (Titus) Kirby.

514. Hannah Seaman, born July 24, 1776; married Samuel Willets, son of Jacob and Hannah (Powell) Willets. (He was born January 1, 1763.)

515. Esther Seaman, born April 30, 1779; died November 30, 1863; married 1805, Willett Robbins, son of Stephen and Miriam Seaman (208) Robbins. (He was born December 11, 1781; died April 11, 1861.)

**305. DANIEL SEAMAN** (Isaac,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born April 21, 1766; died August 3, 1844; married July 18, 1790, Mary Duryea, daughter of John and Ann (Pratt) Duryea. (She was born October 20, 1771; died September 7, 1861.) They had four children:—

516. Phoebe Seaman, born May 3, 1792; died July 30, 1853; married at Hempstead, L. I., February 26, 1814, Epenetus Fleet.

517. Jemima Seaman, born September 13, 1798; died December 22, 1863; married at Hempstead, January 8, 1820, Benjamin Seaman (570), son of Enoch and Mary (Smith) Seaman.

518. Ann Seaman, born October 22, 1806; died July 10, 1848.

+519. Alfred Seaman, born September 12, 1809; died October 6, 1861; married Martha Powell. (She was born April 13, 1811.)

**306. JAMES SEAMAN** (Isaac,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; married at Hempstead, November 30, 1796, Jerusha Powell, daughter of James Powell. His will is dated February 19, 1849, and proved April 6, 1849. They had three children:—

520. Townsend Seaman, died March 14, 1836; will administered April 23, 1836; married — Smith.



521. Fannie Seaman, married at Hempstead, December 1, 1821, Samuel Nichols.

522. Phoebe Seaman, married at Hempstead, April 3, 1833, Henry S. Nichols.

**308. EDMUND SEAMAN** (Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born at Staten Island, N. Y., 1745; died 1828; married, first, December 24, 1768, Elizabeth Zabriskie, daughter of John and Anna Zabriskie. (She died January 27, 1774). Married, second, November 7, 1775, at Hempstead, L. I., Hester Van Ranst, daughter of Cornelius and Catherine (Cannon) Van Ranst, who died on the day of her marriage. Edmund Seaman was Clerk of the 30th Colonial Assembly, October 27, 1768 to February 2, 1769, and of the 31st Colonial Assembly, April 4, 1769 to April 3, 1775. From the Proceedings of the Provincial Congress of New York, 1776:

"Early in 1776, the Patriot Army was in sore distress for lack of ammunition, when a happy thought was submitted to the Congress, and the Patriotic citizens of New York City were invited to contribute their window leads for the manufacture of bullets. . . . Among those who responded were Edmund Seaman."

He and Elizabeth Zabriskie Seaman had four children:—

523. Benjamin Seaman, died.

524. Edmund Seaman, died.

525. John Seaman, died.

526. Catherine Seaman, died about 1859; married, first, May 2, 1793, Captain John Kortright, son of Lawrence and Hannah (Aspinwall) Kortright. (He died May 23, 1810. He was an only son and had four sisters, of whom his sister, Elizabeth Kortright, married in 1786 the Honorable James Monroe, who was later President of the United States. Captain John Kortright's farm was on Harlem Lane, with the new mansion built west of the Lane, which descended to his children.) They had six children:—

John L. Kortright, married Freelove McCoun.

Edmund Kortright, married Sarah Barretto.

Dr. Robert Kortright, married Eliza Kortright.

Nicholas Gouveneur Kortright, died 1874; married Sarah Allaire, and had one child.

Eliza Kortright, married Nicholas Cruger.

Hester Mary Kortright, married Billopp B. Seaman (544).

Catherine Seaman Kortright married, second, Judge Henry Brockholst Livingston, son of Governor William and Susan (Brockholst) Livingston. (He was born November 25, 1759, in New York City; died March 18, 1838, in Washington, D. C. Colonel in Revolutionary War; Judge of Supreme Court of United States, 1806-1823.) They had three children:—

Henry Brockholst Livingston, Jr., resident of Florence, Italy; married — Valentine.

Jasper Hall Livingston, resident of Ryde, Isle of Wight, England; married twice; married, second Matilda Anne Cecilia Bait, daughter of Sir John Morris Bait of Sketty Park, Glamorganshire, England.

Catherine Louise Livingston, born March 23, 1815, in New York City; died July 13, 1890, at Spandon, Prussia; married at New York, July 15, 1832, Maurice Powers, and had ten children.

**311.** RICHARD SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born at Staten Island, N. Y., 1751; married December 19, 1770, Elizabeth Cortelyou. In 1784 Richard Seaman was settled at Granville, Annapolis County, Nova Scotia, as a Loyalist, and had a family of "1 man, 1 woman, 3 children over ten, 1 child under ten, 1 servant." They had seven children:—

527. Jane Seaman, born 1771.

528. Aaron Seaman, born 1773.

†529. Benjamin Richard Seaman, born in Elizabeth, N. J., January 15, 1776; married 1803, Catherine J. Provoost, daughter of Bishop Provoost. (She was born August 23, 1783.)

530. Eliza Seaman, born 1779.

531. Mary Seaman, born 1781.

532. Marie Seaman, born 1784.

533. Susan Seaman, born 1787.

**313.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born at Staten Island, N. Y., 1756; married Catherine Billopp, daughter of Colonel Christopher and Frances (Willett) Billopp. Benjamin Seaman was a graduate of the class of 1774 of King's (later Columbia) College in New York City, and was one of its earliest alumni. He probably went to Nova Scotia. They had two children:—

534. George Seaman.

535. Catherine Seaman.

**314.** JOHN SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1758 at Staten Island, N. Y.; married Rebecca Benson, daughter of Christopher and Mary (Simmonds) Benson. They had eight children:—

536. Mary Seaman, died.

537. Elizabeth Seaman, died.

538. Katherine Seaman, born January 3, 1810; died August 7, 1866; married Reverend Thomas Mallaby. (He was born October 24, 1811; died April 4, 1880.) They had five children:—

Kate Mallaby, "Spinster."

Thomas Mallaby, born 1842; died October 20, 1866.

J. Seaman Mallaby, married — Bleecker.

Frank B. Mallaby.

Fanny Mallaby, married.

539. Rebecca Seaman, married Captain Frank Mallaby.

540. Harriet Seaman, married Dr. Seth Geer, and had three children:—

Mary Geer, married Washington Dill.

William Geer.

Whiting Geer, married — Williams.

541. Edmond Seaman, married Emelene Geer.

542. Christopher Seaman, died.

543. John Seaman, died.

(In 1759 Christopher Benson married Mary Simmonds, and they settled at Granville, Annapolis, Nova Scotia.)

**316. HENRY SEAMAN** (Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Staten Island, N. Y., March 21, 1761; lived in New York; died February 28, 1799; married 1784, Sarah Billopp, daughter of Colonel Christopher and Frances (Willett) Billopp. (She was born December 6, 1765; died 1811.) They had eight children:—

+544. Billopp B. Seaman, born December 17, 1784; married Hester Mary Kortright, daughter of Colonel John and Catherine Seaman (526) Kortright.

545. Edward Seaman, born April 25, 1786; died.

546. Fanny Seaman, born June 19, 1788; died 1789.

547. Eliza Seaman, born September 3, 1789; died 1790.

+548. Jasper Farmar Seaman, born November 4, 1790; married Matilda Cairns, daughter of George and — (Verplank) Cairns.

549. Charles Seaman, born May 5, 1795; died 1795.

550. Henry J. Seaman, born 1797; died 1811.

551. Frances J. Seaman, born September 20, 1797; died May 27, 1854; married February 12, 1817, William Wilmot Townsend, son of William and Margaret (Townsend) Townsend. (He was born October 21, 1795 and died September 10, 1828.) They had six children:—

Billopp Edward Townsend, born 1817; unmarried.

Margaret S. Townsend, born 1819; married James Townsend.

William Henry Townsend, born 1823; died.

William Wilmot Townsend, born 1824; died.

Matilda K. Townsend, married George W. Cocks.

Henry J. Townsend, married Sarah Marquand.

**317. WILLIAM SEAMAN** (Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1764 at Staten Island, N. Y.; married Eliza-

beth Benson, daughter of Christopher and Mary (Simmonds) Benson. (She was born 1771.) They had ten children:—

+552. Henry John Seaman, married Katherine Seaman (995), daughter of Billopp and Hester Mary (Kortright) Seaman.

553. William Seaman, married.

+554. Benson Seaman, married Eliza Dissoway.

555. Rebecca Seaman, married Charles Keeler, and had three children:—

Maria Harriet Keeler.

William Henry Keeler.

Arthur Tappan Keeler.

556. Elizabeth Seaman, married Walenoldus Cooper and had five children:—

Frederick Cooper, married — Benson.

William Cooper.

Charles Cooper, married Theresa Hadley.

Rudolphus Cooper, married Mary Robinson.

Elizabeth Cooper, married Dr. Hallett.

557. Harriet Seaman, married Farnham Hall, and had a son:—

Dr. Henry John Hall, who married Susan Hale.

558. Fannie Seaman, married Reverend William Henry Thurston.

559. Julia Seaman, married William Beare and had five children:—

Julia Beare, married Valentine Voorhees.

Fanny Beare, married — Thompson.

Susan Beare, "Spinster."

Harriet Beare, "Spinster."

Charles Beare, married Ellen Treadwell.

560. Susan M. Seaman, married Reverend Kingston Goddard, and had six children:—

Kingston Goddard, married — Van Sickel.

Mary Goddard, married — Esty.

Pauline Goddard, married — Moore.

Susan Goddard, married — Seabury.

Henry Goddard, married — Waterman.

John Goddard, died, unmarried.

561. Maria Seaman, married William Beare, and had two children:—

Elizabeth Beare.

William Beare.

318. ENOCH SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> James,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; will dated November 24, 1805; proved December 24, 1805; married at Hempstead, August 13, 1780, Mary Smith, and had ten children:—

+562. James Seaman, married Elizabeth Nichols.

563. Elizabeth Seaman, died, unmarried.

+564. Jacob Seaman, married Dorothy Haff.

565. Benjamin Seaman.

566. John Seaman.

567. Silas Seaman.

568. Willet Seaman.

569. Gulielma Seaman, born 1796; died January 16, 1865; married at Hempstead, July 1, 1815, Cyrus Whitmore, and had a son:—

Willet Whitmore, born May 28, 1831; died June 29, 1890; married Margaret Ann Cox, daughter of Albert and Ann (Valentine) Cox.

+570. Benjamin Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., Jemima Seaman (517), daughter of Daniel and Mary (Dur-yea) Seaman. (She was born September 13, 1798; died December 22, 1862.)

571. Letitia Seaman, married April 3, 1819, at Hempstead, Willet Seaman (702), son of John and Mary (Whitson) Seaman. They had ten children recorded under Willet Seaman 702.

**323.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Israel,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Jerusalem, L. I.; born September 12, 1781; died June 28, 1862; married Jane Rhinehart. (She was born August 7, 1788; died January 8, 1860.) They had nine children and moved to St. Catherine's, Ontario:—

572. Israel Seaman, born May 26, 1814; died October 23, 1865.

573. Sarah Seaman, born October 6, 1815; died May 22, 1883; unmarried.

+574. John F. Seaman, born April 1, 1817; died January 31, 1895; married Frances Jeanette Rogers.

575. Alma Seaman, born March 19, 1819; died April 25, 1844.

+576. J. Milton Seaman, born July 18, 1821; died November 29, 1872; married Sarah L. B. Goodwin.

577. Mary Jane Seaman, born March 28, 1825; died 1906; married Samuel Chamberlain.

+578. Benjamin Seaman, resident of Cherokee, Iowa; born Jerusalem, L. I., August 6, 1823; died August 28, 1898; married March 20, 1867, Lavinia F. Williams, daughter of Tyler and Lavinia (Francis) Williams. (She was born October 20, 1843; died May 14, 1903.)

579. Martha Ann Seaman, born April 21, 1828; married October, 12, 1848, Samuel Leonard St. John, son of Samuel St. John. (He was born Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, June 28, 1820; died May 2, 1881.) Residents of St. Catherine's, Ontario. They had nine children:—

Lydia St. John, born September 15, 1849; died March 21, 1906; married September 7, 1870, William S. Downey.

Frederick St. John, born April 4, 1851.

Leonard St. John, born September 28, 1852; married October 11, 1877, Anna B. Batch.

Mary St. John, born June 19, 1855; married June 23, 1875, William Lowry Copeland.

Martha St. John, born October 12, 1857; married August 13, 1879, Cairn Cross Downey.

Jennie St. John, born June 13, 1860; married July 24, 1883, Oliver J. Booth.

Agnes St. John, born June 6, 1862.

Richard Collier St. John, born December 5, 1865; married January 30, 1889, Julia R. Stockton.

Arthur St. John, born June 19, 1867; died February 6, 1873.

580. David Seaman, born January 18, 1834; died March 28, 1835.

**325. SAMUEL SEAMAN** (Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; born 1741; died December 11, 1837, aged ninety-six years; married Abigail Hall. (She was born 1757; died February 9, 1838, aged eighty-one years.) His will was proved January 15, 1838; her will proved April 6, 1838. They had eight children:—

581. Elizabeth Seaman, born December 24, 1770; married at Hempstead, L. I., December 10, 1796, Jacob Smith.

+582. Benjamin Seaman, born May 22, 1773; died March 22, 1832; married at Hempstead, March 27, 1798, Mary Ann Pine.

583. Mary Seaman, born September 23, 1776; married August 27, 1796, at Huntington, L. I., Whitehead Raynor.

584. Jane Seaman, born October 15, 1779; married at Huntington, L. I., February 24, 1798, Thomas Rushmore.

+585. Jarvis Seaman, born February 12, 1782; died June 29, 1858; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 28, 1809, Mary Smith.

586. Rhoda Seaman, born May 24, 1786; married January 30, 1804, Nicholas Pine.

587. Abigail Seaman, born August 21, 1790; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 28, 1810, John Carman.

588. Sarah Seaman, born March 23, 1793; married February 11, 1812, Samuel Snedeker.

**327. JACOB SEAMAN** (Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Phoebe Underhill, and had five children:—



- 589. Phoebe Seaman, married John Place.
- 590. Elizabeth Seaman, married December 22, 1794, James Smith.
- 591. Joseph Seaman.
- 592. James Seaman.
- 593. Jane Seaman, died March 6, 1855, aged seventy-eight years; married October 11, 1777, Charles Underhill. (He died April 19, 1853.)

**328. THOMAS SEAMAN** (Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had eleven children:—

- +594. Adam Seaman, married Phoebe Post.
- +595. William Seaman, married, first, Abigail Bedell; married, second, Jane Smith.
- +596. Thomas Seaman, married, first, Ann Smith; married, second, Elizabeth Mott.
- +597. Parmenas Seaman, married Sarah Post.
- +598. Samuel Seaman, married, first, Susan Smith; married, second, Abigail Searing.
- 599. James Seaman, married, first, Mary Doughty; married, second, at Hempstead, L. I., January 2, 1819, Frances Baxter.
- 600. Susan Seaman, married Jackson Post.
- 601. Sarah Seaman, married at Huntington, L. I., December 6, 1801, Isaac Post.
- 602. Mary Seaman, married Daniel Henderson.
- 603. Jane Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., July 6, 1825, Joseph Golden.
- 604. Nancy Seaman, born November 22, 1798; died June 15, 1835; married May 24, 1822, Seth Lyon, son of Abraham and Hannah (Mills) Lyon. (He was born August 17, 1791.) They had two sons:—

William Henry Lyon, born October 23, 1823.

James Willis Lyon, born March 24, 1833.

**329.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married, first Mary Denton; married, second, at Jamaica, L. I., February 27, 1783, Hannah Denton. They had four children:—

605. Mary Seaman, married Daniel Hewlett, son of Daniel Hewlett and lived at Rockaway, now "Hewlett's," L. I. (He was born January 15, 1773.) They had seven children:—

George Hewlett, married Sarah S. Varrick.

Jane Hewlett, married William J. Thatford.

Rhoda Hewlett, unmarried.

Mary Hewlett, unmarried.

Hannah Hewlett, married Jacob Mott.

Benjamin Hewlett, resident Rockaway; born 1812; died April 14, 1866; married Susan Jane Smith. (She was born 1811; died 1890.)

Phoebe Amanda Hewlett, born March 16, 1814; died October 14, 1860; married May 1, 1833, Samuel Treadwell Wooley. (He was born March 13, 1812; died September 18, 1887.)

606. Rhoda Seaman, married August 29, 1812, John A. Campbell.

607. Jane E. Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., February 1, 1814, Samuel T. Clowes.

608. Cornelia Seaman, married, first, November 8, 1823, Oliver Hewlett, son of John Hewlett; they had two sons:—

Townsend Hewlett, died aged thirteen years.

Oliver Hewlett.

Cornelia Seaman Hewlett married, second, Euphemia Nostrand, son of John and Jane Nostrand. (He was born 1806; died September 6, 1890.)

**330.** SAMUEL C. SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 1, 1756; died November 10, 1811; was a resident of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and was twice married. By first marriage he had nine children and by second marriage four children, making a family of thirteen children:—

609. Peter Seaman.
610. Rowland Seaman.
611. Joshua Seaman.
- +612. Hix (or Hicks) Seaman, born September 15, 1784; died April 6, 1868; married, first, 1808, Mary Ayers. (She was born April 27, 1793; died May 14, 1815). Married, second, 1816, Polly Youngs. (She was born February 22, 1788; died March 18, 1881.) Resident of Ballston Spa, N. Y.
- +613. Samuel Seaman, married Martha Reynolds. Resident of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
614. Henry Seaman.
615. Sarah Seaman.
616. Polly Seaman.
617. Freelove Seaman, married Isaac Travers.
618. Ebenezer C. Seaman, died in childhood.
619. George W. Seaman, born August 31, 1798; died young.
- +620. Allen Taylor Cary Seaman, born January 15, 1801; died March 7, 1836; married 1825, Maria Prouty, daughter of Jacob and Lydia (Ferris) Prouty. (She died February 7, 1836.)
621. Egbert C. Seaman, lived at Salt Point, Dutchess County, N. Y.; married Eliza Van Wagner.
- 331. ALBERT SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1762; died January 29, 1846; married Elizabeth —. (She was born 1771; died October 29, 1847.) They had four children:—
- +622. Leonard L. Seaman, born 1798; died May 14, 1873; married 1794, Mahala Doughty. (She was born 1794; died December 13, 1875.)
623. Charlotte Seaman, born 1798; died December 3, 1856; married — Doughty.
624. Lewis Seaman, resident of Palmyra, N. Y.
625. Randolph Seaman, resident of Horsehead, N. Y.

**332.** ANDREW SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Glenville, Schenectady County, and Schenectady, N. Y.; born 1764; died October 6, 1846. Served two years in active service in the Revolutionary War with the Connecticut Troops. Enlisted at Upper Salem, N. Y., and served under Captain Hoyt and Captain Bradley. "1st June, 1840, drew Pension, aged 76 years." He was married twice; married, first, — Van Vleck, and had two children:—

+626. James Seaman, resident Palatine Bridge, N. Y.

627. Keziah Seaman.

Andrew Seaman married, second, Sarah H. McLain, and had nine children:—

+628. Richard Seaman, born January 15, 1794; died April 22, 1860, at Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y.

+629. Samuel Seaman, twin, born February 8, 1796; married Catherine Van Vleck, daughter of Hermanus Van Vleck.

630. Joshua Seaman, twin, born February 8, 1796; died Fort Kearney, Nebraska.

631. Abram Seaman, born July 20, 1798; died January 21, 1846.

+632. Andrew Seaman, born July 29, 1800; died February 24, 1854; married Nancy Watkins. (She was born March 4, 1804; died February 28, 1862.)

633. Sally Ann Seaman, born March 1, 1801; died January 23, 1844.

634. Henry Seaman, born March 4, 1804.

+635. Chauncey Seaman, born at Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y., December 11, 1807; died Linn County, Kansas, April 19, 1867; married, first, March 24, 1831, Margaret Glenn. (She was born October 5, 1809; died March 20, 1837.) Married, second, August 4, 1843, Nelison Ashley (born March 5, 1820; died May 28, 1857). Married, third, November 17, 1858, Lucy Johnson.

+636. Madison Seaman, born January 8, 1812; died November 24, 1851.

**334.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born December 28, 1776; died August, 1831; married March 17, 1798, Ann Nelson. (She was born October 10, 1772; died April 9, 1865.) They had twelve children:—

+637. Hiram Seaman, born July 8, 1800; died April 22, 1852; resident of Pittsfield, Massachusetts; married, first, June, 1824, Cynthia Darby and had three children. (She was born April 10, 1800; died 1828.) Married, second, Polly Crego.

638. Eliza Seaman, resident Indian Orchard, Massachusetts; born December 8, 1800; died August 18, 1883; married November 19, 1821, Henry Losee. (He was born January 19, 1794; died December 8, 1867.)

+639. Stephen Seaman, resident West Union, N. Y.; born March 19, 1802; died July 24, 1859; married Hannah Goodale. (She was born January 20, 1809; died July 24, 1887.)

640. Sarah Seaman, born December 1, 1803; died August 17, 1850; lived near Syracuse, N. Y.; married James Clow. (He died 1848.)

641. Cathleen Seaman, born October 17, 1805; died May 17, 1886. Resident Hingham, Massachusetts; married October 8, 1828, John Rider. (He was born September 25, 1805; died November 20, 1879.)

+642. Lewis Seaman, resident Williamstown, Massachusetts; born October 17, 1807; died February, 1839.

643. John Seaman, resident Near Ballston, N. Y.; born August 23, 1809; died March, 1885; married Nancy Seaman (665). (She was born February 1, 1811; died June 17, 1878.)

+644. Hicks Seaman, born January 30, 1812; died January 30, 1874; married, first, October 7, 1832, Sarah Whitman; married, second, Sarah M. Merrill.

645. Hannah Seaman, born May, 1813; died September, 1814.

646. Maria Seaman, resident Leeds, N. Y.; born December 16, 1816; died February 8, 1866; married Benjamin Nelson.

647. James Seaman, resident West Union, N. Y.; born February 6, 1818; died June 27, 1868.

648. Warren Seaman, resident Hoosic Falls, N. Y.; born December, 1822; died November 3, 1838.

335. HENRY SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Ephratah, N. Y.; married twice and reported to have had twenty children, of whom fourteen are recorded; married, first, Mary Bull, and had six children:—

649. Phoebe Seaman, married — Nestle; lived at Clifton Park, Saratoga County, N. Y., and had two sons:—

William Nestle.

— Nestle.

650. Nancy Seaman, married Pierre Teller, lived in Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y., and had two children:—

Jane Teller, married — Weller.

— Teller, married — Hollenbeck.

651. Isaac Seaman, lived in Rochester, N. Y.; married and had children.

652. Matilda Seaman, born 1800; died 1854; married Lewis Getman and had two children:—

Jane Getman, married — Cooke, of Little Falls, N. Y.

Nettie Getman, married Garrett Voorhes, of Camden, N. Y.

+653. James Seaman, born July 7, 1807; died August 20, 1858; married, first, Jane Sharp; married, second, Catherine Van Alstyne, daughter of Barent and Sarah (Wemple) Van Alstyne, of Ephratah, N. Y.

+654. Andrew Seaman, married, first, Virtue Van Alstyne, daughter of Barent and Sarah (Wemple) Van Alstyne; married, second, — — —.

Henry Seaman married, second, Hannah Youngs, and had eight children:—

655. Emeline Seaman, married Elijah Dye, of Gloversville, N. Y., and had four children:—

Walter Dye, married, first, Hannah —; married, second, Angeline Place.

William Dye, married Hester —.

Mary Dye, married Daniel Stewart.

Alice Dye, married William Mills.

656. Caroline Seaman, born February 16, 1823; died January 16, 1894; married September, 1854, Sylvester Cudworth, and had three children:—

Anna Cudworth, married, first, George R. Wyman; married, second, James L. Vebber.

Charles Cudworth.

Carrie Cudworth.

657. Charlotte Seaman, born December, 1906; married March, 1851, James D. Miller, and had two children (twins):—

James Miller, married, first, Elizabeth Young; married, second, Bessie Harvey.

Carrie Miller.

+658. Silas Seaman, married Henrietta Smith.

+659. Stephen Seaman, born June 27, 1827; died February 7, 1863; married January 28, 1852, Elizabeth Thompson.

660. Willard Seaman, unmarried.

+661. Sidney Seaman, married.

662. Alfred Seaman.

**336. STEPHEN SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Ballston, N. Y.; born February 10, 1782; died December 29, 1874, ninety-two years of age; married December 10, 1807, Mary Abigail Seaman (725), daughter of Sylvanus and Nancy (Gedney) Seaman. (She was born September 5, 1789; died February 16, 1858.) They had thirteen children of whom five are recorded:—

663. Mary Ann Seaman, born November 3, 1808; died December 28, 1898; married November 15, 1840, Henry Wright. (He was born January 20, 1809; died May 4, 1888.)

664. Nancy Seaman, born February 1, 1811; died June 17, 1878; married John Seaman (657), son of Benjamin Seaman. (He was born August 23, 1809; died March, 1885.)

+665. Samuel A. Seaman, resident Flint, Michigan; born January 27, 1814; died February 28, 1879; married, first, March 5, 1836, Antha Lucretia Owen. (She was born November 7, 1819; died January 8, 1851.) Married, second, Nancy Durling. (She was born August 26, 1829.)

666. Phoebe A. Seaman, resident Glens Falls, N. Y.; born November 1, 1816; died September 1, 1891; married October 1, 1839, L. W. Swan. (He was born July 20, 1813; died September 1, 1895.)

667. Caroline E. Seaman, resident Palmyra, N. Y.; born December 26, 1824; died November 13, 1843; married February 3, 1816, Benjamin H. I. Jackson, son of David and Elizabeth (Hall) Jackson.

**338.** JOHN SEAMAN (John,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born June 28, 1761; married Mary Stephens and had six children:—

668. Mary Seaman, married — Pearsall.

669. John Seaman, died.

+670. William Seaman, married Cornelia Y. Briggs.

+671. Edward Seaman, married — Brown.

672. Jane Seaman, married — Tredwell.

673. Hannah Seaman, died.

**339.** DAVID SEAMAN (John,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Jerusalem, L. I.; born December 21, 1764; married a daughter of Jacob Conklin and had four children:—

+674. Conklin Seaman, lived in Brooklyn; born March 12, 1791; died February 29, 1880; married January 18, 1816, Sarah Hilliker. (She was born August 14, 1793; died September 10, 1849.)

675. John Seaman.

676. Carman Seaman.

677. Elizabeth Seaman, born August, 1801; died July 21, 1878; married David Stewart.



**343.** ZEBULUN SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born March 15, 1764, at Hempstead; married, first, November 27, 1785, Charlotte Birdsall, daughter of Benjamin and Freelove (Jones) Birdsall. (She was born 1764.) Married, second, Martha Coombs. They had seven children:—

678. Allen Seaman, born December 28, 1791; married Mary Bryant.

679. Anne Seaman, born January 10, 1795; married James Shirley.

+680. Thomas Seaman, born November 14, 1797; married Almenia Vail.

681. Esther Seaman, born July 6, 1800; died 1828.

682. Jacob Seaman, born March 4, 1803; married Elizabeth Brush.

683. Mary Seaman, born November 8, 1805.

684. Hannah Seaman, born October 10, 1808; married August 5, 1830, James Rowland.

**346.** ROWLAND SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 15, 1777; died November 1, 1851; married three times; married, first, May 14, 1808, Esther Smith, daughter of Lucius and Dorces (Gildersleeve) Smith; married, second, Ruth Buffet; married, third, Ann Rowland. He had one daughter by first marriage:—

685. Esther Seaman, married Obadiah Wells.

**348.** ISAAC SEAMAN (Obadiah,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married, first, Sarah Carman; married, second, May 6, 1787, Lucretia Mowbrey, of Islip, L. I., and had four children:—

686. Smith Seaman.

687. Charity Seaman.

+688. Stephen Seaman, married.

689. Catherine Seaman, married November 28, 1816, at Westbury, N. Y., Charles Udall, son of Thomas and Susannah Udall.

**349.** JONATHAN SEAMAN (Obadiah,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Rebecca Douglass, and had five sons:—

- +690. Silas Seaman, married — Edwards.
- 691. Douglas Seaman.
- 692. Abraham Seaman.
- 693. Franklin Seaman, married — Woodruff.
- 694. Jonathan Seaman.

**354.** STEPHEN SEAMAN (Obadiah,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married November 11, 1759, Martha McCoun and had two sons:—

- 695. John Seaman.
- 696. Willet Seaman.

**355.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born April 22, 1763; died at Merrick, L. I., October 30, 1850; married April 23, 1786, Charity Tredwell, daughter of John and Mary (Jackson) Tredwell. (She was born December 2, 1769; died March 17, 1846.) They had five children:—

- +697. Tredwell Seaman, born November 16, 1787; died February 28, 1867; married at Hempstead, L. I., March 26, 1807, Hannah Hewlett. (She was born October 20, 1789.)
- +698. John Seaman, married, December 28, 1813, Mary Carman, daughter of Joseph Carman.
- 699. Mary Seaman, married January 29, 1810, at Hempstead, L. I., Jacob Townsend.
- 700. Phoebe Seaman, married April 12, 1818, at Hempstead, L. I., Benjamin Smith.
- +701. Elijah Seaman, married — Chichester.

**357.** JOHN SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born May 21, 1769; died July 17, 1749; married Mary Whitson, daughter of Silas and Sarah (Powell) Whitson. (She was born January 14, 1772.) They had eight children:—

- +702. Willet Seaman, born April 9, 1791; married at Hempstead, L. I., April 3, 1819, Letitia Seaman (571), daughter of Enoch and Mary (Smith) Seaman.

703. Sarah Seaman, born September 31, 1792/3; married Thomas Ellwood Althouse.
704. Jemima Seaman, born June 5, 1793/4; married Samuel Seaman (720), son of John Jackson and Jemima Seaman. They had three children recorded under 720.
705. Maria Seaman, born October 6, 1796; married Walter Powell, son of Benjamin and Elsie (Smith) Powell.
- +706. David Sands Seaman, born September 3, 1798; died June 22, 1864; married February 19, 1829; Ann Maria Bunting. (She was born December 21, 1808; died June 22, 1864.)
707. Esther Seaman, born January 1, 1803; married at Hempstead, L. I., March 16, 1837, Gelston Smith, son of James Smith.
708. Ann B. Seaman, born January 12, 1809; died July 18, 1849; married at Hempstead, October 22, 1834, John E. Post.
- +709. John Gilbert Seaman, born September 9, 1813; married December 5, 1835, Jane Althouse, daughter of Jackson Althouse.

**358. ELIJAH SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1772; married Phoebe Willets, daughter of Jacob Willets. They had five children:—

710. Avis C. Seaman, born June 21, 1806; died March 26, 1865; married James F. Birdsall.
- +711. Jacob W. Seaman, born November 20, 1809; died October 31, 1897, at Westbury, L. I.; married Mary B. Seaman (718), daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Williams) Seaman.
712. Hannah W. Seaman, born in Jerusalem, L. I., May 10, 1815; died December 10, 1888; married February 25, 1836, Samuel Underhill. (He was born April 16, 1801; died in New York City, September 20, 1877.) They had two children:—
- Amelia Underhill, born October 6, 1837; died January 13, 1919; married November 21, 1858, John Titus Willets (208). They had three children:—

Howard Willets, born April 6, 1861; married, first Mary K. Macy. They had three sons. Married, second, Elsie D. Young-Gunsel and had one son.

Elizabeth Willets, born March 11, 1864; married October 22, 1893, Dr. Samuel Waldron Lambert and had three children.

Helen Willets, born February 21, 1866; married June 6, 1895, J. Henry Carson.

Phebe Underhill, born February 28, 1842; died February 22, 1926; unmarried.

+713. Samuel Seaman, married Charlotte English.

714. Richard W. Seaman, born November 10, 1821; died February 16, 1890, at Westbury, L. I.; married, first, Harriet Vredenburg; married, second, Emma Jones.

**360. THOMAS SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; born January 12, 1777; married Sarah (Smith) Williams, daughter of Amos Smith and widow of Amos Williams. They had nine children:—

+715. Thomas Seaman, born July 9, 1809; married January 8, 1829, Hannah Allen. (She was born October 9, 1804; died September 12, 1877.)

+716. James M. Seaman, born January 2, 1811; died March 24, 1891; married, first, March 31, 1835, Martha Seaman (1239), daughter of Samuel and Jemima (Seaman) Seaman. (She died April 5, 1840.) Married, second, October 16, 1844, Jemima Seaman (1237), daughter of Thomas and Deborah (Birdsall) Seaman. (She was born March 12, 1823; died January 20, 1892.)

717. Elizabeth Seaman, born September 5, 1814; married December 13, 1835, at Hempstead, L. I., Israel S. Jones, of Jerusalem, L. I., and had six children:—

Sarah Elizabeth Jones.

David S. Jones, married Sarah —.

Marietta Jones, married Abraham Underhill, of Mills Neck, L. I.

Alma Jones, died.

Phoebe Jones, married Asa Hendrickson.

Emma Jones.

718. Mary B. Seaman, married Jacob W. Seaman (711), son of Elijah and Phoebe (Willets) Seaman. They had one son recorded under Jacob W. Seaman (712).

**346.** JOHN JACKSON SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married January 17, 1785. Jemima Seaman (356), daughter of Samuel and Mary (Birdsall) Seaman. They had four children:—

+719. Thomas Seaman, born October 10, 1786; died November 10, 1829; married Deborah Birdsall, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Coles) Birdsall. (She was born October 10, 1784; died November 21, 1862.)

+720. Samuel Seaman, married Jemima Seaman (704), daughter of John and Mary (Whitson) Seaman.

721. Martha Seaman, died.

722. Mary Seaman, died.

**370.** SYLVANUS SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Dutchess County, N. Y., Chatham (Columbia County), and Saratoga County, N. Y.; born March 1, 1757; died March 3, 1834; married three times; married, first, January 16, 1783, Nancy (or Anne) Gedney. (She was born June 30, 1757; died December 11, 1793.) They had four children:—

723. David Seaman, born May 18, 1784.

724. Margaret Seaman, born March 11, 1786; died September 11, 1832; married Tabor Ferris; they lived in New York City and had five children.

725. Mary Abigail Seaman, born September 5, 1789; died February 16, 1858; married December 12, 1807, Stephen Seaman (336), son of Samuel and Freeclove Seaman, of Dutchess County, N. Y. (He was born February 10, 1782; died December 29, 1874.) They had five children, recorded under their father (330).

726. Sarah Seaman, born December 3, 1793; married John Thompson and lived in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Sylvanus Seaman married, second, June 11, 1797, Phebe Aitkin, and had one daughter:—

727. Phebe Aitkin Seaman, born May 13, 1797; died September 11, 1816.

Sylvanus Seaman married, third, April 24, 1803, Lydia Champion, of Lyme, Connecticut, daughter of Ezra and Mary (Bump) Champion. (She was born February 11, 1765; died January 9, 1830.) They had one son:—

+728. Ezra Champion Seaman, born October 14, 1805; died July 1, 1880; married 1835, Marietta Virginia Doe, of Welton, Saratoga County, N. Y.

**371. RICHARD SEAMAN** (Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born June 17, 1753; died 1799; married March 15, 1771, Elizabeth Lawrence. (She was born October 8, 1751; died July, 1842, aged ninety years.) They had three children:—

+729. Lawrence Seaman, born February 4, 1772; died November 26, 1854; married January 16, 1793, Mary Ann Searing.

730. Sarah Seaman, born February 20, 1774; married Robert Pettit.

+731. Nathaniel Seaman, born October 25, 1777; died January 8, 1848; married July 5, 1801, Mary De Mont. (She was born July 12, 1786; died September 25, 1875.)

**373. NOAH SEAMAN** (Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married, first, April 27, 1783, at Hempstead, L. I., Hannah Nostrand, and had one son:—

732. William Seaman.

Noah Seaman married, second, February 27, 1787, Martha Totten and had nine children:—

733. Margaret Seaman, died 1864; married George Vanderwater.

+734. Jacob Seaman, born 1789; died 1844; married Letitia Nostrand.

735. Fanny Seaman, married August 29, 1815, George Nostrand.

- +736. Noah Seaman, married, first, July 29, 1819, Rosanna Underhill; married, second — Titus.
- 737. Martha Seaman.
- 738. Hannah Seaman, married Zebulun Powell.
- +739. Andries Seaman, married Ann Nostrand.
- +740. Gideon Seaman, married April 12, 1826, Elizabeth Lewis.
- 741. Eliza Seaman, married August 5, 1835, Abraham Powell, son of Robert and Mary (Cornelius) Powell.
- 378. AMBROSE SEAMAN** (Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had four children:—
  - 742. William Seaman.
  - +743. John Seaman, married.
  - 744. Noah Seaman, married, had two children who lived in Indiana.
  - 745. David Seaman, married at Newburg, N. Y., had four children.
- 379. WILLIAM SEAMAN** (Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had three children:—
  - 746. Margaret Seaman.
  - 747. Elizabeth Seaman.
  - 748. Jacob Seaman.
- 381. JACOB SEAMAN** (Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married September 2, 1797, Sarah Hewlett, and had one daughter:—
  - 749. Elizabeth Seaman.
- 383. STEPHEN SEAMAN** (Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had two children:—
  - 750. Thomas Seaman.
  - +751. Oliver Seaman, born September 2, 1802; died August 3, 1873; married Hannah Dodge. (She was born April 10, 1803; died May 13, 1887.)

**384.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had two children:—

752. George Seaman.

753. Sarah Seaman.

**388.** COLONEL ISAAC SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Babylon, L. I.; born December 27, 1778, at Half Hollow Hills, L. I.; died May 4, 1832; married May 25, 1802, Elizabeth Dingee, daughter of Selah and Ruth (Conklin) Dingee, of Huntington, L. I. (She died December 13, 1831.) They settled at Babylon, and had seven children:—

754. Selah Seaman, born April 25, 1804; died November 11, 1805.

755. Smith Seaman, born March 21, 1806; died January 29, 1808.

+756. Henry Seaman, born September 7, 1807; died August 1, 1850; married Mercy Bedell.

+757. Tredwell Seaman, born April 23, 1810; married Sophia Steers.

+758. Conklin Seaman, born September 12, 1812; married Susan Snedeker.

759. Phinette Seaman, born May 22, 1815; died June, 1878; married Abner Millikin and lived in Alton, Maine.

760. Selah Dingee Seaman, born March 15, 1818; married Amelia Gillespie. Lived in New York and had no children.

**389.** DAVID SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had four children:—

+761. Gideon Seaman, born 1816; married twice; married, first, —; married, second, Sarah Muncey.

762. Eliphalet Seaman.

763. Helen Seaman, married Jonathan Wood.

764. Amy Seaman, married Timothy Terry.

**400.** JOHN SEAMAN (Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Charity Jackson, daughter of John and Charity (Tredwell) Jackson and had four children:—



765. Margaret Seaman.

766. Edward Seaman, born 1799; died March 14, 1825; married Mary Valentine.

767. Samuel Seaman.

768. Sidney Seaman, born 1800; died June 14, 1827; married, first, January 22, 1822, at Hempstead, L. I., Mary Valentine. (She was born 1798; died March 18, 1825.) Married, second, November 6, 1826, Phoebe W. Valentine.

**402. DR. VALENTINE SEAMAN** (Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>6</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born April 2, 1770; died July 3, 1817; married May 7, 1794, Anne Ferris, daughter of James Ferris. (She was born December 8, 1771, at Throggs Neck, N. Y.; died November 5, 1854, at Newburg, N. Y.) Dr. Valentine Seaman was a prominent physician and surgeon of New York City. President of the Medical Society which was the forerunner of the New York College of Physicians and Surgeons.

## CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE MEDICAL HISTORY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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BY DR. JOHN SHRADY.

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### AN OLD TIME WORTHY.

Dr. Valentine Seaman was born in Queens County, Long Island, April 2, 1770, his father being Willet Seaman and his mother Mary Searing, also of the same county, both of whom were of Quaker parentage.

Near the close of the Revolutionary War Valentine's father went to New York and established himself as a merchant and offered many inducements to his son to join him in business, but medicine had more allurements and Dr. Benjamin Rush of Philadelphia gained a pupil.

After his graduation Dr. Valentine returned to this city and married Anna Ferris in 1794, by whom he had eleven children, three of whom are still living.

The first white child vaccinated in New York was his own son, he having lost his first child by inoculation with small-pox, was

induced to visit Jenner, the result of which was that the two became fast friends throughout their lives.

Dr. Isaac Wood, now deceased, speaks of his being a most laborious practitioner, an assiduous clinical teacher, and much given to acts of benevolence.

Dr. Seaman was the first to have a class of women to instruct in the care of mid-wifery, writing a book for their instruction and guidance; this was at the Alms House in New York. He also published an account of yellow fever which prevailed in 1791 and 1800; this may yet be found in the Medical Repository. Besides being the first analyst of the waters of Saratoga and Balston Springs, he wrote an exhaustive treatise on the subject.

