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OF THE

Descendants of Francis Whitmore,

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WHITMORE FAMILY.

First Generation.

- 1 WHITMORE, FRANCIS, b. 1625; m. Isabel, dau. of Richard Parke, of Cambridge, who is believed to have been son of Henry Parke, a merchant of London. . By his first wife, who d. Mar. 31, 1665, he had —
- 1- 2 Elizabeth, b. May 2, 1649; m. Daniel Markham.
- 3 Francis, „ Oct. 12, 1650; remov. to Middlet., Ct., and left heirs.
- 4 John, „ Oct. 1, 1654.
- 5 Samuel, „ May 1, 1658; „ „, Lexington, „ „ „
- 6 Abigail, „ July 3, 1660; m. — Wilcox.
- 7 Sarah, „ Mar. 7, 1662; „ William Locke.

He m., 2d, Margaret Harty, Nov. 10, 1666, who d. Mar. 1, 1686;
and had —

- 8 Margaret, b. Sept. 9, 1668; m. Thomas Carter.
- 9 Frances, „ Mar. 3, 1671; „ Jonathan Tompson.
- 10 Thomas, „ 1673; lived in Killingly, Ct., and had issue.
- 11 Joseph, „ c. 1675; „ „ Woburn, „ „

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The earliest mentioned person by the name of Whitmore I have yet met with is John of Stamford, who was living in Wethersfield in 1639. He was killed by the Indians in 1648, leaving a son, John. I have some reason to suspect that he was the father of all of the name here, and that the following will give about the record of his children's births: —

Thomas, b. 1615; the ancestor of the Wetmores.
 Ann, „ (?) 1621; m. George Farrar, Feb. 16, 1644.
 Mary, „ (?) 1623; „ John Brewer, Oct. 23, 1647.
 Francis, „ 1625; of Cambridge.
 John, „ (?) 1627; of Stamford, 1650.

Second Generation.

- 1- 3 FRANCIS WHITMORE moved to Middletown, Conn., where he m.
 Hannah Harris, Feb. 8, 1674, and had —
 3-12 Francis, b. Nov. 25, 1675.
 13 Hannah, „ Nov. 23, 1677.
 14 Abigail, „ Jan. 23, 1681.
 15 Joseph, „ Aug. 1, 1687.
 16 William, „ Dec. 18, 1689.
 17 Edith, „ Mar. 3, 1692; d. Sept. 9, 1700.
 18 Isabel, „ Dec., 1694.
 19 John, „ Apr., 1698.

His wife was d. of William and Edith Harris, and had a sister, Patience, who m. Daniel Markham, son of Elizabeth (1-2), and therefore cousin of Francis W.

- 1- 4 JOHN WHITMORE was one of the early settlers in Medford, at least
 at the period when the records commence. He m., 1st, Rachel,
 dau. of Francis Eliot, and widow of John Poulter, of Cambridge.
 His children by her were —
 4-20 Francis, } b. May 8, 1678. m. John Elder.
 21 Abigail, }
 22 John, „ Aug. 27, 1683.

He m., 2d, Rebecca Cutter, June 3, 1724; and d. Feb. 22, 1739.

Dec. 24, 1680, he, with John Hall, Thomas Willis, Stephen Willis, and Stephen Francis, divided the Collins Farm between them; Caleb Hobart having previously sold John W. one-fourth of this estate. In addition to this land, he owned the house shown on a preceding page, and also land in Billerica and Charlestown. He was in service, under Major Swayne, against the Indians at Saco; and his wife petitioned the General Court that her husband might be restored to her and her three infant children. The fall after his return, he was engaged in purchasing lands and building a house. His funeral sermon was by Mr. Turell, from Acts xxi. 16.

- 1- 5 SAMUEL WHITMORE m. Rebecca Gardner, Mar. 31, 1636, who d.
June 5, 1709, aged 43; and had —
- 5-23 Francis, b. Dec. 9, 1686.
24 Samuel, „ Apr. 1, 1688.
25 Rebecca, „ Feb. 9, 1690; m. Thomas Wellington.
26 John, „ Lydia —.
27 Benjamin.
28 Abigail, „ May 8, 1698.
29 Sarah, „ Apr. 10, 1701; „ Timothy Hyde.
30 Nathaniel, „ May 7, 1702.
31 Mary, „ May 4, 1704.
He m., 2d, Mary, widow of Abraham Watson. He d. May 22,
1724. His widow d. Nov. 14, 1730.
- He lived at Lexington, very probably in his father's house, which was on
the boundary line between Cambridge and Lexington.

- 1-10 THOMAS WHITMORE m. Mary Jennison, and had —
- 10-32 Thomas, b. Nov. 4, 1694.
33 Francis, „ Sept. 5, 1696.
34 Samuel, „ Sept. 22, 1698.
35 Mary, „ Sept. 4, 1700.
36 Daniel, „ Feb. 22, 1702.
37 Ephraim, bap. 1709.
38 Hannah, „ „
39 Abigail, „ „
- He lived in Killingly, Conn.; but previously lived in Watertown, 1693, and
at Ellierica, 1707; in which latter place he had seven acres given him by the
proprietors.

- 1-11 JOSEPH WHITMORE, of Woburn, m. Mary, dau. of Thomas Kendall,
Feb. 13, 1698. She d. Nov. 19, 1760, aged 82. Child: —
11-40 Joseph, b. Feb. 17, 1699.

Third Generation.

- 3-12 FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. Mary Cornwell, May 30,
1698, and had —
- 12-41 Francis, b. Jan. 10, 1700.
42 Mary, „ Oct. 1, 1702; d. Nov. 1, 1702.
43 Mary, } „ Dec. 10, 1705.
44 Margaret, }
45 Jacob, „ Oct. 19, 1707.
46 Nathaniel, „ Oct. 23, 1709.
47 Hannah, „ Sept. 11, 1711.
48 Daniel, „ Aug. 21, 1713.
49 Elizabeth, „ Apr. 12, 1716.
50 Abigail, „ Sept. 9, 1718.
51 Ebenezer, „ Nov. 16, 1720.
52 Hezekiah, „ June 27, 1725.

John d. Mar. 26, 1753. His widow d. Mar. 27, 1783, aged 96. He was at first a housewright, but afterwards went into business with his brother. He owned much property in Medford; and his eldest son, John, having removed to Bedford, he resided there chiefly in his old age, and was so liberal a benefactor to the church as to be mentioned with gratitude on the records. His daughters all left issue; and one of them, Susanna, left descendants, now living in Lexington, by the name of Chandler, who still preserve some relics of their ancestor. The family of Lane, when it emigrated from England, left property there, the rents of which were paid to the heirs, John Whitmore's descendants included, until within fifty years, when the heirs, being numerous, sold the estate, and divided it.

