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## Descendants of John Pott

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> POTT<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1405 in Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died Abt. 1431 in Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN POTT is:

2. i. JOHN<sup>2</sup> POTT, b. 1432, Cheshire, England.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. JOHN<sup>2</sup> POTT (*JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1432 in Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN POTT is:

3. i. WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> POTT, b. Abt. 1462, Rainow, Cheshire, England.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> POTT (*JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1462 in Rainow, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>. He married (1) Abt. 1487 in Rainow, Cheshire, England. She was born Abt. 1467 in Rainow, Cheshire, England. He married (2) Abt. 1487 in Rainow, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>. She was born Abt. 1466 in Rainow, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of WILLIAM POTT is:

4. i. JOHN<sup>4</sup> POTT, b. Abt. 1486, Dunge, Cheshire, England; d. Dunge, Cheshire, England.

### *Generation No. 4*

4. JOHN<sup>4</sup> POTT (*WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. 1486 in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>. He married UNKNOWN<sup>1</sup>. She was born Abt. 1490 in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN POTT is:

5. i. RODGER<sup>5</sup> POTT, b. Abt. 1520, Dunge, Cheshire, England; d. Dunge, Cheshire, England.

### *Generation No. 5*

5. RODGER<sup>5</sup> POTT (*JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. 1520 in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>. He married Abt. 1537 in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>. She was born Abt. 1516 in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of RODGER POTT and UNKNOWN is:

6. i. JOHN<sup>6</sup> POTT, b. Abt. 1540, Dunge, Cheshire, England; d. 1580, Dunge, Cheshire, England.

### *Generation No. 6*

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6. JOHN<sup>6</sup> POTT (*RODGER<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. 1540 in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died 1580 in Dunge, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>. He married BRIDGET JODRELL, daughter of ROGER JODRELL. She was born Abt. 1540 in Erswick, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

More About BRIDGET JODRELL:  
Burial: Taxal Church Yard, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>

Child of JOHN POTT and BRIDGET JODRELL is:

7. i. JOHN<sup>7</sup> POTT, b. Abt. 1567, Stancliffe, Darley, Derbyshire, England; d. Bef. 1614.

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7. JOHN<sup>7</sup> POTT (*JOHN<sup>6</sup>, RODGER<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1567 in Stancliffe, Darley, Derbyshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died Bef. 1614<sup>1</sup>. He married WALBURGE SMITH Bef. 1607<sup>1</sup>, daughter of RALPH SMITH and ALICE SHAWCROSS. She was born 1574 in Old Haugh, Cheshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died April 02, 1643<sup>1</sup>.

More About WALBURGE SMITH:  
Burial: Darley, Derbyshire, England<sup>1</sup>

Children of JOHN POTT and WALBURGE SMITH are:

8. i. RICHARD<sup>8</sup> POTT, b. 1610, Stancliffe, Darley, Derbyshire, England; d. September 12, 1650, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England.
  - ii. JOHN POTT, b. Abt. 1607, Darley, Derbyshire, England.
  - iii. THOMAS POTT, b. Abt. 1609, Stancliffe, Darley, Derbyshire, England.
  - iv. EDWARD POTT, b. Abt. 1611, Stancliffe, Darley, Derbyshire, England.

*Generation No. 8*

8. RICHARD<sup>8</sup> POTT (*JOHN<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, RODGER<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1610 in Stancliffe, Darley, Derbyshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died September 12, 1650 in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England. He married ANNE ASHE May 15, 1636 in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>1</sup>, daughter of GODFREY ASHE and ALICE CLAY. She was born February 08, 1616/17 in Chesterfield, Derby, England<sup>1</sup>, and died September 02, 1673 in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for RICHARD POTT:

Richard was a church warden 1639-40 in Chesterfield, Darbyshire, England but marriage appears to have taken place elsewhere.

The names of children copied after personal examination from the Parish registers in 1882 by W.J.Potts, Camden, NJ while visiting Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England.

The Chesterfield registers show that Richard Pott was buried 9/12/1650, and Ann Pott, his widow, on September 2, 1673. The Chesterfield registers do not show the marriage of either Richard or his son Thomas Pott, which makes it possible that they got wives in other parishes. The registers were only casually examined before 1637.

More About RICHARD POTT:  
Burial: September 12, 1650, All Saints, Chesterfield<sup>2</sup>

More About ANNE ASHE:  
Burial: September 02, 1673, All Saints, Chesterfield

Children of RICHARD POTT and ANNE ASHE are:

- i. ELIZABETH<sup>9</sup> POTTS, b. April 05, 1637, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>3</sup>.

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More About ELIZABETH POTTS:

Baptised: April 05, 1637<sup>4</sup>

ii. THOMAS POTTS, b. Bef. 1641, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England; d. July 12, 1641, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>5</sup>.

More About THOMAS POTTS:

Burial: July 12, 1641<sup>6</sup>

iii. SAMUEL POTTS, b. Bef. March 12, 1641/42, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England; d. March 1641/42, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>7</sup>.

More About SAMUEL POTTS:

Burial: March 12, 1641/42<sup>8</sup>

iv. MARIA POTTS, b. March 17, 1641/42, Stancliffe Hall, Darley, Derbyshire, England<sup>9</sup>; d. November 18, 1715, Burlington, NJ.

More About MARIA POTTS:

Baptised: March 17, 1641/42<sup>10</sup>

v. JOSHUA POTTS, b. May 13, 1645, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>11</sup>; d. January 15, 1652/53, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>11</sup>.

More About JOSHUA POTTS:

Baptised: May 13, 1645<sup>12</sup>

Burial: January 15, 1652/53<sup>13</sup>

9. vi. THOMAS POTTS, b. July 12, 1647, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England; d. September 04, 1726, Germantown, Philadelphia, PA.

vii. ANNA POTTS, b. June 11, 1649, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>14</sup>; d. October 1676, England.

More About ANNA POTTS:

Baptised: June 11, 1649<sup>15</sup>

*Generation No. 9*

**9.** THOMAS<sup>9</sup> POTTS (*RICHARD<sup>8</sup> POTT, JOHN<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, RODGER<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 12, 1647 in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>16</sup>, and died September 04, 1726 in Germantown, Philadelphia, PA<sup>16</sup>. He married (1) JOANI. She was born in Chesterfield, Derby, England. He married (2) ANN KETTLE<sup>16</sup> 1686 in Baptist records. She was born Abt. 1653 in Chesterfield, Derby, England<sup>16</sup>, and died July 09, 1714 in Death recorded in Pennypack Baptsit<sup>16</sup>. He married (3) GRACE FARMER 1715 in Baptist records. He married (4) ALICE PUSSER 1716 in recorded in Baptist records.

Notes for THOMAS POTTS:

Thomas Potts Sr. (Shield) is usually titled in this way to distinguish him from other Thomas Potts who lived in New Jersey. He is thus designated since he arrived in Burlington, NJ on the ship, The Shield, December 1678.

In 1699 the family moved to Philadelphia where he died in 1726 aged 79 years.

Thomas was a tanner by trade and was married three (and possibly four) times.

Thomas Potts (Shield) Christened: July 12, 1647, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>16</sup>

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In the Chesterfield Parish registers the name of Thomas' wife was always listed as Joani. There is no record of their marriage in the Chesterfield Parrish records so it is assumed she came from another parish. After arriving in New Jersey, she is always called Ann. Perhaps Ann was his second wife. This might explain the tradition that Thomas Potts Jr.'s mother died during the voyage to America. It also might explain the relationship of Thomas Potts (Shield) to Ruth Kettle. The old court records of Burlington show a marriage of Thomas Bibb and Ruth Kettle. This marriage is recorded as taking place on the 20<sup>th</sup> of July, 1693 at the home of Thomas Potts (her father in Law). At that time the term 'father in Law' was used as a synonym for stepfather. This might be due to the fact that Thomas' wife Ann might have been a widow with several children one of whom was Ruth.

After arriving in America both Thomas and his wife Ann united with the Baptist Church in 1686. They were baptized at Burlington, West Jersey by Elias Keach. When the church at Burlington ceased to exist in 1699, they joined the Pennypack Church in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> of September, 1701 Ann the daughter of Thomas and Ann Potts was buried in the Friends graveyard at Philadelphia. This Ann was probably born in America.

On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February, 1702 Thomas Potts was admitted freeman of the city after he paid twenty-two shillings and sixpence for the privilege.

The Pennypack Baptist Church records the death of Ann Potts in 1714. The Friends Monthly Meeting at Third and Arch Streets, Philadelphia shows that Ann, wife of Thomas Potts, tanner was buried in the Friends graveyard on the 9<sup>th</sup> of July, 1714.

The Baptist records show that Thomas married Grace Farmer in 1715. She had been baptized at Pennypack in 1699. She was buried in the Philadelphia graveyard on the 15<sup>th</sup> of June, 1715.

In 1716 Thomas married Alice Pusser. Both Alice's baptism and her marriage are listed in the Pennypack records. Thomas' grandson Joshua remained in the Baptist Church and grew up to be a Baptist minister. - From records of Anne Quast

His signature was very peculiar, signing his name either "tthomas Potts" or "ttho. Potts" and in legal documents her usially decribed himself as "tanner". Tanning is still an important industry in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England and it is quite common to see on tombstones. - From Cay Pidcock notes

More About THOMAS POTTS:

Will: February 25, 1723/24, Probated 11/18/1726 recorded Philadelphia, PA Will Book E p.8<sup>17</sup>

Probate: November 18, 1726, Philadelphia, Pa<sup>17</sup>

Burial: Friends Graveyard, 3rd & Arch ST., Philadelphia, PA<sup>16</sup>

Children of THOMAS POTTS and JOANI are:

i. ANNA<sup>10</sup> POTTS, b. December 05, 1675, Mansfield, Derbyshire, England; d. October 26, 1676, Mansfield, Derbyshire, England.

10. ii. THOMAS POTTS, b. December 30, 1677, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England; d. February 02, 1754, Philadelphia, PA.

Child of THOMAS POTTS and ANN KETTLE is:

iii. ANN<sup>10</sup> POTTS, b. America.