In 1810 and 1811 he and others formed a medical institution associated with Queens College in New Brunswick, N. J. He was an active member of the Manumission Society for the liberation of slaves and their protection. His health began to decline about a year before his death from consumption in 1817.

He had eleven children:—

+769. Dr. William Ferris Seaman, born February 13, 1797; died January 12, 1827; married October 30, 1822, at Westbury Meeting, L. I., Elizabeth Hicks, daughter of Isaac and Sarah (Doughty) Hicks. (She was born June 10, 1805; died January 2, 1865; after the death of her first husband she married William T. Cock.)

770. Eliza Seaman, died young.

+771. Dr. Valentine Seaman, born September 30, 1802; died March 29, 1899; married 1838, his cousin Anna Amelia Ferris, daughter of Elijah Ferris.

772. Percival Seaman, born October 11, 1804.

773. John Ferris Seaman, married Anna Drake.

+774. James Valentine Seaman, married Maria B. Wright, daughter of Augustus Wright.

+775. Willet Seaman, born June 9, 1808; married Susan W. Hendricks.

776. Marianna Seaman.

777. Eliza Seaman, born May 9, 1815; married Augustus W. Leggett, and had nine children:—

Mortimer Leggett, married Jennie Whithead.

Percival Leggett.

William Leggett, married Annie Birdsall.

Margaret Leggett, married Lewis T. Ives.

Emma Leggett, married, first, William Christian; married, second, Corydon Randall.

Augusta Leggett, married E. Brook Pease.

Blanche I. Leggett.

778. Anna Seaman, born March 18, 1812; married Charlton Ferris.

779. Elizabeth Seaman, died in infancy.

406. WILLET SEAMAN (Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born New York City or Hempstead, L. I., June 7, 1781; died New York City, April 10, 1864; married at Nantucket, Massachusetts, September 7, 1808, Mary Jenkins. (She was born at Nantucket, April 8, 1786; died Bronxville, N. Y., July 14, 1880.) They had seven children:—

780. Gulielma Matilda Seaman, born July 10, 1809.

+781. Frederick Augustus Seaman, born New York City, April 7, 1811; died Madison, N. J., November 30, 1888; married, first, Jane Bowles. (She was born at Dublin, Ireland, April 22, 1847; died New York City, November 14, 1866.) Married second —.

782. Henry Jenkins Seaman, born July 13, 1813.

783. Avis Leggett Seaman, born October 4, 1816, in New York City; died at Mt. Vernon, N. Y., March 31, 1899; married New York City, July 1, 1845, Robert Morgan Masterton. (He was born, New York City, September 19, 1823; died Mt. Vernon, March 12, 1888.) They had a daughter.

Gulielma Matilda Masterton, born New York City, February 22, 1850; living in 1928; married Abraham Garrison Burtnett. (He was born in New York City, August 1, 1839; died Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 5, 1910.) They had a son:—

Bertrand Garrison Burtnett, born November 10, 1874, at Bronxville, N. Y.

784. William Valentine Seaman, born August 5, 1818; died January 24, 1852.

785. Willet Seaman, born July 10, 1820.

786. Mary J. Seaman, born March 30, 1827; died October 22, 1829.

**418. THOMAS SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup>, Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Cornwall, N. Y.; born January 16, 1779; died August 9, 1849; married Sarah Brown and had four children:—

+787. Jacob Seaman, born Cornwall, N. Y., August 14, 1803; died at Woodbury Falls, N. Y., April 25, 1888; married October 4, 1826, Hannah Cock, daughter of Jacob and Hannah (Townsend) Cock. (She was born August 20, 1804; died May 17, 1889.)

788. Keziah F. Seaman, twin, born May 20, 1792; married Daniel Cornell, son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Birdsall) Cornell. (He was born May 20, 1792; died 1877.) They had one son:—

Charles S. Cornell, born January 18, 1845; died January 12, 1886; married January 8, 1873, Sarah A. Lefferts.

789. Martha Seaman, twin, born May 20, 1792.

790. Keturah Seaman, born November 18, 1808; died January 10, 1893; married Peter S. Titus, son of Henry and Martha (Seaman) Titus and had three children:—

Pierre S. Titus.

Henry Thomas Titus.

Martha S. Titus, born February 9, 1849; married November 13, 1874, Daniel C. Sands and had a son:—

Daniel C. Sands, Jr., born November 22, 1875.

**419. SILAS SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Blooming Grove, Orange County, N. Y.; born August 16, 1784; died September 7, 1849; married at Pleasant Valley, March 30, 1809, Hannah Green and had five children:—

+791. Willet Seaman, born May 14, 1810; died November 5, 1840; married March 6, 1834, Mary Bowman Abbott. (She was born March 6, 1812; died April 1, 1883.)

792. Phoebe G. Seaman, born July 30, 1814; died February 22, 1842; married October 1, 1835, Joseph Smith.

+793. William Seaman, resident Monroe, N. Y.; born May 2, 1819; died December 20, 1875; married November 2, 1841, Hannah Pearsall. (She was born January 29, 1819; died January 3, 1882.)

+794. Valentine Seaman, born March 26, 1820; died December 30, 1890; married three times; married, first, November 1, 1842, Sarah Pearsall. (She was born November 8, 1821; died May 11, 1847.) Married, second, Margaret Sands, daughter of Obadiah and Susan Sands. (She was born October 27, 1824; died March 21, 1862.) Married, third, 1865, Hannah S. Seaman (809), daughter of Samuel T. and Anna (Pearsall) Seaman. (She was born November 13, 1834; died November 7, 1894.)

795. Sarah Seaman, born November 27, 1823; died June 14, 1828.

**421.** JOHN SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Kakiak, N. Y., and Cornwall, N. Y.; born at Westbury, L. I., April 29, 1792; died October 3, 1873; married at Blooming Grove, Orange County, N. Y., April 29, 1819, Amy Pearsall, daughter of Wait and Hannah (Rushmore) Pearsall. (She was born at Bethpage, L. I., November 10, 1793; died November 23, 1872.) Married, second, Jane Pearsall, daughter of Wait and Hannah (Rushmore) Pearsall. They had eight children:—

+796. Henry Seaman, born Cornwall, N. Y., March 21, 1820; died January 27, 1896; married June 11, 1846, Caroline Clock Thurbor.

797. Charles Seaman, born Cornwall, N. Y., April 22, 1821; died 1837, aged sixteen years.

+798. Wait Pearsall Seaman, born at Monroe, N. Y., March 5, 1824; died October 5, 1892; married Ann Eliza Romer.

799. Rachel Seaman, born Monroe, N. Y., July 15, 1826; died November 6, 1895; married December 25, 1848, Henry A. Bogart. (He died September 17, 1886.) They had ten children:—

Rachel S. Bogart, born February 13, 1850.

Henry J. Bogart, born August 24, 1851.

Charles A. Bogart, born August 23, 1853.

Sarah R. Bogart, born January 2, 1856.

Peter Titus Bogart, born April 3, 1858; married September 3, 1879, Annie M. Bogart and had four children.

Amy Avis Bogart, born July 21, 1860; married, first, September 20, 1886, John Linbarger and had one son; married, second, October 12, 1899, Peter B. Laire.

Keturah Bogart, born October 13, 1862; married June 16, 1880, Henry R. Palmer and had two sons.

Martha S. Bogart, born February 24, 1865.

Hannah Etta Bogart, born December 14, 1867; married June 12, 1894, John W. Poole and had two daughters.

George Harvey Bogart, born December 30, 1869.

800. Amy Seaman, born Monroe, N. Y., September 9, 1828; died September 23, 1828.

801. Hannah P. Seaman, born Monroe, N. Y., January 1, 1829; married October 16, 1879, Alfred Underhill of Chappaqua, N. Y.

802. Avis Leggett Seaman, born Monroe, N. Y., July 23, 1832; died February 28, 1894; married, first, January 15, 1850, J. Harvey Mosher. (He was born September 16, 1827; died March 12, 1872.) They had eight children:—

Amy Eliza Mosher, born December 12, 1850; married November 10, 1868, Eugene Victor Lawton and had four children.

John Pinkham Mosher, born March 18, 1853; married Flora C. Cottrell.

Mary Hannah Mosher, born May 6, 1855; died September 10, 1868.

Avis Martha Mosher, born July 31, 1859; married November 25, 1880, Edgar R. Vail.

Rachel Carrie Mosher, born October 28, 1863; died July 12, 1884; married October 24, 1883, Herbert E. Kenyon and had one child.

Charles Harvey Mosher, born June 10, 1866; died April 30, 1867.

Ann Ward Mosher, born June 20, 1868; married Joseph B. Morrison and had three children.

Sarah Frances Mosher, born December 2, 1869; married May 14, 1890, Arthur T. Stryker and had one daughter.

Avis Leggett (Seaman) Mosher married, second, Edward Laing.

803. Martha Hazard Seaman, born Monroe, N. Y., August 13, 1834; married September 10, 1878, George L. Brinkerhoff, son of Abraham and Jen E. (Wright) Brinkerhoff. Living in New York City in 1928. In 1869, President Grant invited the Society of Friends to take charge of six tribes of Indians, and the members of the New York Yearly Meeting had charge of the Winnebagoes in Nebraska. Their agent requested that a woman might be sent to act as matron to teach and try to elevate the minds of the women, and Martha H. Seaman was appointed as representative of the Society. She lived alone with the Winnebagoes for one year in their primitive surroundings and ignorance, finding conditions which seemed hopeless to change, but she gained their confidence and had faith in their abilities, and at the close of the year the Government reported: "Friends left the Winnebagoes self-supporting, with a large annual surplus of agricultural products for sale, a large manual labor boarding-school with cultivated farm attached and two day school houses had been provided for them, which were filled with promising pupils of both sexes. The Indians had one hundred and five allotments of land held in severality by certificate. Their tribal government was republican and elective. They generally wore citizens clothing. Their farmers and mechanical employees were skilled and efficient Indians. The tribe was fitted and prepared for American citizenship with protection of property during one generation."

**425.** SAMUEL T. SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Ridgeburg, N. Y.; born April 11, 1795; died May 4, 1871; married, first, July 5, 1820, Anna Pearsall, daughter of Wait and Hannah Pearsall. (She was born August 16, 1797; died April 27, 1835.) They had six children:—

804. Peter T. Seaman, born April 22, 1822; died August 14, 1846.

805. Elizabeth T. Seaman, born April 18, 1824; married September 30, 1855, Gideon Wright Cock, son of George and Free love (Wright) Cock. (He was born in Norwich, L. I., July 30, 1801; died Wawayanda, Orange County, N. Y., February 24, 1874.) He was a member of Assembly, County Judge for forty years and Justice of the Peace. They had one son:—

George Seaman Cock, born August 27, 1856; resident of Shrewsbury, N. J.

806. Jane P. Seaman, born July 26, 1826; died October 22, 1880.

807. Mary A. Seaman, married John Campbell.

808. Phoebe P. Seaman, born February 6, 1832; died December 2, 1902.

809. Hannah S. Seaman, born November 13, 1834; died November 7, 1896; married 1865, Valentine Seaman (794), son of Silas and Hannah (Green) Seaman.

Samuel Seaman, married, second, June 30, 1836, Phoebe Pearsall, daughter of Wait and Hannah Pearsall. (She was born May 20, 1811.) They had six children:—

810. Ann Seaman, born April 27, 1837; married John Walling.

811. Kesiah Seaman, born September 17, 1838; married February 28, 1862, Ira J. Wickham, son of Benjamin and Mary (Reeves) Wickham of Ridgeburg, N. Y. (He was born February 4, 1838.) They had four children:—

Catherine Wickham.

Phoebe Wickham.

Smith Wickham.



Benson Wickham.

812. Susan Seaman, born August 15, 1840; married Silas Robins.

813. Samuel Seaman, died August 8, 1890.

814. George M. Seaman, born May 31, 1845.

815. Charles P. Seaman, born 1848.

**427. RICHARD SEAMAN** (Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born January 31, 1745; died October 6, 1843, in his ninety-ninth year; married Sarah Searing and had thirteen children:—

816. Martha Seaman, born 1779; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 20, 1796, James Walters.

817. Mary Seaman, born 1781; married Josiah Purdy, and had four children:—

Dr. Alfred Seaman Purdy, married Anna Martindale.

Dr. Samuel Augustus Purdy, married Anna Maria Palmer.  
James Purdy.

Eliza Purdy, married William Truslow.

The doctors Purdy were among the founders of the Academy of Medicine of New York City.

818. Eliza Seaman, born May 1, 1783. She was the first adult in this country to be vaccinated, which was done by her brother, Dr. Richard Seaman.

819. Dr. Richard Seaman, born April 28, 1785; married Susan Reese. He was active in founding the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City. Instrumental in introducing vaccination in this country with his brother, Dr. James Seaman, Dr. Valentine Seaman and Dr. Valentine Mott, through their friendship with Dr. Jenner of Germany. He vaccinated his sister Eliza as the first adult in this country to be vaccinated.

820. John Seaman, born December 31, 1786.

821. Son.

822. Son.

823. Daughter.
824. Jacob Seaman, born October 2, 1788.
825. Susan Seaman, born May 23, 1790.
- +826. Samuel A. Seaman, born February 25, 1792; married three times; married, first, Sarah Searing; married, second, Phoebe Williams; married, third, Phoebe Ann Pratt.
827. Dr. James Seaman, born September 13, 1794; married Amelia Ketcham. He was active in founding the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City with his brother, Dr. Richard Seaman. He and his brother, Dr. Richard Seaman, Dr. Valentine Seaman and Dr. Valentine Mott, were instrumental in introducing vaccination in this country through their friendship with Dr. Jenner of Germany.
828. Sarah Seaman, born September 12, 1797.
- 428. JACOB SEAMAN** (Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had one son:—
829. Solomon Seaman, went to Maryland.
- 429. BENJAMIN SEAMAN** (Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Jane Willis and had five children:—
830. Margaret Seaman, married — Pennicott.
831. Richard Seaman.
832. Jacob Seaman.
833. Sarah Seaman, married — Glenn.
834. Almy Seaman, married — Smith.
- 430. JOHN SEAMAN** (Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married and had three children:—
835. Christina Seaman.
836. William R. Seaman.
837. Sarah Maria Seaman, married — Curtis.
- 436. ISAAC SEAMAN** (Israel,<sup>4</sup> Adam,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1768; died April 14, 1805; married May 8, 1788, Phoebe Lyon, daughter of Gilbert and Mary Lyon. (She was born Janu-

ary 10, 1771.) They lived at Rye, or Sawpits, New York, and had seven children:—

838. Mary Seaman, born March, 1789; married 1811, Captain Thomas Wright.

839. James Seaman, born June 21, 1791.

840. Rebecca Seaman, born 1793; married Captain Jarvis Martin, son of Isaac Martin.

841. Henry Seaman, born April 5, 1796.

842. Phoebe Seaman, born January 14, 1798.

843. Jane Seaman, born February 4, 1801.

844. Isaac Seaman, born April 18, 1803.

**440.** HENRY O. SEAMAN (Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born January 22, 1769; died October 2, 1826; married January 21, 1789, Almy Jackson, daughter of Richard and Rosetta Jackson. (She was born June 20, 1773; died January 2, 1832.)

Henry O. Seaman was Member of the Assembly of 26th, 28th, 29th, 31st Sessions, from 1803 to 1808; Justice of the Peace. They had eleven children:—

845. Jordan Seaman, born January 30, 1790; married at Hempstead, L. I., March 12, 1808, Elizabeth Mills.

846. Jane C. Seaman, born October 22, 1792; died August 27, 1793; unmarried.

+847. Alanson Seaman, born September 23, 1793; married July 15, 1818, Elizabeth Underhill.

848. Rozetta Seaman, born January 5, 1796; died September 6, 1824; married Coc S. Downing, son of James and Elizabeth (Birdsall) Downing.

+849. Henry Seaman, born January 11, 1798; died September 30, 1820.

850. Jacob Seaman, born December 30, 1799; died October 21, 1839; married Mary Almy.

851. Jane C. Seaman, born August 28, 1804.

+852. Richard J. Seaman, born October 12, 1806; died August 12, 1857; married April 9, 1828, Ann Duryea.

+853. Thomas J. Seaman, born September 5, 1808; died July 14, 1856; married March 6, 1827, Phoebe Ann Robbins, daughter of John and Sarah (Carhart) Robbins.

854. Alexander Warren Seaman, born January 21, 1811; died May 19, 1846.

855. Mary Almy Seaman, born January 7, 1817; died May 28, 1838; married September 12, 1836, William Valentine.

**441.** ZEBULUN SEAMAN (Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born January 31, 1771; died September 7, 1838; married December 14, 1794, Mary Seaman (345), daughter of Thomas and Martha (Rowland) Seaman. They had four children:—

+856. Ardon Seaman, born September 5, 1795; married March 26, 1817, Elizabeth Merritt, daughter of Jesse Merritt. (Born October 20, 1793; died March 2, 1875.)

857. Mary Lydia Seaman, born May 11, 1799; married June 4, 1818, Isaac Wigham.

+858. John G. Seaman, born November 20, 1802; married October 31, 1835, Ann R. Wall.

859. Charlotte Seaman, born October 31, 1805; died February 20, 1891.

**442.** ANDRIES SEAMAN (Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born July 23, 1780/1; died September 8, 1825; married December, 1804, Sarah Underhill, daughter of Israel Underhill. (She was born January 7, 1780; died August 12, 1864.) They had two daughters:—

860. Mary Seaman, born November, 1806; married Townsend Bailey.

861. Lydia Seaman, born March 8, 1812; married March 3, 1831, Jonathan G. Fleet.

## Sixth Generation

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**446.** PHINEAS SEAMAN (John,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Hannah Nichols, and had three children:—

+862. John Seaman, married Hannah Fleet.

+863. Jesse Nichols Seaman, born December 12, 1817; died January 11, 1898; married April 3, 1844, Judith Ann Josceline, daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Derby) Josceline. (She was born November 17, 1824; died January 31, 1879.)

+864. Phineas Seaman, born June 20, 1822; died May 14, 1883; married December 21, 1840, Phoebe Elida Baldwin, daughter of John Baldwin. (She was born September 28, 1818; died July 2, 1887.)

**453.** MAURICE SEAMAN (David,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Elizabeth Cranmer, and had eight children:—

+865. David Seaman, born 1801; married 1826, Mary Pool.

866. Jerusha Seaman, born 1803.

867. Ann Eliza Seaman, born 1805; married Hugh McGrattan.

868. Maurice Seaman, born 1807; married Maria Stevens.

869. Dr. Joshua Seaman, born 1810; married Melinda Hornbuckle.

870. Mary Seaman, born 1812.

871. Aaron Seaman, born 1814.

872. Hannah Seaman, born 1816; married ——— Snellbacker.

**456.** JOSHUA SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Lived at Little Egg Harbor, N. J.; born November 13, 1769; married Mary Ellsworth, daughter of William and ——— (Stratton) Ellsworth. They had six children:—

- 873. Elizabeth Seaman, married Job Cox.
- 874. Phoebe Seaman, married Asa Pharo.
- 875. Mary Seaman, married Thomas Lamson.
- 876. Achsah Seaman, married William Lamson.
- 877. Joshua Seaman, married Mary Sprague.
- 878. Catherine Amelia Seaman, married Jonathan Sprague.

**461.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Lived at Little Egg Harbor, N. J., born January 13, 1784; married three times; married, first, Rebecca Jones, and had two children:—

- 879. Phoebe Seaman, married Dennis Kelly, Sr.
- 880. Hazelton Seaman, married Sarah Pharo.

Benjamin Seaman, married, second, Hannah Alexander and had three children:—

- 881. Lydia Seaman, married Joseph Cox.
- 882. Timothy Seaman, married Amy Elizabeth Goolan.
- 883. Charles Seaman, married Julia Parker.

Benjamin Seaman, married, third, Hannah (Gifford) Cummings, and had eight children:—

- 884. Sarah Seaman, married William Kelly.
- 885. Mary Seaman, married Michael Medoro.
- 886. Maria Seaman, married John Tilly.
- 887. Susan Seaman, married James Ford.
- 888. William Seaman.
- 889. Benjamin Seaman, married Judith Ketcham.
- 890. Jane Seaman, married Alfred Van Cott.
- 891. Jeremiah Seaman.

**463.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born May 13, 1789; married Miriam Pharo, daughter of James and Ruth (Cranmer) Pharo. They lived at Little Egg Harbor, N. J., and had nine children:—

- 892. Benjamin Seaman, married Ann Eliza Pharo.
- 893. Elizabeth Seaman, married Timothy Cox.
- 894. Maria Seaman, married Isaac Stiles.
- 895. Samuel Seaman, married, first, Temperance Lewis; married, second, Elizabeth Nugent.
- 896. James Seaman.
- 897. Ruth Seaman, married Jesse Rutter.
- 898. Phebe Seaman, married John Hansel.
- 899. Amelia Seaman, married Captain Edward Soper.
- 900. Emily Seaman, married Hanson Jones.

**465.** JOSEPH SEAMAN (Joseph,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Lived at Little Egg Harbor, N. J.; married, and had three children:—

- 901. Edith Seaman, married Hezekiah Cranmer, son of Josiah Cranmer.
- 902. Isaac Seaman, married twice, and had three children by first marriage; married, second, Amy Kinney and had six children.
- 903. John Seaman, married Jemima Perkins.

**466.** JONAH SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born in Berkeley County, Virginia (now West Virginia), April 16, 1770; died Clinton County, Ohio, April 4, 1836; married Catherine Sheets. (She was born Virginia, September 15, 1777; died Ohio, April 23, 1834.) They moved from Frederick County, Virginia, to Chillicothe, Ross County, Ohio, in 1808, and two years later moved to a farm near Wellington, Clinton County, Ohio. They had nine children, and all of the seven sons were over six feet tall, ranging in height from six feet to six feet six inches:—

- +904. Jonathan Seaman, born January 22, 1799; died January 13, 1868; married, first, September 17, 1822, Sarah P. Smith. (She was born September 18, 1804; died January 26, 1847); married, second, March 20, 1849, Mary Ann Miller. (She was born September 27, 1821; died September 30, 1872.)

- +905. Philip Seaman, born June 30, 1800; died 1833; married 1822, Elizabeth Whitson. (She was born September 10, 1798.)
- +906. George W. Seaman, born June 14, 1802; died October 19, 1893; married, first, Nancy Trader (she died 1830); married, second, November, 1832, Harriet K. Williams (she was born March 29, 1808; died March 8, 1892).
- +907. Lewis Sheets Seaman, born October 6, 1805; died December 18, 1822; married May 4, 1830, Lavinia Smith. (She was born September 29, 1804; died January 30, 1880.)
- 908. Susan Elizabeth Seaman, born December 8, 1809; died February 14, 1837; married James Dakin.
- 909. Mary Ann Seaman, born August 30, 1812; died in infancy.
- +910. Jonah Seaman, born March 25, 1814; died in Wisconsin.
- 911. Joseph Seaman, born April 11, 1816; died March 16, 1837; unmarried.
- 912. Morgan Miles Seaman, born November 1, 1820; died March 17, 1839.

**467.** WILLIAM SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Moved from Virginia, lived in Springfield, Ohio, and in 1808 lived in Lebanon, Warren County, Missouri. Leather manufacturer, carrying on prosperous business with Virginia. Married and had a son and daughter:—

- +913. Dr. Thomas Seaman, moved to Savannah, Tennessee.
- 914. Daughter.

**476.** WILLIAM SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Elizabeth Odell and had one son:—

- 915. Jonathan Seaman.

**477.** DANIEL SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born December 19, 1819; died November 26, 1892; married December 27, 1842, Margaret Fritts, daughter



of Thomas and Penelope Fritts. (She was born June 18, 1818; died August 10, 1903.) They had two sons:—

+916. Thomas F. Seaman, born February 7, 1844; died May 11, 1893; married December, 1871, Alice Vining. (She was born 1851.)

+917. William C. Seaman, born September 29, 1847; married January 30, 1873, Orilla Hogue, daughter of Thomas O. and Ann Hogue. (She was born August 23, 1854.)

**485. JOHN SEAMAN** (Jonah,<sup>5</sup> Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born March 13, 1818; died March 25, 1891; married May 26, 1848, Elizabeth Fritts, daughter of Thomas and Penelope Fritts. (She was born July 10, 1815; died May 29, 1896.) They had four children:—

+918. Charles Seaman, born April 29, 1849; married August 1, 1878, Angeline Cooper Mosher, daughter of Israel and Sarah (Cock) Mosher of Macedon Center, N. Y. (She was born June 13, 1841.)

919. Anna Seaman, born August 3, 1850; married December 21, 1870, Asa Pound, son of James and Rebecca Pound. (He was born November 13, 1843.) They had six children:—

Elizabeth Pound, born February 2, 1873; died June 2, 1895.

Louise R. Pound, born December 2, 1874.

James Pound, born April 6, 1876.

Florence E. Pound, born September 9, 1877.

Cora G. Pound, born March 5, 1879; married June 10, 1903, David Mains, and had daughter Dorothy Mains.

Mabel L. Pound, born June 4, 1889.

+920. Jonah L. Seaman, born September 14, 1851; married December 26, 1887, Julia Coe, daughter of Augustus and Anna Maria Coe. (She was born November 14, 1856.)

+921. Elbert Seaman, born April 6, 1856; died April 17, 1890; married November 21, 1877, Agnes W. Courter, daughter of David W. and Mary L. Courter. (She was born September 14, 1862.)

**490.** DAVID SEAMAN (David,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born February 16, 1774; married February 26, 1798, Martha Mott, daughter of John and Martha Seaman Mott. They had six children:—

922. Martha Seaman, born February 14, 1799; died 1820; married Zopher Mead.

923. Hannah Seaman, born November 15, 1801; married Colonel Thomas Mead.

924. John W. Seaman, born September 14, 1803.

925. Elizabeth H. Seaman, born October 11, 1806; died 1831; married Clarkson Crolius.

926. Lucinda Seaman, born July 12, 1808; died 1853; married John H. Poillon.

927. David Seaman, born October 12, 1814.

928. Charles H. Seaman, born February 21, 1819; married Mary A. Sackett.

**492.** DAVID SEAMAN (Micah,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Lived in Marshall County, Illinois, and had three sons:—

929. Jonathan Seaman.

930. David Seaman.

931. Daniel Seaman.

**493.** DANIEL SEAMAN (Micah,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident of Woodville, Ohio, born April 5, 1777, in New York City or Long Island; died at Woodville, Ohio, March 25, 1853; married January 1, 1797, Susannah Knight, daughter of Peter and Ann Christine Knight. (She was born in Bethlehem, Pa., December 27, 1781; died Sandusky, Ohio, May 27, 1865.) Daniel Seaman served in War of 1812 and also in the Mexican War. "Woodville, Sandusky, Ohio, on the 25th M. A. D. 1853, Daniel Seaman, Senior, age seventy-six years. Mr. Seaman was born April 5, 1777, in New York City. Ushered into being in the time which tried men's souls, Mr. Seaman early imbibed patriotic notions and Republican principals. Mr. Seaman removed to this county some twenty years since and consequently was one

of our oldest as well as one of our most respected citizens. He was a man of strictest integrity, a true Christian and for the last forty years has been a member of the Free and Accepted Masons, and has ever lived and acted as such."

They had eleven children:—

932. Sarah Seaman, born December 28, 1797; married Dennis Purcell.

933. John Seaman, born January 23, 1801; married Mary Broadhead.

934. Catherine Seaman, born May 19, 1803; died 1885; married April, 1827, John Smith, son of Jacob Smith. They had eight children:—

John Smith, died aged one year.

Seaman Smith, resident Stony Ridge, Ohio; married Mary Gorrill.

Elias Smith, resident St. Louis, Michigan; married Martha A. Woodin.

Matilda Smith, resident Woodville, Ohio; married Joseph Clapp.

Jemima Smith, resident Freemont, Ohio; married Ira B. Banks.

Susan Smith, resident New Hudson, Michigan; married Ira M. Kelsey.

Emma Bell Smith, born April 13, 1845.

Robert John Smith, born September, 1846.

935. Peter Seaman, resident Bucks County, Pa., born August 19, 1805; married Peggy Kintner.

+936. Daniel Seaman, born December 25, 1807; died at Freemont, Ohio, November 23, 1886; married August 2, 1828, Catherine Gross, daughter of Philip and Elizabeth (Kressler) Gross. (She was born June 20, 1807; died April 4, 1891.)

937. Jemima Seaman, born July 14, 1810; died 1894; married January, 1828, Samuel Price Roberts, son of James Pratt and Hannah (Bell) Roberts. Lived in Newton, N. J., and had three children:—

Susannah Roberts, born January 2, 1833; died 1908; married Whitman D. Steele and had five children.

James Roberts, born September 19, 1829; married Rhoda Cass and had three children.

Sarah Catherine Roberts, born June 1, 1835; died September 23, 1905; married October 30, 1855, Radolphus Robbins, son of Nathan Porter and Laura (Nash) Robbins. They lived in Upper Sandusky, Ohio, and had three children.

938. Susannah Seaman, born September 29, 1812; married Abram Edinger.

939. David Seaman, born March 8, 1815; died Scranton, Pa.; married Amanda Clarkuff.

+940. Judge Ira Kent Seaman, born at Bevans, Sussex County, N. J., July 29, 1817; died July 6, 1907; buried Bucyrus, Ohio; married, first, July 18, 1846, Mary Swarzman, daughter of Paul and Mary (Moore) Swarzman. (She was born in Little York, Pa., December 31, 1829; died December 23, 1884; buried at Bucyrus, Ohio.) Married, second, July, 1889, Emma Blum Hinsdale, widow of John Hinsdale, and daughter of Julius and Katherine Blum.

941. Isaac Nelson Seaman, born July 1, 1820; died in Brown County, Kansas, July 16, 1868; married September 18, 1841, Julia A. Hayes.

942. Mary Margaret Matilda Seaman, born February 28, 1824; died Clyde, Ohio, June, 1899; married February 22, 1844, Charles Clapp.

**494.** JOHN SEAMAN (Isaac,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Lived in Ohio; married and had eight children:—

943. Milton Seaman.

944. Harmon Seaman.

945. Henry Seaman.

946. Charles Seaman.

947. John Seaman.

948. David Seaman.

949. Jesse Seaman.

950. Pearl Seaman.

**502.** RICHARD I. SEAMAN (Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident of North Hempstead, L. I., born 1769; died August 15, 1846; administrator, April 28, 1806; married twice; married, first, Margaret Simonson, and had five children, of whom three are recorded:—

951. Jane Seaman, married October 14, 1809, Timothy Boerum.

+952. Zebulun W. Seaman, born February 24, 1797; died May 30, 1859; married February 26, 1817, Jane Cornell. (She was born January 21, 1794; died October 11, 1851.)

+953. Leonard A. Seaman, married Mary Ann Allen.

Richard I. Seaman, married, second, December 17, 1805, Mary Allen.

**503.** JACOB SEAMAN (Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married — Conklin and had five children:—

+954. Wright Seaman.

955. Susan Seaman.

956. Jane Seaman, married Abraham Losee.

+957. Richard Seaman, married — —.

958. Epinetus Seaman.

**504.** GEORGE SEAMAN (John W.,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married December 31, 1803, Sarah Wright and had three children:—

959. Jane Seaman, married John Gray.

960. Elisa Seaman.

961. John W. Seaman, died February 2, 1840, aged thirty-three years and eight months.

**510.** DR. ZEBULUN SEAMAN (Leonard,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born July 12, 1788; died April 9, 1842; married Amelia Clusmann, and had eight children:—

962. Mary E. Seaman, born April 19, 1819; married William B. Scott.

963. Caroline Seaman, born December 29, 1820.

- 964. Catherine L. Seaman, born November 14, 1822.
- 965. Ann Amelia Seaman, born August 25, 1825.
- 966. John A. Seaman, born July 24, 1827.
- 967. William L. Seaman.
- 968. Silas C. Seaman.
- 969. George M. Seaman.

**511.** WILLIAM SEAMAN (Leonard,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born February 24, 1791; died January 19, 1832; married March 3, 1813, Hannah Weed. They had six children:—

- 970. Mary E. Seaman, born April 29, 1816; married February 29, 1838, James Herriman.
- 971. Margaret Seaman, born February 12, 1818; married February 29, 1838, Reverend R. L. Shoomaker.
- 972. Leonard W. Seaman, born May 14, 1820; died October 31, 1841.
- 973. Martha Seaman, born September 12, 1822; married Henry McDonald.
- 974. Ann Leah Seaman, born September 21, 1824; married October 20, 1847, Gilbert Sayres of Jamaica, L. I., son of Gilbert Hunt and Eliza M. (Brown) Sayres. (He was born July 16, 1818; died February 18, 1882.) They had seven children:—

Martha Sayres, born May 8, 1849; died May 3, 1885.

William Seaman Sayres, born October 16, 1852; married, first, July 9, 1878, Rosa Hopkins, and had one child. Married, second, April 2, 1882, Anne Stevens. (She was born August 15, 1848.) They had five children.

Mary Regina Sayres, born November 2, 1853; died November 29, 1871.

Ann Eliza Sayres, born November 17, 1858.

Gilbert Barker Sayres, born September 9, 1860; married July 30, 1890, Margaret Ann Anderson. (She was born March 18, 1862.) They had one child.

Elizabeth Sayres, born July 7, 1863; married March 6, 1895, James Randall Lake.

Lydia Sayres, born April 9, 1866; died March 14, 1869.

975. Hannah Maria Seaman, born May 26, 1827; married James A. Henry of Jamaica, Long Island.

**512. DAVID SEAMAN** (Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born Jericho, L. I., June 12, 1770; died at Jericho, October 2, 1843; married November 24, 1791, at Scituate, R. I., Sarah Kirby, daughter of Willet and Hannah (Titus) Kirby. They had six children:—

+976. Robert Seaman, born Jericho, L. I., October 31, 1792; died October 31, 1870; married, first, November 30, 1814, Sarah R. Hicks, daughter of Elias and Jemima Seaman (304) Hicks. (She was born October 9, 1793; died November 19, 1835.) Married, second, Abigail Jones, daughter of Townsend and Hannah (Willis) Jones of Cedar Swamp, L. I.; married, third, April 18, 1867, Mary Ann Hicks, daughter of Jesse and Mary Merritt, and widow of Whitehead Hicks of Jerusalem, L. I.

977. Hannah Seaman, born 1794; died 1795.

+978. Dr. William Seaman, born Jericho, L. I., July 21, 1796; died New York City, April 19, 1855; married at Jericho, June 23, 1831, Caroline Hicks, daughter of Valentine and Abigail Hicks. (She was born July 11, 1808; died February 22, 1868.)

979. Phoebe Seaman, born July 26, 1798; died September 20, 1863; married May 1, 1823, James C. Haviland. They had seven children:—

Maria Haviland, born June 23, 1824; died April 17, 1837.

Henry Haviland, born June 15, 1827; died November 3, 18—; married November 3, 1852, Sarah Morris, daughter of Anthony P. and Anna (Husband) Morris of Philadelphia, Pa. They had five children.

Anna Haviland, born October 8, 1829; died May 18, 1869; married July 23, 1861, Hamilton Easter of Baltimore, Maryland, and had four children.

William S. Haviland, born September 21, 1831; died ——. Edwin Haviland, born October 6, 1833; died January 10, 1912; married September 22, 1857, Louisa Merritt, and had two children.

Sarah Seaman Haviland, born November 21, 1835; died April 27, 1890; married February 16, 1853, Edward Merritt, and had three children.

Lydia Seaman Haviland, born April 28, 1838; died November 12, 1918; married December 11, 1865, Aaron Field, and had three children.

980. Lydia Seaman, born 1802; died 1864.

981. Esther Seaman, born April 12, 1809; died August 25, 1891; married at Jericho, L. I., October 30, 1839, William Haviland, son of William and Anna (Griffen) Haviland. They had seven children:—

David Seaman Haviland, born July 13, 1841; died February 2, 1915; married September 4, 1867, Sarah Ann Carpenter. (She was born March 20, 1841.) They had six children.

Walter Haviland, born September 27, 1842; died October 10, 1896; married June 15, 1882, Elizabeth H. Jones. They had three children.

Mary E. Haviland, born November 21, 1843; died December 8, 1920.

Ella Haviland, born March 6, 1846.

Frank Haviland, born September 12, 1847; died January 3, 1920; married, first, November 27, 1878, Kate Leavens Hyde, and had six children. After her death he married, second, April 18, 1906, Elizabeth M. Seaman, daughter of Horace and Elvira M. (Foster) Seaman.

Alfred Haviland, born June 12, 1849; died May 2, 1910.

Edward Haviland, born May 20, 1851; died at Plainfield, N. J.; married June 6, 1888, Jemima Watson, and had one daughter.

**519.** ALFRED SEAMAN (Daniel,<sup>5</sup> Isaac,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 12, 1809; died October 6, 1861;



married Martha Powell. (She was born April 13, 1811; died October 6, 1861.) They had seven children:—

- 982. Thomas Seaman, born February 22, 1835.
- 983. Mary E. Seaman, born October 22, 1837; married September 29, 1858, at Hempstead, L. I., Elbert Smith.
- 984. Catherine Seaman, born May 5, 1841; married John W. Seaman.
- 985. Esther Seaman, born September 20, 1843.
- 986. Daniel Seaman, born August 7, 1847; died September 3, 1849.
- 987. Anna Seaman, born July 13, 1850.
- 988. Jemima Seaman, born January 24, 1852; died March 2, 1861.

**529. BENJAMIN RICHARD SEAMAN** (Richard,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born in Elizabeth, N. J., January 15, 1776; married 1803, Catherine Johannah Prevoost, daughter of Bishop Prevoost, the first Bishop sent from England to America. (She was born August 23, 1783.) They had five children:—

- 989. Anna Jane Seaman, born 1811; died 1882.
- +990. George C. T. Seaman, born Elizabeth, N. J., September 27, 1817; died January 8, 1903; married Caroline H. Bleecker. (She was born September 22, 1823; died July 27, 1879.)
- 991. Richard Seaman, born 1820; died 1858.
- 992. James Prevoost Seaman, born 1821; died 1849.
- 993. Catherine Maria Seaman.

**544. BILLOPP B. SEAMAN** (Henry,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born December 17, 1784; married three times; married, first, Hester Mary Kortright, daughter of Captain John and Katherine Seaman (526) Kortright. They had four children:—

- 994. Henry John Seaman, resident Queensboro, N. Y.; died April 14, 1878, intestate, leaving his property to his sisters

and only surviving heirs, Katherine S. Townsend and Hester Mary Howard.

995. Katherine Sarah Seaman, married, first, her second cousin, Henry John Seaman (552), son of William and Elizabeth (Benson) Seaman. They had four children recorded under 552. She married, second, George W. Townsend.

996. Hester Mary Seaman, resident New York County, N. Y.; died about 1897; married before 1859, Rev. Robert Thiers Howard, and had six children:—

Harriet Lee Howard, died.

Billopp Seaman Howard, married.

Edward Seaman Howard, died.

Alice Seaman Howard, married before 1897, Dr. E. Henry King.

Hester L. Howard, married Timothy Livingston.

Henry Seaman Howard, born May 14, 1853; married Cornelia Ann Ketcham, daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Keeler) Ketcham.

997. Edmund Seaman, died young.

**548.** JASPER FARMER SEAMAN (Henry J.,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born November 4, 1790; married Mary Matilda Cairns, daughter of George and — (Verplank) Cairns. They had eight children:—

998. John Jasper Seaman.

999. Frances Seaman.

1000. Anna Louisa Seaman.

1001. George Cairns Seaman.

1002. Edward Clifford Seaman.

1003. Clement Meade Seaman, married Ada Isaacs.

1004. Adele Seaman, married Beeckman H. Townsend, son of George W. and Elizabeth (Covert) Townsend, and had two daughters:—

Ada S. Townsend.

Elizabeth C. Townsend.

- +1005. Charles H. Seaman, married, first, Mary Roome Wiswell; married, second, —.

**552.** HENRY JOHN SEAMAN (William,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married his second cousin, Katherine Sarah Seaman (995), daughter of Billopp B. and Hester Mary (Kortright) Seaman. (She later married George W. Townsend.) They had four children:—

1006. Emma Seaman, married Admiral Ellecott Kennedy Benham, son of Commodore T. J. Benham. They had two children:—

Henry Seaman Benham, died in Cuba about 1911; married and had one son.

Edith Seaman Benham, married Rear-Admiral James M. Helm. (He was born December 16, 1855; died October 28, 1827.) Residents of Washington, D. C.

1007. Katherine Seaman, married Malcolm McGregor, son of Malcolm McGregor. They had four daughters:—

Katherine McGregor, married William Kilduff. They had three children.

Adelaide McGregor, died aged nineteen.

Jessie McGregor, married Edward L. Bogart.

Emma Benham McGregor, married John Hubbard, and had one daughter.

- +1008. Billopp Seaman, born on Staten Island, May 3, 1823; died October 2, 1914; married, first, Adeline S. Iucho; married, second, Mary Brick.