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- 5-24 SAMUEL WHITMORE, jun., of Lexington, m. Bethiah Page, Jan. 7, 1720, and had —
 24-86 Daniel, b. Feb. 15, 1725; m. Elizabeth Winship.
 He d. Aug. 17, 1724.
- 5-27 BENJAMIN WHITMORE m. Elizabeth Cheney, 1729, and lived in Newton. Children: —
 27-87 John, b. June 28, 1730.
 88 Joseph, „ Oct. 13, 1732.
 89 Sarah, „ July 29, 1735.
- 5-30 NATHANIEL WHITMORE, of Newton, had, by wife Abigail, —
 30-90 Abigail, b. Dec. 31, 1724; m. Moses Cheney.
 91 Rebecca, „ Apr. 30, 1726.
 92 Moses, „ Jan. 17, 1731.
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- 10-32 THOMAS WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. Elizabeth Lee, Dec. 9, 1718, and had —
 32-93 Abraham, b. 1720.
 94 Isaac, „ 1721.
 95 Zerviah, „ 1723.
 96 Jacob, „ 1725; d. Dec. 21, 1731.
 97 Elizabeth, „ June 3, 1728.
 98 John, „ Dec. 30, 1730.
- 10-33 FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. Elizabeth Bassett, and — had —
 33-99 Elias.
 100 Jacob, d. Sept., 1739.
 101 Asa, „ s. p.
 102 John, „ „
 103 Sarah, „ „
 104 Mary, m. — Drake.
 105 Elizabeth, „ Obadiah Clough.
- 10-34 SAMUEL WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. Peternell Mitchell, Dec. 6, 1722, and had —
 34-106 Samuel, b. Dec. 13, 1723.
 107 Peternell, „ Feb. 23, 1724.
 108 Abigail, „ Jan. 21, 1726.
 109 Edward, „ Aug. 20, 1728.

10-36 DANIEL WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. Dorcas Convers, Mar. 20.
1723, and had —

36-110 Margaret, b. Jan. 24, 1725.
111 Daniel, }
112 Dorcas, } „ May, 1727.
113 Martha, „ May, 1728.
114 Josiah, „ Mar., 1730.
115 Moses, „ Aug., 1731.
116 Abigail, „ June, 1733.
117 Aaron, „ Mar., 1735.
118 Elizabeth, „ Mar., 1737.
119 Mchitable, „ May, 1739.
120 Thankful, „ Dec., 1740.
He d. Aug. 12, 1768.

10-37 EPHRAIM WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. Elizabeth —, and
had —

37-120a. Lois, b. July 15, 1728.
b. —, „ Apr. 13, 1729.
c. Elijah, „ July 4, 1731.
d. Asia, „ Oct. 7, 1733.
e. Elisha, „ May 7, 1738.
f. —, „ June 8, 1740.
g. Mary, „ July 29, 1744.

11-40 JOSEPH WHITMORE, jun., of Woburn, m., 1st, Elizabeth Grover ;
and, 2d, Elizabeth Flagg. Children : —

40-121 Joseph, b. Sept. 9, 1719.
122 Elizabeth, „ Mar. 3, 1730; d. 1748.
123 Mary, „ Sept. 5, 1731; m. — Radcliff.
124 Phebe, „ Aug. 6, 1733; „ — Titcomb.
125 David, }
126 Jonathan, } „ Oct. 18, 1734.
127 Nathar, „ Nov. 16, 1736; d. 1756.
128 Ruth, „ Mar. 24, 1739; m. — Furlong.
129 Ebenezer, „ Sept. 14, 1740; d. 1760.
130 Hannah, „ May 28, 1742; m. — Morse.
131 Dorothy, „ Feb. 9, 1744; „ John Huse, May 19, 1768.
132 Thomas, „ Jan. 17, 1746; d. Nov. 3, 1747.
133 Abigail, m. — Proctor.

Fourth Generation.

12-41 FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. Sarah Pryor, Feb. 20,
1724, and had —

41-134 Sarah, b. Jan. 4, 1725.
135 Mary, „ Mar. 23, 1727.
136 Isabel, „ Feb. 24, 1729.
137 Francis, „ Mar. 13, 1731.
138 Susanna, „ Mar. 13, 1733.
139 Zerviah, „ Feb. 27, 1735.

- 12-45 JACOB WHITMORE, of Middletown, m., 1st, Anna Stow, Feb. 2, 1730, and had —
 45-140 Ruth, b. June 14, 1731.
 His wife dying April 12, 1734, he m., 2d, Rebecca Hurlbut, July 31, 1735, and had —
 141 John, b. May 6, 1736.
 142 Rebecca, „ Oct. 17, 1740; d. Aug. 22, 1742.
 143 Mary, „ Aug. 2, 1742.
 He d. June 5, 1743.
- 12-46 NATHANIEL WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. Sarah, widow of John Lucas, Feb. 18, 1731, and had —
 46-144 Gurdon, b. Dec. 9, 1731; d. June 14, 1745.
 145 Hannah, „ Jan. 9, 1735.
- 12-48 DANIEL WHITMORE, of Middletown, m., 1st, Nov. 3, 1733, Mehitable Hubbard, and had —
 48-145½ Thankful, b. Sept. 12, 1739.
 146 Daniel, „ May 1, 1741.
 147 Mabel.
 He m., 2d, Mary Chalker, May 30, 1744, and had —
 148 Stephen, b. Aug. 16, 1746.
 149 Mehitable, „ Apr. 12, 1748.
 150 Gurdon, „ Apr. 7, 1750.
- 12-51 EBENEZER WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. Thankful Egleston. July 19, 1744, and had —
 51-151 Ebenezer, b. Dec. 14, 1745.
 152 John, „ Nov. 18, 1748; d. Oct. 11, 1751.
 153 Noadiah, „ Dec. 31, 1750.
 154 John, „ Aug. 16, 1752; „ Dec. 28, 1779.
 155 Luther, „ May 4, 1754; was of Middle Haddam, Ct.
 156 Hezekiah, „ Mar. 3, 1756.
 157 Thankful, „ Dec. 10, 1758.
 158 Timothy, „ Feb. 10, 1761.
 159 Noadiah, „ Jan. 23, 1763; d. Apr. 28, 1813.
 160 Jehiel, „ Dec. 31, 1764.
 161 Lucy, „ Apr. 7, 1768.
 He d. Feb. 16, 1804; his wife d. Aug. 3, 1787.
- 15-61 FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. Elizabeth Hale, Nov. 15, 1750, and had —
 61-162 Samuel, b. Dec. 26, 1751.
- 16-69 FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Middletown, m., 1st, Rachel White, July 15, 1750, who d. Mar. 1, 1751. He m., 2d, Sybil White, Apr. 18, 1753, and had —
 69-163 Rachel, b. Dec. 22, 1753; d. Jan. 31, 1755.
 164 Mary, „ Nov. 26, 1755.
 165 Sybil, „ Oct. 13, 1757; „ Mar. 31, 1758.
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- 22-82 JOHN WHITMORE m. Martha Lane, of Bedford, and had —
 82-166 John, b. Oct. 23, 1737; d. Aug. 29, 1743.
 167 William, „ Mar. 17, 1739; „ Sept. 11, 1743.
 168 Ebenezer, „ Jan. 1, 1741; „ Aug. 24, 1743.
 169 Martha, „ Sept. 30, 1742; „ Apr. 17, 1750.