More About ANN POTTS:

Burial: September 09, 1701, Friends Graveyard, 3rd & Arch ST., Philadelphia, PA

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**10.** THOMAS<sup>10</sup> POTTS (*THOMAS<sup>9</sup>, RICHARD<sup>8</sup> POTT, JOHN<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, RODGER<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 30, 1677 in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>18</sup>, and died February 02, 1754 in Philadelphia, PA<sup>18</sup>. He married (1) MARY RECORDS June 20, 1698 in Burlington, NJ<sup>18</sup>, daughter of NATHANIEL RECORDS. She was born Abt. 1678 in Mansfield, Burlington, NJ<sup>18</sup>, and died April 02, 1741 in Mansfield Twp., Burlington, NJ<sup>18</sup>. He married (2) MARY BORDEN. He married (3) REBECCA STACY March 08, 1741/42<sup>19</sup>, daughter of MAHLON STACY and REBECCA ELY. She was born June 08, 1684, and died Aft. 1756.

Notes for THOMAS POTTS:

# Christening: 30 DEC 1677 Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England

Baptism (LDS): December 30, 1677, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>22</sup>

Came over from England on the "Shield" with Mahlon Stacy. Landed in Burlington, NJ with his parents December 1678.

There is a tradition in the family that Thomas Potts Jr's parents having died at sea, the young Thomas was brought up by Nathaniel Records and when he reached manhood he married Nathaniel's daughter. It is probable that his mother died, leaving him an infant; but his father lived to an old age.

It is at least quite evident that Nathaniel Records thought well of his young son-in-law, because on March 8, 1702 he executed a deed wherein he conveyed two tracts of and in Mansfield Township, one of fifty acres, purchased of George Porter May 24, 1686, and one of one hundred and sixty-five acres, purchased of the said George Porter Dec 5, 1696. By this deed the grantor reserved a one half interest during his lifetime.

Nathaniel died intestate and Letters of Administration were issued to Thomas Potts, March 4, 1705/6. The record in the Surveyor General's Office show a survey in 1722, of 125 acres in Mansfield Township, belonging to Thomas Potts. - Pidcock records

More About THOMAS POTTS:

Baptism (LDS): December 30, 1677, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>20</sup>

Burial: February 04, 1754, Old Baptist Cemetery, Bordentown, Burlington, NJ<sup>20</sup>

Religion: Quaker aka Society of Friends<sup>21,22,23,24</sup>

Will: January 30, 1754, Probated 2/27/1754 recorded at Trenton, NJ

Marriage Notes for THOMAS POTTS and MARY RECORDS:

From Anne Quast's records

The following record is found in the old Burlington Book of Court Records:

Thomas Potts &	Thomas Potts & Mary Records solemnized their marriage at ye
Mary Records	House of Tho: Potts (ffather of said Tho. In Burlington ye
June 20th 1698	Twentieth day of June 1698 before Tho: Revell, Anthony Elton
	& Tho: Bibb Justices & before many witnesses.

Thomas is thought to have married three times. His first wife was Mary Records and she died sometime before 1719. It is assumed that he married a Mary Borden some time before 1719. Mary Potts aged 56 years 8 months and 26 days died on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of April, 1741. This would make her too young to be Mary Records (there is some confusion in the records here). Thomas's last wife was Rebecca the widow of Joshua Wright and the daughter of Mahlon and Rebecca Stacy.

Children of THOMAS POTTS and MARY RECORDS are:

- i. MARY<sup>11</sup> POTTS<sup>25</sup>, m. JOHN COX.
- ii. RICHARD POTTS<sup>25</sup>, b. December 17, 1699, Springfield, Burlington, NJ.
- iii. REBECCA POTTS, b. 1702, Springfield, Burlington, NJ; d. 1754, Monmouth, NJ.  
She married THOMAS COX. He was born June 23, 1700 in Freehold, Monmouth Co., NJ.

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- iv. ANN POTTS<sup>25</sup>, b. November 26, 1704, Mansfield Twp., Burlington, NJ; d. February 20, 1788, Southampton, Bucks Co., PA; m. WILLIAM FOLWELL, December 06, 1727. Burial: Baptist Church
11. v. THOMAS POTTS III, b. October 17, 1706, Mansfield Twp., Burlington Co., NJ; d. May 31, 1742, Mansfield, Burlington Co, NJ.
- Vi NATHANIEL POTTS<sup>25</sup>, b. Abt. 1710, Mansfield Twp., Burlington, NJ;  
d. June 1761, Mansfield Twp., Burlington, NJ; m. SUSANNAH KALLAM.

Children of THOMAS POTTS and MARY BORDEN are:

- vii. JOSHUA<sup>11</sup> POTTS<sup>25</sup>, b. 1719; d. June 18, 1761; m. ANN BORDEN.  
Occupation: Baptist Minister
- viii. WILLIAM POTTS<sup>25</sup>, b. 1721; d. July 15, 1783; m. AMY BORDEN

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11. THOMAS<sup>11</sup> POTTS III (*THOMAS<sup>10</sup>, THOMAS<sup>9</sup>, RICHARD<sup>8</sup> POTT, JOHN<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, RODGER<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>26</sup> was born October 17, 1706 in Mansfield Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>27,28</sup>, and died May 31, 1742 in Mansfield, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>29,30</sup>. He married SARAH BEAKES<sup>30</sup> October 29, 1730 in Chesterfield Meeting House, Chester Twp., Burlington, NJ<sup>31,32</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM BEAKES and RUTH STACY. She was born March 12, 1705/06 in Nottingham, Chester Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>33,34</sup>, and died July 11, 1757 in Mansfield, Burlington, NJ<sup>34</sup>.

See the Descendants of John Stacy (p.105) for the ancestors of Ruth Stacy.

Resided at White Hill.[edmund-beakes-jald.ged]

By the will of his grandfather, Thomas Potts, (Shield), he inherited a lot of ground in Gilbert's Ally, Philadelphia, which he conveyed to Andrew Edge, by a deed dated August 14, 1728, but not recorded until August 16, 1799. Deed-Book D 77 page 275

More About THOMAS POTTS III:  
Occupation: Tanner<sup>35,36,37</sup>

Marriage Notes for THOMAS POTTS and SARAH BEAKES:

Friends Library at Swarthmore has his request for acceptance in Membership in the Society of Friends (Quakers) when he married

Request for marriage made 9/3/1730 [florence-potts-ancestors.FTW]

He was brought up under the influence of the religious teachings of the Baptists, but at his marriage became affiliated with Friends. Looking forward to marriage with the young Quakeress, he addressed the following letter to the Meeting to which she was attached. The original is in the custody of the Chesterfield Monthly Meeting (now housed at the Friends Library at Swarthmore).

TO THE PREPARATIVE MEETING OF FRIENDS AT CROSSWICKS.

Respected friends,

I have a Desire & Inclination to Consumate my intended Marriage with one of your Perswasion, in the way which is practiced & Esteemed most Reputable amongst friends. –

And to accommodate the same with Decency & Order; it will (I presume) be expected (by another meeting) that I produce some Certificate, or Recommendation of my Regular Living. I send these to apprise you & Desire your Consideraon thereon: That I purpose to Request such a favour of you at your next Monthly Meeting. If it be thought proper – And as I would be very carefull not to bring Reproach upon a Society of well Disciplined Christians; to that End I shall endeavour to act nothing that may Disoblige any party, that are Either Related, or otherwise concerned.

My Parents have been acquainted with my Intention in this particular and Do assent theretoo. And for myself I do greatly approve of Your Method of Marriage, as the same in my Judgement, is very consistent to Scripture, Good Rule & Decency. But because I am apprehensive it may be objected that the Different way in which I have been Educated, and Excluded me from your Protection and assistance in this respect, & that my Condesention may be only to gain a particular End, & to have it in my power to Subvert &

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Disswade a Vertuous Innocent person from these good principals in which she is now Established. To which Objections I would thus far answer: That I believe my Education to have made very little more or other Difference than to Introduce & give Sanction to Several Customs in Salutation, Dress & c. that are not held Decent & practiced amongst you; for as fasr as I have Informed myself into yr principals, I have found them warrentably Soported, & very Consonant to the workings of my own mind. And for me to conform with any Society & and to Embrace a new Opinion from no other motive or better Testimony, than to gain a particular End: or Common Interest, would Discover a greater Weakness & Impiety, than I hope Ever to be Tinctured with. And because I am greatly Inclined to favour the principals which you hold, it is therefore far from my intentions; & very Improbable, that I shall ever Endeavour the alteration or subversion of the opinion of my Intended Partner: well knowing that the Consequence would tend to my own Infeliscity & Disquiet – and Tho' I am not fully satisfied Immediately to fall in with every punctillio in yr economy: I am very Desirous to Live & Maintain a Sincear friendship & Christian Communion with all & Each of you.

Thus much by the hands of a friend. I thought Proper to Present to you: & Desire you would Deliberate thereon: begging your Indulgence in the afd Request: but if for good reasons rejected shall rest Satisfied.  
Who am with Due Respects  
Whitehill 24<sup>th</sup> Jukly 1730

Thos. Potts Junr.

Thomas Potts was evidently in very good reput among Friends and his case met with favorable consideration.

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at our Meeting House in Chesterfield the 6<sup>th</sup> of the 6t mo 1730.

Thomas Potts Junr though not educated in our Society after having made some way by Friends of our last preparative Meeting acquainted this Meeting that he had a desire to proceed in marriage with Sarah Beakes who hath been educated under her parents in the Religious way of Friends & that he had under his consideration the consistency of Friends' principles & found them in his Judgment very agreeable & therefore requests this Meeting to recommend him to their Friends as they can have freedom. Whereupon we appomint our Friends Isaac Horner & Isaac Harrow to make inquiry concerning his conversation & of his clearness from all other women on account of marriage & make a report to our next Monthly Meeting.