- +1009. William Seaman, married Juliette M. Benham, daughter of Commodore T. J. Benham.

**554.** BENSON SEAMAN (William,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Eliza Disosway. They lived on Staten Island, N. Y., and had two children:—

1010. Henry John Seaman, born July 15, 1827; married Maria Luckenbach.

1011. Ann Elizabeth Seaman, born July 13, 1831; married — Watson.

**562.** JAMES SEAMAN (Enoch,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>1</sup> James,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Elizabeth Nichols, and had one daughter:—

1012. Mary Seaman, married Stephen Jackson.

**564.** JACOB SEAMAN (Enoch,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> James,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Dorothy Haff, and had two sons:—

+1013. Enoch Seaman, born 1822; married Eliza Box.

+1014. William Seaman, born February 20, 1833; married E. Smith.

**570.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Enoch,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> James,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married January 8, 1820, at Hempstead, L. I., Jemima Seaman (517), daughter of Daniel and Mary (Dur-yea) Seaman. (She was born September 13, 1798; died December 22, 1863.) They had eight children:—

1015. Elizabeth Seaman, died young.

1016. Phoebe Seaman, married John Jackson Seaman (1236), son of Thomas and Deborah (Birdsall) Seaman. They had seven children recorded under the father (1236).

1017. Mary Ann Seaman, born 1826; married June 24, 1847, John Powell, son of Robert and Mary Powell.

1018. Martha Seaman, born February 27, 1828; died February 9, 1899; married Edward H. Seaman (1385), son of Ardon and Elizabeth (Merritt) Seaman. (He was born March 28, 1822; died February 12, 1891.)

1019. Letitia Seaman, born October 6, 1833; married October 6, 1853, William S. Hicks, son of Whitehead and Mary Ann (Merritt) Hicks. (He was born July 7, 1830; died July 21, 1905.) They had seven children:—

Elizabeth Hicks, born July 31, 1854; married October 13, 1883, John C. Merritt, son of John C. and Phebe (Albertson) Merritt. (He was born May 1, 1844.)

Mary M. Hicks, born December 19, 1856; died January 21, 1871.

Annie Hicks, born March 15, 1859; unmarried.

Sarah Hicks, born December 25, 1861; unmarried.

William M. Hicks, born April 23, 1865; died July 23, 1866.

Merritt W. Hicks, born November 30, 1868; died February 12, 1870.

Frank S. Hicks, born January 6, 1872.

1020. Charlotte Seaman, married Daniel Valentine.

1021. Almy Seaman, married William Henry Jones, son of Elbert and Mary S. Jones.

1022. Benjamin B. Seaman, married September 19, 1865, Rozena N. Lyle.

**574.** JOHN F. SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Israel,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born April 1, 1817; died January 31, 1895; married Frances Jeanette Rogers, daughter of Thomas M. and Harriet M. (Walker) Rogers. They had three daughters:—

1023. Agnes Gertrude Seaman.

1024. Henrietta V. N. Seaman.

1025. Adae Seaman, died in infancy.

**576.** J. MILTON SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Israel,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born July 18, 1821; died November 29, 1872; married Sarah L. B. Goodwin. They had five children:—

+1026. Tullius G. Seaman, married M. A. Myers.

1027. Alma Seaman.

1028. George Seaman.

1029. John Seaman.

1030. Milton Seaman.

**578.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Israel,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Cherokee, Iowa. Born Jerusalem, L. I., August 6, 1823; died Cherokee, Iowa, August 28, 1898; married March 20, 1867, Lavinia F. Williams, daughter of Tyler and Lavinia (Francis) Williams. (She was born Garrettsville, Ohio, October 20, 1843; died Cherokee, Iowa, May 14, 1903.) They had six children:—

1031. Alma Jane Seaman, born at Plattville, Wis., December 29, 1867; died Cherokee, Iowa, September 26, 1887.

1032. Israel Milton Seaman, born at Parkersburg, Iowa, June 11, 1869; died at Cherokee, Iowa, September 26, 1887.

1033. Jeanette Frances Seaman, born at Parkersburg, Iowa, August 31, 1870; died at Cherokee, Iowa, September 26, 1887.

1034. Harriet Lavinia Seaman, born at Parkersburg, Iowa, May 3, 1872.

1035. Benjamin Franklin Seaman, born at Aplington, Iowa, September 3, 1877; died at Cherokee, Iowa.

**582.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born May 22, 1773; died March 22, 1832; married March 25, 1798, Mary Ann Pine, daughter of Richard Pine. (She was born 1777; died April 16, 1835.) They had one son:—

+1040. Samuel L. Seaman, born May 4, 1801; died July 20, 1884; married, first, April 17, 1821, at Hempstead, L. I., Elizabeth Smith. (She was born July 27, 1806; died September 19, 1849.) Married, second, January 15, 1851, Mary A. Barnum.

**585.** JARVIS SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born February 12, 1782; died June 29, 1858; will dated August 8, 1838, proved March 1, 1859; married Mary Smith. (She was born January 17, 1787; died July 30, 1867.) They had three children:—

1041. Fannie Seaman, married Dr. Snedeker.

1042. Sarah Seaman, born 1818; died August 24, 1861.

1043. Benjamin Seaman, born January 21, 1816; died February 3, 1861.

**594.** ADAM SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Phoebe Post, and had five children:—

+1044. Samuel Seaman, born March 18, 1798; died September 19, 1875; married, first, Sarah Seaman; married, second, Asenath Raynor. (She was born October 20, 1795; died July 9, 1870.)

1045. Nancy Seaman.

1046. Lewis Seaman.

1047. Jotham Seaman, born March 17, 1805; died December 29, 1881.

1048. Phoebe Jane Seaman.

**595.** WILLIAM SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married, first, Abigail Bedell; married, second, Jane Smith. He had three children:—

1049. Abigail Seaman.

+1050. Lattin Seaman.

1051. William Seaman.

**596.** THOMAS SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married, first, Ann Smith; married, second, February 25, 1826, at Hempstead, L. I., Elizabeth Mott, widow. He had four children:—

1052. Elbert Seaman.

1053. Daniel Seaman.

1054. Hannah Seaman.

1055. Elizabeth Seaman.

**597.** PARMENAS SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Sarah Post, and had six children:—

1056. Eliza Seaman.

1057. Epenetus Seaman.

1058. Phebe Seaman.

1059. John Seaman.

1060. James Seaman.

1061. Elizabeth Ann Seaman.

**598.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married, first, Susan Smith; married, second, Abigail Searing. He had two sons:—

1062. Henry Seaman.

+1063. Benjamin Seaman, married Sarah Post.

**612.** HIX SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 15, 1784; died April 6, 1868; resident of Ballston Spa, N. Y.; he was twice married; married, first, 1808, Mary Ayres, daughter of Robert and Sarah Ayres. (She was born April 27, 1793; died May 14, 1815.) They had four children:—

+1064. Reuben A. Seaman, born February 26, 1809; died January 19, 1880; married January 18, 1837, Abigail Jane Youngs, daughter of Solomon and Abigail Youngs. (She was born June 26, 1796; died October 31, 1888.)

1065. Janet Seaman, born July 19, 1810; died February 5, 1905; married Samuel D. Moore.

1066. Bradford Seaman, born August 14, 1812; died December 1, 1886; married Ann —.

1067. Ranson Seaman, born April 25, 1815; died January 24, 1844; unmarried.

Hix Seaman, married, second, 1816, Polly Youngs, daughter of Solomon and Abigail Youngs. (She was born February 22, 1788; died March 18, 1881.) They had six children:—

1068. Mary Ann Seaman, born 1817; died June 15, 1914; married Taylor Betts.

1069. Samuel Seaman, born April 12, 1819; died 1896; was twice married; his second wife was Mary Jane Hubbell. (She died April 24, 1900.)

1070. Abigail Bailey Seaman, born October 15, 1821; died March 10, 1868; married January 13, 1845, William Tibbets. (He was born May, 1818.) Residents of Clyde, N. Y.

1071. Elizabeth A. Seaman, born April 21, 1824; married Lorenzo Betts.

1072. Sarah Jane Seaman, born November 2, 1826; married, first, Alvin Myers; married, second, Titus Miller.

1073. Thomas J. Y. Seaman, born August 18, 1829; married Nancy Van Buren.



**613.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; married Martha Reynolds, and had seven children:—

- 1074. Nelson Seaman.
- 1075. Sarah Seaman.
- 1076. James H. Seaman.
- 1077. Jane Seaman.
- 1078. Isaac N. Seaman.
- 1079. Henry H. Seaman, resident Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
- 1080. Mary Seaman.

**620.** ALLAN TAYLOR CARY SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>.) Resident Glens Falls, N. Y.; born January 15, 1801; died March 7, 1836; married 1825, Maria Prouty, daughter of James and Lydia (Ferris) Prouty, of Glens Falls. (She died February 7, 1836.) Allan T. C. Seaman was a leader in politics in the nineteenth century. They had three sons:—

- +1081. George Washington Seaman, born at Bolton, N. Y., November 30, 1826; died March 7, 1902; married twice; married, first, January 5, 1849, Maria Clark; married, second, at Sandy Hill, N. Y., April 22, 1863, Martha E. Amidon, daughter of Joseph B. and Emma (Morse) Amidon. (She was born at Dorset, Vermont, August 28, 1831; died May 21, 1907.)
- +1082. Dr. Marvinus Willet Seaman, born at Glens Falls, N. Y., January 11, 1830; died Denver, Colorado, September 15, 1897; married Elizabeth Shelman. (She was born February 27, 1831; died April 13, 1884.)
- 1083. Richard Prouty Seaman, died 1869; unmarried.

**622.** LEONARD L. SEAMAN (Albert,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born 1798; died May 14, 1873; married 1794, Mahala Dougherty. (She was born 1794; died December 13, 1875.) They had one daughter:—

- 1084. Seneca Seaman, born 1830; died May 8, 1831.

**626.** JAMES SEAMAN (Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Palatine Bridge, N. Y. Married, and had one son.

1085. Andrew Seaman.

**628.** RICHARD SEAMAN (Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y.; born January 15, 1794; died April 22, 1860; married, and had four children:—

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**629.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born Port Byran, Dutchess County, N. Y., February 8, 1796; twin of Joshua; died Port Byran; married Catherine Van Vleck, daughter of Hermanus Van Vleck. (She was born Glenville, N. Y.) "Catherine Van Vleck was Holland Dutch and her father and progenitors were of the original 'Dutch' of the Mohawk Valley. He served in the Revolutionary War under Washington, as did also my great-grandfather, Andrew. My father was fond of telling me that as a boy his first store boots were bought by grandfather Van Vleck out of his pension money as a Revolutionary soldier.

The Holland Dutch who settled in the Mohawk Valley and became 'Mohawk Dutch,' and in Pennsylvania and became 'Pennsylvania Dutch,' were descendants of English refugees who refused to take the Catholic oath of allegiance to the Catholic Queen Mary, and migrated hastily from the section northeast of London, at the time of the Monmouth Rebellion. They went to Utrecht, Holland, and intermarried with the Dutch." Samuel Seaman served throughout the War of 1812.

They had ten children:—

1090. Susan Seaman, unmarried.

1091. Sarah Ann Seaman, married — De Voe.

1092. Abbie Seaman, married John Hudson.

1093. Jane Seaman, died 1894.
- +1094. Richard S. Seaman, born Glenville, N. Y., March 21, 1822; died Clinton, Iowa, March 17, 1899; married May 29, 1849, Emma Carter of Oxford, England, daughter of Leonard and Susan (Dutton) Carter. (She was born Oxford, England; died Clinton, Iowa, February 21, 1897.)
1095. Eliza Seaman, died at Ranney, Wis.; married — Rightmyre, and had no children.
1096. Harriet Seaman, married John Knapp.
1097. Henry Seaman, died Linn County, Kansas.
1098. Hermanus Van Vleck Seaman, lived in Kansas City, Mo.
1099. Madison Seaman.

**632. ANDREW SEAMAN** (Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y.; born July 29, 1800; died February 24, 1854; married Nancy Watkins. (She was born March 4, 1804; died February 28, 1862.) They had ten children:—

1100. Louisa Seaman.
1101. Stephen Seaman.
1102. Laura Seaman.
1103. Albert Seaman }  
1104. Hicks Seaman } Twins.
- +1105. Timothy Seaman, born February 24, 1842; married March 7, 1866, Margaret A. Bradt. (She was born 1838; died February 13, 1904.)
1106. Fanny Seaman, resident Akin, N. Y.
1107. Eugene Seaman, resident Ballston Spa, N. Y.
1108. Freelove Seaman, died young.
1109. Acton Seaman, died young.

**635. CHANCEY SEAMAN** (Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y.; born December 11, 1807; died Linn County, Kansas, April 19,

1867; married three times; married, first, at Glenville, N. Y., March 24, 1831, Margaret Glenn. (She was born October 5, 1809; died March 20, 1837.) Chancey Seaman was a pioneer settler of Whiteside County, Illinois, and Linn County, Kansas. He was in active service with the Kansas State Militia. They had three children:—

+1110. Andrew Seaman, born Glenville, N. Y., October 17, 1832; died October 27, 1914; married at Fulton, Ill., December 24, 1859, Sophia Fletcher, daughter of William and Sarah Fletcher of Isleham, England. (She was born August 13, 1837; died December 4, 1913.)

+1111. Alexander Glenn Seaman, born January 2, 1835; died May 11, 1911; married three times; married, first, Elizabeth Klingaman; married, second, Nannie V. Parker; married, third, Martha A. Dallas.

1112. Mary Seaman, born February 24, 1837; died March 8, 1837.

Chancey Seaman married, second, August 4, 1843, Nelison Ashley. (She was born March 5, 1820; died May 28, 1857.) They had one son:—

1113. Stephen Chancey Seaman, born August 7, 1847; died September 28, 1925; married, and had one son who died at the age of eighteen years.

Chancey Seaman married, third, November 17, 1858, Lucy Johnson; they had no children.

**636. MADISON SEAMAN** (Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born June 8, 1812; died November 24, 1851; married, and had two children:—

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**637. HIRAM SEAMAN** (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Pittsfield, Mass.; born July 8, 1800; died April 22, 1852; married twice; married, first, June, 1824, Cynthia Darby, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Farran) Darby. (She was born April 10, 1800; died 1828.) They had three children:—

1116. Anne Seaman, married Gates Tupper.

1117. John Seaman, resident Stuyvesant Falls, N. Y.; unmarried; killed by machinery in mill.

1118. Loran Darby Seaman, born June 28, 1828; died December 14, 1863; married December 31, 1848, Susan Harvey. (She was born July 15, 1828; died February 9, 1903.) Hiram Seaman married, second, Polly Crego, and had six children:—

1119. Hicks Seaman.

1120. Hanna Seaman, married Buren Carpenter, and had five children:—

Charlotte Carpenter, married — Coons.

Nettie Carpenter, married — Wagner.

Elouise Carpenter married — Ford.

Bancroft Carpenter.

Hicks Seaman Carpenter.

1121. Mortimer Seaman, married, first, Mary —; married, second, Anna —.

1122. Sarah Seaman, married Gustave Hayes, and had four children:—

Carrie Hayes, married — Wagner.

Daniel Hayes.

Mortimer Hayes.

Fanny Hayes, married — Rider.

1123. Hiram Seaman, born September 28, 1834.

+1124. James Seaman, born September 28, 1834, resident Quaker Street, N. Y.; married Mary Ann Jones.

1125. Charlotte Seaman, resident Canaan, N. Y.; married George Johnson, and had one daughter:—

Charlotte Johnson.

**639.** STEPHEN SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident West Union, N. Y.; born March 19, 1802; died July 24, 1859; married at Cocksackie, N. Y., Han-

nah Goodale. (She was born January 20, 1809; died July 24, 1887.) They had six children born in Williamstown, Mass.:—

1126. Eliza Ann Seaman, born June 24, 1828; died August, 1900; married 1846, Samuel Gurner, and had five children.

1127. Benjamin B. Seaman, born May 30, 1833; died January 28, 1899; married three times; married, first, Delia Denmore; married, second, October 20, 1861, Rebecca Lentell. (She was born August 31, 1841; died November, 1880.) They had four daughters; married, third, Sarah A. Lentell.

+1128. George Seaman, born August 8, 1835; died May 25, 1906; married, first, Eliza Worthy. (She died February 29, 1880.) Married, second, October 18, 1882, Elizabeth Quereau. (She was born July 18, 1845.)

1129. Levi Seaman, resident Rochester, N. Y.; born January 23, 1841; died April 18, 1875; married Elegene White.

1130. Dr. Harrison F. Seaman, resident Alton, N. Y.; born September 6, 1842; married February 27, 1867, Augusta Espenshield. (She was born May 7, 1850.)

+1131. Watkins D. Seaman, resident Marietta, N. Y.; born July 6, 1849; married June 9, 1870, Semantha Ferbush. (She was born 1851.)

**642. LEWIS SEAMAN** (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Williamstown, Mass.; born October 17, 1807; died February, 1839; married and had two children:—

1132. Maria Seaman.

1133. Ann Eliza Seaman, died November, 1900; married 1849, Arnold Estes, son of Richard and Polly (Richards) Estes.

**644. HICKS SEAMAN** (Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Janesville, Michigan; born January 30, 1812; died January 30, 1874. Married, first, October 7, 1832, Sarah Whitman. (She was born April 27, 1812; died January 11, 1839.)

Hicks Seaman was Superintendent of Clark Mills; cotton manufacturer over twenty-five years. They had three children:—

1134. Hannah Seaman, born August 26, 1834; died May 20, 1835.

1135. James M. Seaman, born April 23, 1836; died 1874.

+1136. Warren Seaman, born December 29, 1838; died about 1890.

Hicks Seaman married, second, December 8, 1840, Sarah M. Merritt. (She was born September 22, 1820; died July 11, 1882.) They had five children, of whom three are recorded:—

1137. Sarah Jane Seaman, born September 29, 1841; died March 8, 1900.

1138. Mary Ella Seaman, born September 27, 1844; died January 23, 1874; married James Glover.

1139. Jerome B. Seaman, resident New Hartford, N. Y.; born Oswego, N. Y., 1846; died April 12, 1909. Superintendent New Hartford Cotton Manufacturing Co. and Overseer Utica Knitting Company's Mills, Number 2; Veteran Civil War. He enlisted 1862 in the 146th N. Y. Volunteers, and was made Lieutenant for valiant service. "When the soldiers were mustered out of the service Jerome B. Seaman returned to this city as acting captain of the company. He was in every engagement and battle in which his Company participated after his enlistment, but Mr. Seaman seemed to bear a charmed life. He was never injured during his years of service, and was never imprisoned by the Confederate forces." Public spirited citizen. Trustee and President of the Village, 1891-1896.

**653.** JAMES SEAMAN (Henry,<sup>2</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born July 7, 1807; died August 20, 1858; married twice; married, first, Jane Sharp, and had two children:—

1140. Mary Jane Seaman, married Benjamin Dockstader of Montgomery County, N. Y., son of Benjamin and Alice Dockstader. They had seven children.

1141. James Seaman, Jr.

James Seaman, senior, married, second, Catherine Van Alstyne, daughter of Barent and Sarah (Wemple) Van Alstyne of Ephratah, N. Y. They had four children:—

+1142. Henry Seaman, married Susan Thumb.

+1143. Chauncey Seaman, died January 12, 1908; married Rebecca —.

+1144. John Edwards Seaman, born September 7, 1832; died September 10, 1897; married July 6, 1857, Catherine Louise Thompson, daughter of Nathaniel and Catherine (McClelland) Thompson. (She was born June 16, 1838; died July 19, 1896.)

1145. Nancy Catherine Seaman, married September 11, 1867, George Measures. They had one daughter:—

Luella Measures, born August 3, 1868; married June 11, 1895, Nathan Frank Wells.

**654.** ANDREW SEAMAN (Henry,<sup>2</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born about 1760; married twice; married, first, Virtue Van Alstyne, daughter of Barent and Sarah (Wemple) Van Alstyne; married, second —, and had eight children:—

1146. Chauncey Seaman, born 1840; unmarried.

1147. Eleanor Seaman, born 1842; married Hiram Sharpe, son of Abram Sharpe.

1148. Mary M. Seaman, born 1845; unmarried.

+1149. James Seaman, born May 12, 1848; married, first, December 29, 1869, Delia Getman. (She was born April 1, 1849.) Married, second, Martha Getman. (She was born May 14, 1855.)

1150. Matilda Seaman, born 1851; married John Gorden of Oil City, Pa., later moved to Nebraska. They had three children:—

Alice Gorden.

Ida Gorden.

Nellie Gorden.

+1151. Melvin Seaman, born 1855; married Elizabeth Kline.

+1152. Frank Seaman, born 1858; married Mary —.

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**658.** SILAS SEAMAN (Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Henrietta Smith, and had five children, all of whom died young:—

- 1154. Smith Seaman.
- 1155. Charles Seaman.
- 1156. Sidney Seaman.
- 1157. Carrie Seaman.
- 1158. Lizzie Seaman.

**659.** STEPHEN SEAMAN (Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Saratoga, N. Y.; born June 27, 1827; died at Johnstown, N. Y., February 7, 1863; married June 28, 1852, Elizabeth Thompson, daughter of Nathaniel and Catherine (McClelland) Thompson of Johnstown. (She was born December 12, 1829; died August 16, 1863.) They had four children:—

- +1159. William Henry Seaman, born November 9, 1853; died January 9, 1880; married, February 29, 1876, Harriet A. Cooper.
- 1160. Margaret Seaman, born August 10, 1855.
- 1161. George Thompson Seaman, born July 24, 1857.
- 1162. Elizabeth Seaman, born August 3, 1863; died September 3, 1863.

**661.** SIDNEY SEAMAN (Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married, and had one daughter:—

- 1163. Alice Seaman, married — Cooper.

**665.** SAMUEL ALBERT SEAMAN (Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Flint, Mich.; born January 27, 1814; died February 28, 1879; married twice; married, first, March 5, 1836, Antha Lucretia Owen. (She was born November 7, 1819; died January 8, 1851.) They had four children:—

- 1164. Mary Abigail Seaman, born March 12, 1837; died November 10, 1888; married December 25, 1860, John Van Buren McBurney. (He was born October 19, 1833.)

+1165. Charles G. Seaman, born January 3, 1842; died January 11, 1908; married November 9, 1867, Maria L. Kelly. (She was born June 27, 1845.)

1166. Julia A. Seaman, born November 28, 1845; married Anson B. Moore. (He was born 1830.)

1167. Clara B. Seaman, born December 12, 1849; died January 5, 1851.

Samuel A. Seaman, married, second, April 11, 1851, Nancy Durling. (She was born August 26, 1829.) They had two children:—

+1168. Walter D. Seaman, born December 12, 1852; died September 29, 1880; married June 19, 1877, Laura Maria Allen. (She was born February 25, 1853.)

1169. Henry Stephen Seaman, born April 20, 1856.

**670. WILLIAM SEAMAN** (John,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Cornelia Y. Briggs, and had one son:—

1170. John William Seaman.

**671. EDWARD SEAMAN** (John,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married — Brown, and had two children:—

1171. Edward Seaman.

1172. Catherine Seaman.

**674. CONKLIN SEAMAN** (David,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born March 12, 1791; died February 29, 1880; married January 18, 1816, Sarah Hilliker, daughter of Stephen Hilliker. (She was born August 14, 1793; died September 10, 1849.) They lived in Brooklyn, N. Y., and had seven children:—

1173. Adelaide Seaman, born September 6, 1816; died June, 1904; married John F. Lloyd, and had two sons:—

Lefferts Lloyd.

John Frank Lloyd.

+1174. David C. Seaman, born June 23, 1819; married Emeline Smith.

1175. Maria Seaman, born October, 1821; married Augustus Seaman, and had no children.

1176. Sarah E. Seaman, born October 9, 1824; died October 12, 1904.

1177. Matilda Seaman, born April 26, 1827; died in infancy.

+1178. John Seaman, born June 23, 1829; married Ann Hedges, daughter of Joseph Hedges. (She died April, 1905.)

+1179. William R. Seaman, born August 2, 1833; died September 4, 1905; married November 23, 1851, Cornelia Noon, daughter of William and Abigail (Berrie) Noon. (She was born December 28, 1832; died December 4, 1905.)

**680. THOMAS SEAMAN** (Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born November 14, 1797; married Almenia Vail, and had one son:—

1180. William Seaman.

**688. STEPHEN SEAMAN** (Isaac,<sup>5</sup> Obadiah,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married, and had four children:—

1181. Jackson Seaman.

1182. Sarah Maria Seaman.

1183. Stephen Seaman.

1184. Smith Seaman.

**690. SILAS SEAMAN** (Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Obadiah,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married — Edwards, and had one son:—

1185. Douglas Seaman.

**697. TREDWELL SEAMAN** (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Hempstead, L. I.; born November 16, 1787; died February 28, 1867; married at Hempstead, L. I., March 26, 1807, Hannah Hewlett. (She was born October 20, 1789; died February 19, 1875.) They had six children:—

1186. Mary Ann Seaman, born June 10, 1822.

1187. Charity Seaman, born August 10, 1824.

1188. Sarah Elizabeth Seaman, born March 7, 1827; married at Hempstead, L. I., October 6, 1853, Gideon Searing.

1189. Hannah Seaman, born June 27, 1831; died September 9, 1832.

+1190. Benjamin H. Seaman, born May 26, 1835; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 20, 1863, Elizabeth Helen Townsend.

1191. Sarah Seaman.

**698.** JOHN SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married December 28, 1813, Maria Carman, daughter of Joseph Carman, and had one child:—

1192. S. Carman Seaman.

**701.** ELIJAH SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married — Chichester, and had two children:—

1193. Mary Elizabeth Seaman.

1194. Samuel Seaman.

**702.** WILLET SEAMAN (John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born April 9, 1791; married at Hempstead, L. I., April 3, 1819, Letitia Seaman (571), daughter of Enoch and Mary (Smith) Seaman. They had ten children:—

1195. Almy Seaman, married Solomon Powell, son of Robert and Mary Powell.

1196. Maria Seaman, married June 8, 1848, Arnold Fleet.

1197. Gulielma Seaman.

1198. Mary Jane Seaman.

1199. Amanda Seaman, died.

+1200. John Enoch Seaman, married — Totten.

1201. Amanda Seaman, died.

+1202. James Seaman, died March 16, 1891; married twice; married, first, at Hempstead, L. I., October 13, 1852, Susan Duryea; married, second, at Hempstead, Armenia Duryea,

both daughters of Henry W. and Margaret Duryea. (Armenia Duryea was born April, 1837; died July 14, 1896.)

1203. Adelia Seaman.

+1204. Gilbert Seaman, married Mary Jackson.

**706. DAVID SANDS SEAMAN** (John,<sup>2</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 3, 1798; died June 22, 1864; married February 19, 1829, Ann Maria Bunting, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Seaman) Bunting. (She was born December 21, 1808; died June 22, 1864.) They had eight children:—

1205. William Bunting Seaman, born November 30, 1829; died at Wantagh, L. I., July 15, 1909; unmarried.

1206. Mary Elizabeth Seaman, born March 5, 1831; married at Hempstead, L. I., August 14, 1871, William Jagger. (He was born January 24, 1824; died September 4, 1890.)

1207. Ellen Althouse Seaman, born September 22, 1832; died May 29, 1857.

1208. Maria Louisa Seaman, born March 15, 1834; died June 19, 1895; married May 10, 1860, Abraham Willets.

1209. Sarah Jane Seaman, born December 25, 1835; died April 11, 1864.

1210. Frances Forbes Seaman, born April 12, 1838; died February 19, 1893; married at Jerusalem, L. I., March 29, 1866, William Wooden Laurie, son of Patrick and Mary (Wooden) Laurie of Stamford, Conn. (He was born August 20, 1825, at Stamford, Conn.; died January 21, 1893, at Jericho, L. I.) They had three daughters:—

Mary Laurie, born January 23, 1867; died February 1, 1867.

Margaret Jagger Laurie, born November 14, 1869; married in Brooklyn, N. Y., June 7, 1893, William Henry Seaman (1791) son of Elias Hicks and Phoebe (Underhill) Seaman. They had two children recorded under 1791.

Annie Laurie, born February 20, 1871; died March 15, 1913; married at Glen Cove, L. I., November 12, 1895,

Charles Post Valentine, son of William M. and Emily (Post) Valentine. They had two children:—

Charles Francis Lowell Valentine, born January 20, 1899; died January 21, 1908.

Alan Chester Valentine, born February 23, 1901; married March 15, 1928, Lucia G. Norton. Alan C. Valentine was a graduate of Swarthmore College, Pa.; University of Pennsylvania, and Oxford University, England, where he went as a Rhodes Scholar.

1211. Charles Powell Seaman, born October 28, 1839; died February 16, 1913.

+1212. John Whitson Seaman, born February 16, 1843; died February 16, 1893; married twice; married, first, 1870, Mary Lewis; married, second, 1873, Abby Ella Lewis.

**709.** JOHN GILBERT SEAMAN (John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 9, 1813; married December 5, 1835, Jane Althouse, daughter of Jackson Althouse, and had three children:—

1213. John Jackson Seaman, born October 7, 1840.

1214. William Henry Seaman, born June 23, 1844; married Sarah Maria Post, daughter of John Post.

1215. Helen Louisa Seaman, born December 2, 1850.

**711.** JACOB W. SEAMAN (Elijah,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born November 20, 1809; died October 31, 1879; married Mary B. Seaman (718), daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Williams) Seaman. They had one son:—

1216. Samuel Seaman.

**713.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Elijah,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Charlotte English, and had three daughters:—

1217. Emma Seaman, born September 28, 1841; married December 16, 1870, Frederick R. Smart, son of William and

Elizabeth (Franklin) Smart. (He was born October 11, 1841.) They had two children:—

Frederick R. Smart, Jr., born November 13, 1872.

Charlotte E. Smart, born April 10, 1880.

**715.** THOMAS SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born July 9, 1809; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 8, 1829, Hannah Allen. (She was born October 9, 1804; died September 12, 1877.) They had five children:—

1220. Elbert W. Seaman, born January 7, 1835; died December 14, 1890.

1221. Henry F. Seaman, born February 2, 1838; died December 5, 1887; married Martha Hendrickson, daughter of Charles Hendrickson.

1222. Thomas W. Seaman, born January 1, 1840; married May 17, 1894, Mary Jackson, daughter of Stephen C. and Mary (Seaman) Jackson. (She was born 1842.)

1223. William A. Seaman, born February 19, 1844; married October 3, 1883, Florence Munn, daughter of William D. and Henrietta M. (Wilcox) Munn.

1224. Sarah Elizabeth Seaman, born December 18, 1847; died April 21, 1889; unmarried.

**716.** JAMES M. SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Newbridge, now Merrick, L. I.; born January 2, 1811; died Greenfield, Conn., March 24, 1891; married twice; married, first, March 31, 1835, Martha Seaman (1239), daughter of Samuel and Jemima (Seaman) Seaman. (She was born April 11, 1816; died April 5, 1840). They had one child:—

1225. Sarah Jane Seaman, born December 22, 1835; married Sidney Lawrence Seaman (1649), son of Lawrence Seaman. They had two children.

James M. Seaman married, second, October 16, 1844, Jemima Seaman (1237), daughter of Thomas and Deborah (Birdsell) Seaman. (She was born March 12, 1823; died January 20, 1892.) They had six children:—

1226. Martha Ann Seaman, born June 16, 1846; died December 26, 1908.

1227. Agnes Deborah Seaman, born November 19, 1848; died March 21, 1894; married November 5, 1879, William A. Towner. They had one daughter:—

Jennie P. Towner, born August 29, 1891; married September 27, 1902, John H. Davis.

1228. Thomas Braddock Seaman, twin of James M.; born July 26, 1853; died July 17, 1916; married Eliza A. Haff, daughter of Henry Haff.

+1229. James M. Seaman, twin of Thomas B.; born July 26, 1853; died February 17, 1920; married Elizabeth Gill Baker, daughter of Nelson Baker.

1230. Amelia Seaman, born January 3, 1857; died August 13, 1860.

1231. Ellen G. Seaman, born June 20, 1860; married October 20, 1886, Frederick Kropp, son of Ferdinand Kropp. They had two sons:—

Harold Seaman Kropp, born September 6, 1889; married October 4, 1916, Elizabeth A. Seaman, daughter of William A. Seaman.

Kenneth Frederick Kropp, born June 22, 1901; died January 12, 1907.

**719. THOMAS SEAMAN** (John J.,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born October 10, 1786; died November 10, 1829; married Deborah Birdsall, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Coles) Birdsall. (She was born October 10, 1784; died November 21, 1862.) They had seven children:—

1232. Mary Ann Seaman, born July 6, 1810; died October 11, 1882.

1233. Elizabeth Seaman, born October 6, 1812; died November 3, 1815.

1234. Braddock Seaman, born February 13, 1815; died September 24, 1848; married at Hempstead, L. I., March 2, 1834,



Maria Smith, daughter of James and Elizabeth (Duryea) Smith.

1235. Amelia Seaman, born February 28, 1818; died 1864.

+1236. John Jackson Seaman, born May 27, 1821; married, first, Phoebe Seaman (1016), daughter of Benjamin and Jemima Seaman (517) Seaman. (She was born May 15, 1823). Married, second, Sarah E. Dean. (She was born 1844; died March 16, 1922.)

1237. Jemima Seaman, born March 12, 1823; died January 20, 1892; married October 16, 1844, James M. Seaman (716), son of Thomas and Sarah Seaman. (He was born January 2, 1811; died March 24, 1891.) They had six children recorded under James M. Seaman (716).

1238. Elizabeth Seaman, born October 18, 1826; died December 25, 1887.

**720. SAMUEL SEAMAN** (John J.,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). His will was dated April 4, 1852; proved March 18, 1874; married Jemima Seaman (704), daughter of John and Mary (Whitson) Seaman. They had three children:—

1239. Martha Seaman, born April 11, 1816; died April 5, 1840; married March 31, 1835, James M. Seaman (716), son of Thomas and Sarah Seaman. They had one daughter recorded under James M. Seaman (716).

1240. Mary J. Seaman, married September 14, 1839, Elbert Jones, son of William D. and Almy Seaman Jones.

+1241. John Jackson Seaman, born 1823; married November 14, 1847, Esther Seaman (1265), daughter of Andries and Ann (Nostrand) Seaman. (She was born February 26, 1827; died July 31, 1895.)

**728. EZRA CHAMPION SEAMAN** (Sylvanus,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born in Chatham, N. Y., October 14, 1805; died Ann Arbor, Mich., July 1, 1880; married 1835, Marietta Virginia Doe, daughter of Walter Doe of Wilton, Saratoga County, N. Y. Ezra Seaman was educated at Saratoga and Ballston, N. Y.; admitted to the Bar in 1831. He moved to Norwalk, Ohio, in 1834, and to Detroit, Mich., in 1839. 1849 to 1853 Chief Clerk to his

friend; Elisha Whittlesey, Comptroller of the Currency at Washington, D. C. Returned to Detroit, 1853, and moved to Ann Arbor, Mich., 1854. Editor Ann Arbor Journal; Author. They had three sons, who all died young:—

1242. Walter Seaman, drowned in Detroit River.

1243. Marshall Seaman.

1244. Son.

**729.** LAWRENCE SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>5</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born February 4, 1772; died November 26, 1854; will proved December 26, 1854; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 16, 1793, Mary Ann Searing. (She was born 1773; died February 27, 1817.) They had three children:—

+1245. Jordan Seaman, born January 29, 1794; died December 15, 1822; married Martha Sammis.

+1246. Lawrence Seaman, born January 22, 1877.

1247. Sarah Seaman, born April 24, 1802; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 21, 1823, Henry Sammis.

**731.** NATHANIEL SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>5</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born October 25, 1777; died January 8, 1848; married July 5, 1801, Mary De Mott. (She was born July 12, 1786; died September 25, 1875.)

Nathaniel Seaman was Delegate to Convention in 1821 on Revision of the Constitution of the United States. They had four children:—

1248. Elizabeth Seaman, born September 6, 1802; married Stephen C. Snedeker.

+1249. Richard N. Seaman, born May 6, 1810; died July 21, 1839; married April 28, 1835, at Hempstead, L. I., Mary Pettit, daughter of Robert and Sarah Pettit. (She was born June 2, 1811; died October 31, 1870.)

+1250. John Henry Seaman, born August 10, 1814; died February 27, 1890; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 13, 1836, Mary Ann Vandewater. (She was born January 1, 1812; died November 23, 1873.)

1251. Mary Seaman, born May 31, 1831; died December 8, 1833.

**734.** JACOB SEAMAN (Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Bethpage, L. I.; born 1789; died 1844; married Letitia Van Nostrand. (She was born 1789; died 1854.) They had six children:—

1252. Susan Seaman, married Jordan Seymour, and had six children:—

Margaret Seymour.

Augusta Seymour.

Mary Seymour.

Sarah Seymour.

Belle Seymour.

Stephen Seymour.

+1253. Henry Seaman, resident of Rye, N. Y.; married Martha Post.

1254. Eliza Seaman, married — Van Nuyse, and had two sons:—

James Van Nuyse.

William Van Nuyse.

1255. Elias Seaman, died.

+1256. Noah Seaman, born February 12, 1821; died February 27, 1881; married February 15, 1842, Elizabeth Post. (She was born August 25, 1822; died August 13, 1888.)

1257. Mary B. Seaman, born 1828; died October 2, 1902; married, first, Captain Zebulun Rogers of Cold Spring Harbor, N. Y. They had one daughter:—

Ella Mosetta Rogers, born May 6, 1850; married Garrett Van Name of Mariner's Harbor, N. Y.

Mary B. Seaman married, second, Reverend William B. Harris, Baptist minister of New York City, and had four children:—

Isaac Harris, born 1855; died November 27, 1910; married Lucretia Wood.

William H. Harris, born May 1, 1857; married Frances Thomson, and had one son:—

Milton F. Harris, resident of Reading, Pa. Veteran World War.

Ida L. Harris, born 1860; married Charles H. Smith of Holmes, N. Y., and had one son:—

William Henry Harris Smith, born 1883; lawyer; Captain Air Division, World War; Mason; married Ashton Sickles.

Minnie E. Harris, born June 11, 1866; died July 15, 1888; married Andrew Winter, and had one daughter:—

Minnie Winter, born 1888.

**736.** NOAH SEAMAN (Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married twice; married, first, July 29, 1819, at Oyster Bay, L. I., Rosanna Underhill, and had five children:—

1258. Martha Seaman, married December 2, 1841, John Doughty Sammis, son of Luther C. and Lucy (Doughty) Sammis, of Huntington, L. I. (He was born April 7, 1817.)

1259. Abigail Seaman, married H. Lewis.

1260. Royal Seaman.

1261. Esther Seaman, married — Underhill.

+1262. Captain Samuel Seaman, born February 22, 1832; married August 20, 1854, Abigail A. Baldwin, daughter of Horace and Rachel (March) Baldwin. (She was born July 8, 1835.)

Noah Seaman married, second, — Titus, and had two children:—

1263. Emma Seaman, married — Conklin.

1264. Rosanna Cecelia Seaman, married —.

**739.** ANDRIES SEAMAN (Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Ann Nostrand, and had three children:—

1265. Esther Seaman, born February 26, 1827; died July 31, 1895; married November 14, 1847, John Jackson Seaman (1241), son of Samuel and Jemima (Seaman) Seaman. They had ten children recorded under John Jackson Seaman (1241).

1266. Andries Seaman.

1267. Gideon Seaman.

**740.** GIDEON SEAMAN (Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married April 12, 1826, Elizabeth Lewis, and had one daughter:—

1268. Rosanna Seaman.

**743.** JOHN SEAMAN (Ambrose,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married, and had five children:—

1269. Ambrose Seaman.

1270. George Seaman.

1271. Anna Seaman.

1272. Fanny Seaman.

1273. Ella Seaman.

**751.** OLIVER SEAMAN (Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 2, 1802; died August 3, 1873; married Hannah Dodge. (She was born April 10, 1803; died May 13, 1887.) They had nine children:—

1274. John D. Seaman.

1275. Mary E. Seaman.

1276. Henry T. Seaman.

1277. Susan J. Seaman.

1278. Charles W. Seaman.

1279. Elizabeth J. Seaman.

1280. Platt W. Seaman.

1281. Hannah Seaman.

1282. Hannah M. Seaman.

**756.** HENRY SEAMAN (Isaac,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born March 7, 1807; died August 1, 1850; married Mercy Bedell, and had nine children:—

1283. Franklin Seaman, died in infancy.

1284. Jane Seaman.

- 1285. Phinnette Seaman.
- 1286. Elizabeth Seaman.
- 1287. Phebe Seaman.
- 1288. Ann Seaman.
- 1289. Henrietta Seaman.
- 1290. Caroline Seaman.
- 1291. Augusta Seaman, died aged sixteen years.