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- 170 Mary, b. May 2, 1744.
 171 Lucy, „ Nov. 8, 1745; d. Feb. 16, 1750.
 172 Susanna, „ July 16, 1747; „ Mar. 4, 1750.
 173 John, „ June 13, 1749; „ Feb. 21, 1750.

He d. Oct. 25, 1748, and his wife removed to Conn. He was a leading man in Bedford, being selectman, treasurer, and clerk. The town, during his life, sent no representative, being a precinct of Billerica.

- 22-83 FRANCIS WHITMORE, jun., m. Mary Hall, Jan. 1, 1739, and had —
 83-174 Stephen, b. Oct. 21, 1739.
 175 Francis, bap. Aug. 16, 1741.
 176 William, b. Sept. 6, 1746.
 177 Mary, „ Dec. 25, 1750; m. Thomas Blodgett, of Lexington.
 178 Elizabeth, „ Nov. 27, 1752; „ Elisha Scavins.
 179 John, „ Nov. 25, 1754.
 180 Susanna, „ Sept. 14, 1757; „ Thomas Dinsmore.
 181 Andrew, „ Oct. 2, 1760.

Francis W. was engaged in business in Medford; but his too generous method of dealing embarrassed his affairs; and having, with Rev. Mr. Stone, purchased a township on the Kennebec, he removed thither with his oldest son, Stephen. He was engaged in shipping masts for the royal navy, an occupation which gave much offence to the squatters on the crown lands. He d. Apr. 27, 1794; and his wife d. Oct. 20, 1791, aged 79.

- 22-85 WILLIAM WHITMORE m. Mary, dau. of Thomas and Mary Brooks,
 Oct. 1, 1747, and had —
 85-181a. William, b. May 3, 1748; d. Nov. 19, 1775.
 b. John, „ May 31, 1750; „ July 28, 1750.
 c. Mary, „ Oct. 25, 1752; m. — Walker, of Rindge.
 d. Sarah, „ Nov. 7, 1757; d. s.p.
 e. Samuel, „ Dec. 15, 1759; „ Oct. 22, 1762.
 f. Martha, „ s.p.

He was a graduate of Harvard College; but bodily weakness prevented him from active pursuits, though he was a schoolmaster for a short time. The manner of his death was very peculiar: he having died in consequence of an illness produced by a dread of the smallpox. He d. Mar. 10, 1760. His widow d. Oct. 10, 1765.

- 27-87 JOHN WHITMORE, of Newton, m. Beulah —, and had —
 87-182 John, b. June 11, 1753.
 183 Abigail, „ Apr. 25, 1760.
 184 Elisha, „ Feb. 17, 1763.
 185 Katie, „ Feb. 7, 1765.
 186 Isaac.
- 27-88 JOSEPH WHITMORE, of Newton, m. Susanna Chick (published,
 at Boston, Mar. 7, 1755), and had —
 88-187 Enoch.
 188 Joseph, d. 1766.
- 30-92 MOSES WHITMORE, of Newton, m. Rebecca —, and had —
 92-189 Margaret, b. May 8, 1731.
- 32-94 ISAAC WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. — —, and had —
 94-190 Zerviah, b. Aug. 24, 1752.
 191 Mehitable, „ Aug. 17, 1754.
 192 Joseph, „ Feb. 13, 1757.
 193 Hannah.
 194 Rachel, „ July, 1759.
 195 Zolva.
 196 Jabez, „ Jan. 18, 1765.
- 36-111 DANIEL WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. — —, and had —
 111-197 Daniel.
 198 Anna, m. Jonas Kelly.
- 36-117 AARON WHITMORE, of Killingly, and afterwards of Mansfield,
 Conn., m. — —, and had —
 117-199 Ruth, b. Sept. 11, 1762.
 200 Edith, „ Mar. 10, 1764.
 201 Moses, „ Jan. 17, 1766.
 202 Aaron, „ July 3, 1768.
 203 Elizabeth, „ Nov. 11, 1770.
 204 Daniel, „ May 5, 1773.
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- 40-121 JOSEPH WHITMORE, of Woburn and Leominster, m. Mary Ma-
 rion, Dec. 24, 1741, and had —
 121-205 Mary, b. Feb. 15, 1743; m. Enos Jones; d. Dec. 23, 1788.
 206 Hannah, „ Oct. 27, 1744.
 207 Rebecca, „ July 16, 1747.
 208 Joseph, „ June 6, 1749.
 209 Benjamin, „ Oct. 26, 1751; d. July 30, 1848.
 210 Isaac, } „ Mar. 3, 1755.
 211 Persis, }
 212 Lucy, „ Jan. 23, 1757.
 213 Elizabeth, „ Feb. 8, 1759.
 214 Edward, „ Aug. 12, 1763.
- 40-125 DAVID WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Lydia Giddings, Dec. 5,
 1758. He d. at Lebanon, Jan. 9, 1828. Children: —
 125-215 Amos, b. Oct. 29, 1759; d. Mar. 20, 1829.
 216 Ebenezer, „ Feb. 28, 1760.
 217 Jacob, „ Oct. 30, 1761; „ Jan. 6, 1811.
 218 Lydia, „ Oct. 10, 1763; m. Timothy Gordon.
 219 Joshua G., „ 1765; d. 1765.
 220 Mary, „ 1766; „ 1805.
 221 David, „ Sept. 17, 1768.
 222 Sarah, „ Dec. 5, 1771; m. Edward Keyes.
 223 Elizabeth, „ June 20, 1773; d. 1780.

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- 41-137 FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. Elizabeth Keney, June 6, 1754, and had —
- 137-237 William, b. Jan. 24, 1755; d. Sept. 26, 1755.
238 William, „ July 17, 1756; „ Oct. 4, 1757.
239 Elizabeth, „ Sept. 18, 1758; „ Mar. 15, 1762.
240 Francis, „ Mar. 18, 1761.
241 Jacob, „ May 2, 1763.
242 Elizabeth, „ Jan. 14, 1766.
243 John Keney, „ Mar. 1, 1768.
- 51-159 NOADIAH WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. Widow Persis (Hubbard) Arnold, and had —
- 159-244 Bulkley, b. June 2, 1800.
245 Clarissa, „ Jan. 10, 1802; m. Stephen Miller.
246 Eliza, „ July 31, 1803; „ { 1st, — Davison; 2d, — Dickerson.
247 Hannah, „ Jan. 30, 1805; „ Collins Chamberlin.
248 Ann Maria, „ Mar. 7, 1807; „ Noah Bradnor.
249 William, „ Nov. 12, 1808; „ { Harriet Daniels; and is of New Haven, Conn.
250 Noah, „ Aug. 27, 1810; lives in Missouri.
251 Harriet, „ May 9, 1812; m. Elijah Paddock.
- 51-160 JEHIEL WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. — —, and had —
- 160-252 Persis, b. Apr. 2, 1787.
253 Mary, „ Jan. 23, 1789.
254 Thankful, „ Nov. 15, 1790.
255 Norman, „ Apr. 3, 1793.
256 James, „ Apr. 5, 1795.
257 Jehiel, „ July 7, 1797.
258 Lucy, „ Nov. 29, 1799.
259 Drusilla, „ Jan. 16, 1802.
260 Silas, „ Dec. 31, 1803.