The marriage certificate of Thomas Potts Jr. and Sarah Beakes reads as follows:

Whereas Thomas Potts of the Township of Mansfield in the county of Burlington and Province of New Jersey Yeoman and Sarah Beakes of the Township of Chester in the said County having declared their Intentions of Marriage with each other before several Monthly Meetings of the People called Quakers at Haddonfield in the County of Gloscester and Province aforesaid according to the good order used amongst them whose proceedings therein after deliberate Consideration thereof having consent of Parents and Relatives concerned nothing appearing to obstruct were approved of by the said Meeting. Now these are to Certify all whom it may concern that for the full accomplishing their said Intentions this twenty ninth day of the eighth month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and thirty they the said Thomas Potts and Sarah Beakes appeared in a publick Meeting of the said People and others at the Meeting House in the Township of Chester. And the said Thomas Potts taking the said Sarah Beakes by the Hand did in a solemn manner openly declare that he took her to be his Wife. Promising to be unto her a loving and faithfull Husband untill the Lord should by Death separate them and then and there in the said assembly the said Sarah Beakes did in like manner declare that she took the said Thomas Potts to be her Husband. Promising to be unto him a faithfull and loving Wife untill it should please the Lord by death to separate them. And moreover the said Thomas Potts and Sarah Beakes (she according to the custom of Marriage assuming the Name of her Husband) as a further confirmation thereof then and there to these presents set their Hands. And we whose names are hereunto subscribed being among others at the Solemnization of the said Marriage and Subscription in manner aforesaid as Witnesses thereunto have also to these presents set our Hands the day & year above written. 1730.  
(About sixty names of those present follow this. This comes from The Potts Family in America pages 150-151.)

Friends Library at Swarthmore probably has marriage certificate because Pidcock book says it was with Chesterfield Monthly Meeting records which are now housed there.

Children of THOMAS POTTS and SARAH BEAKES are:

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12. i. STACY<sup>12</sup> POTTS, b. September 20, 1731, Mansfield Twp., Burlington Co., NJ; d. April 28, 1816, Trenton, Mercer Co., NJ.
13. ii. RICHARD POTTS, b. January 01, 1732/33, Mansfield, Burlington Co, NJ; d. March 25, 1825, New Brunswick, Middlesex Co, NJ.
  - iii. NATHAN BEAKES POTTS.
  - iv. RUTH POTTS<sup>37</sup>, b. January 23, 1733/34, Mansfield, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>37</sup>; d. February 22, 1822, Philadelphia Co, PA<sup>37</sup>; m. SAMUEL JOHNSON.
  - v. THOMAS POTTS<sup>37</sup>, b. July 24, 1738; d. September 21, 1742, NJ<sup>37</sup>.
  - vi. SARAH POTTS<sup>37</sup>, b. October 14, 1740; d. July 03, 1795, Princeton, Mercer Co, NJ<sup>37</sup>.
  - vii. MARY POTTS<sup>37</sup>, b. March 15, 1735/36, Bucks Co, PA<sup>38,39</sup>; d. May 31, 1776, Kingwood, Hunterdon Co, NJ<sup>40,41</sup>.

Note that two of Thomas and Sarah Beakes Potts children, Stacy and Richard are our ancestors. Richard Potts' son William married his first cousin, Stacy and Marguerite Yardley Potts' daughter, Anna.

### *Generation No. 12*

**12.** STACY<sup>12</sup> POTTS (*THOMAS<sup>11</sup>, THOMAS<sup>10</sup>, THOMAS<sup>9</sup>, RICHARD<sup>8</sup> POTT, JOHN<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, RODGER<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>41</sup> was born September 20, 1731 in Mansfield Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>42,43,44</sup>, and died April 28, 1816 in Trenton, Mercer Co., NJ<sup>45,46,47,48</sup>. He married (1) ESTHER PANCOAST April 13, 1758 in Chesterfield Monthly Meeting, Burlington Co. NJ<sup>50</sup>. She was born March 16, 1738/39, and died May 13, 1769. He married (2) MARGARETTA YARDLEY April 15, 1773 in Upper Makefield, Bucks, PA<sup>51,52</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM YARDLEY and ANN BUDD. She was born December 06, 1752 in Bucks, PA<sup>53,54</sup>, and died August 25, 1783 in Trenton, Mercer, NJ<sup>54,55</sup>. He married (3) MARY BOYD<sup>49</sup>, daughter of GEORGE WILLIAMS.

See the Yardley Line (p. 113) for more notes on MARGARETTA YARDLEY's lineage

He was a leading member of the Society of Friends and in the government of WestJersey. He married three times.

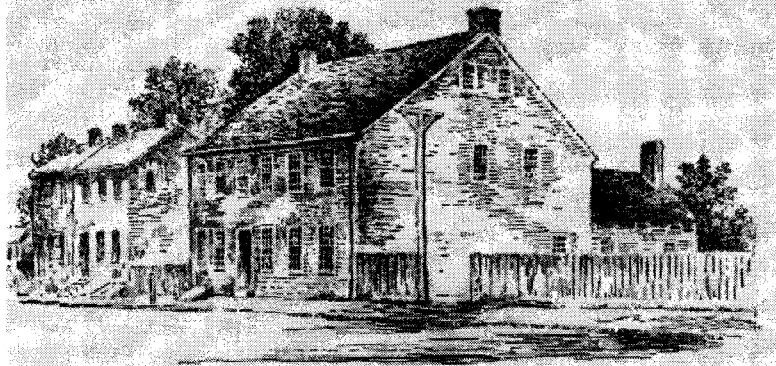
John Palmer has Stacy Potts marriage certificates to Esther Pancoast and to Margaretta Yardley.

Their marriage certificate reads as follows:

Whereas Stacy Potts of Trenton in the County of Hunterdon and Province of New Jersey and Margaretta Yardley, Daughter of William Yardley of lower Wakefield in the County of Bucks and Province of Pensilvania, having declared their intention of Marriage with each other, before several Monthly Meetings of the people called Quakers, at their Meeting House at the Falls in the County of Bucks aforesaid, whose proceedings therein (after deliberate Consideration) were approved of by the said Meeting. Wherefore for the full accomplishment and solemnization of their said Marriage this fifteenth Day of the fourth month called April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy three, they, the said Stacy Potts and and Margaretta Yardley appeared in a publick meeting at uper Wakefield in the County aforesaid, and he, the said Stacy Potts, taking the said Margaretta Yardley by the Hand, did in a solemn manner openly declare, that he took her to be his Wife, Promising through divine assistance, to he unto her a faithful and affectionate Husband, untill it should please God by Death to separate them; and the said Margaretta Yardley did then in like manner declare, that she took the said Stacy Potts to be her Husband, Promising through divine assistance, to he unto him a faithful and affectionate Wife, until! it should please God by Death to separate them. And as a further confirmation thereof they, the said Stacy Potts and Margaretta Yardly, (she according to the custom of Marriage assuming the name of her Husband) hath to these presents, set their Hands. And we whose names are here unto subscribed, being present at the solemnization of the said Marriage in manner aforesaid, as Witnesses, have to these presents set our Hands the Day and Year above written. -- 1773

Stacy Potts married for a third time. His wife was Mrs. Mary Boyd the widow of John Boyd of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania and daughter of George Williams of Paxtang.

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Stacy Potts' house on the corner of Warren and Perry St. in Trenton, NJ  
Taken from *A History of Trenton 1679-1929*

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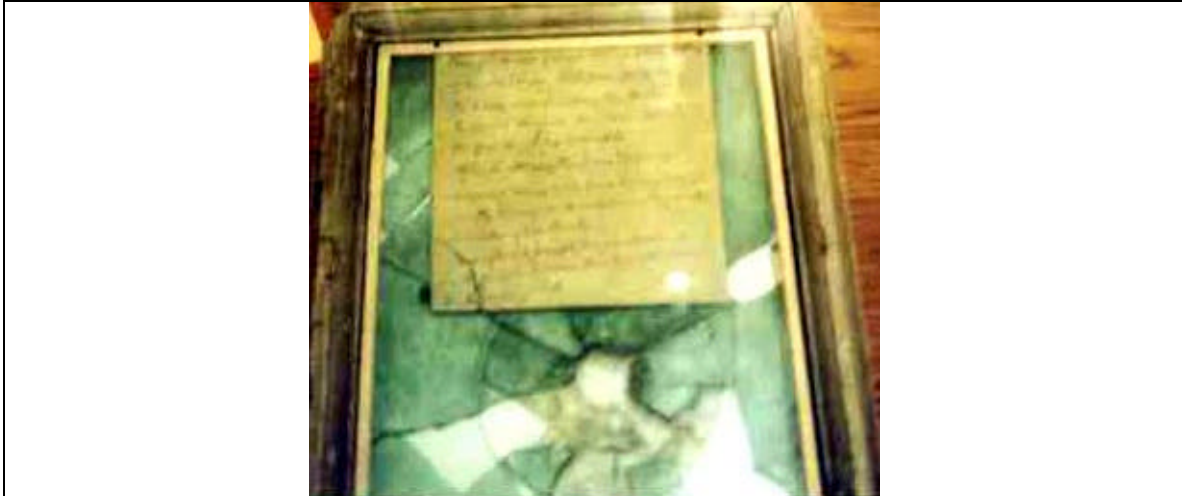
He is named after Mahlon Stacy. He was amongst the highly respected and prosperous residents of early Trenton.

Notes for STACY POTTS:

- # Occupation: Entrepreneur
- # Occupation: merchantile pursuits
- # Occupation: 1766 Secretary and librarian of The Trenton Library Company
- # Occupation: Feb. 10, 1781 One of the original incorporators of the Trenton Academy.
- # Occupation: Fifth Mayor of Trenton March 12, 1806, for eight years.
- # Occupation: Owner of a large tanyard on King St, Trenton, NJ.
- # Occupation: Invested in Trenton's first paper mill, along Assunpink Creek.
- # Occupation: Invested in the steel mill that stood along Petty's run.
- # Occupation: 1811 Incorporator and Director of Trenton's second water works, The Trenton Aqueduct Co. in the early 1800's.
- # Occupation: 1813 Commissioner and Director of the State Bank.
- # Occupation: partner in the file business with LT John Fitch.
- # Occupation: member of LT John Fitch's steamboat company.

During the American Revolution Hessian soldiers, fighting for the British, were quartered in Trenton, NJ. Col. Rahl, the commander of the Hessian garrison, stayed at the Potts home. It has been alleged that on the night preceding the battle Col. Rahl was engaged in card playing, or as stated in another account, he was absorbed in a game of chess. The account as preserved by the descendants of Stacy Potts is to this effect. Col. Rahl had been spending several days at the house of Stacy Potts, and on the night before the battle he was much interested in watching some young people playing at Fox and Geese when a shot was heard. Col. Rahl immediately rushed out of the house and was not seen again by the family until he was carried in mortally wounded.