**757. TREDWELL SEAMAN** (Isaac,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born April 23, 1810; married Sophia Steers. Lived in New York City, and had seven children:—

- 1292. Elizabeth Ann Seaman.
- 1293. George Henry Seaman, died in infancy.
- 1294. Caroline Augusta Seaman.
- +1295. Tredwell Seaman, born January 23, 1842; married February 18, 1865, Emily A. Colt, daughter of Amos H. Colt. (She was born March 28, 1844.)
- 1296. Amelia Seaman.
- 1297. Isaac Seaman, died 1879.
- 1298. George Seaman.

**758. CONKLIN SEAMAN** (Isaac,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 12, 1812; married Susan Snedecker. They lived in Brooklyn, N. Y., and had seven children:—

- 1299. Melissa Seaman.
- 1300. Agnes Seaman.
- 1301. Sophia Seaman.
- 1302. Deborah Seaman.
- 1303. Conklin Seaman.
- 1304. Lavinia Seaman.
- 1305. Selah Seaman.

**761.** GIDEON SEAMAN (David,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born 1816; married twice; married, first, and had two children:—

1306. William H. Seaman, born January 22, 1797.

1307. Ruth Seaman.

Gideon Seaman, married, second, Sarah Muncey, and had four children:—

1308. Thomas Seaman, resident Deer Park, L. I.

+1309. Frank P. Seaman, born 1852; resident Mineola, L. I.

1310. Sarah Seaman.

1311. Henry Seaman.

**769.** WILLIAM FERRIS SEAMAN (Valentine,<sup>5</sup> Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born February 13, 1797; died January 12, 1827; married October 30, 1822, at Westbury, L. I., Elizabeth Hicks, daughter of Isaac and Sarah (Doughty) Hicks. (She was born June 10, 1805; died January 2, 1865. After her first husband's death she married William T. Cock.) They had two children:—

1312. William H. Seaman, born May 7, 1824; died March 26, 1825.

1313. Sarah H. Seaman, born November 26, 1825; died February 26, 1828.

**771.** DR. VALENTINE SEAMAN (Valentine,<sup>5</sup> Willett,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident New York City; born September 30, 1802; died March 29, 1899; married 1838, Anna Amelia Ferris, daughter of Elijah and ——— (Livingston) Ferris, and had five sons and one daughter:—

1314. J. Vernon Seaman, married Christina Barry.

1315. John Ferris Seaman, married Ella Yates, daughter of Dr. Yates. John Ferris Seaman was a merchant in Shanghai, China.

1316. Linley Ferris Seaman, resident New York City; born 1848; died March, 1905; buried Woodlawn, N. Y.; unmarried.

1317. Fanny Livingston Seaman.

1318. Dr. Louis Livingston Seaman, resident of New York City; born Newburg, N. Y., October 17, 1851; married twice; married, first, February 12, 1889, Fanny Blackstone, daughter of John P. and Fanny (Freeman) Blackstone. (She was born October 31, 1861; died April 21, 1895.) Married, second, Mary Stuart Huntington, daughter of John M. Huntington of Norwich, Conn. She is reported to have been the first American woman to volunteer for service in the World War, entering at the beginning of the conflict, and doing field hospital work under the personal direction of the Queen of the Belgians.

Louis Livingston Seaman graduated with the following degrees: A.B., Cornell College, 1872; M.D., Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa., with gold medal, 1876; New York University, 1877; LL.B., New York University, 1884; LL.D., Lincoln University; Surgeon; Major-General; U. S. Trustee, Sulgrave Institute, England; Trustee, Cornell University; Major-Surgeon, 1st Regular U. S. Volunteers, Engineers, Spanish-American War; 17th U. S. Infantry, Philippines, 1899-1900; in Boxer Campaign in China, 1900; with 2nd Japanese Army at front in Manchuria, 1904-5; was first American Volunteer Officer in World War, leaving New York, August 7, 1914, for Belgian front. Decorated by Belgium, Japan, France, Roumania, China and many countries.

1319. William Kelly Seaman.

**774. JAMES VALENTINE SEAMAN** (Valentine,<sup>5</sup> Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Married Martha B. Wright, daughter of Augustus Wright, and had six children:—

1320. Sarah W. Seaman, married Edgar Lasak.

1321. Margaret L. Seaman, married Stephen Paddock.

1322. Marianna W. Seaman, married Jordon L. Mott.

1323. Wright Seaman.

1324. Catherine Seaman, married Francis Randall.

+1325. James V. Seaman, married Ellen Robartson.

**775. WILLET SEAMAN** (Valentine,<sup>5</sup> Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born June 9, 1808; married Susan W. Hendricks, and had eight children:—



- 1326. William F. Seaman.
- 1327. Eliza Ann Seaman, married Francis McFarlan.
- 1328. Louise Seaman.
- 1329. Gulielma Seaman.
- 1330. Henry Seaman.
- 1331. William Seaman.
- 1332. Willet Seaman.
- 1333. Frederick Seaman.

**781. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS SEAMAN** (Willet,<sup>5</sup> Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born New York City, April 7, 1811; died Madison, N. J., November 30, 1888; married, first, Jane Bowles. (She was born in Dublin, Ireland, April 22, 1847; died New York City, November 14, 1866.) They had four children:—

1334. Louise Augusta Seaman, born New York City, January 16, 1848; died New York City, March 24, 1873; married — Southack, and had three children:—

Ella Southack.

Florence Southack.

Louise V. Southack.

1335. Emeline Loveland Seaman, born January 11, 1860; died January, 1924; married — Berry.

1336. Mary Jenkins Seaman, born Madison, N. J., June 24, 1858; married Arthur Berry. (He was born March 22, 1854; died August 17, 1918.)

+1337. Frederick Augustus Seaman, born New York City, December 5, 1862; died Garden City, L. I., January 9, 1928; married October 21, 1811, Juliet N. Morrow.

**787. JACOB SEAMAN** (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born Cornwall, N. Y., August 14, 1803; died Woodbury Falls, N. Y., April 25, 1888; married October 4, 1826, Hannah Townsend Cock, daughter of Jacob and Hannah (Townsend) Cock. (She was born August 20, 1804; died May 17, 1889.) They had eight children:—

1338. Sarah Brown Seaman, born September 8, 1827; died September 21, 1902.

1339. Thomas Seaman, died.

+1340. Edmund Seaman, born February 26, 1832; died July 4, 1888; married October 19, 1865, Mary Seaman Willits, daughter of Edward Seaman and Esther (Whitson) Willits. (She was born February 20, 1832; died January 10, 1928.)

1341. Thomas Seaman, born August 17, 1835; died February 11, 1886.

1342. Jacob T. Seaman, born November 26, 1838; died August 31, 1864.

1343. Elizabeth K. Seaman, born September 24, 1841; resident Woodbury Falls, N. Y.; unmarried.

+1344. James Seaman, born June 30, 1844; married January 14, 1874, Elizabeth Ford, daughter of Charles and Matilda (Weyant) Ford. (She was born November 10, 1848.)

1345. Hannah T. Seaman, born January 21, 1848.

**791. WILLET SEAMAN** (Silas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Blooming Grove, Orange County, N. Y.; born May 14, 1810; died November 5, 1840; married March 6, 1834, Mary Bowman Abbott, daughter of William and Ann (Bowman) Abbott of Blooming Grove. (She was born March 6, 1812; died April 1, 1883.) They had four children:—

+1346. William Abbott Seaman, born December 13, 1834; married March 4, 1881, Emily Pratt Roe, daughter of Albert and Maria (Galloway) Roe of Monroe, Orange County, N. Y.

+1347. Silas Seaman, born July 3, 1838; married November 14, 1872; Jennie R. Hollett, daughter of Ames and Sarah A. (Kniffen) Hollett.

1348. Joseph Bowman Seaman, born August 29, 1836; died December 13, 1880; unmarried.

**793. WILLIAM SEAMAN** (Silas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Resident Monroe, N. Y.; born May 2, 1817; died December 20, 1875; married November 2, 1841, Hannah Pearsall, daughter of Rowland and Mary (Bowman) Pearsall.

(She was born January 29, 1819; died January 3, 1882.) They had four children:—

1349. William Henry Seaman, born August 27, 1842; died April, 1843.

1350. Mary Ann Seaman, born August 11, 1844; married April 12, 1898, Alfred Hosier. (He was born November 5, 1831.) Residents Circleville, N. Y.

1351. Sarah B. Seaman, born May 9, 1847; died February 7, 1900; married October 27, 1868, Warren M. Smith. (He was born October 27, 1846.)

+1352. Edward H. Seaman, born August 7, 1849; married October 22, 1872, Elizabeth Roe, daughter of John K. and Elizabeth (Miller) Roe. (She was born May 31, 1852; died July 2, 1899.) Residents Monroe, N. Y.

**794.** VALENTINE SEAMAN (Silas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born March 20, 1820; died December 30, 1890; married three times; married, first, November 1, 1842, Sarah Pearsall, and had no children. (She was born November 8, 1821; died May 11, 1847.) Married, second, Margaret Sands, daughter of Obadiah and Susan Sands. (She was born October 27, 1824; died March 21, 1862.) They had two children:—

+1353. William Valentine Seaman, born October 20, 1858; married, first, October 28, 1878, Mary Leonard. (She was born November 30, 1860; died February 14, 1879.) Married, second, October 28, 1884, Margaret B. Horton. (She was born December 10, 1862; died September 25, 1927.)

1354. Susan F. Seaman, married 1868, H. C. LaDue, and had three children:—

Margaret LaDue, married Elmer E. Green.

Robert Jackson LaDue.

Henry Valentine LaDue.

Valentine Seaman, married, third, 1865, Hannah Seaman (809), daughter of Samuel T. and Anna (Pearsall) Seaman. (She was born November 13, 1834; died November 7, 1894.) They had two daughters:—

1355. Anna Seaman, born October 28, 1868; married October 24, 1888, Ira Alden Hawkins; residents Warwick, N. Y. They had four sons:—

Valentine Seaman Hawkins, born December 1, 1889; died December 7, 1893.

Charles Francis Hawkins, born March 9, 1892; died December 27, 1918. Graduate Williams College, 1912 (Cum Laude—Valedictorian), M.A., Harvard College, 1914; Rhodes Scholar from Massachusetts, 1914-1917; President American Club, Oxford, England; selected as Rhodes Scholar to serve on Belgium Relief with Herbert Hoover in Belgium, 1917; Professor Chemistry at Williams College, 1917; Lieutenant Chemistry Warfare Service at Washington, D. C., in World War, 1918.

Ira Alden Hawkins, Jr., born December 30, 1894; married August 22, 1922, Genevieve Monroe Hartman of South Haven, Mich. Graduate Williams College, 1914; Columbia Law School, 1924; Lieutenant Field Artillery, World War, 1917-1918. They had one son:—

Charles Francis Hawkins, born May 27, 1927.

Harold James Hawkins, born November 20, 1896; married June 21, 1919, Deborah Van Duzer. They had two sons:—

Harold James Hawkins, Jr., born July 10, 1921; died December 18, 1924.

George Van Duzer Hawkins, born May 3, 1926.

1356. Sarah Seaman, born September 10, 1871; died November 21, 1876.

**796. HENRY SEAMAN** (John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John)<sup>1</sup>. Born Cornwall, N. Y., March 21, 1820; died January 27, 1896; married June 11, 1846, Caroline Clock Thurbor. and had two children:—

1357. Robena Avis Seaman, born April 2, 1847; married November 24, 1889, Richard W. Naylor.

1358. Adria Allen Seaman, born January 25, 1849; married 1884, James Samuel Donaldson, and had two sons:—

Paul B. N. Donaldson, born October 11, 1885.

Henry Seaman Donaldson, born January 6, 1890.

**798.** WAIT PEARSALL SEAMAN (John,<sup>2</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born Monroe, N. Y., March 5, 1824; died October 5, 1892; married Ann Eliza Romer, and had two children:—

1359. Wait Alonzo Seaman.

1360. Josephine Seaman.

**826.** SAMUEL A. SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>2</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born February 25, 1792; married three times; married, first, Sarah Searing, and had eight children:—

+1361. Samuel Augustus Seaman, born August 8, 1818; died October, 1896; married Anne Alicia Byrne.

1362. Elizabeth C. Seaman, unmarried.

1363. Sarah Jane Seaman, unmarried.

+1364. Dr. Richard Searing Seaman, born in New York City, October 24, 1825; died in Brooklyn, N. Y., February 17, 1901; married May 3, 1853, Mary McGivney, daughter of Dr. Peter and Alicia (Nugent, Byrne) McGivney. (She was born in Brooklyn; died Glen Cove, L. I., April 4, 1888.) Both were buried at Searingtown, L. I.

1365. James Asbury Seaman, died —.

1366. Caroline Amelia Seaman, died.

1367. James Alfred Seaman, married Frances C. Barclay.

1368. Mary Seaman, married Charles H. Parker.

Samuel A. Seaman, married, second, Phoebe Williams. (She died August 14, 1838, aged thirty-eight years. They had no children.

Samuel A. Seaman, married, third, Phoebe Ann Pratt, and had two children:—

1369. Charles Edward Seaman, died, unmarried.

1370. William Luther Seaman, died, unmarried.

**847.** ALANSON SEAMAN (Henry O.,<sup>5</sup> Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 23, 1793; married July 15, 1818, Elizabeth Underhill, daughter of Israel Underhill. They had two children:—

1371. Caroline Elizabeth Seaman, born January 27, 1827; died November 23, 1827.

1372. Mary Louisa Seaman, born September 18, 1829; married September 18, 1850, Timothy Carle.

**849.** HENRY SEAMAN (Henry O.,<sup>5</sup> Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born January 11, 1798; died September 30, 1820; married, and had one daughter:—

1373. Alney D. Seaman, born September 12, 1837; married Elbert Duryea.

**852.** RICHARD J. SEAMAN (Henry O.,<sup>5</sup> Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born October 12, 1806; died August 12, 1857; married April 9, 1828, at Hempstead, L. I., Ann Duryea, and had six children:—

1374. Caroline Elizabeth Seaman, born February 20, 1829; married Dr. Conklin.

1375. Jane Seaman, married — Van Nostrand.

1376. Thomas Seaman.

1377. Alanson Seaman.

1378. Emily Seaman.

1379. Warren Seaman.

**853.** THOMAS J. SEAMAN (Henry O.,<sup>5</sup> Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 5, 1808; died July 14, 1856; married March 6, 1827, Phoebe Ann Robbins, daughter of John and Sarah (Carhart) Robbins. They had three children:—

1380. Emma R. Seaman, born March 6, 1827; died March 11, 1845.

1381. Henry O. Seaman, born June 18, 1845.

1382. Thomas Edwards Seaman, born August 18, 1847.

856. ARDON SEAMAN (Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born September 5, 1795; died February 4, 1875; married March 26, 1817, Elizabeth Merritt, daughter of Jesse and Mary (Cornelius) Merritt. (She was born October 20, 1793; died March 2, 1875.) They had four children:—

1383. Ann Merritt Seaman, born February 19, 1818; died May 26, 1864; married Adam Emeigh, son of Philip and Margaret (Crouse) Emeigh. (He was born August 24, 1806; died October, 1883.) They had four children:

T. Seaman Emeigh, died in infancy.

Elizabeth Seaman Emeigh, born March 29, 1844; married Luther Lee. (He was born February 29, 1836.) They had three children.

Margaret Crouse Emeigh, born May 10, 1850; married October 25, 1869, George W. Lee. (He was born September 12, 1839.) They had three children.

Adam Emeigh, Jr., born January 2, 1857; married April 29, 1879, Kate Creed, and had four sons.

1384. Mary Powell Seaman, born February 27, 1820; died August 19, 1906; married October 17, 1839, Alexander C. Bunker. (He was born November 9, 1816; died April 27, 1906.) They had two sons:—

Dr. Edward Seaman Bunker, born August 16, 1840; died June 7, 1897; married December 25, 1860, Alice Loines, daughter of John and Mary (Bunker) Loines, and had four children. He was graduate of the Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, prominent physician and surgeon.

Robert Alexander Bunker, born April 10, 1844; died April 24, 1859.

+1385. Edward H. Seaman, born March 28, 1822; died February 12, 1891; married January 18, 1848, Martha Seaman (1018), daughter of Benjamin and Jemima Seaman. (She was born February 27, 1829; died February 9, 1899.)

1386. Caroline Elizabeth Seaman, born February 20, 1829; died May 13, 1903; married October 19, 1852, William Garner, son of John and Sarah (Birdsall) Garner. (He was born

October 7, 1821; died October 26, 1873.) They had six children:—

George Garner, born September 12, 1853; married, first, June 1, 1882, Mary C. Golder, and had two children.

Married, second, December 4, 1895, Annie S. Walters, daughter of Stephen and Margaret (Berry) Walters.

Elizabeth Garner, born August 4, 1857; died in infancy.

Charlotte Garner, born June 24, 1859.

Annie E. Garner, born July 25, 1862.

John A. Garner, born October 18, 1865; died August 6, 1866.

William Garner, born August 27, 1868; married May 29, 1895, Eliza Smith, and had one daughter.

**858.** JOHN G. SEAMAN (Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). Born November 20, 1802; married November 10, 1835, Ann R. Wall, and had one son:—

1387. William Henry Seaman, born November 1, 1836; married Marianna Clark.



## Seventh Generation

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**862.** JOHN SEAMAN (Phineas,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Hannah Fleet, and had six children:—

- 1387. Sarah Jane Seaman, married — Baylis.
- 1388. Mary Eliza Seaman, married — Gardiner.
- 1389. John Seaman.
- 1390. Henrietta Seaman.
- 1391. Ann Augusta Seaman.
- 1392. Washington Seaman.

**863.** JESSE NICHOLS SEAMAN (Phineas,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born December 12, 1817; died January 11, 1898; married, April 3, 1844, Judith Ann Josceline, daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Derby) Josceline. (She was born March 17, 1824; died January 31, 1879.) They had five children:—

+1393. Edward Francis Seaman, born April 23, 1846; died October 5, 1904; married December 23, 1878, Sarah Jane Bogart, daughter of Peter and Lavinia (Stillwell) Bogart. (She was born August 5, 1855.)

1394. Sarah Emma Seaman, born August 25, 1848; married January 29, 1867, Alonzo Willets, son of Eliphalet Willets. (She was born May 6, 1837.)

1395. Henrietta Seaman, born August 25, 1858; died November 17, 1896; married, first, February 24, 1869, Charles Weeks. (He was born February 28, 1843; died November 21, 1877.) Married, second, August 7, 1878, Charles C. Denton. (He was born 1836; died 1907.)

1396. Helen Louise Seaman, born March 28, 1854; married June 19, 1878, John Bundrick, son of Louis and Elizabeth Bundrick. (He was born February 14, 1854; died May 27, 1905.)

1397. Charles Nichols Seaman, born May 29, 1859; married June 29, 1889, Lois Albin Seaman, daughter of John E. and Phebe (Ketcham) Seaman.

**864. PHINEAS SEAMAN** (Phineas,<sup>o</sup> John,<sup>s</sup> Joseph,<sup>t</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born June 20, 1822; died May 14, 1883; married December 21, 1840, Phebe Elida Baldwin, daughter of John Baldwin. (She was born September 28, 1818; died July 2, 1887.) They had six children:—

- 1398. Phebe Ann Seaman, married — Weeks.
- 1399. Hannah Seaman, married — Perry.
- 1400. Platt R. Seaman, married Sarah —.
- +1401. Jesse Nichols Seaman, born August 15, 1847; died December 27, 1880; married November 27, 1873, Julia Ann Bedell, daughter of Stephen and Phoebe (Powell) Bedell.
- 1402. George Seaman, married Mary —.
- 1403. Mary Seaman.

**865. DAVID SEAMAN** (Maurice,<sup>o</sup> David,<sup>s</sup> Joseph,<sup>t</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1801; married 1826, Mary Poole, and had eight children:—

- 1404. Rhoda Ann Seaman, born 1827.
- 1405. Phebe Elizabeth Seaman, born 1828.
- 1406. Joseph Hiram Seaman, born 1830.
- 1407. Mary Seaman, born 1832.
- 1408. Eliza Seaman, born 1834.
- 1409. Harriet Seaman, born 1836.
- 1410. Sarah Naomi Seaman, born 1838.
- 1411. Benjamin Maurice Seaman, born 1842.

**904. JONATHAN SEAMAN** (Jonah,<sup>o</sup> Jonathan,<sup>s</sup> Jonah,<sup>t</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Virginia, January 22, 1799; died Greenville, Bond County, Illinois, January 13, 1868; he was six feet, six inches tall. Married twice; married first at Xenia, Ohio, September 17, 1822, Sarah P. Smith. (She was born

September 18, 1804; died at Bellefontaine, Ohio, January 26, 1847.) They had nine children:—

- 1412. Francis Seaman, born September 6, 1823.
- +1413. George W. Seaman, born Xenia, Ohio, November 30, 1825; died November 17, 1897; married May 29, 1851, Sarah J. Gordon, daughter of Joseph and Letitia (Robinson) Gordon. (She was born December 26, 1829.)
- 1414. Lewis S. Seaman, born April 21, 1828; died October, 1903.
- 1415. Sarah Eliza Seaman, born November 29, 1830.
- 1416. James Francis Seaman, born February 26, 1834; died February 26, 1853.
- 1417. Albert Seaman, born October 22, 1836; died April 20, 1906.
- 1418. Frances May Seaman, born May 11, 1840; died 1842.
- 1419. Mary Louise Seaman, born June 17, 1842; died October 20, 1870.
- +1420. Joseph Oliver Seaman, born June 24, 1844; married September 29, 1868, Sarah F. Durban, daughter of James and Sarah (Huber) Durban. (She was born May 29, 1850.) Residents Shelbyville, Ill.

Jonathan Seaman married, second, at Springfield, Ohio, March 20, 1849, Mary Ann Miller, daughter of Thomas and Jane (Hunter) Miller. (She was born September 27, 1821; died September 30, 1872, at Greenville, Ill.) They had five children:—

- 1421. Frances A. Seaman, born March 10, 1850; died December 9, 1883; married September 17, 1873, Lewis Hubbard. (He was born January, 1844.)
- +1422. Jonathan Seaman, born October 5, 1851; died September 14, 1917; married, first, December 15, 1874, Mary E. Owen, daughter of John and Mary (Colt) Owen. (She was born December 30, 1850.) Married, second, February 15, 1883, Jennie Hull, daughter of John and Lucina Hull. (She was born August 9, 1854.)

1423. Katherine Seaman born November 16, 1854; married January 14, 1875, Henry Armstrong. (He was born September 17, 1848.) Residents Willington, Kansas.

1424. Anna Jane Seaman, born May 26, 1857; married December 21, 1876, William M. Creighton. (He was born March 27, 1845.) Residents Kerney, Kansas.

1425. Elvira Seaman, born May 24, 1860; married November 28, 1883, Gideon E. Finley. (He was born April 12, 1857.) Residents Cottonwood Falls, Kansas.

**905.** PHILIP SEAMAN (Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Virginia, June 30, 1800; died 1833; married 1822, Elizabeth Whitson, daughter of John and Margaret (Moore) Whitson. (She was born September 10, 1798; died 1873.) Residents Clinton County, Ohio. They had three children:—

+1426. George W. Seaman, born August 12, 1823; married, first, September 11, 1848, Esther I. Garwood. (She died January 20, 1859.) Married, second, February 3, 1861, Ann A. Jones.

+1427. Edwin Seaman, born September 10, 1824; died October 29, 1893; married 1864, Cynthia Crutchfield.

+1428. Francis Seaman, born December 15, 1827; died August 23, 1893; married, 1849, Harriet Gribble. (She died December 21, 1895.)

**906.** GEORGE WASHINGTON SEAMAN (Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Virginia, June 14, 1802; died October 19, 1873; married twice; married, first, Nancy Trader. (She died 1830.) They had two children:—

1429. James Seaman, born 1826; married Cornelia Smith.

1430. Elizabeth Seaman, born February, 1828; married Abram R. Ludlow. Residents Springfield, Ohio.

George W. Seaman married, second, November, 1832, Harriet K. Williams, daughter of John and Jane (Wall) Williams. (She was born May 29, 1808; died May 8, 1892.) Residents Bellefontaine, Ohio. They had six children:—

+1431. William H. Seaman, born 1835; married April 27, 1857, Hannah Millner, daughter of James R. and Hannah (Tobin) Millner. (She was born 1841.)

1432. George Seaman, died 1864.

1433. Orpha A. Seaman, born May 22, 1842; married Dr. Youtsey.

1434. Nancy Ann Seaman, born March 15, 1847; married January 19, 1870, George W. Krouskoff. Residents Phoenix, Arizona.

+1435. John W. Seaman, born September 11, 1845; died January 9, 1907; married November 25, 1878, Allie S. Shal-linberger, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Boyd) Shallen-berger. (She was born June 10, 1852.) Residents Loveland, Colorado.

1436. Harriet K. Seaman, born June 15, 1851; married John B. Harbough.

**907. LEWIS SHEETS SEAMAN** (Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Virginia, October 6, 1805; died December 18, 1822; married May 4, 1830, Lavinia Smith, daughter of William and Prudence Smith. (She was born September 29, 1804; died January 30, 1880.) Residents Xenia, Ohio. They had six children:—

1437. Ann Eliza Seaman, born in Xenia, Ohio, September 2, 1832; married, first, October 15, 1857, Henry Enoch. (He died July 25, 1858.) Married, second, June 20, 1883, Nathaniel C. Hunter. (He was born November 1, 1825; died February 18, 1908.)

1438. Josiah Seaman, born March 16, 1834; died 1838.

+1439. Lewis William Seaman, born October 16, 1836; died February 7, 1881; married October, 1873, Frances Beebe, daughter of Josiah and Laura Beebe. (She was born September 9, 1841.)

+1440. Elisha Seaman, born September 11, 1838; married June 22, 1874, Eunice Votaw, daughter of James and Judith (Johnson) Votaw. (She was born September 23, 1844; died February 5, 1881.) Residents Maineville, Ohio.

1441. Maria Louisa Seaman, born August 1, 1840; died April 19, 1898; married September, 1880, James D. Stanton.

1442. Martha Seaman, born July 3, 1842; died April 18, 1894; married January 1, 1868, William H. Winder. (He was born January 24, 1837.)

**910.** JONAH SEAMAN (Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Ohio, March 25, 1814; died in Wisconsin; married, and had a son:—

+1443. Edward Seaman, lived and died in Wisconsin.

**913.** DR. THOMAS SEAMAN (William,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born in Ohio; moved to Savannah, Tennessee; married, and had several children, of whom three sons were doctors and Colonels in the Army of the Rebellion in the Civil War:—

1444. Dr. — Seaman.

1445. Dr. — Seaman.

1446. Dr. — Seaman.

**916.** THOMAS F. SEAMAN (Daniel,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 7, 1844; died May 11, 1893; married December, 1871, Alice Vining. (She was born 1851.) They had five children:—

1447. Elizabeth Seaman, born August 31, 1874; died 1893.

1448. Mary Seaman, born March, 1878; died April, 1895.

1449. Mercy Ann Seaman, born April 5, 1882; died October 18, 1899.

1450. Daniel Seaman, born 1884.

1451. Alice Seaman, born 1891.

**917.** WILLIAM C. SEAMAN (Daniel,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born September 29, 1847; married January 30, 1873, Orilla Hogue, daughter of Thomas O. and Ann Hogue. (She was born August 23, 1854.) They had two daughters:—

1452. Nellie Seaman, born April 10, 1874; married April 13, 1891, Frederick S. Dean, son of Edwin C. and Melissa Dean. (He was born November 11, 1869.) They had three children:—

Ada Bell Dean, born August 1, 1894.

Dorothy Meek Dean, born April 17, 1898.

Franklin Dean, born January 1, 1903.

1453. Margaret Seaman, born January 30, 1880; married March 25, 1903, Walter S. Nichols, son of Horace N. and Mary F. Nichols. (He was born May 13, 1882.)

**918.** CHARLES SEAMAN (John,<sup>6</sup> Jonah,<sup>5</sup> Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born April 29, 1849; married August 1, 1878, Angeline Cooper Mosher, daughter of Israel and Sarah (Cock) Mosher. (She was born February 13, 1841.) They had two children:—

1454. Claude Seaman, born March 20, 1880; died January 23, 1899.

1455. Byron Seaman, born December 1, 1883.

**920.** JONAH L. SEAMAN (John,<sup>6</sup> Jonah,<sup>5</sup> Jecaniah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born September 14, 1851; married December 26, 1887, Julia Coe, daughter of Augustus and Anna Maria Coe. (She was born November 14, 1856.) They had two children:—

1456. Norma A. Seaman, born February 7, 1890.

1457. De Wayne Seaman, born May 3, 1892.

**921.** ELBERT SEAMAN (John,<sup>6</sup> Jonah,<sup>5</sup> Jonathan,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born April 6, 1856; died August 17, 1890; married November 21, 1877, Agnes W. Courter, daughter of David W. and Mary L. Courter. (She was born September 14, 1862.) They had two children:—

1458. Nellie Seaman, born January 29, 1879; married February 8, 1900, Victor Dewell. They had a daughter:—

Gladys Dewell, born December 9, 1900.

1459. Georgia Seaman, born November 12, 1882.

**936.** DANIEL SEAMAN, JR. (Daniel,<sup>a</sup> Micah,<sup>b</sup> David,<sup>c</sup> David,<sup>d</sup> Jonathan,<sup>e</sup> Captain John<sup>f</sup>), born Huntington County, N. J., December 25, 1807; died at Freemont, Ohio, November 23, 1886; married August 2, 1828, Catherine Gross, daughter of Philip and Elizabeth (Kressler) Gross. (She was born Richmond, Northampton County, Pa., June 20, 1807; died Freemont, Ohio, April 4, 1891.) They had eight children:—

1460. Susan Julia Seaman, born Bethlehem, Northampton County, Pa., December 10, 1829; died Freemont, Ohio, September 22, 1894; married July 31, 1851, Timothy H. Bush, son of Erastus and Susan (Anderson) Bush. (He was born at Sparta, N. Y., January 24, 1823; died December 1, 1891, Freemont, Ohio.) They had five children:—

Ida Leonie Bush, born August 1, 1852; died at Antwerp, Belgium, May 2, 1928; married Robert W. Brand. (He was born May 21, 1846.) They had two daughters.

Tillie Dale Bush, twin of Nellie May Bush, born January 11, 1856; died April 12, 1923; married William A. Wright.

Nellie May Bush, twin of Lillie Dale Bush, born January 11, 1856; married Charles M. Bell, and had four children.

Altie A. Bush, born April 28, 1858; died May 27, 1859, twin of Charles T. Bush.

Charles Timothy Bush, born April 28, 1858; died September 5, 1858, twin of Altie A. Bush.

1461. Hannah Elizabeth Seaman, born January 19, 1831; died July 8, 1831.

+1462. Benjamin Daniel Seaman born at Barton, N. Y., August 19, 1833; died at Freemont, Ohio, August 2, 1902; married at Freemont, Ohio, January 1, 1863, Estelle Jeanette Cobb, daughter of Justus and Eliza Jeanette (Morgan) Cobb of Wayne County, Pa. (She was born November 8, 1838; died December 18, 1871.)

1463. Mary Catherine Seaman, born Sandusky County, Ohio, March 16, 1835; died June 13, 1882; married George Herdie.



1464. Jackson Seaman, born October 17, 1837; died Sandusky County, Ohio, January 25, 1839.

1465. Lezetta Seaman, born April 12, 1839; died Sandusky, County, Ohio, February 26, 1844.

1466. Louisa M. Seaman, born February 2, 1842; died Freemont, Sandusky County, Ohio, April 6, 1903; married June 13, 1872, Daniel Bunnell. (He was born January 13, 1840; died January 2, 1905.) They had one daughter:—

Emma Bunnell.

1467. Sarah Matilda Seaman, born Sandusky County, Ohio, December 9, 1844; married July 2, 1896. William Purcell. Residents Freemont, Ohio.

**940.** JUDGE IRA KENT SEAMAN (Daniel,<sup>4</sup> Micah,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Bevans, Sussex County, N. J., July 29, 1817; died at Bucyrus, Ohio, July 6, 1907; married twice. He was a prominent member of the Toledo, Ohio, Bar; Judge, active politician, President City Council for twenty-two years, and one of the City Fathers; Delegate to Convention, St. Louis, Mo., when Grover Cleveland was nominated for President. Served in Civil War; mustered and drilled his own company of Ohio Volunteer Infantry at Woodville, Sandusky County, Ohio, marched to the front as Captain and served throughout the four years. He married, first, July 18, 1846. Mary Swarzman, daughter of Paul and Mary (Moore) Swarzman. (She was born in Little York, Pa., December 31, 1829; died December 23, 1884; buried at Bucyrus, Ohio.) They had seven children:—

+1468. Jackson Daniel Seaman, born at Woodville, Ohio, April 3, 1847; married Emma Leiper of Mt. Sterling, Ill.

1469. Harriet Seaman, born August 11, 1849; died December 7, 1880; buried Bucyrus, Ohio.

1470. Emily Jane Seaman, born October 8, 1851, at Woodville, Ohio; died April 29, 1914; buried Monroe, Mich.; married 1869, Charles W. Kinnear of Monroe, Mich. They had seven children:—

Harriet Belle Kinnear, married Roland Dewey, great-nephew of Admiral Dewey. They had three children:—

Roland Dewey, Jr., of Monroe, Mich. Served in infantry in World War.

George Dewey of Toledo, Ohio.

Grace Dewey, married — McKenzie, and had two children.

Mollie Kinnear, born August, 1924; married George Schannon of Galesburg, Ill. They had one daughter:—

Irene Schannon.

Geneva Blanch Kinnear, married Patrick Langhren.

Charles G. Kinnear, married Myrtle Griffith. They had one son:—

Paul Kinnear.

Grace Kinnear, married John Wallace of Miami, Florida. They had three children.

Ethel Ann Kinnear, married Roy Battelle. They had one daughter:—

Dorothy Battelle.

Emily Kinnear, married Richard Conners. They had one daughter:—

Grace Conners.

1471. Mary Jemima Seaman, born Woodville, Ohio, October 20, 1853; died March 7, 1926; buried at Bucyrus, Ohio; married 1872, Jeremiah Niman. (He died February 1, 1900.)

1472. Ira Kent Seaman, Jr., born Woodville, Ohio, October 27, 1855; died March 28, 1870; buried Bucyrus, Ohio.

1473. Charles Frederick Seaman, born Woodville, Ohio, December 14, 1859; died January 7, 1905; married Elizabeth Hunter of Streator, Ill. (She died August 12, 1905.)

1474. Missouri Belle Seaman, born Lancaster, Missouri, September 21, 1870; married William Maddock Buchanan of Ridley Park, Pa., great-nephew of the late President James Buchanan. Residents Bucyrus, Ohio. They have one son:—

Kent Andrew Buchanan; resident Cleveland, Ohio; B.S., Harvard; LL.B., Yale; Attorney and Counsellor at Law; served over two years in World War, First Lieutenant,

Signal Corps; attached to 308th Field Signal Battalion;  
Camp Adjutant and Camp Personnel Adjutant of Signal  
Corps Training Camp at Camp Vail, New Jersey.

**952.** ZEBULUN W. SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>6</sup> Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 24, 1797; died May 30, 1859; married February 26, 1817, Jane Cornell. (She was born January 21, 1794; died October 11, 1851.) They had four children:—

1475. Margaret S. Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., November 14, 1838, William Williams.

1476. Catherine C. Seaman, born July 19, 1822; died October 4, 1895; married, December 24, 1844, Jeffery Hicks, son of Jeffery and Mary (Hicks) Hicks. (He was born January 7, 1813; died January 26, 1882.)

1477. Mary H. Seaman, died January 30, 1903, aged seventy-eight years; married at Hempstead, L. I., April 1, 1857, William H. Van Nostrand.

1478. Abby Ann Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., June 26, 1850, Alexander H. Wooley.

**953.** LEONARD A. SEAMAN (Richard,<sup>6</sup> Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Mary Ann Allen, and had two daughters:—

1479. Adeliza Seaman.

1480. Mary Catherine Seaman.

**954.** WRIGHT SEAMAN (Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married, and had three daughters:—

1481. Phebe Ann Seaman, married E. Remsen.

1482. Jane Seaman.

1483. Caroline Seaman.

**957.** RICHARD SEAMAN (Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Zebulun,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married, and had three children:—

1484. Fanny Seaman.

1485. Maria Seaman.

1486. Richard Seaman.

**976.** ROBERT SEAMAN (David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Jericho, L. I., October 3, 1792; died Jericho, October 31, 1870; married three times. He was a farmer. His home is still standing (1928) on estate of A. S. Burrell in Jericho, L. I. Married, first, November 30, 1814, Sarah R. Hicks, daughter of Elias and Jemima Seaman (304) Hicks. (She was born October 9, 1793; died November 19, 1835.) They had seven children:—

1487. Phoebe Seaman, died young.

1488. Hannah Seaman, born Jericho, L. I., March 14, 1817; died Jericho, July 12, 1900; married September 28, 1837, Matthew Franklin Robbins, son of Willet and Esther Robbins. (He was born April 30, 1815; died May 22, 1893.) They had two children:—

Caroline Robbins, born December 13, 1841; died May 6, 1881; married September 2, 1865, Sidney Wheeler Jackson, son of Jacob and Phebe (Duryea) Jackson. (He was born May 27, 1838; died August 10, 1910.) They had one son:—

Mathew Franklin Jackson, born February 16, 1870; died November 3, 1895; married October 10, 1894, Annie Titus Jackson. They had one daughter.

Walter Robbins, born February 18, 1842; died January 7, 1886; married October 17, 1871, Sarah Elizabeth Hubbs. They had three children:—

Caroline Jackson Robbins, born July 6, 1873; died April 26, 1913; married October 17, 1894, William G. Underhill. They had three children.

Anna Hubbs Robbins, born April 17, 1877; died June 5, 1928; married Thomas Henry Rushmore. They had two children.

Cora Sarah Robbins, born July 12, 1880; married, first, November 3, 1904, John Worrall Marshall, Jr.;

married, second, John W. Wigle. They had two children.

1489. Willie Seaman, born October 27, 1818.

1490. Elizabeth H. Seaman, born Jericho, L. I., June 20, 1820; died Syosset, L. I., February 8, 1885; married October 18, 1839, Edward Willis, son of John and Mary W. Willis. (He was born May 16, 1814; died May 19, 1904.) They had five children:—

Sarah R. Willis, born December 26, 1840; died February 15, 1922.

Caroline H. Willis, born May 25, 1845; died September 1, 1849.

Mary S. Willis, born April 24, 1830; died May 15, 1862.

Caroline H. Willis, born April 24, 1850; died April 25, 1862.

Henrietta Willis, born August 12, 1854; married February 1, 1877. Stephen Jordan Underhill. They had four children:—

Edward W. Underhill, born October 31, 1877; died November 25, 1927; married October 20, 1909, Emeline Kissam.

Helen W. Underhill, born February 6, 1880; married January 17, 1913, James A. Malcolm.

Henry T. Underhill, born July 26, 1884; married, first, Dorothy Vernon; married, second, Olive Roberts.

Arthur S. Underhill, born March 4, 1894; married December 28, 1918, Virginia Jones.

+1491. Elias Hicks Seaman, born Jericho, L. I., May 2, 1826; died January 24, 1904; married February 15, 1855, Phoebe Underhill, daughter of Samuel J. and Mary (Willets) Underhill. (She was born October 16, 1830; died December 23, 1903.)

1492. Mary H. Seaman, born June 4, 1828; died July, 1903; married June, 1865, Isaac Willis, son of Henry and Phebe P. Willis. They had two sons:—

Henry Willis, born May 17, 1866; married October 17, 1888, June Barnes.

Robert S. Willis, born November 4, 1868; died August 25, 1923.

+1493. Willet H. Seaman, born May 10, 1832; died April 12, 1902; married June 1, 1864, Mary Wing, daughter of Daniel and Achsah (Nye) Wing of Sandwich, Mass. (She was born December 23, 1839; died October 12, 1923.) Resident Glen Head, N. Y. Farmer.

Robert Seaman married, second, Abigail Jones, daughter of Townsend and Hannah (Willis) Jones of Cedar Swamp, L. I., (She was born 1793; died January 9, 1866.)

Robert Seaman married, third, April 18, 1867, Mary Ann Hicks, daughter of Jesse and Mary Merritt, and widow of Whitehead Hicks of Jerusalem, L. I.

**978.** DR. WILLIAM SEAMAN (David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Jericho, L. I., July 21, 1796; died New York City, April 19, 1855; married at Jericho, June 23, 1831, Caroline Hicks, daughter of Valentine and Abigail Hicks. (She was born July 11, 1808; died February 22, 1868.) Dr. William Seaman graduated Rutgers College, N. J., April 28, 1827; Member Medical Society, New York, 1832; an eminent physician in New York City. They had three children:—

+1494. Valentine Hicks Seaman, born New York City, June 9, 1834; died Brooklyn, N. Y., September 27, 1902; married October 7, 1856, Rebecca Cromwell, daughter of David and Rebecca Cromwell. (She was born July 7, 1835; died July 30, 1915.)