261 Enos, b. Nov. 27, 1805.
 262 Elijah, „ May 23, 1810.

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- 83-174 STEPHEN WHITMORE, of Medford, m. Mary Whittemore, July 14, 1763, and had —
 174-263 Elizabeth C., b. May 19, 1764; m. John Springer.
 264 Stephen, „ Sept. 15, 1765; d., s. p., 1787.
 265 Samuel, } „ June 11, 1768.
 266 William, }
 267 Francis, „ Mar. 19, 1770; „ „ July 22, 1795.
 268 John, „ Nov. 25, 1771; still living (1855).
 269 Jonathan Wins, „ Aug. 22, 1773; m. Mary Rogers.
 270 Benjamin, „ July 12, 1775; „ Elizabeth Temple.
 271 Mary, „ Oct. 26, 1777.
 272 Rhoda, „ Feb. 9, 1779.
 273 Sarah, „ Oct. 12, 1782.
 274 Andrew, „ Sept. 16, 1785; d. Oct. 1, 1785.
 He d., Oct. 15, 1816, at Bowdoinham.

- 83-175 FRANCIS WHITMORE, 3d, m. — — —, and had —
 175-275 Elizabeth Sanders, bapt. Oct. 13, 1765; d. Aug. 22, 1777.
 276 Francis, „ Aug. 2, 1767; „ Aug. 14, 1820.

He removed to Boston, and with him the name departed from Medford; within a year or two, one of the name has occasionally resided there; but now he also has gone.

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- 83-176 WILLIAM WHITMORE, of Bath, Me., m. — — —, and had —
 176-277 Mary, b. Feb. 2, 1793; m. — Growse.
 278 Sarah, „ May 27, 1794; „ { 1st, John Whitney; 2d,
 279 Ansters, } „ July 21, 1796; „ { Joseph Newcomb.
 280 Lucy, } „ „ { Joseph Whitney.
 281 Francis, „ May 7, 1798.
 282 John, „ Feb. 20, 1800.
 283 Rebecca, „ Mar. 27, 1803.
 284 Elizabeth, „ Oct. 23, 1804; d. 1820.

- 83-179 JOHN WHITMORE m. Huldah Crooker, Apr. 12, 1781, and had —
 179-285 William D., b. Nov. 3, 1781.
 286 Mary, „ July 19, 1783; d. July 7, 1792.
 287 John, „ July 6, 1785.
 288 Huldah R., „ Dec. 14, 1787.
 289 Thomas, „ Oct. 17, 1789; m. { Emma Staples; d., s. p.,
 „ Mar. 25, 1824.
 290 Isaiah C., „ Feb. 21, 1792.
 291 Gamaliel, „ Feb. 8, 1794.
 292 Swanton, „ Feb. 14, 1796.
 293 Creighton, „ Mar. 19, 1799.
 294 Angeline, „ Nov. 14, 1801; „ J. C. Humphreys.

- 295 Elizabeth, b. July 31, 1803; m. Levi Gould, and d. 1849.
 296 Almira, „ Feb. 14, 1807; „ John Lovey.

- 83-181 ANDREW WHITMORE m. Lucy Couillard, and had —
 181-297 James C., b. Jan. 19, 1787.
 298 William H., „ Sept. 10, 1788.
 299 Merrill, „ Feb. 20, 1792; d., *s.p.*, 1813.
 300 Elizabeth C., „ Apr. 18, 1794.
 301 Sophia F., „ Oct. 9, 1803.
 302 Louisa, „ Oct. 10, 1806.

- 94-192 JOSEPH WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. — — —, and had —
 192-303 Isaac, b. Aug. 26, 1778.
 304 Joseph, „ Nov. 25, 1781.
 305 Epaphroditus, „ Feb. 24, 1784.
 306 Olive.
 307 Julius, „ Jan. 29, 1789.
 308 Russell.

- 94-196 JABEZ WHITMORE m. Hannah Learned, and had —
 196-309 Davis S., b. Jan. 31, 1782.
 310 Learned, „ Feb. 27, 1784; d. Dec. 6, 1807.
 311 Dyer, „ Mar. 13, 1786.
 312 Abby, „ Jan. 11, 1788.
 313 Mary, „ Dec. 6, 1789.
 314 Thomas, „ Jan. 29, 1792.
 315 Hannah, „ June 18, 1794; „ Apr. 29, 1807.
 316 Martha, „ July 27, 1797; „ Sept. 6, 1828.
 317 Laura, „ Aug. 3, 1800.
 He d. Apr. 25, 1823. His wife d. Feb. 26, 1827.

- 121-209 BENJAMIN WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Sarah Thompson, and
 had —
 209-318 Sarah, b. Oct. 7, 1774.
 319 Rufus, „ May 28, 1778.
 320 Benjamin, „ Feb. 10, 1782.
 321 Eunice, „ May 19, 1784.
 322 Mary, „ May 9, 1786.

- 121-210 ISAAC WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Rebecca Foster, who d.
 Aug. 30, 1840, aged 80; and had —
 210-323 James, b. Apr. 23, 1782.
 324 Levi F., „ Feb. 13, 1787.
 325 Sarah, „ Sept. 16, 1793.
 326 Enoch, „ Sept. 8, 1796.
 327 Beulah, „ Aug. 8, 1799.

- 125-215 AMOS WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Sarah Merrill, Feb. 13,
 1780, who d. Aug. 10, 1838, aged 78; and had —
 215-328 Phebe, m. Henry Southwick.
 329 Amos.