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Stacy Potts House window pane installed 1745-55. Blueish glass in silver colored window frame. This glass was pierced by one of a number of musket balls that were fired at the house where Col. Rahl was staying.

After the battle, the guard of a dozen men that Sullivan had detailed to go with the Hessian officers accompanied Rahl, Knyphausen and the young officer to the home of Stacey Potts. Potts was a Quaker and a tavern keeper, and like most of the Quakers in Trenton, he had remained in the town after its occupation by the Hessians. The two Hessian officers, assisted by two more Hessian enlisted men, carried Rahl into the Potts home and upstairs to the second floor. Potts told them to lay the Colonel down on a bed in the front room that is his own bed. Pott's daughter had suffered a slight skull wound, and her head was bound up. Pale, quiet, she watched the whole thing, and only when Rahl had been laid out on the bed did she come toward him and help her mother cut away his blood-soaked clothes and to see whether or not they could attend to his wound. At this point Washington had neither the will nor the strength to argue further, and he rode along with Greene to the Potts house. Washington and Greene then went upstairs to where Colonel Rahl had been laid out on the bed of the owner of the house. Mr. and Mrs. Potts were in the room and also their daughter, three Hessian officers and a young American lieutenant. Greene, who was a Quaker himself, had hurriedly explained to Washington who the Pottses were and the circumstances that had brought Rahl to the house."

Somewhere, and I don't remember where, I read that Margaretta Yardley (second wife of Stacy Potts) nursed the wounded after the Battle of Trenton. If we could find that, that would make her one of our Revolutionary War ancestors. – Anne Quast



Col. Rahl, Attendant, Stacy Potts, Marguerite Yardley Potts, Genl. Washington, Genl. Greene

**Gen. Washington Visiting Col. Rahl at the House of Stacy Potts, Mayor of Trenton.**

This painting hangs in the Old Barracks in Trenton. The accompanying sign says it is believed to have been commissioned by the Potts family because of the central location of Mrs. Potts.

General William Stryker wrote "Trenton One Hundred Years Ago" and mentions the house during the Revolutionary War. It was not occupied by the Potts during the Revolutionary Period, but Mr. Pontius Delare Stille. The house was used as a guard house and St. Michael's church as barracks for Col. Rahl's grenadiers. Mr. Stille kept a store in part of the house. (This contradicts everything I, Cathy Pidcock Thomas - a docent at Washington's Crossing Historical Park, PA, have heard at Old Barracks Museum, Trenton, NJ about the Potts family and use of their house on the night of December 25, 1776. I think it is likely that the house passed out of the family when Stacy Potts moved west and these recollections refer to its next owner).

The house was used extensively for tavern purposes.

In the above state house, December 1784, it served as the official residence of Richard Henry Lee, president of the Continental Congress, when that body was in session at the French Arms Tavern."

1778. Potts, Stacy, Trenton, offered to rent on reasonable terms, with or without stock on hand, a large tan yard with 64 vats, 5 limes, 2 water pools, a bark house holding about 300 cords of wood, a good currying shop, a skin-dresser's shop and every convenience for carrying on the business of tanning, currying, skin-dressing and breeches-making very extensively. Tanned leather was given in exchange for good bark. (N.J.Gazette, April 29)." This was near Warren Street on the banks of Petty's Run. Also listed for rent "a large two-story building, lately occupied for file-making, brass-foundry, and sundry branches of cutlery, with a convenient black-smith's shop; all of which may be entered on immediately." He intended to go out of business. An ad in the "New Jersey Gazette," Dec. 13, 1780 said that he had harnesses, consisting of "coilers, bind-bridles, collars and haimes," also shoes and sole leather in exchange for hides.

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June 20, 1778 the General Assembly of NJ, meeting at Princeton, passed "An act for encouraging the Manufacture of Paper in the State of NJ. Four men, besides the owner, would be exempt from actual service in the militia. In the "Votes and Proceedings of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, under date of May 24, 1780, the entry reads" That Mr. Ogden do carry to the House of Assembly the Bill, intituled An Act to empower Stacy Potts to erect a Dam across the Assanpink Creek, a little above his Paper-mill, in Trenton, and request their concurrence therein; Which Bill was read and ordered a second reading.

"Imported salt. To be sold wholesale and retail by Stacy Potts, In Trenton, Also dressed buckskins, and a few pairs of breeches." Ad listed in the Gazette, Nov. 25, 1778"

"after the close of the war removed from Trenton to Harrisburg, PA" later returning to Trenton . From about 1785-1803 he resided in the West."

About 1790 Stacy Potts moved to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania where he purchased large parcels of land. He served in the Pennsylvania Legislature in 1791,1792,1799 and 1801. He was a Burgess of the Borough and a member of the Town Council.

5th da, 1st mo. 1790. Stacy Potts granted a certificate for himself, his children, Stacy, Anna, Rebecca and Joseph minors to Warrington MM. Also, William Potts son of Stacy granted a certificate to same MM.

About 1795 Stacy Potts returned to Trenton where he later became mayor of the city. The War of 1812 was declared during Stacy Pott's incumbency as Mayor.

He died on the 28th of April, 1816. His widow returned to Harrisburg where she died in 1884 at the age of 84. Stacy Potts' descendants are known as the 'Trenton Potts'. (From The Potts Family in America and A History of Trenton, New Jersey 1679-1929.)

The Trenton Federalist reported his death "Died-In this city on the 28th inst., after a short illness, Stacy Potts Esq., in the 85th year of his age."

Children of STACY POTTS and ESTHER PANCOAST are:

- i. MARY<sup>13</sup> POTTS<sup>55</sup>, b. February 18, 1759<sup>55</sup>; d. February 23, 1781<sup>56</sup>.
- ii. THOMAS POTTS<sup>57</sup>, b. April 06, 1761<sup>57</sup>; d. July 20, 1761<sup>57</sup>.
- iii. SARAH POTTS<sup>57</sup>, b. September 30, 1762<sup>57</sup>; d. March 08, 1784<sup>57</sup>.
- iv. ELIZABETH POTTS<sup>57</sup>, b. May 20, 1765<sup>57</sup>; d. October 20, 1782<sup>57</sup>.
- v. WILLIAM PANCOAST POTTS<sup>57</sup>, b. May 30, 1768<sup>57</sup>; d. Unknown<sup>57</sup>; m. MARY GARDNER<sup>58</sup>.

Children of STACY POTTS and MARGARETTA YARDLEY are:

- vi. THOMAS YARDLEY<sup>13</sup> POTTS<sup>59</sup>, b. September 30, 1774<sup>59</sup>; d. July 16, 1775<sup>59</sup>.
- vii. SAMUEL POTTS<sup>59</sup>, b. November 15, 1775<sup>59</sup>; d. September 25, 1776<sup>59</sup>.
- viii. STACY POTTS, b. March 04, 1777<sup>59</sup>; d. 1831; m. MARY SOMERS<sup>60</sup>.
- ix. ANNA POTTS, b. February 20, 1779, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ; d. December 13, 1868.
- x. REBECCA POTTS<sup>61</sup>, b. September 22, 1780<sup>61</sup>; d. Unknown<sup>61</sup>; m. GEORGE SHERMAN.
- xi. JOSEPH POTTS<sup>61</sup>, b. April 24, 1782<sup>61</sup>; d. August 06, 1846<sup>61</sup>; m. SARAH HILLYER<sup>62</sup>.

**13.** RICHARD<sup>12</sup> POTTS (*THOMAS*<sup>11</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>10</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>9</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>8</sup> *POTT*, *JOHN*<sup>7</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup>, *RODGER*<sup>5</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>4</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>63</sup> was born January 01, 1732/33 in Mansfield, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>63</sup>, and died March 25, 1825 in New Brunswick, Middlesex Co, NJ<sup>63</sup>. He married REBECCA ARNEY<sup>63</sup> June 25, 1755 in Chesterfield, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>63</sup>, daughter of JOSEPH ARNEY and SARAH. She was born April 01, 1737 in Upper Freehold, Monmouth, NJ<sup>64</sup>, and died 1801 in NJ<sup>64,65</sup>.

Notes for RICHARD POTTS:

Resided Upper Freehold Township, Monmouth Co where he was a Considerable land Owner.

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Marriage Notes for RICHARD POTTS and REBECCA ARNEY:

In the 4th month 1755, Richard Potts produced a Certificate from Burlington Monthly Meeting of Friends to the Monthly Meeting of Chesterfield. He married Rebecca Arney, June 25, 1755. This marriage seems to have been contrary to Friends discipline, as in 9 month, 1755, he made acknowledgment to the Chesterfield Meeting on account of marriage. In the 6 month, 1757, Rebecca Potts signed her name to his acknowledgement. The color of the ink is different. The acknowledgement can be viewed at the Friends Library in Swarthmore College. (this branch is sometimes called the "Monmouth Potts")

The acknowledgement reads:

Dear Friends from an humble sense of my wrong proceeding, in not following the good order of marriage established amongst us, I do acknowledg and Condemn my conduct therein, and hope friends will be pleased to pass by and excuse my fault, as I have not taken these mesures out of any disregard, or obstinate defiance of the Good and regular Rules of the Society, but am desirous of being reconciled to Friends, and, willing to make any further Satisfaction, which the meeing shall Require, and hope by Divine assistance, to conduct the future part of my Life in such manner, as not to bring any Reproach to the Society, and whereas my Wife hath not been Educated, altogether According to the Regular and Plain manner of Friends and having a Love for the Society, and a Desire for the prosperity of Truth, we do both intreat, that She may be United to and become under the Christian Care of Friends that so may live in fair Love and unity to the Honour of God and Glory of our blessed redeemer Jesus Christ which is the Sincere desire and fervent prayers of your friends.