1495. Sarah Seaman, born New York City, September 26, 1836; died December 30, 1913; married twice; married, first, June 10, 1856, Henry B. Cromwell, son of David and Rebecca Cromwell. (He was born April 29, 1828; died April 2, 1864.) They had three sons:—

George Cromwell, resident Dongan Hills, Staten Island; born July 3, 1860; married in New York City, June 1, 1915, Marie H. H. L. de Rouville. Graduate Yale College; lawyer; Member Assembly from Richmond County,

N. Y., 1888; President Borough of Richmond, New York City, for sixteen years, 1897-1913; State Senator, 1914-1918; Republican.

Francis Cromwell, died in infancy.

Henry B. Cromwell, born December 8, 1863; died May 1, 1896.

Sarah Seaman Cromwell married, second, U. S. Judge Charles L. Benedict.

+1496. Samuel Hicks Seaman, born in New York City, November 26, 1838; died Brooklyn, N. Y., January 25, 1901; married in Philadelphia, Pa., Hannah Richardson Husband, daughter of Thomas J. and Mary R. Husband. (She was born October 29, 1837; died July 4, 1912.)

**990.** GEORGE C. T. SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Elizabeth, N. J., September 27, 1918; died Elizabeth, January 8, 1903; married Caroline Hamilton Bleeker. They had six children:—

1497. Catherine Provoost Seaman, born 1852; died in infancy.

1498. Fannie Bleeker Seaman, born 1853.

+1499. William Bleeker Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., March 29, 1855; married 1879. Jennie Caldwell. Residents Elizabeth, N. J.

1500. George Provoost Seaman, born 1857; married April 18, 1888, Mary Louise Brown, daughter of T. Y. Brown of Bergen Point, N. J.

1501. Bleeker Seaman, born 1859; died 1860.

1502. Benjamin Richard Seaman, born 1860.

**1005.** CHARLES H. SEAMAN (Jasper F.,<sup>6</sup> Henry J.,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married twice; married first, Mary Roome Wiswell, and had one son:—

1503. Charles Roome Seaman.

Married second, ———.

**1008.** BILLOPP SEAMAN (Henry I.,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Staten Island, N. Y., May 31, 1837; died October 2, 1914; married twice; married first, Adeline S. Iucho, daughter of Wilhelm and Anna (Baldwin, Van Doran) Iucho. They had six children:—

1504. Theodore Seaman, born 1859; died in infancy.

1505. Henry Billopp Seaman, born August 19, 1861; died 1908; married Lucy Smith. They had three children.

1506. Emma Adeline Seaman, born April 13, 1863; married Frederick Charles Randall. They had two children.

1507. Adeline Iucho Seaman, born March 10, 1867; married May 9, 1889, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Henry Granville Stephens, son of Henry Lewis and Charlotte Anne (Wevill) Stephens. (He was born September 4, 1863, at Elizabeth, N. J.) They had three children:—

Kortright Livingston Stephens, born September 1, 1890, at Germantown, Pa. Resident Pittsburgh, Pa.

Edith Elmira Stephens, born August 24, 1892; married August 29, 1914, Clarence Wignall Rodman, son of Walter Clark and Laura (Schaeffer) Rodman. They had four children:—

Peter Picard Rodman, born at Germantown, Pa., July 17, 1915.

Daughter, died in infancy.

Son, died in infancy.

Edith Stephens Rodman, born January 24, 1927.

Homé Catherine Stephens, born at Philadelphia, Pa., May 17, 1896; married at Germantown, Pa., January 28, 1922, Addams Stratton McAllister, son of Abraham Addams and Julia Ellen (Stratton) McAllister. (He was born February 24, 1875. Chief of Divisions of Specifications, Washington, D. C.) They had three daughters.

1508. Lena Kidd Seaman, born September 8, 1868; married Edward S. Tucker. They had five children.

1509. William Iucho Seaman, born August 19, 1870; died April 4, 1928; resident Staten Island, N. Y.; married Mar-



jorie Luce, daughter of Clarence and Alice Luce of New York City.

1510. Arnold Hallett Seaman, born November 28, 1874; married Olla Buckwalter. They had one child.

1511. Lucy Wilson Seaman, born July 7, 1878; died 1902. Billopp Seaman, married, second, Mary Brick.

**1009.** WILLIAM SEAMAN (Henry J.,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Staten Island, N. Y.; married Juliette M. Benham, daughter of Commander T. J. Benham. They had three children:—

1512. Juliette Benham Seaman, born May 2, 1871; married June 14, 1904, Henry M. French, and had one daughter:—

Edith Katherine French, born June 21, 1905.

1513. Katherine Sarah Seaman, twin of Henry Green Seaman, born August 20, 1871.

1514. Henry Green Seaman, twin of Katherine Sarah Seaman, born August 20, 1871; died October 2, 1882.

**1013.** ENOCH SEAMAN (Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Enoch,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1822; married Eliza Box, and had two daughters:—

1515. Elizabeth Seaman, born November 18, 1846.

1516. Adelia Seaman, born September, 1849.

**1014.** WILLIAM SEAMAN (Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Enoch,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 20, 1833; married E. Smith, and had two sons:

1517. Willet Seaman, born September 5, 1861.

1518. Franklin Seaman, born August 21, 1863.

**1026.** TULLIUS G. SEAMAN (Milton,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Israel,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married M. A. Myers, and had two children:—

1519. Louis R. Seaman, born August 1, 1865; died February 1, 1866.

1520. Nellie Myers Seaman, born February 10, 1867.

**1040.** SAMUEL L. SEAMAN (Benjamin,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born May 4, 1801; died July 28, 1884; married twice; married, first, April 7, 1821, Elizabeth Smith. (She was born June 27, 1806; died September 19, 1849.) They had four daughters:—

1521. Adelaide Seaman, married William Rhodes.

1522. Sarah Seaman, married twice; married, first, Vanderwater Weeks; married, second, Lewis Rushmore.

1523. Cornelia Seaman, married William D. Leonard.

1524. Mary Seaman, married Lewis Rushmore.

Samuel L. Seaman married, second, January 15, 1851, Mary A. Barnum.

**1044.** SAMUEL SEAMAN (Adam,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born March 18, 1798; died September 19, 1875; married twice; married, first, Sarah Seaman, and had one daughter:—

1525. Amy Seaman, married Jarvis Combs.

Samuel Seaman married, second, Asenath Raynor. (She was born October 20, 1795; died July 9, 1870.) They had ten children.

1526. Sarah Seaman, born March 23, 1827; married June 2, 1851, Joseph Seaman. (He was born June 1, 1817; died October 5, 1901.)

1527. Raynor P. Seaman, born July 20, 1829; died March 28, 1901; married Jane Post. (She was born February 16, 1829; died October 10, 1900.)

1528. Benjamin Seaman, married Maria Combs.

1529. Alfred Seaman, born October 1, 1833; died September 17, 1881; married Henrietta Rhodes.

+1530. William B. Seaman, married Mary Jane Losee.

+1531. Charles H. Seaman, born August 17, 1838; married January 2, 1864, Mary E. Post. (She was born January 17, 1845.)

1532. John Seaman, married Sarah Jane Smith.

1533. Phebe Jane Seaman, married John Valentine.

1534. Annie Seaman, married Andrew Taft.

1535. Gilbert Seaman, married Maria Bennett.

**1050.** LATTIN SEAMAN (William,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married, and had four sons:—

+1536. John Seaman, married Mary Elizabeth Baldwin, daughter of Thomas Baldwin of Seaford, N. Y.

1537. Benjamin Seaman.

1538. Valentine Seaman.

+1539. Smith Seaman, married Caroline Golden.

**1063.** BENJAMIN SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; married Sarah Post, and had five children:—

1540. Emma Seaman.

1541. Susan Seaman, married Stephen Powell.

1542. Francis Seaman, married John Nichols.

1543. Thomas Henry Seaman, married Emma Henderson.

1544. Sarah Augusta Seaman.

**1** REUBEN A. SEAMAN (Hix,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1809; died January 19, 1880; married January 18, 1837, Abigail Jane Youngs, daughter of Solomon and Abigail Youngs. (She was born June 26, 1796; died October 31, 1888.) They had one son:—

1545. Reuben Hix Seaman, born February 28, 1839; died September 25, 1908; married November 30, 1865, Anna Margaret Frank, daughter of John Peter and Anna Catherine Frank. (She was born August 23, 1844.)

**1081.** GEORGE WASHINGTON SEAMAN (Allan T. C.,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Bolton, N. Y.; born November 30, 1826; died March 7, 1902; married twice; married, first, January 5, 1849, Maria Clark, and had three daughters:—

1546. Maria Prouty Seaman, born October 5, 1849; died February 8, 1928; married October 5, 1869, Addison Comstock. Residents Glens Falls, N. Y. They had two children, of whom one is recorded:—

Emma Comstock, married 1896, Edward Buck, and had two children:—

Ruth Buck, born January 29, 1897; married John J. Murphy. They had three children.

Anita Buck, born September 17, 1898.

1547. Lydia Prouty Seaman, resident Schaghticoke, N. Y.; married Leroy N. Smith, and had one son:—

George Roscoe Smith, married, and had two children. Resident Troy, N. Y.

1548. Henrietta Ferris Seaman, resident Glens Falls, N. Y.; born June 20, 1859; died May 22, 1928; married Samuel B. Bradley, and had one daughter:—

Gertrude Bradley, married 1920, Harry Silverman.

George W. Seaman, married, second, April 22, 1863, Martha Eugenia Amidon, daughter of Joseph B. and Emma (Morse) Amidon. (She was born Dorset, Vermont, August 28, 1831; died May 21, 1907.) They had five children:—

1549. Jenny Amidon Seaman, born January 29, 1864; resident Cadillac, Mich.

+1550. Hiram Ferguson Seaman, resident Bolton, N. Y.; twin of William A. Seaman, born February 23, 1866; married October 22, 1889, Mary M. Sands, daughter of George and Mary (Mills) Sands. (She was born December 11, 1864.)

+1551. William Amidon Seaman, resident Cadillac, Mich.; twin of Hiram F. Seaman, born February 23, 1866; married July 30, 1887, Emma May Cronkite, daughter of Major and Elizabeth Ellen (Rathbone) Cronkite. (She was born July 14, 1866.)

+1552. Allan Taylor Seaman, resident Bolton, N. Y.; born September 11, 1868; married November 10, 1894, Olive Divilbiss, daughter of John M. and Ann (Milligan) Divilbiss. (She was born October 31, 1870.)

1553. Bertha Seaman, resident Cadillac, Mich.; born April 20, 1873; died September 28, 1923; married September 1, 1891, Ernest John Millington, son of William Ewart and Hannah (Oldknow) Millington. (He was born at Derby, England, April 5, 1871.) They had three children:—

Ernest J. Millington, born August 10, 1892; married November, 1920, Irene Heuss.

Bertha Hannah Millington, born October 30, 1899.

Alfred Edward Millington, born March 9, 1903.

**1082.** DR. MARINUS WILLET SEAMAN (Allan T. C.,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Glens Falls, N. Y., January 11, 1830; died Denver, Colo., September 15, 1897; married in Shipman, Ill., Elizabeth Shellman. (She was born February 27, 1831.) Dr. Marinus W. Seaman practised in Shipman, Ill., for thirty-five years. Major-Surgeon in 22nd Illinois Regiment throughout the Civil War. "A scholarly man and much beloved." They had one son:—

+1554. Allen Briggs Seaman, born Shipman, Ill., January 18, 1862; died Denver, Colo., September 25, 1903; married October 13, 1885, Jane O. Babcock of Monmouth, Ill. (She was born September 1, 1858.)

**1094.** RICHARD "S" SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). "The letter S was assumed on account of mix-up in mail." Born Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y., March 21, 1822; died Clinton, Iowa, March 17, 1899; married at Canajoharie, N. Y., May 29, 1849, Emma Carter, daughter of Leonard and Susan (Dutton) Carter. (She was born Oxford, England, 1828; died February 21, 1897.) Richard S. Seaman was a Union Soldier in the War of the Rebellion, 1861-1865; member of the Bridge Corp and was in the Battle of Bull Run. They had five children:—

1555. Sherman Carter Seaman, born Glenville, N. Y., June 20, 1850; married November 6, 1893, Isabella Fenlon. Lived at Clinton, Iowa, and had no children.

1556. Clara Emma Seaman, born Milville, N. Y., August 14, 1852; married at Eau Clair, Wis., October 27, 1881, Isaac

Kendall Kerr. They live at Calgary, Alberta Province, Canada, but retain U. S. citizenship. They had two sons:—

Isaac Kendall Kerr, Jr., born Eau Clair, Wis., April 20, 1883; married May 19, 1908, Catherine McCarthy, and live at Calgary, Alberta Province, Canada. They had three children:—

Isaac Kendall Kerr, III, born August 4, 1910.

Clara Jane Kerr, born April 28, 1912.

Robert Allen Kerr, born April 16, 1917.

Henry Halleck Kerr, born Eau Clair, Wis., May 16, 1887; lived at Calgary, Canada; Captain U. S. Army in World War; died in Chicago, Ill.

1557. Samuel Seaman, born January 2, 1855; died August 22, 1855, at Clinton, Iowa.

1558. Preston King Seaman, born Clinton, Iowa, August 11, 1856; died March 18, 1890; married June 18, 1885, Margaret Gay Inslee. They had no children.

+1559. Halleck Wager Seaman, born Clinton, Iowa, September 26, 1860; married December 27, 1887, Helen Valeria Scott, daughter of Walter A. and Elizabeth (Perrin) Scott.

**1105.** TIMOTHY SEAMAN (Andrew,<sup>6</sup> Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Cranesville, N. Y.; born February 24, 1842; married March 7, 1866, Margaret A. Bradt, daughter of John and Catherine Bradt. (She was born February 5, 1838; died February 13, 1904.) They had three children:—

1560. Hattie G. Seaman, born May 8, 1868; died May 8, 1894.

1561. Nellie L. Seaman, born October 23, 1870; married November 3, 1890, —.

1562. William Seaman, born October 11, 1874; died December 19, 1893.

**1110.** ANDREW SEAMAN (Chauncey,<sup>6</sup> Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resided on farm six miles from Morrison, Ill.; born Glenville, Schenectady County, N. Y., October 17, 1832; died October 27, 1914; married at Fulton, Ill., De-

ember 24, 1859, Sophia Fletcher, daughter of William and Sarah Fletcher of Isleham, Cambridgeshire, England. They had five children:—

1563. William Seaman, born Union Grove, Whitecide County, Ill., April 16, 1863; died December 7, 1864.

1564. John Henry Seaman, born July 22, 1864; married December 28, 1892, Lillie Carpenter, daughter of James and Mary Carpenter of Fulton, Ill. Residents Doland, S. D. They had two children.

1565. Mary Seaman, born December 24, 1866; died May 20, 1926; married Hugh Washington Hartman.

1566. Stephen Seaman, born March 23, 1870; died June 19, 1912.

1567. Lucy Seaman, born January 21, 1873; married Albert W. Daniels.

**1111.** ALEXANDER GLENN SEAMAN (Chauncey,<sup>6</sup> Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born January 2, 1835; died May 11, 1911; married three times; married, first, Elizabeth Klingaman, and had four children:—

1568. Margaret Estelle Seaman, born January 28, 1860; married R. W. Nungesser. Residents Tecumseh, Okla.

1569. Chauncey Alexander Seaman, born March 24, 1862; married Anna Shirk. Residents Sedgewick, Kans.

1570. Frances Amelia Seaman, born January 29, 1864; died March 29, 1894; married William Haughenberry.

1571. Emma Josephine Seaman, born August 2, 1867; married R. H. Adams. Residents Neosho, Mo.

Alexander G. Seaman married, second, Nannie V. Parker, and had no children; married, third, Martha A. Dallas, and had no children.

**1124.** JAMES SEAMAN (Hiram,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Quaker Street, N. Y.; born September 28, 1834; married Mary Ann Jones, and had four children:—

1572. Charlotte Seaman, married Judd Falk.

+1573. William James Seaman, born November, 1836; died May 1, 1900; married November 9, 1884, Maria Chickering. (She was born at Charlottsville, Pa., September 27, 1863.)

1574. Hiram Seaman, married Bess Hunt.

1575. Frank Seaman, married Alice Reusch.

**1128.** GEORGE SEAMAN (Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Williamstown, Mass., August 8, 1835; died May 25, 1906; married twice; married, first, Eliza Worthy. (She died February 29, 1880.) Married, second, October 18, 1882, Elizabeth Quereau. (She was born July 18, 1845.) They had two children:—

1576. Harry Seaman, born November 19, 1888.

1577. Daughter.

**1131.** WATKINS D. SEAMAN (Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Marietta, N. Y.; born Williamstown, Mass., July 6, 1849; married June 9, 1870, Semantha Ferbush. (She was born 1851.) They had one daughter:—

1578. Grace Seaman, born June 9, 1874; married Marion Moore.

**1136.** WARREN SEAMAN (Hicks,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Syracuse, N. Y.; born September 29, 1838; died about 1890; married, and had three sons:—

1579. Frederick Seaman.

1580. George Seaman.

1581. Warren Seaman, Jr.

**1142.** HENRY SEAMAN (James,<sup>6</sup> Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Susan Thumb, and had one son:—

1582. Frank Seaman, married Eugenia Duesler.



**1143.** CHAUNCEY SEAMAN (James,<sup>6</sup> Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born probably Ephratah, N. Y.; moved to Montgomery County, Ill.; died January 12, 1908; married Rebecca —, and had three children:—

1583. Stella Seaman, married — Freeman.

1584. Kate Seaman.

1585. John Seaman.

**1144.** JOHN EDWARDS SEAMAN (James,<sup>6</sup> Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born September 7, 1832; died September 10, 1897; married July 6, 1857, Catherine Louise Thompson, daughter of Nathaniel and Catherine (McLelland) Thompson. (She was born June 16, 1838; died July 19, 1896.) They had one daughter:—

1586. Bertha Seaman, born March 6, 1858; died April 5, 1878; married April 7, 1875, Philemon Myers Simmons. They had one daughter:—

Grace Simmons, born December 23, 1876; died June 14, 1877.

**1149.** JAMES SEAMAN (Andrew,<sup>6</sup> Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Ephratah, N. Y., May 12, 1848; married twice; married, first, December 29, 1868, Delia Getman, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Smith) Getman of Ephratah. (She was born April 1, 1849.) Married, second, Martha Getman, daughter of Peter H. and Catherine (Snell) Getman, of Palatine, N. Y. (She was born May 14, 1855.) They had one son:—

+1587. Henry Getman Seaman, born at Johnstown, N. Y., November 7, 1878; married June 29, 1903, Alta Barber of Gloversville, N. Y. (She was born 1884.)

**1151.** MELVIN SEAMAN (Andrew,<sup>6</sup> Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1855; married Elizabeth Kline, and had two children:—

1588. Homer Seaman, born 1882; married twice; married, first, — Morey; married, second, Delancy Reach.

1589. Everett Seaman, born 1884.

**1152.** FRANK SEAMAN (Andrew,<sup>6</sup> Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1858; married Mary —, and had two children:—

1590. Andrew Seaman.

1591. Kate Seaman, born August 3, 1881; married November 1901, George Zoller, and had two children.

**1159.** WILLIAM HENRY SEAMAN (Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 9, 1853; died January 9, 1880; married February 29, 1876, Harriet A. Cooper, and had one daughter:—

1592. Mattie Dennis Seaman, born September 16, 1877; married Henry J. Van Dyne of Clifton Springs, N. Y.

**1165.** CHARLES G. SEAMAN (Samuel A.,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Passaic, N. J.; born June 3, 1842; died January 11, 1908; married November 9, 1867, Maria L. Kelly, daughter of Michael and Margaret (Connor) Kelly. (She was born June 27, 1845.) They had eight children:—

1593. Mary Adelaide Seaman, born November 7, 1868; married Walter C. Clapp.

1594. Ina Leuretta Seaman, born February 6, 1871; married Edward C. Miller.

1595. Laura V. Seaman, born December 24, 1873.

1596. Bertha A. Seaman, born January 3, 1875; died November 5, 1887.

+1597. Charles Germain Seaman, born January 5, 1877; married March 11, 1903, Anna May Walker. (She was born November 10, 1880.)

1598. Lillian A. Seaman, born November 12, 1880.

1599. Julia Ethel Seaman, born April 30, 1882; married John B. Humphreys.

1600. Harriet C. Seaman, born October 11, 1884; died February 14, 1885.

**1168.** WALTER D. SEAMAN (Samuel A.,<sup>a</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born December 12, 1832; died September 29, 1880; married June 19, 1877, Laura Maria Allen, daughter of Edmund F. and Fanny C. Allen. (She was born February 25, 1853.) They had one daughter:—

1601. Mildred Seaman.

**1178.** JOHN SEAMAN (Conklin,<sup>a</sup> David,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born June 23, 1829; married Ann Hedges, daughter of Joseph Hedges. (She died April, 1905.) They had five children:—

1602. Sarah Maria Seaman, born 1850; married September 20, 1885, Robert Remsen.

1603. David C. Seaman, born 1852; married Mary Smith.

1604. Stephen H. Seaman, born 1854; married — Hicks.

1605. Carman Seaman, born 1856; married — Shepperd.

1606. James Seaman, born 1858; married — Bates.

**1179.** WILLIAM R. SEAMAN (Conklin,<sup>a</sup> David,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Brooklyn, N. Y.; born August 2, 1833; died September 4, 1905; married November 23, 1851, Cornelia Noon, daughter of William and Abigail (Berrie) Noon. (She was born December 28, 1832; died December 4, 1905.) They had three children:—

1607. George Franklin Seaman, born November 9, 1854; married March 5, 1882, Annie Plumb. (She was born May 14, 1863; died October 18, 1901.)

1608. Ada Seaman, born July 29, 1860; married November 20, 1887, Merwin A. Hendrickson. (He was born November 7, 1850.)

1609. Lucy E. Seaman, born September 18, 1862; married April 23, 1882, George A. Dunster. (He was born June 10, 1854.)

**1190.** BENJAMIN H. SEAMAN (Tredwell,<sup>a</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born May 26, 1835; married

January 20, 1863, Elizabeth Helen Townsend, and had four children:—

- 1610. Jean Townsend Seaman, born June 30, 1865.
- 1611. Hannah Hewett Seaman, born November 25, 1867.
- 1612. Louise Hanford Seaman, born October 7, 1871.
- 1613. Mary Ann Seaman, born May 7, 1874.

**1200.** JOHN ENOCH SEAMAN (Willet,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married — Totten, and had seven children:—

- 1614. Letitia Seaman.
- 1615. George Seaman.
- 1616. Willet Seaman.
- 1617. Amanda Seaman.
- 1618. Arnold Seaman.
- 1619. Mary Ann Seaman.
- 1620. Sarah Jane Seaman.

**1202.** JAMES SEAMAN (Willet,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), died March 16, 1891; married twice; married, first, October 13, 1852, at Hempstead, L. I., Susan Duryea; married, second, February 21, 1856, Armenia Duryea, both daughters of Henry W. and Margaret Duryea of Jerusalem, L. I. (Armenia Duryea was born April, 1837; died July 14, 1896.) He had five children:—

- 1621. James Edgar Seaman, born July 4, 1857.
- 1622. Susan Jane Seaman, born October 22, 1858.
- 1623. Emily Seaman, born April 6, 1860.
- 1624. Henry J. Seaman, born July 7, 1862.
- 1625. Mary Amelia Seaman, born April 10, 1864.

**1204.** GILBERT SEAMAN (Willet,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Mary Jackson, and had one daughter:—

- 1626. Gulielma Seaman.

**1212.** JOHN WHITSON SEAMAN (Davis D.,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Feburay 16, 1843; died February 16, 1893; married twice; married, first, 1870, Mary Lewis, and had one daughter:—

1627. Anna Gertrude Seaman, born October 12, 1870; married June 17, 1896, Edward Rice Rollins. They had one daughter:—

Elizabeth Rollins, born October 3, 1905.

John Whitson Seaman married, second, 1873, Abby Ella Lewis, and had four children:—

1628. Mary Elizabeth Seamon, born August 22, 1876.

+1629. David Sands Seaman, born November 11, 1879; married June 6, 1910, Elizabeth Avery Sweet.

1630. Alice Bowen Seaman, born January 28, 1884; died July 17, 1885.

+1631. Henry Lewis Seaman, born November 3, 1887; married June 19, 1912, L. May Keenholts.

**1229.** JAMES M. SEAMAN (James M.,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born July 26, 1853, twin of Thomas Braddock Seaman, died February 17, 1920; married Elizabeth Gill Baker, daughter of Nelson Baker. They had one son:—

1632. James M. Seaman, born August 29, 1891; married Lillian Abrams.

**1236.** JOHN JACKSON SEAMAN (Thomas,<sup>6</sup> John J.,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born May 27, 1821; died December 3, 1885; married twice; married, first, Phoebe Seaman (1016) daughter of Benjamin and Jemima Seaman (517) Seaman. (She was born May 15, 1823; died November, 1855.) They had two sons:—

1633. Braddock Seaman, born February 3, 1852.

1634. Benjamin Seaman, born March 28, 1854; died February 29, 1920.

John Jackson Seaman married, second, January, 1874, Sarah E. Dean, daughter of Thomas and Ann Verity Dean. (She was

born March 14, 1844; died March 16, 1922.) They had two children:—

+1635. Edgar Jackson Seaman, born May 13, 1875; married October 6, 1897, Elizabeth G. Smith, daughter of John Smith.

1636. Gertrude Seaman, born December 14, 1876; married October 6, 1897, Birdsall Jackson, son of Robert Jackson. They had three children:—

Marion Jackson, born October 27, 1898; married October 2, 1927, Walter Cloman.

Donald Seaman Jackson, born August 26, 1903.

Gertrude Jackson, born July 28, 1905.

**1241.** JOHN JACKSON SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>6</sup> John J.,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Wantagh, L. I.; born 1823; married November 14, 1847, Esther Seaman (1265) daughter of Andries and Ann (Nostrand) Seaman. (She was born February 26, 1827; died July 31, 1895.) They had ten children:—

1637. Mary Ann Seaman.

1638. Elbert J. Seaman.

1639. Horace Seaman.

1640. Gideon Seaman, born 1863; married December 29, 1889, Grace Bedell. (She was born 1868.)

1641. Edgar Seaman.

1642. Samuel Seaman.

1643. Antoinette Seaman, married — Van Sise, and had a son:—

F. W. Van Sise, resident Gary, Indiana.

1644. Alice Seaman, married February 15, 1885, Melville E. Baker.

1645. Adelia Seaman.

1646. Sylvester Seaman, married Ann Ackerman.

**1245.** JORDAN SEAMAN (Lawtence,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born January 29, 1794; died December 15, 1822; married Martha Sammis, and had two children:—

1647. Ann Seaman, married at Hempstead, L. I., March 28, 1838, J. S. Remsen.

1648. Benjamin Lawrence Seaman, born September 3, 1816; married Fanny Mott. They had two children.

**1246.** LAWRENCE SEAMAN (Lawrence,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born January 22, 1797; married and had six children:—

1649. Sidney Lawrence Seaman, married Sarah Jane Seaman (1225), daughter of James M. and Martha Seaman. They had five children.

1650. Edgar Seaman.

1651. Ann Eliza Seaman.

1652. Cornelia Seaman.

1653. Julia Seaman.

1654. Gertrude Seaman.

**1249.** RICHARD N. SEAMAN (Nathaniel,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born May 6, 1810; died July 21, 1839; buried at Greenfield, Conn. Married at Hempstead, L. I., April 28, 1835, Mary Pettit, daughter of Robert and Sarah Pettit. (She was born June 2, 1811; died October 31, 1870.) They had two daughters:—

1655. Elizabeth Lawrence Seaman, born October 8, 1831.

1656. Mary Augusta Seaman, born October 15, 1838.

**1250.** JOHN HENRY SEAMAN (Nathaniel,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; born August 10, 1814; died February 27, 1890; married January 13, 1836, Mary Ann Vanderwater. (She was born January 1, 1817; died November 23, 1873.) They had two children:—

1657. Nathaniel Seaman, born September 7, 1837; died January 1, 1841.

1658. Elizabeth Ann Seaman, born December 5, 1839; married at Hempstead, L. I., January 21, 1858, Isaac Willets.

**1253.** HENRY SEAMAN (Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Rye, N. Y., and New York City; married Martha Post, and had five children:—

+1659. William Henry Seaman, married Laura E. Carpenter.

1660. Catherine L. Seaman, resident Rifton, N. Y.; married Hermon J. Emerson, and had three children:—

Henry Seaman Emerson.

Bess Hermon Emerson.

May Adele Emerson, married William Morris Jones.

1661. Mary Eliza Seaman, unmarried.

1662. Annie Louise Seaman, married Edward P. Coffin, and had one son:—

Russell Seaman Coffin, married Meta Pneuman.

1663. Elias Hicks Seaman, died.

**1256.** NOAH SEAMAN (Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 12, 1821; died February 27, 1881; married February 15, 1842, Elizabeth Post. (She was born August 25, 1822; died August 3, 1888.) They had four children:—

+1664. Jacob V. Seaman, born 1842; died November 28, 1878; married November 1, 1863, Ruth E. Smith. (She was born January 9, 1845; died March 3, 1928.)

+1665. Alanson H. Seaman, born 1846; died 1911; married 1870, Annie E. Smith.

1666. Emily Seaman, born 1849; died 1927; married 1860, Charles W. Powell. They had three children:—

C. Willets Powell, born 1870.

Lizzie A. Powell, born 1870.

Royal S. Powell, born 1883.

+1667. Royal Seaman, resident Amityville, N. Y.; born 1853; married 1879, Louise Williams.

**1262.** CAPTAIN SAMUEL SEAMAN (Noah,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Cold Springs



Harbor, L. I., in 1858; born February 22, 1832; married August 20, 1854. Abigail B. Baldwin, daughter of Horace and Rachel (Marsh) Baldwin. (She was born July 8, 1835.) They had two children:—

1668. Noah Seaman, born March 8, 1856.

1669. Clarissa Lovejoy Seaman, born September 2, 1857.

**1295.** TREDWELL SEAMAN (Tredwell,<sup>6</sup> Isaac,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident New York City; born January 23, 1842; married February 18, 1865. Emily A. Colt, daughter of Amos H. Colt. (She was born March 28, 1844.) They had one son:—

1670. Walter Colt Seaman, born April 1, 1866.

**1315.** FRANK P. SEAMAN (Gideon,<sup>6</sup> David,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Mineola, L. I.; born 1852; married 1879. Mary Allen, daughter of George and Margery (Doxey) Allen. They had six children:—

1671. John A. Seaman.

1672. Willis M. Seaman.

1673. Marjorie Seaman.

1674. Edwin M. Seaman.

1675. Harrison Seaman.

1676. Imogen Seaman.

**1325.** JAMES VALENTINE SEAMAN (James V.,<sup>6</sup> Valentine,<sup>5</sup> Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Ellen Robartson. They had five children:—

1677. Alice Seaman.

1678. James Seaman.

1679. Mariana Seaman.

1680. Kate Seaman.

1681. William Seaman.

**1337.** FREDERICK AUGUSTUS SEAMAN (Frederick A.,<sup>6</sup> Willet,<sup>5</sup> Willet,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born December 5,

1862; died Garden City, L. I., January 9, 1928; married October 21, 1911, Juliet N. Morrow. They had one daughter:—

1682. Juliet Morrow Seaman, born August 29, 1913.

**1340.** EDMOND SEAMAN (Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Westbury, L. I.; lived in old Seaman Homestead built by Samuel Seaman. Born in Orange County, N. Y., February 26, 1832; died in Westbury, July 4, 1888; married October 19, 1865, Mary Seaman Willits, daughter of Edward Seaman and Esther (Whitson) Willits. (She was born February 20, 1832; died January 10, 1928.) They had three children:—

1683. William W. Seaman, born December 28, 1867; married October 8, 1898, Carra L. Fanning, daughter of David and Elizabeth Fanning.

1684. Elizabeth Seaman, born Westbury, L. I., December 30, 1870.

1685. Hannah Seaman, born March 25, 1878; died April 3, 1878.

**1344.** JAMES SEAMAN (Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Highland Mills, N. Y.; born Orange County, N. Y., June 30, 1844; married January 14, 1874, Elizabeth Ford, daughter of Charles and Matilda (Weygant) Ford. (She was born November 10, 1848.) They had five children:—

+1686. Charles F. Seaman, born Westbury, L. I., January 29, 1875; married first, June 29, 1904, Lulu Vielee, daughter of John B. Vielee. (She was born April 19, 1883; died November 15, 1913.) Married, second, December 6, 1916, Gladys Scott, daughter of Abraham and Mina Scott.

+1687. Jacob T. Seaman, born October 12, 1877; married October 23, 1905, Mae Greenleaf, daughter of Samuel and Melissa Greenleaf.

1688. Marianna Seaman, born October 12, 1879.

+1689. Edmund Seaman, born May 20, 1883; married June 24, 1908, Edna M. Smith, daughter of Irving and Margaret Smith. Residents of Harriman, N. Y.



**SEAMAN HOME AT WESTBURY, L. I.**

**Built by Thomas Seaman (78) on land presented to him by his father Nathaniel Seaman  
Occupied by Thomas and his descendants for many generations**



1690. James Pierre Seaman, born March 6, 1885; married October 27, 1914, Hazel Burdick, daughter of Loron M. Burdick.

**1346.** WILLIAM ABBOTT SEAMAN (Willet,<sup>o</sup> Silas,<sup>s</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born December 13, 1834; married March 4, 1881, Emily Pratt Roe, daughter of Albert and Maria (Galloway) Roe of Monroe, Orange County, N. Y. They had one son:—

1691. Albert Roe Seaman, born March 23, 1882.

**1347.** SILAS SEAMAN (Willet,<sup>o</sup> Silas,<sup>s</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Monroe, Orange County, N. Y.; born July 3, 1838; married November 14, 1872, Jennie R. Hollett, daughter of Amos and Sarah A. (Kniffen) Hollett. They had five children:—

1692. Frederick H. Seaman.

1693. Ralph Seaman, born October 4, 1875; died December 5, 1880.

1694. Francis Seaman, born March, 1882.

1695. Helen Seaman.

1696. Margaret H. Seaman.

**1352.** EDWARD H. SEAMAN (William,<sup>o</sup> Silas,<sup>s</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Monroe, Orange County, N. Y.; born August 7, 1849; married October 22, 1872, Elizabeth Roe, daughter of John K. and Elizabeth (Miller) Roe. (She was born May 31, 1852; died July 2, 1899.) They had two sons:—

+1697. George Roe Seaman, born May 1, 1874; married Fanny J. Reed.

1698. William Edward Seaman, born March 11, 1877; married Elizabeth M. Reed.

**1353.** WILLIAM VALENTINE SEAMAN (Valentine,<sup>o</sup> Silas,<sup>s</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born October 20, 1858; married twice; married, first, October 28, 1878, Mary Leonard. (She was born November 30, 1860; died February 14, 1879.) They had one daughter:—

1699. Mary Seaman, married about 1900, Cornelius Demarest.

William V. Seaman, married, second, October 28, 1884, Margaret Bull Horton. (She was born December 10, 1862; died September 25, 1927.) They had two children:—

1700. Elsa Seaman, born March 24, 1886; married October 23, 1907, Clarence H. Gerow, son of John Y. and Sarah (Hudson) Gerow. (He was born June 20, 1881.) They had four children:—

Clarence H. Gerow, Jr., born December 14, 1908.

Jean Lucile Gerow, born October 12, 1910.

John Y. Gerow, born May 8, 1913.

Hallock Horton Gerow, born November 14, 1915.

+1701. Raymond Valentine Seaman, born November 28, 1897; married August 13, 1924, Gertrude Lucy Wells, daughter of Ernest Albert and Lucy (Davidson) Wells. (She was born September 3, 1896.)

**1361.** SAMUEL AUGUSTUS SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born August 8, 1818; died October, 1896; married Anne Alicia Byrne, and had eight children:—

+1702. Samuel Edmund Seaman, born June 16, 1846; died May 16, 1904; married Jane R. Curtis.

1703. Richard Reese Seaman, born November, 1848; died February, 1875.

1704. Mary Seaman.

1705. Anna Seaman.

1706. Sarah Alicia Seaman, born January 16, 1853.

1707. Judge Alfred Purdy Welch Seaman, born September 7, 1856; graduate Columbia College, studied at Columbia Law School; on Municipal bench in New York City for ten years, of which two years were under the Mitchell Administration; President Board of Assessors of New York City.

1708. Emily Seaman, born June 16, 1859; married Wilbur A. Smith, and had two children:—

Grace Smith, died 1905.

Albert Wilbur Smith, married Alice Carson, and had one daughter:—

Alice Edith Smith.

1709. Caroline Augusta Seaman, born December 10, 1861.

**1364.** DR. RICHARD SEARING SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born New York City, October 24, 1825; died in Brooklyn, February 17, 1901; married May 3, 1853, Mary McGivney, daughter of Dr. Peter and Alicia (Nugent, Byrne) McGivney. (She was born in Brooklyn; died Glen Cove, L. I., April 4, 1888.) Both were buried at Searingtown, L. I. They had eight children:—

+1710. Dr. Richard Franklin Beatty Seaman, born New York City, December 15, 1854; died Locust Valley, L. I., August 6, 1922; buried at Locust Valley; married twice; married, first, June 8, 1882, Sarah Louise Townsend, daughter of Frederick E. and Mary Ann (Embree) Townsend. (She was born New York City, July 12, 1854; died Locust Valley, February 3, 1893; buried at Locust Valley.) Married, second, October 17, 1894, Margaret Ward Ludlam, daughter of Henry Ludlam of Centre Island, L. I.

1711. Anna Caroline Seaman, born October 31, 1856.

1711a. Emily Seaman	} died in infancy.
1711b. Susan Eliza Seaman	
1711c. Frederick Edmond Seaman	

1712. Elizabeth Ida Seaman, born February 3, 1867.

1713. Howard Townsend Seaman, born July 30, 1869.

1714. Arthur Valentine Seaman, born March 16, 1872.

**1367.** JAMES ALFRED SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Frances Barclay, and had four children:—

1715. Elizabeth Seaman, died April, 1906; married John Mortimer Huiell, and had one son:—

Barclay Huiell.

1716. Caroline R. Seaman.

1717. Helen B. Seaman.

+1718. Robert R. Seaman, died March, 1927; married Augusta Huiell.

**1385.** EDWARD H. SEAMAN (Ardon,<sup>6</sup> Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born March 28, 1822; died February 12, 1891; married January 18, 1848, Martha A. Seaman (1018), daughter of Benjamin and Jemima Seaman (517) Seaman. (She was born February 27, 1829; died February 9, 1899.) They had two children:—

1719. Mary E. Seaman, born December 3, 1848; died August 19, 1876.

+1720. Albert William Seaman, born October 3, 1851; married twice. Married, first, June 21, 1881, Mary Atmore Hopkins, daughter of Edwin and Mary Hopkins; married, second, February 14, 1900, Daisy Georgia Hatton, daughter of Dr. Joseph and Georgia Hatton of Georgia. (She was born 1872.)



## Eighth Generation

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**1393.** EDWARD FRANCIS SEAMAN (Jesse,<sup>7</sup> Phineas,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born April 23, 1846; died October 5, 1904; married December 23, 1878, Sarah Jane Bogart, daughter of Peter and Lavinia (Stillwell) Bogart. (She was born August 5, 1855.) They had three children:—

1721. Jessie Boncieur Seaman, born September 7, 1880; died 1881.

1722. Harold DeWitt Seaman, born September 30, 1882.

1723. Editha Frances Seaman, born February 1, 1891.

**1401.** JESSE NICHOLS SEAMAN (Phineas,<sup>7</sup> Phineas,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born August 15, 1847; died December 27, 1880; married November 27, 1873, Julia Anne Bedell, daughter of Stephen and Phoebe (Powell) Bedell. They had five children:—

1724. Kate Ellen Seaman, born 1874; died May 24, 1874.

1725. Mahlon Terry Seaman, born May 14, 1875; died June 18, 1896.

1726. Stephen Phineas Seaman, born February 15, 1877; died June 18, 1896.

1727. Wilbur Orlando Seaman, born April 3, 1899; married October 28, 1900, Mary Ellen Coles.

1728. Phoebe Elydia Seaman, born January 20, 1881; died September 25, 1882.

**1413.** GEORGE WASHINGTON SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Loveland, Colorado; born Xenia, Ohio, November 30, 1825; died November 17, 1897; married at Vandalia, Illinois, May 29, 1851, Sarah J. Gordon, daughter of Joseph and Letitia (White, Robinson) Gordon. (She was born December 26, 1829.) They had eight children:—

1729. Sarah Isabella Seaman, born March 6, 1852; married October 6, 1874, Frank L. Marshall. (He was born March 3, 1853.) Residents of Winona Lake, Indiana.
1730. Emily Letitia Seaman, born October 3, 1853; married September 4, 1879, William James Weber. Residents of Manistigne, Michigan.
1731. Anna Seaman, born August 10, 1855; died in infancy.
1732. Henry Seaman, born December, 1857; died January 24, 1858.
1733. Mabel Seaman, born May 3, 1860; died September 21, 1864.
1734. Joseph Gordon Seaman, born January 30, 1863; married twice; married, first, March 15, 1875, Maude Carter. (She was born February 14, 1863.) Residents Loveland, Colorado.
- +1735. Jonathan Seaman, born at Lebanon, Illinois, August 22, 1867; married June 19, 1895, Kate Bostick, daughter of A. J. and Fanny (Lemon) Bostwick. (She was born August 24, 1870.) Resident Canon City, Colorado.
1736. Lulu Maude Seaman, born November 14, 1869.