- 125-216 EBENEZER WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Susanna Merrill, Apr. 14, 1784, and had —
- 216-330 Ebenezer, b. Mar. 27, 1785.
 331 Joshua, „ Aug. 15, 1787.
 332 Ebenezer, „ Oct. 12, 1789.
 333 Mary, „ Feb. 22, 1791.
 334 Susanna, „ Aug. 14, 1793.
 335 Lydia, „ Aug. 14, 1796.
 336 George, „ May 16, 1799.
 He d. Aug. 6, 1839. His wife d. June, 1840, aged 76.
- 125-217 JACOB WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Lydia —, and had —
- 217-337 William, b. 1796.
 338 Jacob, „ 1798.
 339 Charles, „ 1803.
- 125-224 GIDDINGS WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Orry Parker, and had —
- 224-340 Edwin P., b. Jan. 2, 1803.
 341 Hamlin, „ Mar. 5, 1809.
 342 Albert, „ May 3, 1810; d., *s.p.*, 1847.
 343 Joseph F., „ Dec. 22, 1811.
 344 Martha A., „ Sept. 3, 1815; „ „ 1849.
 345 Henry S., „ Oct. 28, 1818.
 346 Horace M., „ Sept. 25, 1821.
- 126-227 NATHANIEL WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Jane Mills, Dec. 2, 1784, and had —
- 227-347 Nathaniel, b. May 8, 1788.
 348 Amos H., „ May, 1790.
 349 Sarah K.
 350 Jane, m. Ira Preston, of Danvers.
 351 John M.
 352 Maria, „ — Smith.
 353 Thomas J.
- 126-230 JOSEPH WHITMORE, of Newburyport, m. Bridget Ridgway, and had —
- 230-354 Jonathan, b. Mar. 29, 1792.
 355 Joseph, „ Jan. 13, 1795.
 356 Amelia, d. Mar. 26, 1804.
- 126-232 ANTHONY WHITMORE, of Newburyport, m. Priscilla Chase, Jan. 15, 1795, and had —
- 232-357 Anthony K., b. June 1, 1796.
 358 Elizabeth H., m. Daniel Moore, of Lowell.
 359 Samuel K.
 360 Ruth, „ John Calef, of Salisbury.
 361 Benjamin F., „ E. Whittemore, of Lebanon.
 362 Joseph W., „ { Mary A. Felt, of Salem,
 „ { Nov. 24, 1830.
 363 Sarah K., „ John Butterfield, of Lowell.

Sixth Generation.

- 159-244 BULKLEY WHITMORE, of Middletown, m. Martha (Pryor) Miller, and had —
- 244-364 Eliza Ann, b. Sept. 1, 1827; d. Oct. 9, 1854.

- 365 Chauncey B., b. July 9, 1829.
 366 Noah H., „ May 1, 1831.
 367 Edwin A., „ Nov. 31, 1832.
 368 Clarissa, „ Sept. 18, 1834; d. 1840.
 369 Charles H., „ Aug. 20, 1837; „ 1840.
 370 William A., „ Mar. 9, 1839; „ 1840.
 He d. 1840.
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174-265 SAMUEL WHITMORE, of Bowdoinham, m. — — —, and
 had —

- 265-371 Charity, b. Dec. 29, 1797.
 372 Francis, „ Oct. 8, 1799.
 373 Sarah P., „ May 15, 1802.
 374 Hannah, „ Feb. 17, 1804.
 375 Farosina, „ Nov. 23, 1805.
 376 Mary, „ Feb. 2, 1808.
 377 James P., „ Mar. 13, 1810.

174-266 WILLIAM WHITMORE, of Bowdoinham, m. Rachel — — —, and
 had —

- 266-378 Stephen, b. Nov. 5, 1793.
 379 Hepzibah, „ Feb. 13, 1796.
 380 Winship R., „ May 2, 1798.
 381 Mary, „ Feb. 20, 1799.
 382 Rachel, „ Nov. 24, 1801.
 383 True, „ May 23, 1805.
 384 Comfort G., „ Sept. 2, 1807.
 385 William, „ Feb. 11, 1810.
 386 Abigail C., „ Mar. 5, 1813.
 387 Byram, „ May 22, 1815.
 388 Dexter, „ Feb. 1, 1818.

174-268 JOHN WHITMORE, of Bowdoinham, m. Sarah McLellan, who
 was b. 1778, and d. Apr. 10, 1839. Children:—

- 268-389 Amherst, b. Sept. 18, 1805.
 390 Philena, „ May 2, 1807.
 391 John, „ Jan. 29, 1809.
 392 Hannah S., „ Sept. 16, 1810.
 393 Nathaniel M., „ Oct. 1, 1812.
 394 Stephen, „ May 9, 1814.
 395 Sarah, „ Jan. 9, 1816.
 396 Chadbourne, „ Oct. 4, 1818.
 397 Samuel, „ Feb. 15, 1820.

174-269 JONATHAN WINS WHITMORE, of Newton, m. Mary Rogers,
 1797, and had, by her, —

- 269-398 Mary, b. June 18, 1798.
 399 Elizabeth, „ July 18, 1800; d. 1801.
 400 Charles R., „ Aug. 28, 1802.
 401 Julia K. H., „ Mar. 10, 1805.
 402 Emeline F., „ May 29, 1807.
 403 Isabella M., „ Apr. 21, 1809; „ 1811.

174-270 BENJAMIN WHITMORE, of Bowdoinham, m. Elizabeth Temple,
 and had —

- 270-404 Mary Ann, b. Oct. 2, 1809.
 405 Elizabeth T., „ Mar. 25, 1812.
 406 Benjamin, „ Feb. 20, 1814.
 407 Emily, „ Feb. 24, 1816.

- 408 Minerva, b. Aug. 12, 1818.
 409 John T., „ Dec. 25, 1820.
 410 Andrew, „ Sept. 13, 1825.
 He d. Aug. 24, 1847.

179-285 WILLIAM D. WHITMORE m. Rhoda Woodward, Jan. 20, 1805,
 and had —

- 285-411 Charles, b. Dec. 19, 1805; d. Mar. 24, 1807.
 412 Charles O., „ Nov. 2, 1807.
 413 Martha, „ May 9, 1810; „ Nov. 3, 1814.
 414 Huldah, „ Aug. 1, 1812; m. W. G. Barrows.
 He d. 1819.

Wm. D. Whitmore

179-287 JOHN WHITMORE m. Mary Wheeler, and d. Feb. 30, 1818.
 He had —

- 287-415 Abigail, b. Jan., 1813.
 416 Gilbert D., „ Aug. 17, 1815.
 417 Mary Anne, „ Dec., 1817.

179-290 ISAIAH C. WHITMORE m. Elizabeth Ann Culver, and had —

- 290-418 Mary E., b. June 23, 1823; d. Aug. 8, 1848.
 419 Frederic H., „ Dec. 8, 1824; m. M. E. Curtiss, Oct. 21, 1848.
 420 William P., „ June 28, 1827.
 421 Virginia, „ Nov. 15, 1828.
 422 Isaiah C., } „ Feb. 21, 1830; { d. June 27, 1839.
 423 Edward, } „ „ Mar. 14, 1830.
 424 Emma, „ Nov. 14, 1831; „ Apr. 9, 1842.
 425 Julia Ann, „ Feb. 24, 1834; „ May 1, 1835.
 426 Henry, „ Nov. 30, 1836.
 427 Edward C., „ June 12, 1840; „ Oct. 1, 1841.
 428 Edwin, „ Apr. 5, 1842.
 429 Azelia, „ June 6, 1844.
 430 Franklin G., „ Sept. 8, 1846.