Richard Potts  
 Rebecca Potts

Children of RICHARD POTTS and REBECCA ARNEY are:

- i. THOMAS<sup>13</sup> POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. November 09, 1756<sup>65</sup>; d. January 22, 1813; m. SARAH ASHTON.
- ii. SARAH POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. May 08, 1758<sup>65</sup>; d. November 10, 1764.
- iii. JOSEPH POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. January 13, 1760<sup>65</sup>; d. November 06, 1764.
- iv. JOHN POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. November 11, 1761<sup>65</sup>; d. 1826; m. CATHARINE.
- v. MARY POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. April 11, 1764<sup>65</sup>; d. December 01, 1764.
- vi. STACY POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. November 01, 1766<sup>65</sup>; d. July 08, 1823; m. ANNA.
- vii. MARY POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. August 12, 1768<sup>65</sup>; d. Unknown<sup>65</sup>; m. JOSHUA WRIGHT
- viii. REBECCA POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. January 24, 1770<sup>65</sup>; d. Unknown<sup>65</sup>; m. HARRIS.
- ix. SARAH POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. December 24, 1771<sup>65</sup>; d. July 05, 1775.
- 15.x. WILLIAM POTTS, b. August 28, 1773, Monmouth Co. NJ; d. May 17, 1854, Mercer Co. NJ.
- xi. ELIZABETH L. POTTS<sup>65</sup>, b. September 13, 1778<sup>65</sup>; d. Unknown<sup>65</sup>; m. COX.



Mary Potts Wright

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ANNA<sup>13</sup> POTTS (*STACY*<sup>12</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>11</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>10</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>9</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>8</sup> *POTT*, *JOHN*<sup>7</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup>, *RODGER*<sup>5</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>4</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>65</sup> was born February 20, 1779 in Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ, and died December 13, 1868<sup>66,67</sup>. She married WILLIAM POTTS<sup>67</sup> October 18, 1806 in Mercer, NJ<sup>68,69</sup>, son of RICHARD POTTS and REBECCA ARNEY. He was born August 28, 1773 in Monmouth Co. NJ, and died May 17, 1854 in Mercer Co. NJ.

WILLIAM<sup>13</sup> POTTS (*RICHARD*<sup>12</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>11</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>10</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>9</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>8</sup> *POTT*, *JOHN*<sup>7</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup>, *RODGER*<sup>5</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>4</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>70</sup> was born August 28, 1773 in Monmouth Co. NJ, and died May 17, 1854 in Mercer Co. NJ. He married ANNA POTTS<sup>70</sup> October 18, 1806 in Mercer, NJ<sup>71,72</sup>, daughter of STACY POTTS and MARGARETTA YARDLEY. She was born February 20, 1779 in Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ, and died December 13, 1868<sup>72,73</sup>.

Anna Potts and William Potts were first cousins. Their fathers, Stacy and Richard were both sons of Thomas Potts.



There were three Potts' homes on the corners of North Warren St., Trenton, NJ belonging to Stacy, William and another. The "Central House", was built in the early 1700's and was the residence of William and Anna Potts circa 1815.

Notes for WILLIAM POTTS:

Will:

I, William Potts of the city of Trenton, in the county of Mercer and State of New Jersey-blessed with Health and of a sound and disposing mind and memory, do make and ordain this to be my Last Will and testament. In the first place, it is my will that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid by my Executors as soon as conveniently may be after my decease, out of the first moneys that shall come into their hands from any portion of my Estate, real or personal.

Item-I give and devise to my beloved wife Anna Potts and to her Heirs, Executors, administrators or assigns forever. All that House and Lot where on I now reside, situate at the corner of Warren and Perry Streets, in the city of Trenton, subject to the present incumbrance or mortgage now on it. Also I give an bequeath to her as afore said, all the Household and Kitchen furniture and utensils in and belonging to the said House at the time of my decease, also my Library and all my Plate. Together with the sum of Three Hundred Dollars per year, to be paid her semi-annually by my Executors in equal payments during her

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natural life. The above Legacies, together with the further provisions herein after made, are to be taken and received in full satisfaction for Dower, and in lieu thereof.

Item\_I give and bequest to my two Daughters Rebecca and Margaretta the sum of Five Thousand Dollars each, that is to Rebecca Five Thousand Dollars, and to Margaretta Five Thousand Dollars.

Item. I give and bequeath to my son George S. Potts, all the debts standing on my Books against him, and all the obligations I hold against him, and hereby discharge and exonerate him from the payment thereof and I also in addition hereto, give and bequeath to him all the Stock and Farming utensils which I purchased for him to commence Farming with. Together with the sum of Two Thousand Dollars to be paid him by my Executors.

Item\_I give and bequeath to my son William Henry Potts, the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, provided he brings no claims or charges against me or my estate, for any debts or services rendered prior to the sixth day of February in the year One Thousand and Eight hundred and forty four. (6th Feb. 1844) and in case he should bring such claims or charges, then they shall be deducted from the above legacy.

Item\_ After there Legacies are settled, the Residue and remainder of my Estate, I order and direct my Executors hereinafter named, as soon as it is conveniently can be done, to sell and dispose of at Public Sale, and sufficient Deed or Deeds to make the purchasers thereof. The proceeds of such sale or sales, I do hereby order and direct my said Executors to pay over to my wife Anna, and the four Children George S., Rebecca, Margaretta and William Henry, equally share and share alike. And in case my wife Anna or either of my daughters above named, should die before this division or distribution, or any former division or distribution of my Estate can be made, the former without leaving a will, and the latter without leaving children, then my will is that the share or legacies intended for the deceased, be equally divided among my surviving heirs and legates as above named share and share alike. Also that the principle, of sum of Five Thousand Dollars, invested for the maintenance of my wife, after her decease, shall be divided among my children in the same equal manner.

Lastly~ Reposing full confidence in my wife Anna, and my sons George S. and William Henry Potts. I do hereby nominate and appoint them my Executors of this my last will and testament, and vest in them full power and authority to sell and dispose of my Estate as above directed in fee simple or otherwise, in every respects as fully and amply as I could myself do, if living allowing unto them Five per cent commission for their serving ~ And I do hereby revoke all former will or wills made by me, and declare this alone to be my last will and testament. For with it whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal, this Fourteenth~day of December in the year of Our Lord one thousand and eight hundred & forty eight ~ Signed, sealed I pronounced in the presence of us, who have subscribed in the presence of each other. Charles Potts B.C. Smith A.C. Thompson William Potts. He adds a codicil to his will on Jan. 5, 1852 witnessed by Israel Howell, Charles Potts, and Robert Thomson.

Children of ANNA POTTS and WILLIAM POTTS are:

- 16.i. GEORGE SHERMAN<sup>14</sup> POTTS, b. October 10, 1807, Mercer Co. NJ; d. April 07, 1882, Mercer Co. NJ.
- ii. ELIZABETH POTTS, b. February 26, 1809, NJ; d. December 11, 1810.
- iii. REBECCA S. POTTS, b. June 02, 1811, NJ; d. June 02, 1811, NJ.
- iv. JAMES POTTS, b. September 03, 1812, Monmouth Co. NJ; d. September 30, 1812, Monmouth Co. NJ.
- iv. MARGARETTA S POTTS, b. October 17, 1813, NJ; d. March 23, 1883, NJ.
- v. WILLIAM HENRY POTTS, b. October 05, 1815, Mercer Co. NJ; d. January 25, 1901, Mercer Co. NJ. He married HANNAH STEVENS in Cincinnati, OH.

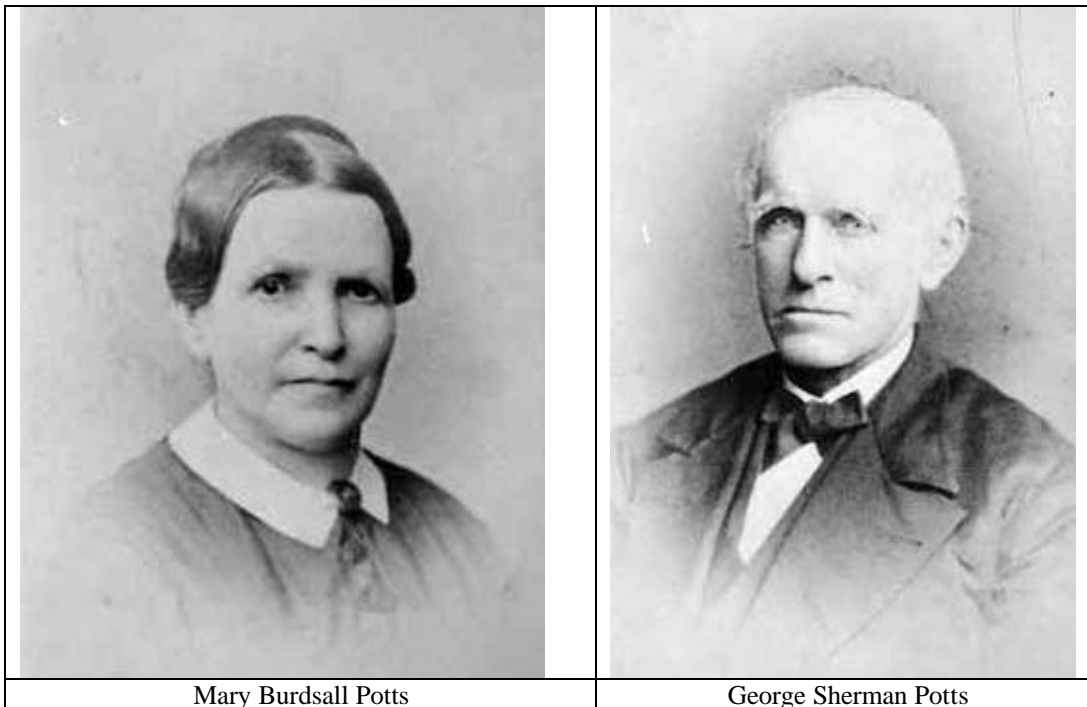
Note: First lived in a house on Perry St., Trenton, NJ, a few doors west of Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church, and later occupying the Warren St. stone house that became the Public Service office.

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**16.** GEORGE SHERMAN<sup>14</sup> POTTS (*WILLIAM<sup>13</sup>, RICHARD<sup>12</sup>, THOMAS<sup>11</sup>, THOMAS<sup>10</sup>, THOMAS<sup>9</sup>, RICHARD<sup>8</sup> POTT, JOHN<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, RODGER<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>74</sup> was born October 10, 1807 in Mercer Co. NJ, and died April 07, 1882 in Mercer Co. NJ. He married MARY BURDSALL<sup>74</sup> March 27, 1832 in Mercer, NJ<sup>75,76</sup>, daughter of JOB BURDSALL and HANNAH WEBSTER. She was born July 19, 1812, and died September 21, 1889 in Lawrenceville, NJ.