### THE SEAMAN FAMILY

By GEORGE W. SEAMAN, Loveland, Colorado

Received from Jonathan Seaman, Canon City, Colorado

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A brief history of the families of the house of Seaman.

"The story is here set forth as it came to me from my father, Jonathan Seaman, who died at his home two miles north of Greenville, County of Bond and state of Illinois, on the 13 January, 1868, at the age of 68 years, 11 mos and 11 days.

My Great, Great, Great, grandfather was a native of Long Island, N. Y., and was of English Ancestry. His name was Jonathan Seaman. For many generations the oldest son was named Jonathan, and Jonathan's eld-

est son was named Jonah, and Jonah's eldest son was named Jonathan. This custom prevailed until my generation, when the Jonahs seem to have been dropped.

My grandfather Jonathan, the first before named, when a young man of about 25 years of age, removed from Long Island, N. Y. to the Shenandoah Valley, Virginia, the fame of its fertility and general climate having been reported to him. And to reach that country he travelled through what was then known as the wilderness of Pennsylvania, going on horseback, and carrying his provisions on packhorses over the trail, there being no roads through the wilderness for wagons. On his arrival in Virginia he secured a large tract of land near the town of Winchester, Frederick County, Va. On this land he built his house, stables, barns, etc., and opened quite a large farm for that day, and had herds of cattle, sheep, hogs, etc. At the end of five years, he determined to return to Long Island and consummate a matrimonial engagement that had been entered into by and between himself and a young lady of Long Island before his removal to Virginia. When about half way through the aforesaid wilderness, he met his brother Jonah and wife moving themselves from Long Island to Virginia. The wife of Jonah was the intended of Jonathan, whom he had intended to marry on his return to Long Island. Then and there was disappointment for Jonathan, but his common sense came to his rescue, and after summing up the whole matter, said to them 'Winter is at hand and when you arrive in Virginia you must take possession of my house and farm and stock, and care for it until I get back to Virginia. If I never return you must keep it as your own, but should I return you must turn it back to me, retaining sufficient of the increase to amply repay you for all your trouble.'

In those days there were no mail facilities between Virginia and New York or if there were any, at very rare intervals. Allowing for time between mails, Jonathan had been in Virginia for five years, and his intended bride not hearing from him, she concluded that Jonathan was dead, or had gone back on her, and had accepted

Jonah who had been diligently worshipping at her shrine all the time of Jonathan's absence.

After the expiration of five or six years, Jonathan having married a wife in Long Island, returned to Virginia and requested an accounting from Jonah, and that he also return to him (Jonathan) his farm, stock, and all his belongings. \* \* \* \* Then Jonathan made a new beginning, and prospered greatly, and became one of the greatest land owners of the day.

During the Revolutionary War my Great Grandfather was in the employ of the Colonies with a Captain's Commission in the Army, as purchasing Agent of Army supplies, and in his zeal in support of the cause of the Colonies, he advanced of his own means and credit, and took in payment Continental Script, at about its face value. After the close of the war, the independence of the Colonies having been acknowledged, the aforesaid script became worthless, nor during his lifetime was the U. S. Government able to redeem it, and finally, after his death, the Government did enact a law for redemption; but believing that it would never be redeemed, it was about all lost or destroyed. My father often spoke of this script and described it as being printed on rough coarse, thick paper, and said that there had been a bushel box full stored in the large attic room of the family house, and that when he and other grandchildren visited the grandparents, if the weather was stormy, the attic was their favorite resort as a place for their plays, and this Continental money was used by them in building paper houses and in other childlike amusements. Much of it was thus destroyed or carried off or lost. It being considered worthless, no care was taken to preserve it.

The financial embarrassment resulting from obligations assumed by Grandfather Jonathan compelled him to sacrifice most of his property to meet his obligations, and left but little of his large estate to be handed down to his heirs. There were only four children in my Great Grandfather Jonathan's family, (he was twice married) Two children born of the first wife. The older named Jonah, and the second named William, who moved to the

town of Lebanon, Warren County, Ohio about the year 1808, where he engaged in business of tanning hides and manufacturing leather for the home and southern markets, and at his business he accumulated quite a valuable estate. He died in middle life, leaving two children. Thomas was the name of the eldest, the youngest a daughter whose name I have forgotten. Thomas became a physician, and in his early manhood moved to the neighborhood of Savannah, Tennessee, where, I am informed, his descendants are still living.

Of the three boys, all were Doctors, and during the War of the Rebellion were Colonels in the Rebel Army. My Grandfather Jonah moved from Virginia in 1808 to the town of Chillicothe, Ross County, Ohio, but after a lapse of about two years he moved to a farm about one mile west of Willington, Clinton County, Ohio, where he died in 1838.

My Grandmother Seaman's maiden name was Catherine Sheets, a sister of John and George Sheets of Frederick County, Virginia, who also removed to Ohio about the same time of the removal of my Grandfather to Ohio. She was also the Aunt of John Sheets of Madison, Indiana, and of William Sheets of Indianapolis, Ind., whose descendants are living in the aforesaid cities.

My Grandfather Jonah Seaman had seven sons and two girls. Their names were Jonathan, (my father) born 22 January 1799, and died on his farm two and a half miles east of the town of Greenville, Bond County, Illinois, 13 January 1868. Philip, who died of Typhoid fever and doctors in Zenia about 1833. The next son was named George, who died on his farm four miles southwest of Bellefontaine, Ohio, in 1874, aged 72 years. The "third"? named son, Lewis, born in 1804, died at his home on his farm southeast of West Liberty, Logan County, Ohio about 1877.

The fifth son was Jonah, who died in Wisconsin, date of which is not now remembered. His oldest son, Edward, is a prosperous farmer in the locality where his father lived and died. The son William lives in the state of Missouri.

The sixth son of Jonah was Joseph, and the seventh was Morgan Miles; both of these sons died in early manhood and were never married.

The oldest daughter, Susan, died in infancy. The second grew up to woman's estate, and was married to James Dakin, and lived on a farm two miles west of the town of Willington, Clinton County, Ohio. She left two children (girls). The youngest died when a child, and the eldest is living on her farm east of and adjoining the town of Sheridan, Hamilton County, Indiana, in the grass belt of the state.

My father Jonathan Seaman was six feet one inch; his shortest brother, George, was six feet standing in his stocking feet. The others were six feet two to six feet six inches in height.

I am of the opinion that our family is of English origin. The name and spelling of, both indicate that it came from their occupation, that of seafaring men or sailors of the sea, and further, in the signers of the doctrines of the Confessions of faith, known as the Westminster confession of faith of their construction of the doctrines of the Holy Bible, appears the name of Ebenezer Seaman, who was a member of the conference that framed and published the aforesaid confession of faith, as one of the signers thereto.

Since the organization of the U. S. Government, the Seaman family have given their loyal support to it, but were never Democrats of the Locofoco Jackson, Van Buren stripe. They were supporters of Washington and Hamilton theory of conducting the government of the U. S., and later were Whigs and Protective Tariff men, and were also anti-slavery in their opinions on that subject.

I have purposely omitted the children and their families of father and his brothers, for the reason that many of them are still living and know all about them as well as I do."

Loveland, Colorado

28 May, 1897

**1420.** JOSEPH OLIVER SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born June 24, 1844; married at Shelbyville, Illinois, September 29, 1868, Sarah Frances Durban, daughter of James and Sarah (Huber) Durban. (She was born May 29, 1850.) They had six children:—

1737. Mabel Frances Seaman, born October 31, 1869; married June 26, 1901, Grant B. Wilder.

1738. James Lewis Seaman, born June 25, 1871; married September 23, 1892, Mary Leu Orr, daughter of Alexander T. and Margaret Orr.

1739. George Durban Seaman, born May 24, 1874; married September 20, 1898, Alta Mae Weakley, daughter of A. P. and Mary Ann (Miller) Weakley.

1740. Mary Seaman, born September 1, 1880; resident Shelbyville, Illinois.

1741. Anna J. Seaman, born June 24, 1882; married May 29, 1905, Frederick S. Martin, son of Park T. and Ella (Huber) Martin.

1742. Jonathan Seaman, born August 31, 1885; married September 16, 1908, Luella Otis Kammer.

**1422.** JONATHAN SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Greenville, Illinois; born October 5, 1851; died September 14, 1917; married twice; married, first, December 15, 1874, Mary E. Owen, daughter of John and Mary (Colt) Owen. (She was born December 30, 1850.) They had one son:—

+1743. Albert Owen Seaman, born February 7, 1878; married twice; married, first, September 4, 1902, Mabel Farmen; married, second, July 23, 1908, Florence Look.

Jonathan Seaman married, second, February 15, 1883, Jennie Hull, daughter of John and Lucinda Hull. (She was born August 9, 1854.) They had one son:—

+1744. Jonathan Ralph Seaman, married 1915.

**1426.** GEORGE W. SEAMAN (Philip,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born August 12, 1823;

married twice; married, first, September 11, 1843, Esther I. Garwood. (She died January 20, 1859.) Lived in Ohio. They had five children:—

1745. Annie E. Seaman, born November 1, 1844; died August 31, 1857.

+1746. John C. Seaman, born February 9, 1846; married February 16, 1868, Marilla Newell.

1747. Lewis S. Seaman, born August 12, 1849; died August 1, 1850.

+1748. William H. Seaman, born November 8, 1853; married October 19, 1876, Jane R. Wright.

1749. Esther L. Seaman, born June 24, 1849; died August 1, 1859.

1750. Deborah Seaman, born November 30, 1861; died December 7, 1861.

1751. Emma J. Seaman, born November 18, 1862; died October 3, 1864.

1752. Mary F. Seaman, born August 23, 1864.

1753. Thomas F. Seaman, born March 16, 1866.

1754. George W. Seaman, born February 19, 1868.

1755. Ruth Seaman, born January 5, 1870.

1756. Jennie Seaman, born August 17, 1872.

1757. Sarah L. Seaman, born January 6, 1875; died January 22, 1875.

**1427.** EDWIN SEAMAN (Philip,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born September 10, 1824; died October 29, 1893; married 1864, Cynthia Crutchfield, and had a daughter:—

1758. Frances Seaman, married Albert A. Miller. Residents Minneapolis, Minn.

**1428.** FRANCIS SEAMAN (Philip,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born December 15, 1827; died August 23, 1893; married 1849, Harriet Gribble. (She died December 21, 1895.) They had five children:—



+1759. Henry H. Seaman, born September 15, 1851; married December 15, 1875, Emma Knechtal.

1760. Coleman O. Seaman, born September 6, 1854; married 1877, Adda Hopkins.

1761. Catherine Seaman, born September 23, 1857; married January 31, 1876, Charles A. Buntin. (He was born December 29, 1851.)

1762. Ida Seaman, born May 19, 1860; married February 6, 1883, Samuel Cowley.

1763. R. Edwin Seaman, born August 26, 1866; died December 22, 1888.

**1431.** WILLIAM H. SEAMAN (Geo. W.,<sup>7</sup> Jonas,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Capt. John<sup>1</sup>). born 1835; married April 27, 1857, Hannah Millner, daughter of James R. and Hannah (Tobin) Millner. (She was born 1841.) They had eleven children, of whom five are mentioned:—

1764. Hattie Seaman, born June 21, 1858; married December 22, 1885, David Spellman.

1765. Clarence C. Seaman, born August 16, 1860; married June, 1898, Katherine Mikel.

1766. William Seaman, born February 26, 1863; died November 21, 1872.

1767. Charles Seaman, born June 23, 1866.

1768. Harry Seaman, born April 8, 1868; married Rebecca Patterson.

**1435.** JOHN W. SEAMAN (Geo. W.,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). resident of Loveland, Colorado; born September 11, 1845; died January 9, 1907; married November 25, 1878, Allie B. Shallenberger, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Boyd) Shallenberger. (She was born June 10, 1852.) They had five children:—

1769. Raymond Seaman, born August 2, 1879; died October 24, 1882.

1770. J. Roland Seaman, born March 8, 1884; married June 5, 1907, Henrietta H. Simmons.

1771. Harold H. Seaman, born December 21, 1885.

1772. Herman W. Seaman, born October 31, 1892.

1773. Genevieve Marie Seaman, born June 21, 1895.

**1439.** LEWIS W. SEAMAN (Lewis,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident West Liberty, Ohio; born October 16, 1836; died February 7, 1881; married October, 1873. Frances Beebe, daughter of Josiah and Laura Beebe. They had two daughters:—

1774. Josephine Seaman, born March 28, 1875; married September, 1899, Prof. J. Raymond Murlin, and had a son:—

John Anderson Murlin, Jr., born June, 1903.

1775. Nettie Seaman, born April 16, 1877.

**1440.** ELISHA SEAMAN (Lewis,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident of Columbus, Ohio; born September 11, 1838; married twice; married, first, June 22, 1874. Eunice Votaw, daughter of James and Judith (Johnson) Votaw. (She was born September 23, 1844; died February 5, 1881.) They had three daughters:—

1776. Lena Nettie Seaman, born February 28, 1875; married February 9, 1907, James Logan Slason, son of James and Patience (Gage) Slason. (She was born June 2, 1844.)

1777. Cora Votaw Seaman, born March 22, 1877.

1778. Lavinia Smith Seaman, born September 5, 1878.

Elisha Seaman married, second, May, 1881, Nellie Fisher, daughter of George and Ruth Fisher. (She was born July 11, 1853.) They had three children:—

1779. Anna Eliza Seaman, born November 16, 1882.

1780. Bertha Mabel Seaman, born May 23, 1886.

1781. Lewis Sheets Seaman, born June 25, 1888.

**1443.** EDWARD SEAMAN (Jonah,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), lived and died in Wisconsin. He was a prosperous farmer, and had a son:—

1782. William Seaman, resident of Missouri; married September 28, 1882, Mary B. Horner, daughter of Alexander and Elizabeth Horner. (She was born August 4, 1862.) They had one son.

**1462.** BENJAMIN DANIEL SEAMAN (Daniel,<sup>7</sup> Daniel,<sup>6</sup> Micah,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Freemont, Sandusky Co., Ohio; born Barton, Tioga Co., N. Y., August 19, 1833; died Freemont, Sandusky Co., Ohio, August 2, 1902; married in Sandusky Co., January 1, 1863, Estelle Jeanette Cobb, daughter of Justus and Eliza Jeannette (Morgan) Cobb of Wayne Co., Pa. (She was born Wayne Co., Pa., November 8, 1838; died Sandusky County, Ohio, December 18, 1871.) They had one child:—

1783. Kathleen B. Seaman, born Sandusky Co., Ohio, December 24, 1865; married at ~~Cleveland, Ohio~~, March 7, 1887, Charles Burt Tozier, son of Charles Louis and Mary Ann (Burt) Tozier. (He was born ~~Waltham~~ Waltham, Mass., March 29, 1858.) Kathleen B. Seaman is also descended through the following line: Captain John,<sup>1</sup> Elizabeth,<sup>2</sup> m. John Jackson; James Jackson,<sup>3</sup> m. Rebecca Hallett; Mary Jackson,<sup>4</sup> m. Jacob Willets; Mary Willets,<sup>5</sup> m. April 12, 1737, David Seaman (107).

Kathleen Seaman Tozier is prominent in patriotic organizations, Civic and Club movements. A history of Cleveland, Ohio, published in 1918, pays the following tribute: "For a number of years the work of patriotic organizations at Cleveland has centered around Mrs. Charles Burt Tozier. A better proscriptive right to the honors and opportunities of such a position could scarcely be required. While literally dozens of ancestral lines give her the privilege of membership in such organizations it has been her peculiar talent for leadership and administration that has enabled her to perform such an astonishing amount of work through so many different and varied channels. Few women in the country could bear so easily and gracefully the dignities and responsibilities of so many important offices as have come to Mrs. Tozier."

**1468.** JACKSON DANIEL SEAMAN (Ira K.,<sup>7</sup> Daniel,<sup>6</sup> Micah,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Woodville, Ohio,

April 3, 1847; married Emma Leiper of Mt. Sterling, Ill. They had two sons:—

+1784. Dr. Ira Kent Seaman, resident Fort Wayne, Ind.

+1785. Walter Daniel Seaman, resident Omaha, Neb.

Jackson Daniel Seaman served throughout the Civil War on the Gunboat *Ozark* and was with General Banks when he dammed the Red River.

**1491.** ELIAS HICKS SEAMAN (Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Jericho, L. I., May 2, 1826; died Jericho, January 24, 1904; married at Jericho, February 15, 1855, Phoebe Underhill, daughter of Samuel J. and Mary (Willets) Underhill. (She was born October 16, 1830; died December 23, 1903.) They had seven children:—

1786. Mary Seaman, born May 4, 1856; died September 5, 1856.

+1787. Samuel Jackson Seaman, born October 9, 1857; married three times; married, first, September 10, 1879, Matilda Willets, daughter of William and Mary (Valentine) Willets. (She was born December 27, 1854; died May 1, 1896). Married, second, June 2, 1913, Jane R. Willets, daughter of William and Mary (Valentine) Willets. (She was born October 31, 1852; died August 19, 1917.) Married, third, August 31, 1918, Katherine V. des Jardins Pilling, daughter of Charles Borome and Mary Elizabeth (Capron) des Jardins and widow of Dr. Simeon O. Pilling. (She was born October 6, 1865.)

1788. Sarah R. Seaman, born September 25, 1860; died January 14, 1861.

1789. Anna Seaman, born November 14, 1862; lives in Elias Hicks homestead at Jericho, L. I.

+1790. Robert Seaman, born September 28, 1864; married September 12, 1894, Hannah Willets, daughter of Daniel and Lydia (Moore) Willets. (She was born May 14, 1858; died March 2, 1896.)

+1791. William Henry Seaman, born February 12, 1868; married June 7, 1893, Margaret Laurie, daughter of William and Frances (Seaman) Laurie. (She was born November 14, 1869.)



Home of Jonathan Seaman (111) and his daughter Jemima Seaman (304)  
Now owned and occupied by Anna Seaman (1789)



+1792. James Haviland Seaman, born November 18, 1870; married October 16, 1895, Bessie Bridges, daughter of George and Sarah (Weeks) Bridges of Locust Valley, L. I. (She was born July 31, 1875; died June 2, 1902.) Married, second, July 19, 1905, Florence Haviland, daughter of Willard and Anna (Streeter) Haviland.

**1493.** WILLET H. SEAMAN (Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born December 23, 1839; died October 12, 1923; married June 1, 1864, Mary Wing, daughter of Daniel and Achsah (Nye) Wing. (She was born December 23, 1839; died October 12, 1923.) They had three sons:—

1793. Edward W. Seaman, born April 3, 1867.

1794. Willet H. Seaman, Jr., born May 23, 1872.

1795. Frank W. Seaman, born April 7, 1877; died August 2, 1919; married December 15, 1915, Edna Thompson, daughter of Willis D. and Edith Thompson of Phenox, N. Y. (She was born September 26, 1882.)

**1494.** VALENTINE HICKS SEAMAN (Dr. William,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Brooklyn, N. Y.; born New York City, June 9, 1834; died Brooklyn, September 27, 1902; married October 7, 1856, Rebecca Cromwell, daughter of David and Rebecca Cromwell. (She was born July 7, 1835; died July 30, 1915.) Valentine H. Seaman was a leather merchant; birthright member Society of Friends. They had eight children:—

+1796. William Seaman, born New York City, July 5, 1857; died Wilmington, Del., September 27, 1892; married at Wilmington, October 7, 1886, Adelaide W. Lobdell. (She was born October 5, 1860.)

1797. Caroline Hicks Seaman, born February 23, 1859; died November 18, 1859.

+1798. Henry Bowman Seaman, born January 20, 1861; married April 7, 1904, Grace Dutton.

1799. Edwin H. Seaman, born October 5, 1862; died August 25, 1863.

1800. Howard Seaman, born November 23, 1863; died August 26, 1883.

1801. Valentine Hicks Seaman, Jr., born May 3, 1872; married October 30, 1920, Florence M. Williams of Rochester, N. Y. He was Assistant Secretary Guaranty Trust Company of New York City; Secretary-Treasurer of the Liberty National Safe Deposit Company.

1802. Emily Cromwell Seaman, born March 5, 1876; graduate Adelphi College, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Assistant in Chemistry, Adelphi College; Teacher Public Schools in Brooklyn; degree M.A., Department Chemistry, Columbia University; Ph.D., Columbia University, being the first woman to receive this degree from work done at College of Physicians and Surgeons; Instructor in Physiological Chemistry, Teachers' College, Columbia University for eight years; Research worker Department Experimental Medicine, Cornell Medical College for three years; Relief worker with under-nourished children in Germany, Vienna and Poland under auspices American Friends' Relief Committee, World War; Relief worker for relief of children in Pennsylvania, 1921-1922, under auspices American Friends' Service Committee; Research worker, Child Health Association; Research in Department of Bio-Chemistry, Post Graduate Hospital.

+1803. Frederick Cromwell Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., October 6, 1886; died Wilmington, Del., January 17, 1910; married April 4, 1908, Ethel Lobdell of Wilmington, Del.

**1496.** SAMUEL HICKS SEAMAN (Dr. William,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Brooklyn, N. Y.; born New York City, November 26, 1838; died Brooklyn, N. Y., January 25, 1901; married in Philadelphia, Pa., September 15, 1863, Hannah Richardson Husband, daughter of Thomas J. and Mary (Richardson) Husband of Philadelphia. (She was born October 29, 1837; died July 4, 1912.) Samuel H. Seaman was a Shipping Merchant in New York City; Member New York Chamber of Commerce; Trustee Bowery Savings Bank, New York City, for twenty-two years; Trustee Friends' School, Brooklyn, and Packer Institute, Brooklyn; birthright member Society of Friends.



SAMPLE THE STEAMER

— OF THE —

*City of Brooklyn, County of Kings and State of New York*

William and Caroline H. Seaman

# FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Thomas J. and Mary K. Husband of Bucks Co. and City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania

having laid their intentions of Marriage with each other, before the Monthly Meeting of the religious Society of Friends held at Spruce Street, Philadelphia, they having consent of surviving parents, and nothing appearing to obstruct that proposal, Marriage was approved by the Meeting. **WITNESSES** **AMIN** **CHURCH**, that for the accomplishment of that said intention this fifteenth day of the fourth month of the year of ~~1792~~ **1802** one thousand eight hundred and sixty three, they the said

Samuel H. Seaman and Hannah H. Musband

appeared at the wedding house of Thomas & Hannah South & Sister, in the City of Philadelphia, in the presence of a Committee appointed for that purpose, by the Monthly Meeting of the said Society; and the said Samuel & Hannah taking the said Hannah & Kneeland by the hand did on this solemn occasion declare, that he took her to be his Wife, promising with Divine assistance to be unto her a faithful and loving husband, until Death should separate them; and she, the said Hannah & Kneeland did on like manner declare, that she took him the said Samuel & Samuel to be her Husband promising with Divine assistance to be unto him a loving and faithful Wife until Death should separate them.

it would be that import. And they the same

Samuel H. Searman und Hannah K. Husband

She, according to the custom of Haverly, assuming the name of her Husband, as a further confirmation thereof, did then and there to these presents set their hands.

Samuel H. Seaman  
Samuel H. Seaman

Anthony P. Russell.  
 Antya Morris  
 Mr. H. Russell  
 Joshua Russell  
 Margaret H. Russell  
 J. H. Russell  
 Margaret Russell  
 Hannah P. Russell  
 Joshua Russell  
 Mrs. H. Longstreet  
 Mary Pike  
 Harriet Pike  
 Miss Mary Russell  
 Charles P. Russell

Charles Combs Jr.  
Margaret J. Richardson  
Thos. H. Richardson  
Mary R. Richardson  
H. Richardson  
Anna Richardson  
Nathl. Richardson  
Harrah J. Richardson  
Bathsheba Richardson  
Hannah Richardson  
Sarah Richardson  
Hannah Richardson  
John V. Richardson  
Elizabeth Richardson  
Annora Richardson

Caroline H. Roman  
 Valentine H. Roman  
 Henry C. Cromwell  
 Frank H. Cromwell  
 George H. Cromwell  
 Mary Whitliff  
 Frank B. Conley  
 Lydia Pike  
 Elias H. Seaman  
 Wm. E. Myers  
 John Baird  
 Samuel Conley  
 Emma M. Conley

Isaac Killam  
James Thornton  
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"The community loses in him an able, upright citizen, whom no consideration could ever swerve from the straight path of duty. His useful and exemplary life illustrated the virtues upon which, as upon a rock, the security of public trusts is founded. He revered his conscience as his King." He had five children:—

+1804. Joseph H. Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., February 28, 1865; married New York City, January 14, 1913, Josephine Richardson Notman, daughter of Henry T. and Sophie C. Richardson. (She was born December 15, 1873.)

1805. Caroline Hicks Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., June 3, 1868; married November 20, 1894, William A. Read, son of George W. and Rowland Augusta Read. (He was born Brooklyn, N. Y., May 20, 1858; died New York City, April 7, 1916. Prominent banker and public spirited citizen of New York City.) They lived in New York City, and had nine children:—

William Augustus Read, Jr., twin, born Rye, N. Y., August 21, 1895; married, Boston, Mass., May 10, 1917, Edith Fabyan. Served on Mexican border, Mass. Artillery, 1916; U. S. N. R. F. (Aviation), World War, 1917-1918. They had six sons:—

William Augustus Read, 3rd, born May 16, 1918.

Curtis Seaman Read, born November 6, 1919.

David Westcott Read, born July 22, 1922.

Roderick Fabyan Read, born March 22, 1925.

Peter Bancroft Read, born May 17, 1926.

Alexander Duncan Read, born August 31, 1928.

Curtis Seaman Read, twin, born Rye, N. Y., August 21, 1895; died Dunkirk, France, February 27, 1918, in service in the World War; U. S. N. R. F. (Aviation).

Duncan Hicks Read, born Rye, N. Y., October 30, 1896; U. S. N. R. F. (Aviation), World War, 1917-1918; Graduate Harvard College.

Dr. Russell Bartow Read, born New York City, May 10, 1898; married April 13, 1922, Hope Williams; Graduate Yale College; Columbia Law School; College Physicians

and Surgeons, N. Y. C., 1928; U. S. N. R. F. (Aviation), World War, 1917-1918.

Caroline Hicks Read, born Lenox, Mass., September 29, 1899; married Purchase, N. Y., June 19, 1920, Archibald G. McIlwaine, Jr. They had two sons:—

Archibald Graham McIlwaine, 3rd, born March 27, 1921.

John Curtis McIlwaine, born May 5, 1923.

Bancroft Read, born Lenox, Mass., August 23, 1901; died November 9, 1901.

Bayard Whitney Read, born New York City, December 29, 1902; married September 25, 1926, at Rye, N. Y., Edith M. Gwynne; Graduate Princeton College.

Mary Elizabeth Read, born New York City, May 22, 1904.

Kenneth Bancroft Read, born Purchase, N. Y., June 7, 1907; died January 28, 1908.

1806. Franklin Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., December 28, 1869; died August 7, 1896.

1807. Mary Thomas Seaman, born Staten Island, N. Y., July 13, 1872. Resident Brooklyn, N. Y.

1808. Sarah Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., August 21, 1875; married in Brooklyn, October 15, 1902, Lloyd Saltus, son of Nicholas and Maria Sanford Saltus. (He was born Brooklyn, N. Y., January 14, 1864; died Morristown, N. J., January 16, 1921.) They lived in Morristown, N. J., and had five children:—

Mary Seaman Saltus, born Morristown, N. J., August 14, 1903; died February 27, 1920.

Ethel Sanford Saltus, born Morristown, N. J., April 6, 1905.

Seymour Saltus, born Morristown, N. J., November 30, 1907.

Lloyd Seaman Saltus, born Morristown, N. J., June 17, 1909.

Carolyn Saltus, born September 13, 1911.

**1530.** WILLIAM B. SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>7</sup> Adam,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Freeport, L. I.; married Mary Jane Losee, and had two sons:—

1809. Frank B. Seaman, born 1872; married November 3, 1896, Sarah Frances Miller, daughter of Richard and Charlotte (Baldwin) Miller.

1810. Charles Leonard Seaman, born 1877; married June 4, 1890, Mary Emma Morse, daughter of Zachariah and Phebe (Carman) Morse.

**1531.** CHARLES H. SEAMAN (Samuel,<sup>7</sup> Adam,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born August 17, 1838; married January 2, 1864, Mary E. Post. (She was born January 17, 1845.) They had three children:—

1811. Flora Seaman, born February 17, 1868; married ——— Griffen.

1812. Walter P. Seaman, born July 20, 1883.

1813. Ethel M. Seaman, born January 30, 1889.

**1536.** JOHN SEAMAN (Lattin,<sup>7</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Belmore, L. I.; married Mary Elizabeth Baldwin, daughter of Thomas Baldwin of Seaford, L. I. They had five children:—

1814. Julia Seaman, married ——— Elbert of Rockaway Beach, L. I.

1815. Ida Seaman, died 1926; married David Van Wicklin. (He died 1927.)

1816. Josephine V. Seaman, married Augustus Leek of Rockaway, L. I.

+1817. Edward John Seaman, born February 13, 1849; married June 1, 1871, Mary Esther Tilden, daughter of Henry and Keziah (Dennis) Tilden. (She was born February 28, 1851, at Huntington, L. I.; died January 25, 1928.)

1818. Louis Seaman, died in infancy.

**1539.** SMITH SEAMAN (Lattin,<sup>7</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Caroline Golden, and had two children:—

1819. Olive Seaman, married Oliver Smith.

+1820. Nelson Lott Seaman, born August 25, 1858; married November 25, 1883, Hattie White, daughter of Captain Benjamin Franklin and Abigail (Small) White of Addison, Maine.

**1550.** HIRAM FERGUSON SEAMAN (George,<sup>7</sup> Allan T. C.,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Bolton, N. Y.; twin of William A. Seaman; born February 23, 1866; married October 22, 1889, Mary M. Sands, daughter of George and Mary (Mills) Sands. (She was born December 11, 1864.) They had ten children:—

1821. Ruth Seaman, born October 7, 1890.

+1822. Amidon Seaman, born February 13, 1892; married June 25, 1920, Winona Elizabeth Mary Van Kersen.

1823. Allan Mills Seaman, born July 28, 1893; died November 1, 1918, Argonne, France, in service in the World War.

1824. Hiram Seaman, twin, born September 21, 1895; died March 24, 1897.

1825. William Seaman, twin, born September 21, 1895; died January 10, 1924; Veteran in World War.

+1826. Fenwick Seaman, born August 27, 1897; married April 22, 1921, Gertrude Pitts.

1827. Margaret Seaman, born May 14, 1900.

1828. Christine Georgie Seaman, born December 2, 1901.

1829. George Arthur Seaman, born May 12, 1905.

1830. Hubert Francis Seaman, born February 5, 1908.

**1551.** WILLIAM AMIDON SEAMAN (George W.,<sup>7</sup> Allan T. C.,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Cadillac, Mich.; born February 23, 1866; twin of Hiram F. Seaman; married July 30, 1887, Emma May Cronkhite, daughter of Major and Elizabeth Ellen (Rathbone) Cronkhite. (She was born July 30, 1866.) They had one daughter:—

1831. Lillian Amidon Seaman, born September 24, 1897; married August 2, 1917, Robert Earl Hodgins, and had four children:—

Donald Robert Hodgins, born June 7, 1918.

William J. Hodgins, born April 14, 1920.

Marie Margaret Hodgins, born June 29, 1923.

Ruth Elaine Hodgins, born February 5, 1925.

**1552.** ALLAN TAYLOR SEAMAN (George W.,<sup>7</sup> Allan T. C.,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Bolton, N. Y.; born September 11, 1868; married November 10, 1894, Olive Divilbiss, daughter of John M. and Anne (Milligan) Divilbiss. (She was born October 31, 1870.) They had two children:—

1832. Eugene Carleton Seaman, born July 24, 1897; died April 5, 1918.

1833. John Harley Seaman, born May 27, 1907; died February 12, 1928.

**1554.** ALLEN BRIGGS SEAMAN (Marinus W.,<sup>7</sup> Allan T. C.,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Shipman, Ill., January 18, 1862; died Denver, Colo., September 25, 1903; married October 13, 1885, Jane O. Babcock of Monmouth, Ill. (She was born September 1, 1858.) He was graduated from the University of Chicago with degree of B.S. Received his law degree from University of Iowa in 1884. Moved to Denver, Colo. Counsel for Colorado Telephone Co.; Representative in Colorado of Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific R. R. "It was as a politician, a leader of men and as an able jurist and lawyer that Allen B. Seaman was known throughout the state of Colorado. Colleagues and opponents, legal and political, join in a tribute to his ability, his straightforwardness, his untiring energy, his broad mind and his large heart." They had two daughters:—

1834. Allene Elizabeth Seaman, lives in East Aurora, N. Y.; merchant and partner in firm of Seaman, Hood & Morey.

1835. Lucia Maria Seaman, lives in Beloit, Wis.; married, first, 1908, Charles E. Shaw, and had one daughter:—

Jane Allen Shaw, born November 23, 1913.

Lucia Seaman Shaw married, second, 1918, Fermor T. Black, and have one son:—

Fermor T. Black, Jr., born May 22, 1921.

**1559.** HALLECK WAGER SEAMAN (Richard S.,<sup>7</sup> Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Andrew,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Clinton, Iowa; born Clinton, Iowa, September 26, 1860; married December 27, 1887, Helen Valeria Scott, daughter of Walter A. and Elizabeth J. (Perrin) Scott. He was President American Mining Congress; Chairman Board of Directors of Clinton Wire Cloth Company; Railroad Attorney; Member many boards, and public spirited citizen of note. They had two children:—

1836. Dwight Scott Seaman, born Clinton, Iowa, August 30, 1889; President Clinton Wire Cloth Company; Lieutenant, Headquarters Army Artillery, World War, and present at the time of the German surrender, 1918.

1837. Mildred A. Seaman, born Clinton, Iowa, December 28, 1891; died January 16, 1903.

**1573.** WILLIAM JAMES SEAMAN (James,<sup>7</sup> Hiram,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November, 1856; died May 1, 1900; married November 9, 1884, Maria Chickering. (She was born at Charlottesville, Va., September 27, 1863.) They had two children:—

1838. Charlotte Seaman, died in infancy.

1839. Margaret Lamont Seaman, born February 23, 1889, at Cobleskill, N. Y.; married at Johnstown, N. Y., June 21, 1908, Dr. Austin Hogan of Johnstown, and had three children:—

Austin Seaman Hogan, born March 7, 1909.

Walter James Hogan, born March 7, 1911.

Maria Elizabeth Hogan, born March 8, 1916.

**1587.** HENRY GETMAN SEAMAN (James,<sup>7</sup> Andrew,<sup>6</sup> Henry,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Johnstown, N. Y., November 7, 1878; married June 29, 1905, Alta Barber of Gloversville, N. Y. (She was born 1884.) They had one son:—

1840. Clyde Seaman, born April 6, 1908.

**1597.** CHARLES GERMANE SEAMAN (Charles G.,<sup>7</sup> Samuel A.,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), residence Passaic, N. J.; born January 5, 1877; married March 11, 1903,



Anna May Walker. (She was born November 10, 1880.) They have three daughters:—

1841. Elva Maywood Seaman, born February 20, 1904; married October 30, 1926, James A. Lyche.

1842. Dorothy Ione Seaman, born June 29, 1908.

1843. Marie Louise Seaman, born August 16, 1909.

**1629.** DAVID SANDS SEAMAN (John W.,<sup>7</sup> David S.,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 11, 1879; married June 6, 1910, Elizabeth Avery Sweet, and had three children:—

1844. John Whitson Seaman, born March 28, 1911; died April 7, 1922.

1845. David Sands Seaman, Jr., born October 11, 1912.

1846. Avery Seaman, born July 28, 1923.

**1631.** HENRY LEWIS SEAMAN (John W.,<sup>7</sup> David S.,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 3, 1887; married June 19, 1912, L. May Keenholts, and had two children:—

1847. William Henry Seaman, born January 10, 1914.

1848. Mary Elizabeth Seaman, born October 3, 1915.

**1635.** EDGAR JACKSON SEAMAN (John J.,<sup>7</sup> Thomas,<sup>6</sup> John J.,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born May 13, 1875; married October 6, 1897, Elizabeth G. Smith, daughter of John Smith. They had three children:—

1849. Ruth C. Seaman, born September 24, 1900.

1850. Elizabeth Seaman, born October 28, 1903; died July 21, 1906.

1851. John Jackson Seaman, born February 14, 1911.

**1659.** WILLIAM HENRY SEAMAN (Henry,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married Laura E. Carpenter, and had one daughter:—

1852. Cora Seaman, born April 1, 1869.

**1664.** JACOB V. SEAMAN (Noah,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Amityville, L. I.; born 1842; died November 28, 1878; married November 1, 1863. Ruth E. Smith, daughter of Edwin and Susan (Holmes) Smith. (She was born at Bethpage, L. I., January 9, 1845; died March 3, 1928.) They had three children:—

+1853. Eugene E. Seaman, born October, 1867; died 1922; married Virginia T. Grady.

+1854. Herbert Royal Seaman, resident Montclair, N. J., born Brooklyn, N. Y., July 24, 1874; married October 24, 1900, Alice Adams. Treasurer East Brooklyn Savings Bank, Brooklyn, N. Y.

1855. Jennie Louise Seaman, born March 11, 1879, at Amityville, N. Y.; married J. Frank McDonald. They had two children:—

J. Frank McDonald, Jr., married Marion Hopkins, and had a daughter, Marion Ida Hopkins.

Louise McDonald, married Victor Miller, and had a son, Victor Miller, Jr.

**1665.** ALANSON H. SEAMAN (Noah,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born 1846; died 1911; married 1870, Annie E. Smith, and had eight children:—

1856. Arthur Seaman, born 1871.

1857. Edward Seaman, born 1873.

1858. Noah Seaman, born 1875.

1859. Augusta Seaman, born 1878.

1860. William Seaman, born 1880.

1861. Annie Seaman, born 1883.

1862. Mabel Seaman, born 1886.

1863. Herbert Seaman, born 1888.

**1667.** ROYAL SEAMAN (Noah,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Amityville, N. Y.; born 1853; married 1879, S. Louise Williams, and had two children:—

1864. Sarah W. Seaman, born 1880; married T. A. Powell.

1865. Nellie E. Seaman, born 1886; married John Rapelje.

**1686.** CHARLES F. SEAMAN (James,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Westbury, L. I., January 29, 1875; married twice; married, first, June 29, 1904, Lulu Vielee, daughter of John B. Vielee. (She was born April 19, 1883; died November 15, 1913.) They had four children:—

1866. Charlotte Seaman, born May 22, 1905; died May 26, 1905.

1867. James C. Seaman, born May 16, 1906.

1868. Mildred L. Seaman, born May 16, 1909.

1869. Walter F. Seaman, born November 8, 1913.

Charles F. Seaman married, second, December 6, 1916, Gladys Scott, daughter of Abraham and Mina Scott. They had two children:—

1870. Edmund F. Seaman, born December 10, 1917.

1871. William Seaman, born November 4, 1923.

**1687.** JACOB T. SEAMAN (James,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born October 12, 1877; married October 23, 1905, Mae Greenleaf, daughter of Samuel and Melissa Greenleaf. They had two children:—

1872. Melissa G. Seaman, born September 1, 1907.

1873. Elizabeth Elam Seaman, born May 14, 1910.

**1689.** EDMUND SEAMAN (James,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), residents Harriman, N. Y.; born May 20, 1883; married June 24, 1908, Edna M. Smith, daughter of Irving and Margaret Smith. They had one daughter:—

1874. Elizabeth Meta Seaman, born August 4, 1913.

**1697.** GEORGE ROE SEAMAN (Edward H.,<sup>7</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Silas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Monroe, Orange County, N. Y., May 1, 1874; married Fanny J. Reed, and had two children:—

1875. George Clayton Seaman.

1876. Marjorie E. Seaman.

**1701.** RAYMOND VALENTINE SEAMAN (William V.,<sup>7</sup> Valentine,<sup>6</sup> Silas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 28, 1897; married August 13, 1924, Gertrude Wells, daughter of Ernest Albert and Lucy (Davidson) Wells. (She was born September 3, 1896.)