179-291 GAMALIEL WHITMORE, of Bath, m. Mary Dummer, and had —

- 291-431 Elizabeth, b. 1823; „ J. Rideout.
 432 Harriet, „ 1825.
 433 James, „ 1830; d. 1830.
 434 Ann, „ 1834; „ 1834.
 435 Charles, „ 1836.
 436 Shubell, „ 1844; „ 1844.
 437 Joseph, „ 1845.

CREIGHTON WHITMORE, of Bath, m. Eliza P. Haskell, and
 has surviving but one child, —

- 437½ Sarah E., m. O. H. Wight.

181-297 JAMES C. WHITMORE, of Phippsburg, m., 1st, Jane, dau. of
 Patrick and Mary Drummond, and had —

- 297-438 Jacob D., b. July 24, 1825.
 439 Jane A., „ June 7, 1828.
 440 James N., „ Oct. 18, 1830.
 441 Patrick D., „ Nov. 3, 1832.
 He m., 2d, Frances D., dau. of John and Nancy Swett, and
 had —
 442 Tamerlane V., b. July 25, 1841.

181-298 WILLIAM H. WHITMORE, of Phippsburg, m., 1st, Charlotte, dan.
of John and Susan Parker, and had —

- 298-442½ Jane M., b. July 10, 1819; m. — Drummond.
443 Frances E., „ Oct. 27, 1821; „ — Kendall.
444 Parker M., „ Nov. 22, 1823.
444½ Susan D., „ Apr. 19, 1826.
445 James C., „ Oct. 19, 1828.
446 Charlotte E., „ May 1, 1831; „ Jarvis Patten.
He m., 2d, Phebe Hudson, and had —
447 William E., b. Nov. 22, 1833.
448 Charles A., „ Apr. 22, 1835.
449 Benjamin F.D., „ May 9, 1837.
450 Andrew H., „ Feb. 12, 1841; d. s. p.
451 Chapman T., „ Dec. 18, 1842; „ „
452 Adeline J., „ Nov. 22, 1845.

192-303 ISAAC WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. Philomela Sanford, and
had —

- 303-453 Isaac N., b. Dec. 3, 1830.
454 Joseph, „ Sept. 28, 1832.

192-304 JOSEPH WHITMORE, of Killingly, m., June 17, 1801, Electa
Arkley, who was b. June 29, 1789; and had —

- 304-455 Mary Ann, b. Aug. 21, 1805; m. Seth Rogers.
456 Emeline, „ Nov. 21, 1806; „ Jabez Smith.
457 Harriet A., „ Aug. 31, 1808; „ Charles Wright.
458 Louisa, „ Aug. 7, 1810; „ Halsey Brown.
459 Lucy Ann, „ July 4, 1812; „ Edwin Brainer.
460 Elvira, „ Apr. 27, 1814; „ Dwight A. Lyman.
461 Almira, „ June 10, 1816; „ Martin Chapman.
462 Jane E., „ Feb. 10, 1818; „ Seymour Kellogg.
463 Carista, „ Aug. 15, 1820; „ Tryon Holmes.
464 Clarissa M., „ May 14, 1824; „ G. W. Lester.
465 Augusta S., „ Dec. 14, 1826; „ Nehemiah Upham.
466 Ellen G., „ Nov. 2, 1830; „ Lyman Upham.
467 Frances E., „ Oct. 20, 1833; „ Charles H. Whittier.
468 Adeline, „ (?) 1822; „ M. B. Wright.

192-305 EPAPHRODITUS WHITMORE, of Killingly, m., 1st, Susanna Hoory,
and had —

- 305-469 Mary, m. — Ellis.
470 Russell, b. Feb. 4, 1814.
471 Epaphroditus, „ Apr. 15, 1816.
472 Hannah, „ — Corcy.
473 Susanna, „ — Day.
474 Adeline, „ — Ballard.
He m., 2d, Elizabeth Burnett, and had —
475 Cerissa A.
476 Franklin E.
He d. Nov. 6, 1851.

192-307 JULIUS WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. — —, and had —

- 307-477 Russell, b. Nov. 22, 1815; d. May 29, 1852.
478 Daniel, „ Dec. 10, 1817.
479 Omen F., „ Mar. 30, 1825.
480 Samuel, „ Apr. 3, 1827; „ Oct. 6, 1853.
481 Joseph M., „ Jan. 2, 1830.

196-309 DAVIS S. WHITMORE, of Killingly, m. Lucina Converse, Dec. 2, 1816, and had —

309-482 Hannah L., b. Nov. 19, 1817; m., { 1st, A. C. Mulford;
2d, J. P. Mathews, July 4, 1850.
483 Fannie M., „ Apr. 30, 1819; „ J. W. Sawyer, Oct. 29, 1849.
484 Joseph B., „ Apr. 4, 1825; „ { Sarah J. Ambrose, Jan. 11, 1849.
485 Emma J., „ Apr. 12, 1830; d. Aug., 1832.
486 William D., „ May 2, 1833.

209-320 BENJAMIN WHITMORE, of Newbury, m. Lois Stanley, Apr. 5, 1804, and had —

320-487 Thomas H., b. May 20, 1806; m. James Allen, of Chester.
488 Sarah T., „ July 21, 1808; „ John C. Ellison,
489 Persis W., „ Oct. 8, 1810; „ James H. Smith, of Reading.
490 Lois A., „ Mar. 28, 1816.
491 Lucy S., „ May 14, 1818; d. May 16, 1839.

210-323 JAMES WHITMORE, of Leominster, m. Phoebe Stimson, Oct. 22, 1811 (who was b. Sept. 18, 1783, and d. July 16, 1838), and had —

323-492 James H., } b. Dec. 6, 1815.
493 Charles S., }

210-324 LEVI F. WHITMORE, of Leominster, m. Mehitable Edgill, May 8, 1817, and had —

324-494 Alden E., b. Sept. 5, 1819.
495 George H., „ July 27, 1821.
496 Alonzo H., „ Aug. 18, 1823; d. Sept. 2, 1824.
497 Joseph F., „ June 25, 1826; „ July 1, 1828.
498 Ellen R., „ Mar. 2, 1828; m. Warren Goodale.
499 Mary S., „ July 7, 1830; „ G. W. Watson.
500 Frances Ann, „ Sept. 21, 1834; d. Mar. 7, 1841.
501 Emily F., „ July 7, 1838.

210-326 ENOCH WHITMORE, of Leominster, m. Clarissa Willard, June 10, 1817, who was b. Sept. 8, 1796, and had —

326-502 Eliza R., b. Oct. 25, 1818.
503 Alfred, „ Nov. 29, 1819.
504 Flint M., „ Dec. 24, 1821.
505 Lorenzo Locke, „ July 2, 1823.
506 Silas, „ July 10, 1824.
507 Clarissa, „ Oct. 18, 1826.
508 Catharine, „ Dec. 19, 1828.
509 Mary, „ Sept. 13, 1830.
510 Harriet, „ Feb. 19, 1835.
511 Orange S., „ Oct. 26, 1836.
512 Franklin, „ Apr. 4, 1838.
513 Laura A., „ July 10, 1839.
514 Frances E., „ June 10, 1841.