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See The Descendents of Richard Burdsall (p. 32 ) for Mary Burdsall Potts Lineage.



The Rahway & Plainfield Monthly Meeting does not appear to have a record of the marriage of George Sherman Potts and Mary Burdsall. They have two records (from the men's and women's monthly meetings) of Mary marrying out of union and the record that she didn't want to talk about it. At this time the Society of Friends was bitterly split between the Hicksites (more rural, mystical and liberal) and the Orthodox (urban, established, Christocentric) Friends. Some cities, like Trenton, established separate meetings and to cross marry, was considered marrying out of the faith. If George's family belonged to "other branch" this would account for their difficulty in being married under the care of a meeting.

More About GEORGE SHERMAN POTTS:

Occupation: 1860 Farmer<sup>76</sup>

Religion: Quaker<sup>77,78</sup>

In 1860 his land was worth \$11,000 and personal property \$2000.

In 1870 his land was worth \$15,000 and personal property \$1000. 1870 lived next to Wm. Hunt

March 22, 1875 Daily True American reported on Wall Street Markets "gold opened at 116 1/8, money is nominal at 3 @ 4%"

Inventory included gild looking glass, card table, stove, small collection of books, 12 rush bottom chairs, kitchen stove, wash bench, chamber stove, 3 wooden bottom chairs, cherry table, looking glass, barrel of vinegar, maple bed stand, wash stand, wardrobe and looking glass, mahogany stand in space room, double trundle bed stead, shot gun, round table, mahogany cradle, Sorrel horse named Pete, 1/2 int in Brown horse named Dexter, 7cows, 3 plows, 1 harrow, 1 farm wagon and harness, 3 hogs, 20chickens, 1 royce reaper and wood mower, 1 cultivator, corn worker, grain fan, hand power corn sheller, leather belt, hay cutter with knife. Total value \$438.50. Executor George S.Potts Jr.

Notes for MARY BURDSALL:

Occupation: Keeping House<sup>79,80</sup>

Religion: Quaker aka Society of Friends.. She was a member of Chesterfield Monthly Meeting and Trenton Preparative Meeting. Friends Intelligencer v46 p. 825 : She died suddenly of heart failure.

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Inventory of her estate done by Anna Potts, George S. Potts executors and Isaac Cadwallader and James H. Cox appraisers. Included items such as picture of William Burdsall, picture of Niagra Falls, 30 yds. Brussels carpet, Britannia Set, Bellows, spittoon, lawn mower, silver plated knives, forks, rocking chair, writing desk, commode, photo album, silk quilts, warming pan, 2 feather beds, 1 straw bed, sleigh bells, riding bridle and martingale, wine safe, quilting frames, feather bed and straw bed, deer skin, 3 shades, 4 grain boxes, clock, stove, fly screens in house, small table, scales and weights, wine safe in cellar, washing machine and wringer, 2 meat casks, lye tub, vinegar, lime, 4 wash tubs, grind stone, wheel barrow, plow, farm wagons, carriage, royce reaper, mowing machine, sled and sleigh, furrowing sled, wind mill, hand corn sheller, ladder, little sorrel horse, bay horse, Pete horse, 8 cows, 1/2 int. in 4 fattening hogs, 1/2 int. in 4 shoats, 4 pigs, 1/2 int. 4 sows and 20 pigs, 30 chickens, heavy harnesses, lot of wheat, 100 bushels of corn, 39 bushels of oats, 10 tons timothy hay, 12 tons clover hay, 37 1/2 bush potatoes see size, 14 bush potatoes first size, cash in bank \$391.52, amt. owing by GS Potts \$183.68, 2/3 int. 4 shares Northern Pacific RR Stock \$188, Note given by GS Potts \$1000. Total value \$2727. 60. (see actual copy for all inclusive list)

Children of GEORGE POTTS and MARY BURDSALL are:

- i. ANNA<sup>15</sup> POTTS, b. June 1832, Mercer Co. NJ; d. Aft. 1900.  
On 1880 census She was single in 1880 living with her parents and is a teacher
- ii. EMMA POTTS, b. Bet. 1834 - 1835; d. age 6.
- iii. CAROLINE POTTS, b. 1836; d. Aft. 1885. She married AUGUSTUS VAN CLEVE.
- iv. ELIZA POTTS, b. May 1839 (twin); d. Aft. 1900. She married LUTHER STRYKER. Single and living with parents, Occupation: At Home-1880 Census.
- v. LAURA POTTS, b. May 1839 (twin); d. Aft. 1870. She married GEORGE BARNES.
- vi. MARY EMMA POTTS, b. 1843, Mercer Co. NJ. . She married WILLIAM SCHENK HUNT.
17. vii. GEORGE SHERMAN POTTS, b. September 28, 1845, Laurence Township, Mercer Co. NJ; d. October 21, 1898, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ.
- viii. WILLIAM BURDSALL POTTS, b. Abt. 1847, Mercer Co. NJ; d. Aft. 1880. He married LOUIE FISHER.
- ix. FLORENCE POTTS, b. October 25, 1850, East Windsor, Mercer, NJ; d. Aft. 1880. She married JACOB PERRY
- x. EDWARD MORRIS POTTS, b. 1854, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ; d. 1872, died age 18.
- xi. MARION POTTS, b. April 12, 1857, Laurence Twp, Mercer, NJ; d. Aft. 1900. Living with parents and single, occupation "At Home" in 1880 census. She married JOHN GREEN.

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**17.** GEORGE SHERMAN<sup>15</sup> POTTS (*GEORGE SHERMAN*<sup>14</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>13</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>12</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>11</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>10</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>9</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>8</sup> POTT, *JOHN*<sup>7</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup>, *RODGER*<sup>5</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>4</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>81</sup> was born September 28, 1845 in Laurence Township, Mercer Co. NJ, and died October 21, 1898 in Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ. He married ESTHER LIPPINCOTT PEASLEE<sup>82,83,84</sup> March 11, 1875 in Woodbury MM, daughter of AMOS PEASLEE and HANNAH LIPPINCOTT. She was born March 16, 1851 in Greenwich Twp, Gloucester Co., Berkley, NJ<sup>85,86,87,88,89,90,91</sup>, and died March 13, 1896 in Trenton, NJ.

See the Descendants of John Peaslee (p.87 ) for the ancestry of Esther Lippincott Peaslee.

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George Sherman Potts Jr.	Esther Peaslee Potts

Notes for GEORGE SHERMAN POTTS:

Census: 1890, Trenton, Mercer Co., NJ<sup>91</sup>

Occupation: Potts & Manley Drapers

# Occupation: Notion Store

# Occupation: Merchant

Religion: Quaker<sup>91</sup>. Clerk of Trenton Mtg, Union of First Day School and Association. One of the most active members since 1892.

Friends Intelligencer v 55 p. 785

Memorial minute read 12/10/1898 at Burlington First Day School Union, Crosswicks NJ

Notes for ESTHER LIPPINCOTT PEASLEE:

They owned a drapery shop in Trenton, NJ and lived in an apartment above the shop.

Friends Intelligencer v53 p 257 says she died of Typhoid [florence-potts-ancestors.FTW]

Burial: Riverview cemetery , Trenton NJ

Occupation: none<sup>92,93</sup>

Religion: Quaker<sup>93</sup>

Her nephew Amos Peaslee III was ambassador to Australia residence 1884: 8 N. Greene St., Trenton, NJ

Marriage Notes for GEORGE POTTS and ESTHER PEASLEE:

fifth day the 11th inst. under care of Woodbury Monthly Meeting

The wording of their marriage certificate is as follows:

Whereas George Sherman Potts Jr. of the City of Trenton in the County of Mercer and the State of New Jersey, Son of George S. Potts of the township of Lawrence in the County of Mercer and the State of New Jersey and Mary B. his wife. And Esther Peaslee Daughter of Amos J. Peaslee of the township of Greenwich in the County of Gloucester and State of New Jersey aforesaid and Hannah his Wife: having proposed Marriage with each other before the Woodbury Monthly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends and having consent of parents their said proposal of Marriage was allowed of by The said Meeting. NOW THESE ARE TO CERTIFY whom it may concern that for the full accomplishment of their said proposal this Eleventh day of the Third month in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and

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Seventy-five they, the said George Sherman Potts Jr. & Esther Peaslee appeared in a Meeting of Relations and Friends at the house of Amos J. Peaslee aforesaid and the said George Sherman Potts Jr. taking the said Esther Peaslee by the hand, did, on this solemn occasion, openly declare, that he took her, the said Esther Peaslee to be his Wife promising, with Divine Assistance to be unto her a loving and faithful Husband until death should separate them, and then, the said Esther Peaslee did in like manner declare, that she took him, the said George Sherman Potts Jr. to be her husband promising with Divine Assistance to be unto him a loving and faithful wife until death should separate them. AND MOREOVER they the said George Sherman Potts Jr. & Easter Peaslee she according to the custom of Marriage assuming the name of her Husband did, as a further confirmation thereof, then and there to these presents set their Hands.

And We whose names are also here  
unto subscribed, being present at the  
Solemnization of the said Marriage  
and Subscription, have, as Witnesses  
thereunto, set our Hands, the day  
and year above written.

Signed by  
George Sherman Potts Jr  
Esther Peaslee

There are about fifty signatures attached to the certificate.

NJ 1890 Veterans Schedules, NJ2162264, p. 01  
Residence 1884: 8 N. Greene St., Trenton, NJ

Manufacturer of Ladies' and Children's Ready-Made Suits, Coats, etc. No. 8 Greene St., Trenton, NJ. Established in 1869 by Potts & Manley. Mr. Manley retired in 1877. Ladies' and children's ready made suits was his specialty. He carried coats, cloaks, muslin wear and underwear, fancy goods, hosiery, gloves, notions, etc. The store was 18x50 feet with an adjoining room 18x25 feet used exclusively for coats and cloaks. He had a reputation for honesty and fair dealing. His products had superior make, quality and excellent finish. This was the first store in Trenton to carry ready made clothing according to his grandson Gerald Pidcock.