Raymond V. Seaman, graduate Syracuse University, N. Y., 1921; private, 105th Ambulance Co., 27th Division, A. E. F., World War, 1918-1919; Principal, Washingtonville High School, New York State. They had two sons:—

1877. David Valentine Seaman, born May 29, 1926.

1878. Theodore Wells Seaman, born November 17, 1927.

**1710.** DR. RICHARD FRANKLIN BEATTY SEAMAN (Dr. Richard S.,<sup>7</sup> Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born New York City, December 15, 1854; died Locust Valley, L. I., August 6, 1922; buried at Locust Valley; married twice; married, first, June 8, 1882, Sarah Louise Townsend, daughter of Frederick E. and Mary Ann (Embree) Townsend. (She was born New York City, July 12, 1854; died Locust Valley, February 3, 1893; buried at Locust Valley.) They had four children:—

+1878a. Richard Franklin Townsend Seaman, born July 6, 1883; died November 24, 1918; married June 20, 1906, Anna J. Clynes.

1878b. Edith Florence Seaman, born April 27, 1885; died February 25, 1917; married July 6, 1905, Thomas Godfrey Clynes. (He was born April 27, 1885; died at Long Hills, N. J., February 25, 1917; buried at Locust Valley.) They had two children:

Thomas Godfrey Clynes, Jr., born August 13, 1910.

Richard Wellington Clynes, born February 12, 1917.

1878c. Mary Embree Seaman, born November 29, 1886; married October 29, 1913, Benjamin Le Briton Mitchell.

1878d. Frederick Seaman, died in infancy.

Dr. Richard F. B. Seaman married, second, October 17, 1894, Margaret Ward Ludlam, daughter of Henry Ludlam of Centre Island, L. I. They had no children.

**1718.** ROBERT R. SEAMAN (James A.,<sup>7</sup> Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), died March, 1927; married Augusta Huiell, and had one daughter:—

1879. Augusta Seaman.

**1720.** ALBERT WILLIAM SEAMAN (Edward H.,<sup>7</sup> Ardon,<sup>6</sup> Zebulun,<sup>5</sup> Jordan,<sup>4</sup> Giles,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born October 3, 1851; married twice; married, first, June 21, 1882, Mary Atmore Hopkins, daughter of Edwin and Mary Hopkins. (She died December, 1898.) They had three sons:—

1880. Edwin Hopkins Seaman, born April 9, 1883.

1881. Albert W. Seaman, Jr., born August 25, 1887; died August 14, 1888.

1882. Edward H. Seaman, died in infancy.

Albert W. Seaman married, second, February 14, 1900, Daisy Georgia Hatton, daughter of Dr. Joseph and Georgiana Hatton of Georgia. (She was born 1872.)



## Ninth Generation

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**1735.** JONATHAN SEAMAN (George W.,<sup>8</sup> Jonathan,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Canon City, Colo.; born Lebanon, Ill., August 22, 1867; lived at Greenville, Ill., until 1892; married at Holden, Mo., June 19, 1895, Kate Bostick, daughter of A. J. and Fanny (Lemon) Bostick. (She was born August 24, 1870.) Jonathan Seaman is Clerk of the District Court in Canon City, Colo. They had three children:—

1883. George Arthur Seaman.

1884. Minnie Helen Seaman.

1885. Lois Charlene Seaman.

**1743.** COLONEL ALBERT OWEN SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>8</sup> Jonathan,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 7, 1878; married twice; married, first, September 4, 1902, Mabel Farmen; married, second, July 23, 1908, Florence Look. Lieutenant-Colonel U. S. Infantry. They had one son:—

1886. Jonathan Owen Seaman, born Manilla, P. I., December 14, 1911.

**1744.** JONATHAN RALPH SEAMAN (Jonathan,<sup>8</sup> Jonathan,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), married 1915, and had three children:—

1887. James H. Seaman.

1888. Owen McNeil Seaman.

1889. Aileen Seaman.

**1746.** JOHN C. SEAMAN (George W.,<sup>8</sup> Philip,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 9, 1846; married February 16, 1868, Marilla Newell, and had three children:—

1890. Esther F. Seaman, born December 7, 1868.

1891. Claude B. Seaman, born June, 1878.

1892. Eva M. Seaman, born October 11, 1882.

**1748.** WILLIAM H. SEAMAN (George W.,<sup>8</sup> Philip,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born November 8, 1853; married October 19, 1876, Jane R. Wright, and had three daughters:—

1893. Blanche Seaman.

1894. Alma Seaman.

1895. Maude Seaman.

**1759.** HENRY H. SEAMAN (Francis,<sup>8</sup> Philip,<sup>7</sup> Jonah,<sup>6</sup> Jonathan,<sup>5</sup> Jonah,<sup>4</sup> Jonathan,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born September 15, 1851; married December 15, 1875, Emma Knectal, and had a daughter:—

1896. Wilna Seaman, born August 30, 1880.

**1784.** DR. IRA KENT SEAMAN (Jackson D.,<sup>8</sup> Ira K.,<sup>7</sup> Daniel,<sup>6</sup> Micah,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Fort Wayne, Ind.; married, and had one daughter:—

1897. Olive Seaman.

**1785.** WALTER DANIEL SEAMAN (Jackson D.,<sup>8</sup> Ira K.,<sup>7</sup> Daniel,<sup>6</sup> Micah,<sup>5</sup> David,<sup>4</sup> David,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Omaha, Neb.; married, and had one son:—

1898. Daniel Jackson Seaman.

**1787.** SAMUEL JACKSON SEAMAN (Elias H.,<sup>8</sup> Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Glen Cove, L. I.; born October 9, 1857; married three times; married, first, September 10, 1879, Matilda Willets, daughter of William and Mary (Valentine) Willets. (She was born December 27, 1854; died May 1, 1896.) They had five children:—

1899. Mary Willets Seaman, born June 4, 1881; married at Glen Cove, L. I. Leon Augustus Rushmore, son of Stephen and Adelaide (Halstead) Rushmore, of Roslyn, L. I. (He was born August 25, 1883; Trustee and Director of many organizations.) They had two children:—



Leon Augustus Rushmore, Jr., born June 2, 1910.

Robert Seaman Rushmore, born February 15, 1914.

+1900. Samuel Jackson Seaman, Jr., born March 3, 1883; married twice; married, first, at Roslyn, L. I., October 8, 1910, Ethelene Townsend Bogart, daughter of Dr. Joseph Hegeman and Ethelene Bogart of Roslyn. (She died February, 1920.) Married, second, September 10, 1921, at Roslyn, Jane Bogart, daughter of Dr. Joseph Hegeman and Ethelene Bogart.

1901. Anna Louise Seaman, born October 19, 1885; married at Glen Cove, L. I., February 12, 1913, Albertson Hicks, son of John S. and Caroline (Albertson) Hicks of Roslyn, L. I. (He was born September 29, 1889; Naval Aviator in World War.) They adopted two sisters May, 1926:—

Marie Hicks, born March 17, 1922.

Bettie Hicks, born March 27, 1925.

+1902. Frederick Willets Seaman, born June 17, 1888; married at Roslyn, L. I., April 3, 1915, Eda Hicks, daughter of John S. and Caroline Hicks of Roslyn. (She was born June 4, 1892.)

1903. Lewis Valentine Seaman, born March 1, 1892; died December 17, 1892.

Samuel J. Seaman married, second, June 2, 1913, Jane R. Willets, daughter of William and Mary (Valentine) Willets. (She was born October 31, 1852; died August 19, 1917.) Married, third, August 31, 1918, Katherine V. des Jardins Pilling, daughter of Charles Borome and Mary Elizabeth (Capron) des Jardins, and widow of Dr. Simeon O. Pilling. (She was born October 6, 1865.)

Samuel J. Seaman, Vice-President Glen Cove Trust Co.; Vice-President Friends Academy, Locust Valley, N. Y.; former Clerk and Recorder, Westbury Monthly Meeting.

**1790.** ROBERT SEAMAN (Elias H.,<sup>8</sup> Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>). resident Jericho, N. Y.; born September 28, 1864; married September 12, 1894, Hannah Willets, daughter of Daniel and Lydia (Moore) Willets. (She was born May 14, 1858; died March 2, 1896.) Robert Seaman is President, Taliaferro and Eisemann, Inc., Hicksville, N. Y.;

President Long Island Poultry Assn., Inc.; President, Board of Trustees, Public School, Jericho, having been connected with said Board for over twenty-five years; Ex-President, N. Y. State Assn. of County Agricultural Society; Ex-President, Queens-Nassau Counties Agricultural Society; Treasurer, Hicksville Savings and Loan Assn.; Director, North Shore Bank, Oyster Bay, N. Y.; First National Bank, Kings Park, N. Y., and Stirling Bond and Mortgage Co., Oyster Bay. They had one daughter:—

1904. Phoebe Underhill Seaman, born Marsh 2, 1896; Graduate Swarthmore College. 1919.

**1791.** WILLIAM HENRY SEAMAN (Elias H.,<sup>8</sup> Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Glen Cove, L. I.; born Jericho, L. I., February 12, 1868; married Brooklyn, N. Y., June 7, 1893, Margaret J. Laurie, daughter of William W. and Frances (Seaman) Laurie. (She was born November 14, 1869.)

William H. Seaman was graduate Swarthmore College as Civil Engineer, B.S. and C.E.; member Senior Honor Society of "Book and Keys"; practical Civil Engineer for twenty-five years in Glen Cove and Nassau County; Supervisor, Town of Oyster Bay; Mayor and Supervisor, Glen Cove; member Board of Education, Glen Cove Schools; Trustee, Friends' Academy, Locust Valley; Director, Glen Cove Trust Co.; Stirling Bond and Mortgage Co. of Oyster Bay, Matinacock Bank and Roslyn Savings Bank. "In religion a Friend; in politics a Republican." They had two children:—

†1905. William Laurie Seaman, born Glen Cove, L. I., July 26, 1894; died in Australian Alps, near Sidney, Australia, August 11, 1928; married in Sydney, June 14, 1924, Christiana Bell, daughter of Ernest W. and Christiana Bell.

1906. Faith Frances Seaman, born January 15, 1898; died October 22, 1898.

**1792.** JAMES HAVILAND SEAMAN (Elias H.,<sup>8</sup> Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Glens Falls, N. Y.; born Jericho, L. I., November 18, 1870; married twice; married, first, October 16, 1895, Bessie Bridges, daughter of George and Sarah (Weeks) Bridges of Locust Val-

ley, L. I. (She was born July 31, 1875; died June 2, 1902.) They had two children:—

1907. George Bridges Seaman, born August 28, 1896; married in Detroit, Mich., April 21, 1923, Kathryn E. DeRush.

+1908. James Haviland Seaman, Jr., born June 11, 1898; married in New York City, September 18, 1923, Evelyn Ruth MacNevin, daughter of Dr. Malcolm G. and Josephine (Telfer) MacNevin.

James Haviland Seaman, senior, married, second, July 19, 1905, Florence Haviland, daughter of Willard and Anna (Streeter) Haviland. (She was born January 2, 1884.) Graduate N. Y. State College for Teachers, 1904. They had three children:—

1909. Bertha Lucina Seaman, born June 24, 1906.

1910. Willard Haviland Seaman, born September 22, 1909.

1911. Helen Underhill Seaman, born October 1, 1910.

**1796.** WILLIAM SEAMAN (Valentine,<sup>8</sup> Dr. William,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Wilmington, Del.; born New York City, July 5, 1857; died Wilmington, Del., September 27, 1892; married at Wilmington, October 7, 1886, Adelaide W. Lobdell. (She was born August 5, 1860.) William Seaman graduate Swarthmore College, Pa.; Civil Engineer. They had two children:—

1912. Howard L. Seaman, born July 18, 1887; married December 9, 1914, Edith Simmons.

1913. Jessie M. Seaman, born March 21, 1891.

**1798.** HENRY BOWMAN SEAMAN (Valentine H.,<sup>8</sup> Dr. William,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Brooklyn, N. Y.; born January 20, 1861; married April 7, 1904, Grace Dutton.

Henry B. Seaman graduate Swarthmore College, Pa., 1881; degree Civil Engineer, 1884; won prominence as Civil Engineer and Consultant. They had two sons:—

1914. Ayers Cromwell Seaman, born August 1, 1905; graduate Swarthmore College, Pa., 1927, with highest honors; Civil Engineer.

1915. Henry Bowman Seaman, Jr., born March 30, 1908.

**1803.** FREDERICK C. SEAMAN (Valentine H.,<sup>8</sup> Dr. William,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Wilmington, Del.; born Brooklyn, N. Y., October 6, 1880; died Wilmington, Del., January 17, 1910; married at Wilmington, April 4, 1908, Ethel Lobdell. They had one daughter:—

1916. Esther Seaman, born June 6, 1909.

**1804.** JOSEPH HUSBAND SEAMAN (Samuel H.,<sup>8</sup> Dr. William,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident New York City; born Brooklyn, N. Y., February 28, 1865; married in New York City, January 14, 1913, Josephine Richardson Notman, daughter of Henry T. and Sophie C. Richardson. (She was born December 15, 1873.) Joseph H. Seaman engaged in transportation business for many years; Banker and Broker; Member Board of Governors of New York Stock Exchange; Member New York Chamber of Commerce; Member Board of Directors of many organizations. They had one son:—

1917. Joseph Husband Seaman, Jr., born New York City, December 16, 1914.

**1817.** EDWARD JOHN SEAMAN (John,<sup>8</sup> Lattin,<sup>7</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 13, 1849; married June 1, 1871, Mary Esther Tilden, daughter of Henry and Keziah (Dennis) Tilden. (She was born February 28, 1851, at Huntington, L. I.; died January 25, 1928.) They had six children:—

1918. Flora May Seaman, born Islip, L. I., July 11, 1872; married Theodore S. Dixon.

1919. Henry Tilden Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., April 16, 1875; resident Freeport, L. I.; unmarried.

1920. Ruth Keyes Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., April 26, 1879; died in infancy.

1921. Edward Van Wicklin Seaman, born June 24, 1881; died in infancy.

1922. Julia Essie Seaman, born Brooklyn, N. Y., July 11, 1885; married Charles Hoeffling.

1923. Randolph Westerwelt Seaman, born March 1, 1890; married July 22, 1918, Mary Louise (McQuade) Hickey,

daughter of John and Julia (Lannon) McQuade. (She was born July 16, 1888.)

**1820.** NELSON LOTT SEAMAN (Smith,<sup>8</sup> Lattin,<sup>7</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Rockville Center, L. I.; born August 25, 1858; married November 25, 1883, Hattie White, daughter of Captain Benjamin Franklin and Abigail (Small) White of Addison, Maine. They had five children:—

+1924. Dr. Benjamin White Seaman, born November 24, 1884; married February 4, 1922, Gladys Kimball, daughter of Everett and Alice (Chamberlin) Kimball.

1925. Albert White Seaman, born March 31, 1886; died March, 1908.

1926. Everett White Seaman, born January 26, 1890; married December 20, 1927, Adelaide Wells, daughter of Henry and Adelaide Wells. (She was born May 18, 1899.) Everett W. Seaman was in service Q. M. Dept., U. S. Army, during World War.

1927. Olive Abigail Seaman, born July 10, 1890; died November, 1900.

1928. Robert Nelson Seaman, born December 15, 1894.

**1822.** AMIDON SEAMAN (Hiram F.,<sup>8</sup> George W.,<sup>7</sup> Allan T. C.,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born February 13, 1892; married June 25, 1920, Winona Elizabeth Mary Van Kersen. They had one son:—

1929. Felix Donald Seaman, born December 13, 1922.

**1826.** FENWICK SEAMAN (Hiram F.,<sup>8</sup> George W.,<sup>7</sup> Allan T. C.,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born August 27, 1897; married April 22, 1921, Gertrude Pitts, and had a son:—

1930. Allan Mills Seaman, born April 12, 1922.

**1853.** EUGENE E. SEAMAN (Jacob V.,<sup>8</sup> Noah,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born October, 1867; died 1922; married Virginia T. Grady, and had one son:—

1931. Edwin Seaman.

**1854.** HERBERT ROYAL SEAMAN (Jacob V.,<sup>8</sup> Noah,<sup>7</sup> Jacob,<sup>6</sup> Noah,<sup>5</sup> Ambrose,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Montclair, N. J.; born Brooklyn, N. Y., July 24, 1874; married October 24, 1900, Alice Adams, and had one son:—

1932. Herbert Royal Seaman, Jr., died in infancy.

Herbert R. Seaman, Treasurer East Brooklyn Savings Bank. Brooklyn, N. Y.

**1878a.** RICHARD FRANKLIN TOWNSEND SEAMAN (Dr. Richard F. B.,<sup>8</sup> Dr. Richard S.,<sup>7</sup> Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born July 6, 1883; died November 24, 1918; married June 20, 1906, Anna Josephine Clynes. They had two children:—

1932a. Muriel Franklin Seaman, born February 27, 1911.

1932b. Richard Franklin Seaman, born September 10, 1913.

## Tenth Generation

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**1900.** SAMUEL JACKSON SEAMAN, JR. (Samuel J.,<sup>9</sup> Elias H.,<sup>8</sup> Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born March 3, 1883; married twice; married, first, at Roslyn, L. I., October 8, 1910, Ethelene Townsend Bogart, daughter of Dr. Joseph H. and Ethelene (Townsend) Bogart of Roslyn. (She died February, 1920.) They had one son:—

1933. H. Bogart Seaman, born December 24, 1911.

Samuel J. Seaman, Jr., married, second, September 10, 1921, Jane Bogart, daughter of Dr. Joseph H. and Ethelene (Townsend) Bogart.

**1902.** FREDERICK WILLETS SEAMAN (Samuel J.,<sup>9</sup> Elias H.,<sup>8</sup> Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born June 17, 1888; married at Roslyn, L. I., April 3, 1915, Eda Hicks, daughter of John S. and Caroline Hicks of Roslyn. (She was born June 4, 1892.)

Frederick W. Seaman graduate Swarthmore College, Pa., 1910; member of firm of Seaman and Hicks Automobile Co. They had four children:—

1934. John Samuel Seaman, born July 1, 1916.

1935. Frederick Willets Seaman, Jr., born July 28, 1918.

1936. Albertson Hicks Seaman, born May 6, 1922.

1937. Anna Matilda Seaman, born October 17, 1927.

**1905.** WILLIAM LAURIE SEAMAN (William H.,<sup>9</sup> Elias H.,<sup>8</sup> Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Sydney, Australia; born Glen Cove, L. I., July 26, 1894; died in Australian Alps, near Sydney, Australia, August 11, 1928; married in Sydney, June 14, 1924, Christiana Bell, daughter of Ernest W. and Christiana Bell. William Laurie Seaman graduate Swarthmore College, Pa., 1915, as Civil Engineer; member Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity, and Senior Honor Society "Book and

Keys"; in Aviation service in World War; member firm of E. W. Bell and Seaman, Loss Assessors and Consulting Engineers. They had one son:—

1938. Bruce Laurie Seaman, born Sydney, Australia, May 5, 1926.

**1908.** JAMES HAVILAND SEAMAN, JR. (James H.,<sup>9</sup> Elias H.,<sup>8</sup> Robert,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), born Hicksville, L. I., June 11, 1898; married in New York City, September 18, 1923, Evelyn Ruth MacNevin, daughter of Dr. Malcolm G. and Josephine (Telfer) MacNevin. (She was born June 23, 1897.) Evelyn MacNevin, contralto concert artist on the staff of the Nashville Conservatorie of Music, Nashville, Tenn., and member Philadelphia Grand Opera Company. They had one son:—

1939. Malcolm Haviland Seaman, born New York City, January 2, 1925.

**1912.** HOWARD L. SEAMAN (William,<sup>9</sup> Valentine H.,<sup>8</sup> Dr. William,<sup>7</sup> David,<sup>6</sup> Williams,<sup>5</sup> Robert,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Jonathan,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Wilmington, Del.; born Wilmington, July 18, 1887; married at Wilmington, December 9, 1914, Edith Simmons, and had one daughter:—

1940. Emily Elliott Seaman, born October 3, 1921.

**1924.** DR. BENJAMIN WHITE SEAMAN (Nelson L.,<sup>9</sup> Smith,<sup>8</sup> Lattin,<sup>7</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Solomon,<sup>4</sup> Solomon,<sup>3</sup> Solomon,<sup>2</sup> Captain John<sup>1</sup>), resident Hempstead, L. I.; born at Rockville Center, L. I., November 24, 1884; married February 4, 1922, Gladys Kimball, daughter of Everett and Alice (Chamberlin) Kimball. (She was born June 5, 1896.) Dr. Benjamin W. Seaman, graduate Cornell Medical College, 1907; practised surgery, Rockville Center; Captain. Base Hospital at Camp Dix, N. J., 1918-1919; Surgeon, Hempstead, L. I. They had two daughters:—

1941. Mary Jane Seaman, born September 14, 1923.

1942. Dorothy Seaman, born November 20, 1924.



## UNCONNECTED LINES

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THOS. S. L. SEAMAN  
*St. Marks Apartments*  
STATEN ISLAND, NEW YORK

5/5/28.

My dear Miss Seaman:

I am enclosing copy of my Seaman family data but am afraid I am not helping you very much. My father George, son of John, son of Willet, and there I strike a snag as to dates; Willet 4th seems to be too old, and Willet 5th too young to fit in as father of my grandfather John. \* \* \* \* \*

I wish I could do more to help you, but guess I am a careless member of the clan, but trust you will be very successful in your efforts.

Very truly yours,

THOS. S. L. SEAMAN.

Captain John Seaman.

Nathaniel.

Samuel.

Willet Seaman of North Hempstead, L. I., born 1737; died 1807; married Mary Searing, February 11, 1762, at St. George's. She was born July 5, 1739; died June 8, 1813.

Their children:—

1. Elizabeth, married Isaac Cock, October 6, 1781.
2. Martha.
3. John, married Charity Jackson.
4. James.
5. Valentine, born April 2, 1770; died July 3, 1817; married Anna Ferris, May 7, 1794. She born December 8, 1771; died November 5, 1854.

6. Gulielma, born March 4, 1772; died March 18, 1791.
7. Mary, born September 14, 1776; married William Thurston, March 8, 1815.
8. Rachel, born February 15, 1779.
9. Willit, born June 7, 1781; died April 10, 1864; married Mary Jenkins. She born April 8, 1786; died July 14, 1880.
10. Samuel, born March 17, 1783; died January 28, 1803.
11. Benjamin, born July 15, 1787; married Amy Cock, October 12, 1815.

John Scaman, born September 5, 1797; died February 12, 1887; married September 1, 1820, Phebe Dunn. She was born August 17, 1802; died February 14, 1886.

Their children:—

1. George, born June 1, 1821; died December 13, 1901; married Mary A. Lockwood. She was born March 30, 1829; died September 17, 1903.
2. Alexander, born May 22, 1824.
3. Anson E., born November 24, 1827.
4. Sarah M., born March 10, 1830.
5. Levi R. B., born August 22, 1838.
6. Mary J., born June 5, 1842.
7. John H., born September 27, 1844.

Children of George Scaman and Mary A. Lockwood:

1. Ann Augusta, born July 18, 1854.
2. Eliza Lockwood, born May 19, 1860.
3. Maria Antoinette, born September 14, 1862.
4. George, born April 4, 1864.
5. Edward L., born April 12, 1867; died June 14, 1925; married January 15, 1890, Anne Eckert.
6. Thomas S. L., born May 2, 1871; married April 27, 1905, Caroline Post.

Children of Edward L. Seaman and Annie Eckert Seaman:—

Helen Gay, born November 13, 1890; married Edward A. Washburn, and had two children:—

Donald Washburn.

Albert Washburn, born September 11, 1913.

William Leslie, born July 21, 1892; married Alfreda Day, and had two children:—

Robert Lockwood (Seaman), born June 25, 1919.

Marjorie (Seaman), born September, 1920.

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Houghton, Mich.

April 22, 1928.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Miss Seaman:

In reply to your letter regarding the genealogy of the Seaman family, I can only state that my grandfather John Seaman was born in Ulster County, New York, July 14, 1804, and died in North Cassovia, Mich., November 7, 1896.

His father was also named John.

In my great-grandfather's family there were eight children, five girls and three boys. The girls were Catherine, Rebecca, Marcy, Rachel and Elizabeth. The boys were Caleb, John and Jonah.

Mrs. Frank Seaman of Grant, Mich., can give you much more data than I possess.

I am of the opinion that I descended from the Long Island branch of the family, but can not give you the genealogy.

Sincerely yours,

A. E. SEAMAN.

*Extracts from letter from MRS. FRANK R. SEAMAN,*

Grant, Michigan, April 29, 1928.

"OUR FAMILY."

"An old paper was found which had written on it: John Seaman born 1765, married January 29, 1791; Rebecca born 1769; Catherine 1792; Calleb, 1794-1814; Rebecca, 1796; Marcy, 1799; Rachel, 1801; \*John, 1804; Elizabeth, 1808; Jonah, 1810.

John Seaman born July 14, 1804, in Ulster County, N. Y., was our grandfather. I have the printed list of his descendants and believe I can procure the address of Jonah's son—or descendants. Calleb (or Kaleb) left a son I know nothing about.

My father-in-law told for dictation that his grandfather, John Seaman, was born near York (New York City), on the Hudson River in 1762 (my list gives this date as 1765). He had two brothers, Kaleb and (Elijah?). Both served in the Revolutionary War under General Washington and one or both went home with him after the war to his home in Virginia and we never heard of their whereabouts since. He *thought* his great-grandfather's name was John and that he or his father had three brothers and were born in England and settled on Long Island to North River (Hudson).

He also told me that great-grandfather John Seaman (born either 1762 or 1765) was a messenger for General Washington during Howe's invasion of New York City in 1775-76—that he carried messages to the allied generals on the North River and often supplied dainties for Washington's larder."

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DAYTONA BEACH, FLA.

April 27, 1928.

Miss M. T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont St.,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Miss Seaman:

Referring to your recent letter calling attention to your compilation of the Seaman genealogy, and advising me of my line of descent from Captain John, gathered from a letter to Haviland, and requesting detailed information as to our branch of the family. Four years ago I had the misfortune to meet with loss of sight and

being nearly ninety-one, I find it difficult to examine my papers for particulars.

The line traced in the letter to Haviland was derived from a letter to me written many years ago by Edward H. Seaman, of New York. The descent from Joseph III was based on that letter. More recent investigation led to an entirely different conclusion and I now trace my line as follows :

Captain John I, came to America 1630; married Mary Moore (second wife).

Thomas II, born 1645; married Mary.

Thomas III, born 1670; married Hannah.

John IV, born 1695; married Priscella Wood.

Lieut. John V, born 1728; married Patience Hopkins.

John VI, born 1748; married Rhoda Westcott.

Benjamin VII, born 1786, Starkborou, Vt.; married Diana. Their children were Horace VIII, Lorenzo Dow VIII, Benjamin VIII, Diana VIII, Wealthy VIII, born 1786, all born at Pittsford, Vt. Horace VIII, 1806, married Sally Spaulding Whipple, removed to Millport, N. Y., where he spent the remainder of his life. Died 1882. He was a physician by profession. Their children were: Loraine IX, born 1828, married Samuel Parsons. Had four children, William X, Horace X, Galen X, and Uriah X. Removed to Waumego, Kans. None of them are now living.

Eliza IX, born 1831; married Samuel Coe; died —; had one child, Susan X, born —; married Rev. Wayne Sessions. Now resides at Eau Gallie, Florida.

Horace Warren IX, born 1834; married Dianthy King; had one daughter, Hattie X, who married Charles Newman and now resides in Elmira, N. Y. The Newmans have five children, Harry XI, residing at New York City; Asa XI, was an officer in the World War; Guy XI, also a soldier in the war; Helen XI, married, resides in New York City, and Galen XI, a graduate of Syracuse University, Class of 1927.

The fourth and last child of Dr. Horace Seaman, Galen IX Benjamin, born August 8, 1837; lawyer, graduate of Dartmouth College. 1861; married July 28, 1863, to Harriet Martin, daughter of Stoddard H. Martin, of Milwaukee. Their children are Horace Martin X, born October 1, 1864; lawyer, Colonel Fourth Wisconsin

Infantry, Spanish-American War; married Mary Mooers; no children. Reside at Milwaukee.

Lottie X, born June 19, 1867; married Andrew Apel; had two children, Harriet XI and Loraine XI. Loraine married Jack Phalen, had one child, Sally Joan XII. Reside in Minneapolis.

Sally Harriet X, born July 16, 1875; married Russell Scott Sherman. Reside in Duluth.

Galen Benjamin IX was for three years Principal of the Fifth Public School, Milwaukee, and later was Public School Commissioner, United States Assessor of Internal Revenue, member and speaker of the Wisconsin Legislature. In 1901 he removed to Daytona Beach, Florida, where he now resides. In 1889 he married Agnes Millar at Milwaukee.

Now, Miss Seaman, I fear you will not be able to make much out of the above, but I hope you will. I should really like to know if my line of descent from Thomas II, sixth son of John I, is correct. Descent from John IV, however, is authentic. I should like to be advised as to the scope and progress of your work and if you intend to publish it, and at about when.

If I can be of further service to you in any way, kindly advise me.

Sincerely yours,

GALEN B. SEAMAN,  
640 So. Ridgewood Ave.,  
Daytona Beach, Fla.

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H. M. SEAMAN, COUNSEL  
405 Broadway  
Milwaukee

April 23, 1928.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont Street,  
Brooklyn, New York.

My dear Miss Seaman:

Pardon my not replying sooner to your letter of the 5th inst.

I am enclosing a copy of our genealogical record compiled by my father some years which will give you the desired information.

My sister, Mrs. Andrew Apel, 3611 First Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota, can give you more detailed information as to her children and grandchild. My father, Galen Benjamin Seaman, is still living, but has been totally blind for the past four years.

He has compiled a very complete genealogical record of the family. His address is 640 South Ridgewood Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida.

The record of my military service is in the office of the Adjutant General, U. S. Army at Washington, D. C., and also in the office of the Adjutant General at Madison, Wisconsin.

I served as Colonel 4th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, War with Spain.

When your book is published I will be pleased to purchase a copy.

Sincerely yours,

HORACE M. SEAMAN.

THE CITY CHURCH  
METHODIST EPISCOPAL  
Gary, Indiana

WILLIAM GRANT SEAMAN  
WILLIAM F. SWITZER  
*Ministers*

April 12, 1928.

Dear Miss Seaman:

It has been the supposition of my family that we are descendants of Capt. John Seaman, though no one has ever taken the pains to establish the fact.

My father's name was Joseph Washington, born February 24, 1835, at Jersey City.

His father's name was James. It is said that he was born on Ellis Island, July 29, 1802.

The family of which he was a part is named as follows:

Joshua, who married Susan Mills.

David, who married Sally Lazzara.

Catherine, who married Santhenstall.

John, who married Susan Cole.

Stephen, who married Jane Mills.

Isaac, who married Sarah Crane.

\*James, who married Mary Cronkhite.

Eliza, who married a Mr. Measureall.

William, who married Sarah McWilliams.

Alfred, who married Ann McWilliams.

Henry, who married Mary A. Welch.

Henrietta, who married a Mr. Holmes, either Nathaniel or Matthew.

The father of James was named John and he married Joan Grummond.

The tradition is that some time after his marriage he leased Ellis Island for five years from one Elias Berges. After the expiration of that lease he leased it for ten years more. After three years of the ten on the island he was forced to leave it by the United States Government.

Probably his father's name was Joshua who was probably married twice.

Of him it is said that he was taken out of bed by the British and compelled to pilot their ship to West Point. There are some rather bloody traditions of how one of these wives defended her home during the Revolutionary War.

It is said that one of Joshua's sons, Isaac, was in charge of a squadron for the colonies on Lake Ontario, and that he died at Gibraltar.

The tradition is that his father's name was John and his father Joshua.

James Seaman above married Mary Cronkhite. Their family was as follows:

Joan Eliza, born March 16, 1823 and died in infancy.

John J., born November 30, 1824 and died in infancy.

James G., born September 18, 1826; married Harriet J. Jenny.

Cornelius W., born August 20, 1828; died in the Mexican War.

Elijah Wesley, born April 8, 1820; died when about sixteen years of age.



John Fletcher, born April 22, 1832; married Elinor Finch, then her sister, Lois.

Charles, born September 9, 1833; died in infancy.

\*Joseph Washington, born February 24, 1835; married Sarah Uline.

Samuel Jackson, born May 13, 1836.

Mary Francis, born August 22, 1837; married Joseph McLoud.

Harriet Elizabeth, born November 22, 1838; married William Rhodes.

Adaline Hannah, born February 12, 1840.

Albert R., born June 26, 1841.

My grandfather, who lived to be nearly ninety-two, said that the first of our family of Seamans came from England. That is the only authority I have for thinking that it was the Capt. John Seaman whose family you are looking up, except that he thought it was the same family.

Should you conclude that his thought of the matter was right, I can give you and put you in the way of getting further details of some mentioned and information of others.

Doubtless you know of the published genealogy of the Seaman family now largely settled in Pennsylvania and originally from the Palatinate.

I shall be much interested in knowing about your work, when it is to be published and the price.

If I can be of further service, let me know.

Very sincerely yours,

WILLIAM G. SEAMAN.

Cadillac, Mich.

June 4, 1928.

My dear Miss Seaman:

I have just been spending Sunday at a cottage on the lake where Miss Jenny Seaman was staying also. She told me that you have made some study of the Seaman family and I am wondering if you can tell me anything about where my ancestor Mary Seaman comes

in: born July 6, 1750 (old style) ; died March 9, 1814. She married Isaac Balding, who was born April 28, 1747 (old style) ; died October 4, 1811.

Their children were:

1. Joel, born July 18, 1777; died June 27, 1853. My great-grandfather lived at Norwich, County of Chenango, N. Y.
2. Robert, born and lived at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; died at about twenty years of age.
3. Isaac I., born March 29, 1784, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; died January 20, 1861. Lived at Staatsburgh, N. Y.
4. Anne, born February 3, 1773.
5. Mary, born January 21, 1775.
6. Susan, born at Poughkeepsie; died about four years old.
7. Susan, born at Poughkeepsie; died about two years old.
8. Richard Seaman, born November 15, 1787, Poughkeepsie; died —, 1828.
9. Phoebe Mott Balding, born August 31, 1790. Poughkeepsie.

Miss Jenny Seaman has some *Motts* in a record I believe you sent her, so we must be the same family.

Can you connect my Mary Seaman with the old line and tell me who her father and mother were and the ancestors back of that? Can you tell me anything about my ancestors that is interesting and important? Are any of them Revolutionary heroes or Colonial heroes? Were they mostly Quakers later? Where are my people buried?

I have *old* pictures of Gen. W. Tompkins of Hyde Park, Dutchess County, N. Y., son of Elias and Susan Tompkins. Very smart looking man. Also picture of Margaret Seymour, a Quakeress and I. I. Platt of Poughkeepsie. Do you know about any of them?

Yours truly,

ERMA BISHOP LE VAN.

Mrs. Frank M. Le Van,  
402 E. Harris St.,  
Cadillac, Michigan.

## THE STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF WISCONSIN

(Trustee of the State)

MADISON

April 13, 1928.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont Street,  
Brooklyn, New York.

Dear Madam:

Your letter to the Wisconsin State Bar Association has been referred to us for reply. In the Sheboygan, Wisconsin, Directory for 1924, we find that William H. Seaman's wife resided at 1006 North 6th Street, Sheboygan, and also that one of his two daughters (Arelisle), was living with her mother.

His parents were William and Arelisle (Crane) Seaman, who were pioneers of Sheboygan County. The father was born at Catskill, New York. The mother was of Puritan descent, from Massachusetts. His wife, Mrs. Mary (Peat) Seaman, was born in Albany, New York.

Yours very truly,

ANNIE A. NUNNS, *Asst. Supt.*

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THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
MISSIONARY DISTRICT OF NORTH TEXAS

E. CECIL SEAMAN, *Bishop*  
1510 Tyler Street  
AMARILLO, TEXAS

May 29, 1928.

Dear Miss Seaman:

Your letter of April 6th has been awaiting a final reply until I might hear from a cousin of mine to whom I wrote asking if the Capt. John Seaman, of Hemsted, was related to our Uncle John Seaman, of Heubleton, N. Y., and later, of New Orleans, La.

I have not heard from my cousin, but am inclined to believe that there was no close connection between the two families.

With all best wishes, I am

Faithfully yours,

E. CECIL SEAMAN.

Miss M. T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont St.,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

(Although my Secretary is a New York man he seems to have taken some liberties with the spelling of Hempstead and Heuvelton.)

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SEAMAN BODY CORPORATION  
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HAROLD H. SEAMAN, *President*  
IRVING SEAMAN, *Secretary and Treasurer*

June 11, 1928.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont St.,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

My dear Miss Seaman:

In reply to your letter of June 5th, I am very glad to give you all I know regarding my Seaman antecedents and it is possible that from the information I can give you, you may be able to trace this farther back.

I am also still trying to get some further information and should I succeed, I shall be glad to communicate with you again.

My grandfather was Alonzo Duretto Seaman. He came to Milwaukee from New York City in 1846 and lived in Milwaukee until his death, September 19, 1868, at the age of 52. He was in the manufacturing business, manufacturing furniture, and I am told was one of the most prominent citizens in this locality. I have found some newspaper clippings at the time of his death in which he is highly eulogized.

His wife, who came to Milwaukee with him, was Mary Stewart Armstrong, daughter of William Stewart Armstrong of New York City.

They had seven children, as follows:

Mary, the oldest.

Catharine E.

William Stewart.

Letitia.

Alonzo D.

Henry C.

James L.

My father was William Stewart Seaman. He was born in Milwaukee, January 17, 1845, and died March 29, 1910. He with one of the brothers succeeded my grandfather in the furniture business.

On October 1, 1874, he married my mother, Kate Darling Hibbard of Milwaukee. Their children were:

Lauretta Alice, born October 20, 1875.

Harold Hibbard, born September 8, 1879.

Irving, born August 8, 1881.

Lauretta A. Seaman has not married.

Harold H. Seaman married Maude Eustis of New Orleans, the daughter of Cartwright Eustis of that city on April 12, 1912, and have two adopted children: William Cartwright Seaman, born March 1, 1918, and Elizabeth Seaman, born April 2, 1918.

Irving Seaman married Anne Douglas of Great Barrington, Mass., daughter of Mr. Harry Douglas of that city, on July 28, 1920. They have four sons:

Douglas, born April 27, 1921.

Irving, Jr., born July 14, 1923.

Richard, born September 22, 1925.

David P. Seaman, born May 15, 1928.

My brother and myself succeeded my father in his business, which with the advent of the automobile, developed into the manufacture of automobile bodies.

I hope this information may be of some use to you and I shall be glad to forward anything further I can obtain.

Yours very truly,

H. H. SEAMAN.

H. H. Seaman.

CL.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont St.,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

My dear Miss Seaman:

Your letter addressed to Mr. Frederick C. Seaman, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., found its way to me. I am Mrs. George Seaman, the widow of George Seaman, who passed away four years ago in June, and there is no such person by the name of Frederick C. Seaman in the family that I know of. Mr. G. S. had a cousin Fred Seaman but he has been gone a long time. My husband, Mr. George Seaman, is a descendant of Captain John Seaman of Hempstead, L. I., and is the son of Nelson Seaman, who was the son of Samuel Seaman and he was the son of Ambrose Seaman, removed from Staten Island, N. Y., 1833, and settled in Dutchess County, N. Y. My husband had the family history but it is too much for me to write, and as he is gone and we have no children, I am not interested any more.

Very truly yours,

MRS. GEORGE SEAMAN,  
Nelson House,  
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

May 18, 1928.

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Cleveland, O., Aug. 2, 1911.

Dear Mrs. Haviland:

\*\*\*\*\* I am still working on my Sylvanus. You will remember that there were two Sylvanus S.'s in the Revolutionary Army in New York, one in Lt. Col. Baldwin's Regt. of Artificers, and one in the 4th Ulster Co. Militia. These were two different men as they were serving at the same time. The Sylvanus in Col. Baldwin's Regt. served 1777-80 and the other 1775-80. There is also mention of another Sylvanus whose personal property was sold by the Commiss. of Sequestration for *Westchester* County for adherence to the British. This is evidently a third Sylvanus. One of these three is my gt. gd. father.

In the First U. S. Census, 1790, there are three S. S. given: Sylv. S. of Rye, Westchester Co.; Sylv. S. of Clinton, Dutchess Co.,

and Sylv. S. of Montgomery, Ulster Co. There were three Sylv. S. in the Revolutionary period and three in 1790. Probably the Sylvanus of Rye, 1790, is the man whose property was confiscated and sold. The Sylvanus of Montgomery, 1790, is probably the one who served in the Ulster Co. Militia. Montgomery was then in Ulster Co. Therefore the Sylvanus of Clinton, 1790, must be the man who served in Lt. Col. Baldwin's Regt.