Seventh Generation.

- 265-372 FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Bowdoinham, m. Martha —, and
had —
372-515 George L., b. Apr. 1, 1826.
516 Francis, „ Nov. 18, 1828.
517 Thomas P., „ July 29, 1830.
518 Susan P., „ Oct. 16, 1833; d. July 6, 1852.
519 Mary, „ Feb. 26, 1836.
520 Martha E., „ Nov. 26, 1839.
521 Malvina L., „ Aug. 5, 1842.
- 266-378 STEPHEN WHITMORE, of Bowdoinham, m., 1st, Abigail —,
and had —
378-522 Theresa, b. Dec. 15, 1819.
523 Lorenzo ~~A~~ E. „ Dec. 22, 1823.
524 John, „ Aug. 23, 1824; d. Aug. 12, 1846.
525 Stephen, „ Apr. 18, 1828.
His wife dying Feb. 29, 1830, he m., 2d, Mary A. —,
and had —
526 Ellen M., b. Feb. 23, 1833.
He d. Dec. 30, 1838.
- 266-383 TRUE G. WHITMORE, of Litchfield, m. Philena Sinclair, and
had —
383-527 Byram.
528 Dexter.
529 Winship.
530 William.
531 Abigail.
532 Mary.
533 Hepzibah.
534 Rachel.
- 266-385 WILLIAM WHITMORE, of Bowdoinham, m. Susan —, and
had —
385-535 George W., b. Mar. 26, 1848; d. Aug. 3, 1856.
536 Joseph B., „ June 30, 1850; „ Sept. 17, 1851.
537 Margaret H., „ Jan. 9, 1852; „ Aug. 9, 1854.
- 268-389 AMHERST WHITMORE, of Brunswick, m. Mary Perry, and
had —
389-537a. Nathaniel M.
b. William.
And two daughters.
- 285-412 CHARLES O. WHITMORE, of Boston, m. Lovice Ayres, Dec. 22,
1830, and had —
412-538 Charles J., b. Apr. 27, 1834.
539 William H., „ Sept. 6, 1836.
540 Martha H., „ Sept. 5, 1838.
541 Anna L., „ Sept. 16, 1840.
542 Charlotte R., „ Mar. 9, 1843.
543 Creighton, „ Dec. 16, 1845; d. Apr. 25, 1848.
His wife dying Sept. 27, 1849, he m., 2d, Oct. 30, 1851, Mary
E. Blake, widow of George Blake, jun., of Boston, who has
by her first husband two daughters.

WHITMORE FAMILY.

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287-416 GILBERT D. WHITMORE, of Boston, m. Mary Ann Story, Oct.
5, 1841, and had —

416-543a. Sarah, b. June 25, 1842; d. Feb. 2, 1849.
b. Caroline, „ Feb. 16, 1845; „ Jan. 30, 1849.
c. Elizabeth, „ Dec. 20, 1848.
d. Charlotte, „ Jan. 28, 1851.
e. John, „ Mar. 16, 1853.

290-419 FREDERIC H. WHITMORE, of New York, m. Mary Emily Cur-
tiss, Oct. 21, 1848, and has —

419-544 Emily Eliza, b. Dec. 26, 1849.
545 Frederic, „ Aug. 15, 1852.

305-470 RUSSELL WHITMORE m., 1st, Julia M. Niles, and had —

470-546 Addison H., b. June 24, 1839.
547 Otis H., „ June 29, 1848.
548 Francis E., „ Sept. 2, 1850.
He m., 2d, Jane M. Conant.

305-471 EPAPHRODITUS WHITMORE m. Susan Conant, and had —

471-549 Dwight E., b. Sept. 9, 1840.
550 Stoughton C., „ Dec. 11, 1842.
551 Westley, „ July 25, 1850.

307-477 RUSSELL WHITMORE m. — — —, and had —

477-552 Daniel.
553 Charles.
554 Timothy S.
555 Albert.

A P P E N D I X.

JOHN WHITMORE was of Wethersfield, Conn., in 1640, as, in February of that year, Richard Westcoat, for misleading him, was fined ten shillings. In 1641, he removed to Stamford, with others, who settled under the direction of Rev. Richard Duntton, and had been sojourners at Watertown, Mass. A list of his farms in Wethersfield is here given: —

The second month and fifth day, 1641, the lands of Jo. Whitmore, lying in Wethersfield, on Connecticut River.

One piece whereon his house and barn standeth, containing twelve acres and half, more or less: bounds and abut against the Common, or Landing-place, and against the house-lot of Robert Batts, west, and the meadow of Francis —, east; the sides against the lands of Rob. Batts and Tho. Curtice, north, and the lands of Tho. —, Francis —, Mr. Denton, Jo. —, and Tho. Coleman, south.

One piece of meadow and swamp lying in the Great Meadow, containing three acres three roods, more or less: bounds abut against the highway, west, and Connecticut River, east; the sides against the meadow of Mr. Evarts, south, and Rich. —, north.

One piece lying in Beaver Meadow, containing two acres, more or less: bounds abut against the highway, north, and the lands of Mr. Talcott, south; the sides against the lands of Fran. Horton, east, and Sam. Smith, west.

One piece lying in the Wet Swamp, containing four acres, more or less: bounds abut against a way leading to Beaver Meadow, west, and the swamp of Cor. Hubbard, east; the sides against the land of Mr. Evarts, north, and Mr. Sherman, south.

One piece in the east side of Eastfield, being dry swamp, containing seven acres three roods, more or less: bounds abut against a way leading from Beaver Meadow into Mile Meadow, west, and the middle land, east; the sides against the lands of Ro. Gildersleeve, south, and Ro. Parke, north.

One piece lying on the east side of Connecticut River, containing four and fifth acres, more or less: bounds abut the river, west, and lands of —, east; the sides against the lands of John Robins, south, and Jeffery —, north.

One piece lying in Penny Wise, containing three acres, more or less: bounds abut against the highway, west, and the Great River, east; the sides against the lands of John Nott, south, and Jonab Weed, north.

One piece lying in the West Field, containing — acres two roods, more or less: bounds abut against the Highway, south, and Hartford Bounds, north; the sides against the lands of John —, east, and Ro. Abott, west.

One other piece also lying in the West Field, containing fifteen acres and a half, more or less: bounds abut against the highway, south, and Hartford Bounds, north; the sides against the lands of Robt. Abott, east, and John Jesiopt, west.