Gardner H. Cain was one of the executors to his will. Cain lived in Trenton, NJ. Francis Peaslee, A. N. Peaslee, and Hannah Peaslee (Esther's sister) were named as witnesses attesting the said codicil and lived in S. Pittsfield, NH. There was an order for commission to deposition of foreign witness on Nov. 11, 1898 regarding the Peaslees. Charles B. Case was also named executor.

Will: I George Sherman Potts of the city of Trenton in the county of Mercer and state of New Jersey, Being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and publish my last will and testament in the manner following: that is to say First: I do order and direct that all my just debts be paid as soon after my decease as can cirmountly? be. Second: I do order and direct that the business conducted and owned by me on Broad Street in said city of Trenton be closed up as is consistent with existing leases and the disposal of the business. The business to be closed out either by retail my executors herinafter named to conduct the business in the manner that will seem to them the best interest of my estate or it may be sold in a lump if a purchaser can be found. All of which I leave to the judgement of my executors. Third: I do order and direct that the house and lot and furniture in which I now live be kept as a home for my children and request that my children make their home there until the youngest child shall have attained the age of twenty-one years unless it may happen that from financial losses it may prove to be too expensive a home for my children to occupy , in which case I do order and direct my executors hereinafter to sell said house and lot either the whole or part as to them shall seem best and do direct my executors to give good and sufficient deeds in law therefore. Fourth: Should the above mentioned house and lot be sold I do order and direct my executors either to rent a house or to purchase a less expensive house to be used as a home for my children in which case my executors shall sell so mcuh of my furniture as will not be needed in the new home always respecting as far as possible the wish of any one of my chidren to retain possessions or to retain any special piece or pieces of furniture, books, pictures, or plates. Fifth: I do order and direct that the monies insuring from the sale of my business above mentioned and from the sale of such real estated and personal property as may be sold shall be safely invested in first bonds and mortgages in real estate worth fully double the same, so much of my money as shall at the time of my decease be invested in stocks that are paying at least five per cent per annum and seem likely to hold their value or to increase such

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investment many remain so long as they appear to be safe. The income arising from all of the investments above mentioned shall be used to defray the expenses of living and the education of my children. The estate to be kept as a whole until my youngest child shall attain the age of twenty-one years, at which time said securities shall be either sold by my executors hereinafter named and the money arising from such sale divided among my children, share and share alike or divided among my children share and share alike without sale or conversion into cash provided such division can be made so as to be mutually agreeable to all the children. Should either of my children be dead at the time of my decease leaving heirs of their body him or her surviving my estate or should either of my children be dead at the time fixed for the division of my estate leaving heirs of their body him or her surviving such heirs to take their parents share of my estate. Sixth: My life insurance money shall not be considered a part of the estate or money above disposed of but shall be paid direct to the guardian of my children to be invested by said Guardian as the rest of my estate is directed to be invested and held in trust by said Guardians for my children until the youngest child attains the age of twenty-one years. The income arising there from to be used in connection with the income of my first mentioned estate in the support and education of my children until the youngest child attains the age of twenty-one years, but should my eldest daughter Mabel marry and leave the home of the others', then it is my wish and I do order if she so desires that her proportionate share of my life insurance be paid to her at the time of her marriage for her own use. The remainder to be divided among the other children when the youngest shall attain the age of twenty-one years. Seventh: I do order and direct that at the final settlement and division of my estate among my children, that all of their mother's effects together with the clothing, furniture and libraries be divided among my surviving children so far as the slightest disagreement prevails about a division, then such articles are to be sold as a public sale and the highest bidder to be the purchaser, be he child or stranger. Eighth: It is my wish that if Mabel should be taken away before the other children have finished their education, that the children should be placed in George's School, if suitable arrangements can be made during the school year and should board in the country during the summer. Ninth: I do hereby constitute and appoint Charles B. Case and Gardner H. Cain Executors of this my last will and testament, guardians of my children and trustees under this will until the youngest child attains the age of twenty-one years. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the sixteenth day of May eighteen hundred and ninety six. G. Sherman Potts Signed, acknowledged and declared by the said George Sherman Potts as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us (both being present at the same time) who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses. Emily Nobel Margaretta Y. Hendrickson

Codicil to Last Will and Testament: South Pittsfield New Hampshire Whereas I, G. Sherman Potts of the city of Trenton in the county of Mercer and the State of New Jersey, have made my last will and testament in writing, in the year 1896. Now, therefore, I do, by this my writing, which I hereby declare to be a codicil to my said last will and testament and to be taken as a part thereof, order and direct that my will is that the sum of Four Dollars (\$4.00) a week be paid to my daughter Mabel, from the day of my death, as a payment for keeping the family together and caring for them. Should they go to boarding and her duties be lightened then the amount may be reduced according to the judgement of my executors. In Witness whereof I, the above named testator, have hereunto set my hand and seal, this first day of October in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and ninety eight. Geo. Sherman Potts Then and there signed, sealed and published by G. Sherman Potts the testator as and for a codicil to his last will in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have hereto set our names as witnesses. Francis Peaslee A.N. Peaslee Hannah Peaslee Residence at time of inventory of estate 495 Rutherford Ave. There is a long list of the inventory of his store within the will. His personal estate was worth \$6003.37. This included household goods, \$1379.62 in the Trenton bank, \$3795=33 shares stock Woddbury Bank, House and lot Rutherford in Trenton, NJ \$4500 less \$4300 mortgage, 1/9 interest in Potts farm at Lawrenceville, NJ. "The old merchants who yet stick to their stores will miss the two straight forward men whose death called last week. They all honored and respected Wesley E. Wilson, who, by honest and persistent efforts gained a competency, and they no less respected George S. Potts, although fortune did not smile so generously upon him."

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Children of GEORGE POTTS and ESTHER PEASLEE are:

- i. MABEL<sup>16</sup> POTTS, b. September 07, 1877, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ; d. May 23, 1951, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ.
- ii. CAROLINE VANCLEVE POTTS, b. November 21, 1878, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ; d. October 29, 1880, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ.
- iii. AMOS POTTS, b. November 03, 1882, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ; d. January 18, 1966, Logan, Ohio. Married Eva Helen Chamberlin.
- iv. DR. MORRIS LEROY POTTS, b. November 06, 1884, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ; d. July 07, 1922, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ. Married (1) Florence Edwards. (2) Mabel Mayree
- v. ESTHER LIPPINCOTT POTTS, b. July 17, 1886, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ; d. November 05, 1955, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ. Married Frank Raymond Pidcock.

At the time of their fourth child's birth the Birth Return lists 4 children, but only three living because Caroline had died.

			
Mabel age 13	Amos Potts	Morris LeRoy Potts	Esther Lippincott Potts Pidcock
			
Mabel Potts	Eva Helen Chamberlin Potts	Florence Edwards Potts	Frank Raymond Pidcock

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3. 1882 copied by W.J.Potts, Camden NJ after personal examination of Parish Registers while visiting Derbyshire, England.
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95. Michelle Macler Cox Family Tree at RootsWeb.

## Descendants of John Arney

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> ARNEY<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1681 in NJ, and died March 1731/32 in Upper Freehold, Monmouth Co. NJ. He married ELIZABETH<sup>1</sup> Abt. 1710 in NJ<sup>2</sup>. She was born Abt. 1689 in NJ, and died 1765 in Burlington Co., NJ.

Children of JOHN ARNEY and ELIZABETH are:

2. i. JOSEPH<sup>2</sup> ARNEY, b. Abt. 1710, Burlington, NJ; d. June 05, 1772, Burlington, NJ.
- ii. REBECCA ARNEY<sup>2</sup>, b. Abt. 1710.
- iii. SARAH ARNEY<sup>2</sup>, b. Abt. 1712.
- iv. MARY ARNEY<sup>2</sup>, b. Abt. 1717.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. JOSEPH<sup>2</sup> ARNEY (*JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>3</sup> was born Abt. 1710 in Burlington, NJ<sup>3</sup>, and died June 05, 1772 in Burlington, NJ<sup>3</sup>. He married SARAH<sup>3</sup> Abt. 1736 in Monmouth Co, NJ<sup>4</sup>. She was born Abt. 1715 in Upper Freehold, Monmouth Co. NJ.

Child of JOSEPH ARNEY and SARAH is:

i. REBECCA<sup>3</sup> ARNEY<sup>5</sup>, b. April 01, 1737, Upper Freehold, Monmouth, NJ<sup>6</sup>; d. 1801, NJ<sup>6,7</sup>; m. RICHARD POTTS<sup>7</sup>, June 25, 1755, Chesterfield, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>7</sup>; b. January 01, 1732/33, Mansfield, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>7</sup>; d. March 25, 1825, New Brunswick, Middlesex Co, NJ<sup>7</sup>.

See Descendants of John Potts (p. 2 ) for Richard Potts' ancestors and Richard & Rebecca Arney Potts descendants.

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## Descendants of Henry Ballinger

### *Generation No. 1*

1. HENRY<sup>1</sup> BALLINGER was born 1660 in Benninghamshire, England, and died 1727 in Evesham Township, Burlington Co. NJ. He married MARY HARDING September 04, 1684, daughter of THOMAS HARDING and ELEANOR.

The Hardings family migrated to America in 1677. They were Quakers before they migrated.  
(the above came from Tom at tjsvrs@webzone.net)

Children of HENRY BALLINGER and MARY HARDING are:

2. i. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> BALLINGER, b. June 13, 1685, Evesham, Burlington, NJ; d. May 14, 1739, Northampton Township, NJ.
- ii. JOSEPH BALLINGER<sup>1</sup>, b. 1691; d. 1744.
- iii. HENRY BALLINGER<sup>1</sup>, b. August 05, 1695; d. May 04, 1774.
- iv. JOSIAH BALLINGER<sup>1</sup>, b. 1697; d. December 07, 1748.
- v. AMARIAH BALLINGER<sup>1</sup>, b. 1699; d. Bef. 1750.
- vi. MARY BALLINGER<sup>1</sup>, b. Abt. 1701.
- vii. ESTHER BALLINGER<sup>1</sup>, m. BUTTERWORTH.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> BALLINGER (*HENRY*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>2</sup> was born June 13, 1685 in Evesham, Burlington, NJ, and died May 14, 1739 in Northampton Township, NJ. He married MARY ELIZABETH ELKINTON<sup>2</sup> March 28, 1713 in Burlington Monthly Meeting, Burlington Co., NJ, daughter of GEORGE ELKINTON and MARY HUMPHREYS. She was born 1696.