You will remember that Sylvanus S., father of Ezra, was born in Dutchess County, and Mrs. Jackson, his gd. dau., says that he lived in Clinton and he must be the Sylvanus of Clinton.

This leaves one of the other two as my Sylvanus. I wrote to the Census Bureau in Washington, and had them search the Records of the Censuses of 1800 and 1810 for the three towns, Rye, Clinton and Montgomery. There was no Sylvanus in either Montgomery or Clinton, they had both moved. But in both 1800 and 1810 there was a Sylvanus in Rye which makes it probable that he was not my Sylvanus as both my grandfather, born 1804 and his sister, born 1796, were said to be born in Ballston and therefore their parents must have already moved to B. Another fact makes it certain that Sylvanus of Rye was not my Sylvanus. The Census records for 1800 and 1810 give more family data than the 1790 Census. The records for 1800 and 1810 give the number of male children under 10 years, between 10 and 16, between 16 and 26, between 26 and 45, and those over 45. The same data is given for the females. Now in 1800 my gd. father's elder sister, Phebe, born 1796, was under ten years, but there is no female of that age given for Sylvanus of Rye. In 1810 she was 14, therefore between 10 and 16, but she does not appear in the list for Sylvanus of Rye, there being no child of that age given. Also my gd. father was born 1804, his brother, Henry 1806, and Nelson about 1808, all under 10 years in 1810 but for Sylvanus of Rye, no male children are given under 10 in 1810. Therefore I believe that this Sylvanus is not my gt. gd. father which leaves only the Sylvanus Seaman of Montgomery, as my ancestor, unless my Sylvanus is the "Silvanus Simmons" of Barnstable, Mass., Census of 1790, which I do not think probable. I believe that my Sylvanus is the man from Montgomery, and I am starting a search in around that place.

What are you doing in the genealogical line? Or are you resting? You will remember you sent me the names of four other children you believed were Sylvanus. Sarah, who married a Colwell

of Dutchess Co., Mary, Jane Harvey, Phebe, John, Henry and Nelson. You were going to look them up in the Colwell Genealogy. Did you find anything? Have you or Mr. Haviland any data on other lines of the family since I last heard from you? Have you the list of children of the sons of Adam S., who was School Superintendent at Northcastle and died in Rye about 1737? Any other data about Sylvanus S., who married Rebecca Jackson and lived on Staten Id., dying there in 1759?

Cordially,

12901 Ferris Ave. S. E.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

W. L. SEAMAN.

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Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 12, 1911.

Mr. Frank Haviland,  
34 Concord St., Holliston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

. . . . . I am working on my line as usual. I have found out that my gt. gd. father Sylvanus lived in Montgomery, New York, previous to moving to Ballston. He is given in the Census of 1790 as residing at Montgomery, which was then in Ulster County. In the Revolution there is a Silvanus Simmons who served as private, 1775-1780, in the 4th Ulster Co. Militia, Col. J. Hardenburgh. This is probably him. I neglected to state above that in the Census his name is given as Sylvanus Simmons.

I am trying to fill all lines where there is a chance that he may be connected so as to narrow the field of possibility. Have you found out anything further about Sylvanus (3), Thomas (2), who married Rebecca Jackson and died on Staten Id. 1759. I wish to get his children and gd. children. I look on him as the most likely grandfather of my Sylvanus there is, and so wish to hunt Sylvanus (3) up.

Have you anything on the children and descendants of Hicks (3) of Samuel (2). He married Elizabeth Barnes and owned a farm near the Croton Riv. about 1764.

Have you the children of Adam (4), James (4). Israel (4), Richard (4), and Samuel (4). They are the sons of Adam (3), son



of Richard (2). Adam (3) married 1730, Hannah Pine and was Supervisor at Northcastle. His will is dated at Rye, Aug. 20, 1757.

. . . . Thanking you for any data you may be able to send me, I am,

Very cordially,

Kindly note address:  
1338 Schofield Bldg.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

W. L. SEAMAN.



## APPENDIX

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Acadiana	"ACADIENSIS"	Book-Plates
Genealogy		Biography
Folk-Lore		Etc., Etc.

A Quarterly, Mainly Historical, Devoted to the  
Interests of the Maritime Provinces of Canada

D. R. JACK, *Editor and Publisher*

St. John, N. B., 10 Dec., 1910.

Mrs. Elizabeth Seaman Haviland,  
Holliston, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Haviland:

Your letter of the 26 Dec., 1908, has not been off my desk since its receipt, and I have been trying to discover some information that might be of use in unwinding the tangle with reference to the Seaman family, or rather that portion of it which is represented by the several of the name who came here with the Loyalists in 1783. I am sorry to state that I have not so far succeeded in obtaining a single bit of additional information.

I should have sent an earlier acknowledgment of your very kind and very full communication, but delayed from time to time in the hope that something might be discovered. In the meantime I am working my records up into better shape and tabulating and indexing fresh information which is so continually coming into my possession.

Richard Seaman, who was without special occupation, and is listed as a "gentleman," was one of the original Freeman of Parrtown, now the city of St. John, in 1785. This would indicate that he was a man very much above the ordinary, of good social position, and of some means financially. He was the only one of the name who was ever a Freeman of St. John.

The members of the Seaman name, who came here with the Loyalists, were the following:—

Benjamin, who is buried in the old Loyalists graveyard here. Hicks, died at Sheffield, New Brunswick, 1841, at 84.

John, said to have settled in St. John. There are four of the name of Seaman now living in St. John, possibly his descendants.

Richard became quite prominent here, and was provincial Treasurer.

William was said to have been a grantee at Parrrtown, now St. John, but I have no further word of him.

In case that you might have anything new to communicate with reference to the above, or if I can be of any assistance to you in making any research here, it would give me great pleasure to be able to do so.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) D. R. JACK.

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THE COMMON COUNCIL  
OF THE  
CITY OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

JAS. A. MORRISON,  
*City Clerk.*

New Brunswick, N. J., Oct. 29, 1908.

E. Seaman Haviland, Esq.,  
Holliston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your favor of the 26th inst., I herewith send you the following names of the Seaman families in this city:

Theodore Seaman, 108 Suydam Street.

Elizabeth Seaman, 226 Baldwin Street.

Ephraim Seaman, 195 New Street.

John Seaman, 27 Richmond Street.

Lewis Seaman, 64 Dennis Street

William J. Seaman, 293 Sanford Street.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) JAS. A. MORRISON,  
*City Clerk.*

Gary, Ind.

May 20, 1928.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont St.,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

My dear Miss Seaman:

Referring to your letter of May 11th relative to the genealogy of the Seaman family, I must state that my knowledge of the family is very limited, extending back only to my maternal grandparents. My mother's name was Antoinette Seaman. Her father, whom I never saw, I understand was named John Jackson Seaman, and her mother's name was Esther. There was a large family of children, possibly ten or twelve. The family lived at Wantagh, Long Island. I never heard anyone speak of relatives in Hempstead. I can only remember my mother speaking of one uncle, who was in the Civil War and later lived in Boston, Mass. His given name I do not recall, but his wife's name was Belle. His last name was Seaman. There are several of my mother's sisters and brothers still living and they can supply much more information than I can. There are two sisters and two brothers living at Freeport, Long Island. You may communicate with Mr. Sidney Seaman or Miss Emily F. Seaman, Freeport, Long Island, N. Y., who should be able to trace the family further back and also possibly supply information relative to the connection with other branches of the Seaman family on the south side of Long Island.

Yours very truly,

F. W. VAN SISE,

708 Hayes St.,

Gary, Indiana.

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THIRTY-SIX WEST FORTY-FOURTH STREET

April 23, 1928.

My dear Miss Seaman:

Mrs. Norwood being unusually occupied today, asked me to answer your letter of the twenty-second instant, received this morning.

Mrs. Norwood knows that she is not descended from Captain John Seaman. Her paternal grandfather, according to such information she has, which may or may not be entirely reliable, was a Frenchman who lived in Havre, France, and who spelled his name Simone. When the family came to this country, the French pronunciation of the name was lost and it was anglicized as Seaman, which for convenience sake they generally adopted.

Very truly yours,

CARLISLE NORWOOD.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont Street,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

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GEORGE M. SEAMAN  
President

May 4, 1928.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
47 Pierrepont Street,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Miss Seaman:

I note your letter of April 6, regarding genealogy of the Seaman family.

The Seaman family we descended from apparently came over here from Holland in 1680. They moved west into Pennsylvania, west into Ohio, and then west into Missouri, where I was born. I do not know which captain we descended from.

The story in the family is that the Seamans moved from England to Holland, leaving there about seventy-five years before coming over from Holland.

Yours very truly,

GEO. M. SEAMAN.

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Sept. 15, 1928.

Miss Mary T. Seaman,  
47 Pierpont St.,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

My dear Miss Seaman:

While visiting cousins in Loveland, Colorado, this past summer, I was most happy to learn of you and your writings, and that you had perfected a family record of the Seaman family.

My mother is Anna J. Seaman, a daughter of Jonathan Seaman, and was born in Greenville, Illinois, seventy-one years ago.

Will you please let me know of your family record and whether it does make our contact clear for admission to the D. A. R.?

Most sincerely,

MAY C. BARTOS.

847—8th Ave.

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\*Matilda Susan Seaman, daughter of William and Elizabeth Brewerton (Benson) Seaman, was born in New York City, July 16th, 1814. She was married to Rev. Kingston Goddard, in St. Luke's Church, New York, by Rev. Bird Wilson, December 6th, 1836. She died at Bergen Point, New Jersey, August 25th, 1889. Kingston Goddard died October 24th, 1875. They had eight children, as follows:—

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\* Corrected data regarding Matilda Susan Seaman (560) received too late to be printed on page 107—from E. Claude Goddard of Philadelphia, Pa.

Henry Seaman Goddard, born November 4th, 1837; married Ella Waterman. They had one son and two daughters.

Kingston Goddard, M.D., born November 27th, 1839; married Helen Van Syckel. They had four sons and three daughters. Mary Beck Goddard, born August 20th, 1841; married, first, William Este. They had two sons. Married 2nd, H. E. Ficken. No issue.

Susan Goddard, born —; married Lt. Seabury, U. S. N. They had one daughter.

John William Goddard, born October 10th, 1845, d. s. p.

Pauline Goddard, born November 7th, 1849; married George Moor. No issue.

Gulielma Goddard, born September 21st, 1851; died March 17th, 1852.

Hallie Goddard, born August 10th, 1858; unmarried.

Rev. Kingston and Matilda Susan (Seaman) Goddard are buried in Woodland Cemetery, Philadelphia.

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My dear Miss Seaman:

I have just received, from St. John, New Brunswick, a certified copy of the Will of Judge Benjamin Seaman, dated August 4th, 1785. Proved September 26th, 1785. A copy is herewith enclosed.

The children named therein, in the order of birth, agree with the list you kindly sent me, with the exception of Elizabeth, wife of Robert Stewart (whose name does not appear on list). There were apparently two daughters named Elizabeth, the first, third child, born 1747, died 1748, the second, who was the ninth child, must have been born 1759 or 1760.

John, the eighth child, was born 4-12-1758, died 10-5-1826. His wife Rebecca, born 10-15-1773, died 11-5-1845. (*St. Andrew's Church Records, Richmond, Staten Island, New York.*)

William, the eleventh, youngest child, was born 1763, died 12-14-1835. (*New York Commercial Advertiser, December 15th, 1835.*)



I have been unable to find any record of the birth, death, or marriage of Elizabeth Benson, wife of William.

Very sincerely,

E. CLAUDE GODDARD.

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### COPY OF WILL OF BENJAMIN SEAMAN

In the name of God Amen the fourth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty five I Benjamin Seaman of the City of St. John Province of New Brunswick having at this time my usual senses and memory do make and ordain this my last Will & Testament. That is to say principally and first of all I recommend my Soul to God and my Body to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like and decent manner and touching such worldly Estates as it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life: I give and dispose thereof in the following manner and form. Imprimis It is my will and I do order that all my just debts and funeral Charges shall be paid & satisfied. Item I give and bequeath to my son William the sum of Fifty pounds New York Currency—my Negro Boy called Will, My Watch, Cane, Gun and Swird. Item I give and bequeath to my son Henry the like sum of Fifty pounds New York and a Bond I have against him for Five hundred pounds New York Currency. Item I give and bequeath to my son John my Negro Boy called Tom and the Bond I have against him for one thousand pounds New York Currency. Item I give and bequeath to my Son Benjamin a Bond I have against him for one thousand pounds New York Currency. Item I give and bequeath to my Son Richard my clock. Item I give and bequeath to each of my Grandsons that bear my name or are named after me to each of them the sum of Twenty pounds New York Currency excepting my Grandson Benjamin Micheau, as I have already given him a horse of full that value. Item I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughters Catherine Billop & Jane Billop to each of them the Sum of ten pounds New York Currency. All the rest and Residue of my Estate in New York Staten Island, Long Island, Great Britain, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick and elsewhere, after my real Estate shall be sold and turned into Cash shall be equally divided amongst all of my Children—namely—Mary the wife of Paul Micheau, Edmund, Rich-

ard, Jane the wife of Christopher Billop, Benjamin, John, Elizabeth the wife of Robert Stewart, Henry and William, Sons and Daughters, Share and share alike.

Item my Will is that, that part of my Estate given to my Daughter Elizabeth the wife of Robert Stewart, should be detained in the hands of my Executors, given to her as her necessities may require, leaving it entirely to the discretion of my Executors.

I hereby nominate constitute and appoint my four Sons Edmund & Henry of the City of New York and Richard & William of the City of St. John Province of New Brunswick, Executors of this my last Will and Testament, giving and I do hereby give and grant unto my said Executors and the Survivor or Survivors of them full power and authority to give and execute a deed or deeds for the sale of my lands Houses or real or personal Estate, and to recover and receive all monies and debts due to me or shall become due in New York Great Britain or elsewhere, and the Deed or Deeds, Receipt or Receipts given by my said Executors or of the Survivor or Survivors of them shall be lawful and authentick. I hereby disallow disannul and revoke all other Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and no other as and for my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day and year first above written.

(Sgd) BENJ. SEAMAN (LS)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the said Benjamin Seaman as and for his last Will & Testament in the presence of Israel Bedell—James Hoyt—Paul Bedell.

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## ERRATA

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- Page 78. No. 121. The date 1781 as stated of the death of Judge Benjamin Seaman is incorrect, although given in original manuscript and family records. Judge Seaman was in New York in 1783. He announced his intentions to remove to Nova Scotia, and was one of the fifty-five petitioners for grants of land in that Colony. His name appears on a Muster Roll at Granville in 1784. He is buried at St. John, New Brunswick; the inscription on his tomb gives no dates of birth or death.
- Page 84. No. 350. Read Frances instead of Francis.
- Page 97. No. 464. Read Lydia Mathis married Jesse R. Sears.
- Page 106. No. 548. Should read Mary Matilda Cairns.
- Page 107. No. 560. Matilda Susan Seaman,  
     b. July 16, 1814, in N. Y. C.  
     d. Bergen Point, N. J., August 25, 1889.  
     m. in N. Y. C., December 6, 1836, Rev.  
     Kingston Goddard.  
     They had eight children as given on page  
     287.
- Page 113. No. 620. Should read James Prouty.
- Page 124. No. 731. Should read Mary Mott.
- Page 130. No. 787. Should read Hannah Townsend Cock.
- Page 149. Henry Haviland died September 3, 1902.
- Page 165. No. 644. Should read Sarah M. Merrill.
- Page 176. No. 731. Should read Mary Mott.
- Page 177. No. 734. Should read Nostrand.
- Page 194. No. 1424. Anna Jane Seaman married May 26, 1857,  
     William M. Crichton. Residents Sterling,  
     Colorado. They had ten children, nineteen  
     grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.
- Page 222. No. 1667. Should read S. Louise Williams.
- Page 223. Should read Abigail A. Baldwin.
- Page 228. Should read Dr. Joseph & Georgiana Hatton of Georgia.
- Page 237. No. 1435. Should read Allie S. Shallenberger.
- Page 240. Should read Margaret J. Laurie and William W. Laurie.
- Page 250. Should read Marion Ida Hopkins McDonald.
- No. 252. No. 1701. Should read Gertrude Lucy Wells.



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Please make corrections in  
"The Seaman Family in America,"  
as follows.

page 198. Nellie May Bush. m. C. W. Bell had  
2 children (cross out 4)  
Freemont not Freemont

page 199. no. 1466 ~~Louise~~ Louise not  
Louisa had one son died in  
infancy cross out Emma Bannell

No. 1467. Sarah Matilda Seaman - baptised  
(Emma) etc.

page 239. Freemont not Freemont

no. 1783. Nathaniel B. Seaman

2nd line cross out at Cleveland, O.  
Charles Burt Tozier born WETHIVEN  
Mass. cross out Waltham, Mass.







Wee the Indians Above written, Doe hereby  
 Acknowledge to have receiued of the Merchants  
 And Inhabitants of Hemstedde, All our pay,  
 In full Satisfaction, for the trading and  
 foule vnto them, According to the then in  
 written Agreement, And According to the  
 And Purchase. The Generall-Boundes  
 is as followeth. Beginning it is  
 Mattagarets Bay, And soe running upon a line  
 North and South, from North to South, it  
 From Sea to Sea, The Boundes running from  
 Hemstedde Harbour due East to a point  
 Adioyning to the Lands of Robert Williams, thence  
 wee Eastward, thence, the same line running from  
 Sea to Sea. The line beginning at a tree  
 standing at the East-Ende of the greater Plains  
 And from that Tree running upon a line South  
 And at the South-Sea, by a Marshes, trees, woods  
 And Cuttes, Maskutchoyng, And from thence upon  
 the same line, to the South-Sea; And soe wee write  
 Names are hereunto Subscribed, wee further Inuene  
 ourselves and our Successors, to vphold and  
 Mainetaine this our present Act, And all our  
 former Agreements, to be Just and Lawfull.  
 That the Aforesaid Inhabitants of Hemstedde  
 shall Inuoy the said Lands, According to the





Marked Boundes with: therevnto  
all priviledges therevnto Any way belonging  
or Apperteyning, for them their heires and  
Successors for Ever: And wee doe binde  
Our selves, to save and defende them  
harmles, from Any manner of Crime or  
pretence, that shalbe made to disturbe them  
in their righte, or in any part thereof  
Hereby byndeing us and our Successors, to  
Cause them to enjoy the same peaceably  
with out Any Molestation or interruption  
for them their heires and Successors for  
ever: Whereunto wee have subscribed this  
Eleventh day of May Anno 1553 Ailo Nunc  
witness:

*Francisco de*  
*ne know A.*  
*Bayas Stock*

*Francisco*  
*Martom R.*  
*Deese Roma*

A true Copy Compared wth the Originall  
and both of them being written by me  
Sullied by *sergeants*  
*Monte de*  
*ye decree of our Latier*  
*meeting*  
*Boagwinock*



I have had for many years past a wish to know how the family of the Seamans hath descended from Captain John Seaman from whom the whole family of the Seamans in America hath descended & as well as I have been able to collect from materials the following is a statement - Captain John Seaman came from England into this country, but at what time it is not strictly known, but it appears that the said Captain John Seaman & 6 of his sons were patentees in the town of Hamptonstead which patent I think bears date 1669, and their proportion money in that patent is as follows

Captain John Seaman	1st son	4 - 3 - 4
John Seaman	2nd son	0 - 12 - 1
Jonathan Seaman	3rd son	0 - 13 - 6
Benjamin Seaman	4th son	1 - 17 - 6
Solomon Seaman	5th son	1 - 13 - 11 1/2
Samuel Seaman	6th son	0 - 0 - 7 1/2
Thomas Seaman	7th son	1 - 2 - 6
		<hr/> 10 - 3 - 6

Captain John Seaman had two wives the first was a Thichland & by her he had four sons & one daughter the second wife was a Moore & by her he had 4 sons & 7 daughters in all 8 sons & 8 daughters I shall set forth in order of their births & as well as I can set forth which of the Seamans & their families hath descended from each respective son as to the daughters I shall say no more about them than this, the eldest daughter was named Elizabeth and she married colonel John Jackson second daughter a maid & she was mother to Patrick Mott of Hamptonstead south third daughter married Nathaniel Pearsall of her descended the family of the Pearsalls about Hamptonstead harbor fourth daughter a maid of her descended the family Richard Thirk of Hamptonstead harbor fifth a barman of her descended Stephen Carman leg of Hamptonstead sixth a barman of her descended great Adam & Stephen of Hamptonstead south then there was a daughter that did not marry and the other married a Pearsall of her descended Thomas and Rowland Pearsall of Bethpage. I will just observe that Captain John Seaman came from England into this country and the Seamans coat of arms in England is a sea horse

Now I shall proceed to tell which family of the Seamans hath descended from each respective son Captain John Seaman had 8 sons the eldest son named John he had two sons John and Joseph John's son John Comptagood Joseph had no children but John had two sons John and Joseph

Second son named Jonathan he had five sons Jonathan David John Joseph and Caleb - Jonathan and Joseph went up to Bahant David had two sons David and Zebulon of Jericho John had four sons William Robert John and Jonathan of Jericho Caleb had four sons Caleb Joshua Nehemiah and Isaac of Jericho

Third son named Benjamin he had four sons Benjamin Jacob James and Solomon of Jerusalem

Fourth son named Solomon he had one that went to Maryland and Solomon father to Solomon

Fifth son named Samuel of the second wife he had two sons Samuel & Eliza Eliza lived south side of the plain

Sixth son named Thomas he had seven sons John Samuel Nathaniel Thomas Isaac Richard & Schonus of Jerusalem

Seventh son named Nathaniel he had six sons Nathaniel Abraham Ezechiah Jacob Thomas Samuel of Westbury

Eighth son named Richard he had five sons Richard Thomas Adam Giles & Daniel of Hamptonstead

It is said Captain John Seaman made a will and after his wife's legacy he gave all his undivided land to his eight sons

January 1800

Jordan Seaman



To all Persons to whom these Presents shall come know ye  
that I Nathaniel Seaman of Woburn in the County of  
Hampshire in New York in the Province of New York  
for and in Consideration of the Sum of Thirteen Pounds  
Six Shillings and Eight pence Current Lawful Money of  
the Province aforesaid to me in hand paid before the  
sealing and Delivery hereof have Remise Released  
and for ever quit Claim, and by these Presents do  
fully (Partly and absolutely Remise Release and for  
ever quit Claim unto <sup>my Son</sup> Thomas Seaman of Woburn in  
the Township of Hampshire aforesaid to him his Heirs  
and Assigns for ever a Certain Piece of Land and Meadow  
Situate and lying on the South Side of Long Island in  
the County of Hampshire situate on a Neck called  
New Bridge one ~~Sixth~~ part of a lot of Land and Me-  
dow that the said Nathaniel Seaman Bought of  
Richard Ellison and the twenty fourth part of a  
lot of Meadow and Land that lyeth on the West  
Side of the Neck aforesaid and two Shillings patten  
right on the plains and in the Mowes and Beaches  
on the South of the Neck to have and to hold all  
all the above Bargained Land, and Meadows unto him  
the said Thomas Seaman his Heirs and Assigns for ever  
so that the said Nathaniel Seaman nor his Heirs Execu-  
tors or Administrators shall have any Right Title In-  
terest or Claim or Demand of and in, and to all the  
above Remised Land and Meadows by these Presents  
excluded and disbursed for ever in witness wher-  
of I have hereunto set my hand and Seal  
this Thirtieth Day of August 1752

Sealed and Delivered  
in the Presence of

John Thomas  
Jane & George  
Mary Dunge

Nathaniel Seaman



NAME of the Settler  
Bachman, O. A.

Back Street

nearby in 1974.

Harriet Pitt

Handwritten: 6/1/14

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Know all men by these presents that Whereas Nathaniel Seaman Late  
of Westbury in the Township of Hempstead in Queens County in the Province  
of New-York (Deceased) being in his lifetime Intitled to Certain Lands  
and Meadows Situate on a Neck Called New-Bridge in the Township of  
Said Hempstead who by Deeds and by Devises conveyed the same to four  
of his Sons Namely Nathaniel Seaman Jacob Seaman Thomas Seaman &  
and Samuel Seaman which said four for their Convenience have made  
a Division of the said Land and Meadow and in Confirmation thereof the  
said Thomas Seaman hath under his hand and Seal Relinquished unto them  
the said Nathaniel Seaman Jacob Seaman and Samuel Seaman all his  
Right and Interest in the Land and Meadows allotted to them in the said  
Division as may appear by their several Deeds of Release bearing date  
Date with these presents In Consideration whereof they the said Nathaniel  
Seaman Jacob Seaman and Samuel Seaman, Have Relinquished Relinquished and  
forever Quit Claimed and by these presents they Do each for themselves and  
their respective Heirs Premises Release and forever Quit Claim all their  
Right Title and Interest of to and in the Land and Meadow allotted to him the  
said Thomas Seaman in the above Cited Division the Bound and Contents  
whereof may particularly appear by the Card or map thereof which is  
hereto annexed to him the said Thomas Seaman his Heirs and Assigns  
forever it being Generally Bounded thus one piece Bounded Northerly by  
Nathaniel Seaman Easterly by Samuel Miller Southerly by Nathaniel  
Seaman, and Westerly by the Creek another piece <sup>bounded</sup> westerly by Nathaniel  
Seaman and the Creek and Southerly by D. Crook, Easterly by Samuel



whereas Thomas Seaman Son of Nathaniel Seaman of Westbury in the County of Hartford in  
Queens County yoman and Hannah Willits of the same place Daughter of Thomas Willits ~~of Westbury~~  
in the Township of Westbury in Suffolk County now removed into Penselam having declared  
their Intention of marriage with each other before several monthly meetings of the people  
called Quakers in Westbury according to the good order used amongst them whose proceedings  
therein after deliberate consideration thereof and having the Consent of parents and Relations  
concerned and nothing appearing to obstruct were approved of by the said meetings now these  
are to Certifie all to whom it may Concern that for the full accomplishing their said intention  
this ~~the~~ <sup>third</sup> ~~third~~ <sup>third</sup> day of the twelfth month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred  
and forty one two ~~thence~~ they the said Thomas Seaman & Hannah Willits presented themselves  
in a public meeting of the said people & others at Westbury aforesaid and the said Thomas  
Seaman taking the said Hannah Willits by the hand did in Solemn manner openly declare  
that he took her to be his wife promising to be unto her a faithful & loving husband  
untill the Lord shall by death separate them and then and there in the said assembly the  
said Hannah Willits did in like manner declare that she took the said Thomas Seaman to  
be her husband promising to be unto him a faithful & loving wife untill the Lord shall  
by death separate them and moreover the said Thomas Seaman and Hannah Willits she according  
to the Custom of marriage assuming the name of her husband as a further Confirmation thereof  
did then and there to these presents set their hands and wec whose names are here under  
subscribed being among others presents at the Solemnization of the said marriage  
and subscription in manner as aforesaid have also as witnesses set our hands to these presents

Thomas pearson

John Wind or held

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# Curatores Collegii Rutgersensis Reipublicae Neo-Caesariensis

Legibus constituti, omnibus et singulis, ad quos hae Litterae Academicae pervenerint,  
Salutem:

Quoniam hujusce Collegii Senatus Academicus, cui sunt commissae res Medicae et Chirurgicae, nobis commendavit *Julium Seaman* juvenem, qui omnibus studiis ad Medicinae et Chirurgiae usum, scientiamque spectantibus animum, per tempus institutum, diligenter intendit; et quoniam post diligentissimam peritiae ejus investigationem, maxime idoneus est inventus, qui ad gradum Doctoris Medicinae Chirurgicaeque promoveretur. Quapropter *Julium Seaman*, ad gradum Medicinae Chirurgicae Doctoris libentissimo provocationis, eique omnia jura, privilegia et honores ad istum gradum quoquomodo pertinentes, dedimus et concessimus.

In cujus rei majorem fidem, et plenius testimonium, sigillo Academico, Praesidisque et Professorum chirographis, hocce Diploma muniendum curavimus.

Datum *Neo-Hornopoli*, in Collegio Rutgersensi, tradidimusque *Neo-Hornopoli*, ipsis Aprilis calendis, annoque Salutis millesimo octingentesimo vigesimo septimo.

*Philipponis Miller D.D. S.T.P. Ch. Rut. Praeses.*

*Joannes D. M. D.D. S.T.P.*

*Jacobus L. Cannon D.D. S.T.P.*

*Abrahamus Maurer*

*Arnoldus W. Heidebregh*

*Carolus Smith M.D.*

*Jacobus J. Mow*

*Daniel Horath M.D. Praes. Facult. et Med. P. 107*  
*Samuel Litchell M.D. Pro-Praes.*

*Jul. Jacob. Macemon M.D. Ther. & Med. Prof.*

*Valentine Mott M.D. Chirurgia Prof.*

*Joannes M. Francis M.D. Art. Obstet. nec non Med. Forens. Prof.*

*Joannes L. Brown M.D. Anat. & Physica Prof.*

*Joannes Pison M.D. Chemia Prof.*

*Joannes Pison M.D. Chemia Prof.*



**WILLIAM SEAMAN** of the City, County and State of N York son of **DAVID** and **SARAH SEAMAN**  
and  
**Caroline Hicks** daughter of **Valentine & Abigail Hicks** of Jericho, Township of Oyster Bay

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Having laid their intentions of marriage with each other before two monthly meetings of the Religious Society of Friends in Jericho they having consent of parents and nothing appearing to obstruct their proposal of marriage was allowed by the meeting. **These are to Certify** that for the accomplishment of their intentions this twenty third day of the sixth month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one they the said **William Seaman & Caroline Hicks** appeared in a public meeting of said society held in Jericho aforesaid and the said William Seaman taking the said Caroline Hicks by the hand did on this solemn occasion declare that he took her to be his Wife promising through Divine assistance to be unto her faithful and affectionate Husband until separated by death or words to that effect. And the said Caroline Hicks did in like manner declare that she took the said William Seaman to be her Husband promising through Divine assistance to be unto him faithful and affectionate Wife until separated by death or words to that import. And they the said

**William Seaman & Caroline Hicks**





Joaman, and Northerly by D. Samuel Joaman one & the place Bounded  
Southerly by John Jackson Westerly by the highway Northerly by Natha-  
niel Joaman Easterly by the Hollow at the head of Little North Swamps  
The whole containing Twenty Nine Acres and thirty three Rods To Have  
and to Hold all and singular The above Granted Land and Meadows  
to him the said Thomas Joaman as the same is Express'd in the above  
Cited Map to him his Heirs and Assigns forever together with all the  
Conventions privileges and Appurtenances Thereto belonging to him and  
Thereto only proper Use Benefit and behoof forever with this Express only  
to the Grantor Nathaniel Joaman a privilege of passage with a Team or  
Cattle at all times when he or his Heirs or Assigns shall have occasion  
to go a Crope a small part of the Meadows of the said Thomas Joaman to pick  
out hay from the Meadows of said Nathaniel Joaman that both follow it  
In Witness whereof and In Confirmation of every Clause and Article  
herein contained they the said Nathaniel Joaman, Jacob Joaman and  
Samuel Joaman have hereunto set their hands and Seals this Thirtieth  
Day of the first month Anno Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and  
fifty Nine Sealed and Delivered

In the presence of  
William Joaman  
Samuel Willis  
Ca

Jacob Joaman  
Nathaniel Joaman  
Sam Joaman



Thomas Seaman  
Hannah Seaman  
Nathaniel Seaman

Elizabeth Seaman  
Mary Seaman  
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(she according to the custom of marriage assuming the name of her husband has a further confirmation thereof at this time and there to these presents set their hands.



We being present have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereof.

John C. Marrett	Jacob Kirby	John Carl Jr.	William J. Cook
Joseph A. Townsend	Mary Kirby Jr.	Susan H. Hicks	Silas Downing
Valentine Robbins	John Kellham	William Hicks	Phoebe D. Downing
Phoebe C. Willis	David Hatcham Jr.	Lysia Seaman	Reuben C. Hubbs
Lydian F. Townsend	Esther Robbins	Esther Seaman	Elizabeth Clark
Elizabeth Titus	Mary Frost	Oliver Hicks Jr.	Mary Ann Townsend
Samuel Cook	Elizabeth H. Seaman	Martha C. Clark	Mary H. Willis
William Hicks	Esther Willits	Elizabeth Hicks	Sarah S. Willis
Ruth J. Hicks	E. J. Willits	Hannah Seaman	Phoebe Ann Hull
William Willits	Samuel J. Seaman	Elizabeth H. Seaman	Phoebe Kirby
Edmund Kirby	Mary Underhill	Walter Robbins	Sarah Mott
Sarah H. Hicks	Phoebe Haviland	John Willis	Sarah C. Seaman





DAUGHTER OF William and Caroline H. Seaman, THE former deceased, of said City, County and STATE OF NEW YORK

having, said ~~THEIR~~ intentions of marriage with each other before the Monthly Meeting of the religious society of Friends, held in the city of New York; and, having, consent of surviving parents, and nothing appearing to obstruct, their proposal of marriage was, allowed by

THE MEETING.

**THESE ARE TO CERTIFY**

that, for the accomplishment of their intentions on this the tenth day of the Fifth month, in the year of our Lord, One thousand Eight hundred and fifty six, they the said Henry B. Cromwell and Sarah Seaman, appeared at the dwelling house of Caroline H. Seaman in the city of New York, in the presence of a Committee appointed by said meeting, and the said Henry B. Cromwell, taking the said Sarah Seaman by the ~~his~~ <sup>her</sup> hand, on this solemn occasion declare, ~~THAT~~ he took ~~HER~~ <sup>her</sup> to be his Wife, promising through Divine assistance to be unto her a faithful and loving Husband, until separated by Death, or words to that effect; and then the said Sarah Seaman, did in like manner declare, that she took the said Henry B. Cromwell to be her Husband, promising through Divine assistance to be unto him a faithful and loving Wife, until separated by Death, or words to that effect.





THAT IMPORT.

And they, he said Henry B. Cromwell and Sarah Seaman, she according to the custom of Marriage, assuming the name of his husband, as a further confirmation, she did then and there,

TO THESE PRESENTS SET THEIR HANDS.

Witness my self

Sarah S. Cromwell

SUBSCRIBED

OUR WIVES AS

Dobell Baker

Nathaniel S. Merritt

Mary H. Merritt

Caroline H. Perkins

Mary Hallett

Richard Field

Deborah Westfield

Mrs. H. Clark

Lydia Pike

Sarah D. Comby

John A. Merritt

Hannah B. Merritt

Elizabeth Hicks

Elija H. Seaman

Margaret C. Hufsey

Geo. H. Hufsey

Thos. Woodward

Elizabeth C. Woodward

Edward Cromwell

Martha H. Cromwell

Aaron Griffin

Charlotte C. Griffin

Elizabeth Lane

Mary A. Riley

John Riley

Sept. Cromwell

John Cromwell

Melinda D. Cromwell

Nathan Comstock

Elvanus Perkins

Mary H. Barron

Hannah Ann Ward

Elizabeth H. Willis

Caroline H. Seaman

Valentin H. Seaman

Debra Cromwell

Sam. L. Seaman

Sarah H. Hicks

Mary Hicks

Elias H. Hicks

Thomas W. Hicks

Robert Seaman

Abigail Seaman

Lydia Seaman

James C. Haviland

Oliver Haviland

Anna Haviland

Henry Haviland

Lillie M. Haviland

David S. Seaman

Rebecca Cromwell

Sarah B. Smith

M. D. Cromwell

Abby H. Cromwell

Chas. M. Field

Anna C. Field

Frederic Cromwell

Aaron Field

Abigail C. Field

Thomas J. Smith

Emily Cromwell

James Cromwell

Elizabeth Cromwell

Charles Cromwell

Henry Cromwell

Sarah M. Cromwell

David S. Seaman

Charles H. Seale

Edwin H. Seale

Amos Cromwell

Lydia S. Seale

James Cromwell

Edw. Merritt

Isaac H. Seale

Samuel Merritt

Esther Haviland

William S. Haviland

Caroline Haviland

Chas. F. Haviland

Hannah S. Robbins

Sarah D. Willis

Caroline Robbins



Mary A. Barrett

Frank Hallam

R. F. Brown

Ely J. Perkins

W. H. Greenough

Anna L. Roberts

Wm. Croinville

Edmund H. Brown

Ella Haviland

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Mary P. Brown

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George Merritt

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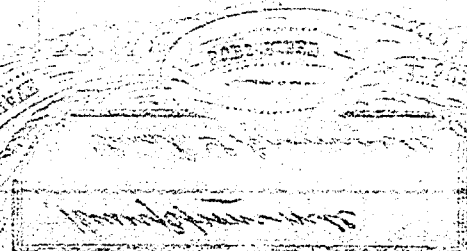
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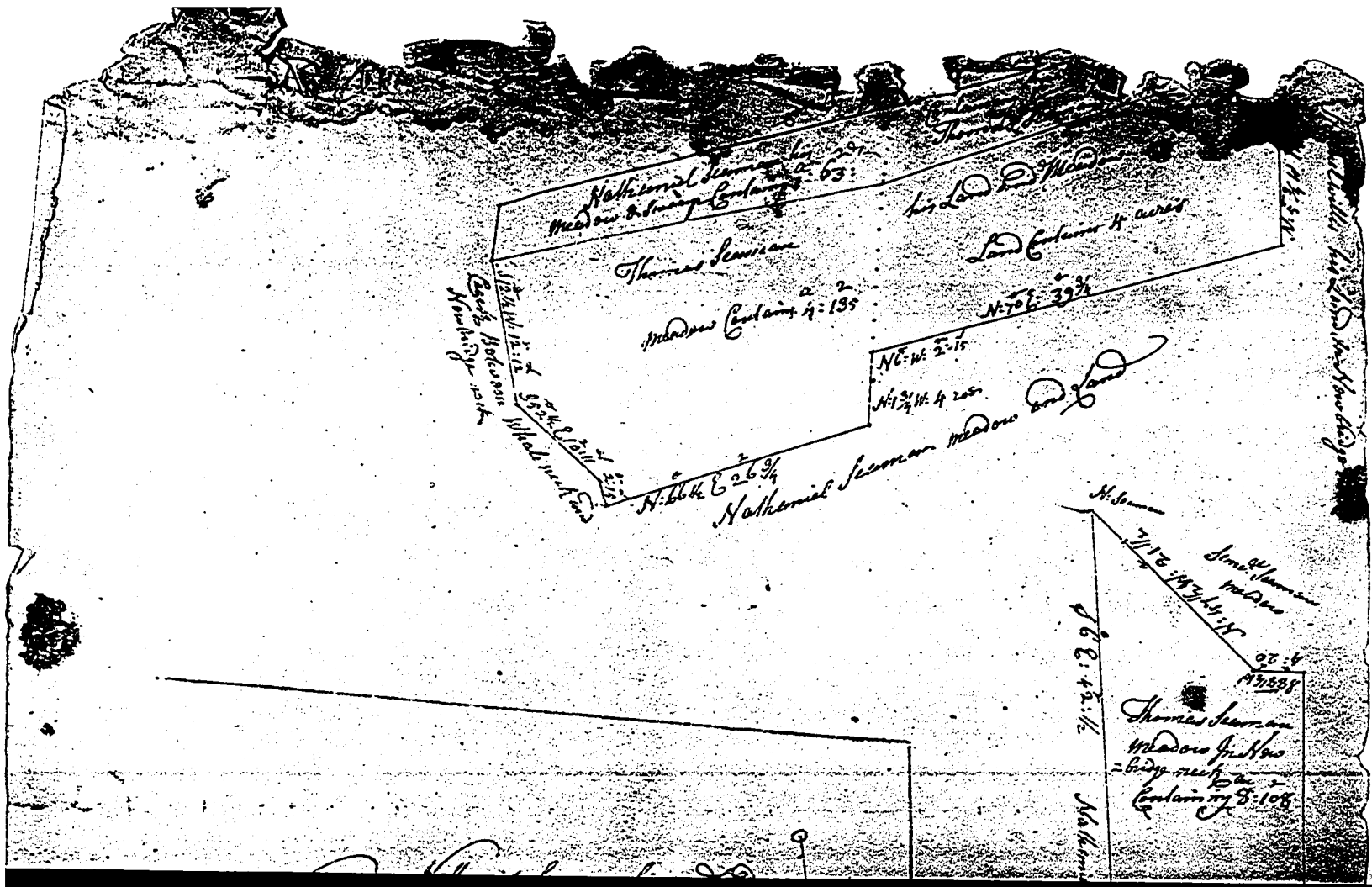
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1856







off highway to Jonathan's

N 89 1/4 E 63 3/4 100

Thomas Seannan his woodland lying on the  
east side of the Highway to Newbridge South of John  
Bilson his house and joining to the south side of Hall's and that  
formerly belonging to Jonathan Whitehead containing 9 acres

N 89 1/4 E 56 100

John Jackson Land formerly Jonathan  
Whitehead

N 55 1/2 E 9

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Jonathan's Meadow

N 63 E  
8 1/2 S  
S 39 W 20 1/2 E  
600

Jonathan's Meadow  
S 8 E 32 100