In 1648, he was killed by the Indians; and the following account is transcribed from Hazard's State Papers, p. 127: —

[1649.] "The Commissioners for New Haven informed the rest of the Commissioners, that, in or about October last, John Whitmore, one of the deputies of Stanford, a peaceable, inoffensive man, not apt to quarrell, or provoke any of the Indians, going forth to seek his cattell, returned not according to expectation, nor could be found by the English that sought him; but, quickly after, the son of a Sogamore who lives near Stanford came into the towne, and told the English that John Whitmore was murdered by one Torquattoes, an Indian; and, to prove it, that Torquattoes had some of his clothes, and particularly his shirt, made of cotton-linnen. Herevpon the English and some Indians went into the woods to take the murdered body for buriall; but, though they bestowed much time and labore, could not find it. Divers of the English at Stanford suspected the Sogamore's son to be either the author or the accessory of this murder, but had not satisfying grounds to seize and charge him.

"About two or three months after, Uncas coming to Stanford, calling the Indians thither, and inquiring after the murdered body, the fore-mentioned Sogamore's son, and one Rohoron, another suspected Indian, led some of the English, and some of Uncas his men, to the place where the murdered body, or the reliets of it, lay. The carcase was brought to Stanford: the Sogamore's son and Rohoron fell on trembling, and thereby confirmed the suspicion of the English, and wrought suspicion in some of the Mohegin Indians, so that they said those two Indians were nought, meaning they were guilty.

"John Whitmore's widow, both by messengers and letters, presses for justice; and other Indians grow more insolent, and censure the English for want of due prosecution in such a case."

A General Courte in Hartford, the 13th of Sept., 1649: —

"This Courte, taking into serious consideration what may bee done, according to God, in way of revenge of the bloude of John Whitmore, late of Stanford, and well weighing all circumstances, together with the carriages of the Indians (bordering therevpon) in and about the premisses, doe declare themselves that they doe judge it lawfull, and according to God, to make warr vpon them." — *Pub. Records of Conn.*, p. 197.

The following affidavit is on the Stamford Records: —

"March 7, 1649. — The testimony of John Whitmore his wife, being no Goodwife Whitmore affirmeth yt her husband sold to her son John five acres land on ye plane"

Another, from the same source (both being defective and partly illegible on the records), says, —

" Yt Bro. Whitmore told him he had sold his son John five acres, in ye East Field, on ye playne; and, if it did not come to so much, he would make it up in ye other plain, and so make it good: it lay in yt plain; and this land was Ro. Fisher's, by gift from ye Corte."

This John Whitmore, jun., mentioned in the preceding, is no doubt the one who had a dau., Sarab, born at Hartford, Dec. 16, 1647.

THOMAS WHITMORE married Sarah Hale, at Hartford, Dec. 11, 1645, and had —

John, bapt. Sept. 6, 1646.

Sarah, „ Apr. 20, 1651.

And many others. His descendants spell their name Wetmore.

FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Cambridge, owned lands there, near the Plain: near Charles River, by the Boston line; in Charlestown, near Minottamie; near Dunbarke's Meadow; and also in Medford and Lexington. His house stood on the dividing line between Cambridge and Lexington, and is mentioned in the act of division. He served in the Indian wars, under Major Willard, as the Treasurers' books witness. His name, with his wife's, stands on a petition in favor of an old woman charged with being a witch; hence he can hardly have been of the extreme Puritan party, although a member of the church. He was, however, a selectman, &c., in the town, and his name is often to be met with on the deeds, wills, &c., of the early settlers in that town. An account of his wife's family is in Jackson's History of Newton, Mass. His will is here inserted: —

“After the payment of my just debts, I do give unto my loving wife the use and enfeoffment of my whole estate, in housing, lands, and movables (excepting that part of my land by me already given unto my son Samuel), during her widowhood, for her livelihood, and for the bringing up of my three youngest children, and for the expending of what learning she shall be able upon them. But, if she marry to another man, my will is that she shall have thirty pounds out of my movable estate, to dispose of as she shall see meet. To my two youngest sons, Thomas and Joseph, I do give my housing, barns, and my part of the new mill, with all my lands thereunto belonging; excepting that part of the land by me set out and delivered to my son Samuel, which shall be the full of his portion, he not to share in any after-division of any part of my estate to be equally divided between them. They to enter upon the possession thereof at the age of twenty and one years of age, if their mother be not then living; but if she be then living, and continue my widow, she shall not be dispossessed of any part of my estate during her life. Also my will is, that what of my estate do remain at my wife's decease or marriage, which of them shall first happen, with what each of my children have already had being added thereunto, shall be equally divided among them, to each an equal share. My two youngest sons to have the housing and lands as aforesaid, and to pay out of them, to the rest of my children, that which shall be accounted due to them, as followeth: My eldest son, Francis, his part to be due him two full years after the possessing of my youngest son of the housing and lands as aforesaid: the second, two years after; the third, two years after; and so, successively, till all be paid. To my grandchildren of Daniel Markham, which he had by my daughter Elizabeth, I do give to each of them twenty shillings out of my estate. Also I do nominate my loving friends, William Locke, sen., of Woburn, and Francis Moore, of Cambridge, to be my executors of this my last will.

“8th m. 8th day, 1685.”

The estate was valued at £305. 9s. — *Middlesex Recs.*, liber 6, p. 270.

The petition of Rachel Whitmore, before mentioned (see John, No. 3), is as follows: —

To the Hon. Simon Bradstreet, Esq., Governor, and the rest of the Honorable Magistrates now sitting in Boston, the humble petition of Rachell Whitmore, wife of John Whitmore.

Whereas, your petitioner's husband was impressed into the country's service against the Indian enemy, and is now with Major Swayne at Newechawanick, and your petitioner and her two children are very weak and ill, and unable to help ourselves, and do any thing for our relief and the rest of the family, as severall of the neighbors can and have informed your honors, —

Doth therefore humbly request the favor from your honors, that her husband, John Whitmore, may be dismissed the present service; and that your honors would please to pass your order for the same, that he may return to his sick family; and your petitioner shall, as in duty bound, ever pray, &c.

RACHEL WHITMORE.

Mass. Records, lib. 35, p. 34.

FRANCIS WHITMORE (No. 1) died Oct. 12, 1685: his birth is ascertained, by two affidavits on file at Cambridge, to have been in 1625.

Concerning the three families of WHITMORE, WETMORE, and WHITTEMORE, all researches show the present bearers of the first name to be descended from FRANCIS WHITMORE, of Cambridge; of the second name, from THOMAS WHITMORE, of Middletown; of the last name, from THOMAS WHITTEMORE, of Malden. I regard the first two as descended from the same stock; but the third is, and has been, a distinct name in England. It would be useless, at present, to speak of any families of the name now or formerly in England; but it may be worth while to note that the mode of spelling was WHITMORE as far back as 1200.

In conclusion, in submitting this sketch of a family record to my cousins, near and remote, I must beg them to prove their forgiveness of all errors herein contained, by sending me the materials to correct them, and to complete the account of all the descendants of FRANCIS WHITMORE.

Boston, Dec. 1, 1855.