Children of THOMAS BALLINGER and MARY ELKINTON are:

- i. JOSHUA<sup>3</sup> BALLINGER<sup>3</sup>, b. Abt. 1714; d. June 07, 1761, Evesham Township, Burlington Co. NJ; m. (1) MARTHA STRATTON; m. (2) NAOMI DUNN.
4. ii. THOMAS BALLINGER<sup>3</sup>, m. MARY COFFIN, March 11, 1741/42.
- iii. AMARIAH BALLINGER<sup>3</sup>, d. 1748.
- iv. JOHN BALLINGER<sup>3</sup>, m. MARY WARRINGTON, 1752.
- v. SAMUEL BALLINGER<sup>3</sup>, b. May 17, 1733.
3. vi. ELIZABETH BALLINGER, b. 1726.
- vii. REBECCA BALLINGER<sup>3</sup>, b. 1737; d. 1761.
- viii. SUSANNAH BALLINGER<sup>3</sup>, m. JOHN PEACOCK, 1758.

(the above came from Tom at tjsvrs@webzone.net)

### *Generation No. 3*

3. ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> BALLINGER (*THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *HENRY*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>4</sup> was born 1726. She married (1) WILLIAM HAINES<sup>4</sup> 1748 in Evesham Meeting, son of NATHAN HAINES and SARAH AUSTIN. He was born March 05, 1725/26 in Burlington Co. NJ, and died July 29, 1759. She married (2) DANIEL BASSETT 1768.

See the Descendants of Richard Haines (p.47) for the ancestors of William Haines and the descendants of William and Elizabeth Ballinger Haines.

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4. Thomas<sup>4</sup> BALLINGER (*THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *HENRY*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>4</sup> married Mary Coffin on March 11, 1741/2.  
Children of THOMAS BALLINGER and MARY Coffin are:  
5. i. Hannah Ballinger married Benjamin Moore on March 17<sup>th</sup> 1768 in Woodstown, Salem, NJ. She died in 1841.

*Generation No.4*

5. Hannah<sup>3</sup> BALLINGER (*Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *HENRY*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>4</sup> married Benjamin Moore on March 17<sup>th</sup> 1768 in Woodstown, Salem, NJ. She died in 1841.

See Descendants of Benjamin Moore (p. 76) for ancestors of Benjamin Moore and descendants of Benjamin and Hannah Moore.

From Sara B. at SaraLee927@aol.com).

Endnotes

1. Emma Barrett Reeves, *Three Centuries of Ballingers in America*, (via Tom tjsvrs@webzone.net).
2. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
3. Emma Barrett Reeves, *Three Centuries of Ballingers in America*, (via Tom tjsvrs@webzone.net).
4. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
5. Lea Smitz Buzby, *Burr*.
6. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
7. compiled by John Wesley Haines, *Richard Haines and his descendants:a Quaker family of Burlington County, New Jersey since 1682*.

## Descendants of John Barnard

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> BARNARD<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1586<sup>1</sup>. He married PHEBE<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN BARNARD and PHEBE is:

2. i. THOMAS B.<sup>2</sup> BARNARD, b. 1612, Arnesbury, Essex, MA; d. 1677.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. THOMAS B.<sup>2</sup> BARNARD (*JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1612 in Arnesbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>, and died 1677<sup>1</sup>. He married HELENE/ELINOR MORSE<sup>2,3</sup> in Salisbury, Essex, MA<sup>3</sup>. She was born Abt. 1616 in Essex, MA<sup>3</sup>, and died November 27, 1644 in Arnesbury, Essex, MA<sup>3</sup>.

Notes for THOMAS B. BARNARD:

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not listed in Gen.Dict of First Settlers of NE, Savage as son of John and Phebe.

Children of THOMAS BARNARD and HELENE/ELINOR MORSE are:

3. i. RUTH<sup>3</sup> BARNARD, b. October 16, 1651, Haverhill, Essex, MA; d. November 05, 1723, Haverhill, Essex, MA.

ii. NATHANIEL BARNARD<sup>4</sup>.

iii. MARTHA BARNARD<sup>4</sup>.

iv. MARY BARNARD<sup>4</sup>.

v. SARAH BARNARD<sup>5,6</sup>.

vi. HANNAH BARNARD<sup>6</sup>.

vii. JOHN BARNARD<sup>6</sup>.

viii. ABIGAIL BARNARD<sup>6</sup>.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. RUTH<sup>3</sup> BARNARD (*THOMAS B.*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>7</sup> was born October 16, 1651 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>7</sup>, and died November 05, 1723 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>7</sup>. She married JOSEPH PEASLEE<sup>8,9</sup> January 21, 1670/71 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>10,11,12</sup>, son of JOSEPH PEASLEE and MARY JOHNSON. He was born September 09, 1646 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>13,14</sup>, and died March 21, 1734/35 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>15,16</sup>.

See the Descendants of John Peaslee (p. 87) for Joseph Peaslee's ancestors and Joseph Peaslee and Ruth Bernard Peaslee's descendants.

### *Endnotes*

1. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
2. Lori Williams, Peaslee.
3. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
4. <http://www.best.com/~mpeaslee/genealogy/d0001/g000021.htm>.
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10. James Savage, Genealogical Dictionary of the First Settlers of New England, Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., Baltimore.
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13. Lori Williams, Peaslee.
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## Descendants of Alexander Biles

### *Generation No. 1*

1. ALEXANDER<sup>1</sup> BILES<sup>1</sup> was born 1595 in All Saints, Dorchester, Dorset, England<sup>1</sup>, and died 1651<sup>1</sup>. He married ANN SPEARE<sup>1</sup> May 30, 1620<sup>1</sup>, daughter of JOHN SPEARE and ELIZABETH. She was born 1600 in All Saints, Dorchester, Dorset, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of ALEXANDER BILES and ANN SPEARE is:

2. i. ALEXANDER<sup>2</sup> BILES, b. 1620, Dorset, England; d. June 30, 1682, Dorchester, Dorset Co., England.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. ALEXANDER<sup>2</sup> BILES (*ALEXANDER<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born 1620 in Dorset, England<sup>1</sup>, and died June 30, 1682 in Dorchester, Dorset Co., England<sup>1</sup>. He married DOROTHY STRONG<sup>1</sup> 1643<sup>1</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM STRONG. She was born 1620 in Dorset, England<sup>1</sup>, and died March 10, 1691/92 in Dorchester, Dorset Co., England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of ALEXANDER BILES and DOROTHY STRONG is:

3. i. WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> BILES, b. Dorchester, Dorset Co., England; d. May 19, 1710, Falls, Bucks, PA.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> BILES (*ALEXANDER<sup>2</sup>*, *ALEXANDER<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born in Dorchester, Dorset Co., England<sup>1</sup>, and died May 19, 1710 in Falls, Bucks, PA<sup>1</sup>. He married JOANNAH HELLARD<sup>1</sup> May 06, 1669 in All Saints, Dorchester, Dorset, England<sup>1</sup>. She was born 1646 in Dorset, England<sup>1</sup>, and died September 04, 1687 in Falls, Bucks, PA<sup>1</sup>.

More About WILLIAM BILES:

Occupation: Owned cattle in Bucks Co.

Religion: Quaker

Child of WILLIAM BILES and JOANNAH HELLARD is:

i. ANN<sup>4</sup> BILES<sup>1</sup>, b. June 13, 1685, Falls, Bucks, PA<sup>1</sup>; m. THOMAS YARDLEY<sup>1,2</sup>, February 1705/06, Bucks Co, PA<sup>3</sup>; b. 1685, The Beeches, Rushton, Stafford, England<sup>3</sup>; d. 1756, Lower Makefield, Bucks, PA<sup>3</sup>.

See the Descendants of Oliver Yardley (p.113) for Thomas Yardley's ancestors and Thomas and Ann Biles Yardley's descendants.

### *Endnotes*

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2. George McCracken's Welcome Claimants..proved,Disproved and Doubtful pp587-92.
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## Descendants of Richard Burdsall

### *Generation No. 1*

1. RICHARD<sup>1</sup> BURDSALL He married PHIBA.

Child of RICHARD BURDSALL and PHIBA is:

2. i. JOB<sup>2</sup> BURDSALL, b. September 09, 1782, NJ; d. July 15, 1837.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. JOB<sup>2</sup> BURDSALL (*RICHARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born September 09, 1782 in NJ<sup>2,3</sup>, and died July 15, 1837. He married HANNAH WEBSTER<sup>3</sup>, daughter of JOHN WEBSTER and MARY. She was born June 22, 1783 in NJ<sup>4,5</sup>, and died April 17, 1859.



Hannah Webster Burdsall

More About JOB BURDSALL:

Religion: Quaker, Rahway Plainfield Meeting, NJ

Residence: Rahway NJ<sup>6</sup>

More About HANNAH WEBSTER:

Religion: Quaker, Rahway Plainfield Meeting, NJ

Residence: Rahway, NJ

Children of JOB BURDSALL and HANNAH WEBSTER are:

i. WILLIAM HENRY<sup>3</sup> BURDSALL, b. July 20, 1806; d. March 20, 1859; m. ANNA BALDWIN, January 27, 1846.

ii. ELIZA ANN BURDSALL, b. July 16, 1808; d. April 15, 1841; m. EDWARD SOUTHWICK, October 22, 1832.

3. iii. MARY BURDSALL, b. July 19, 1812; d. September 21, 1889, Lawrenceville, NJ.

iv. JOHN MORRIS BURDSALL, b. April 04, 1815.

v. RICHARD BURDSALL, b. February 07, 1818; m. MARY LOU BAKER, July 30, 1845.

vi. ANN BURDSALL, b. December 11, 1819; m. CAMPBELL, September 1850.

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vii. EDWARD HICKS BURDSALL, b. February 26, 1822; m. MARY LOUISE JAQUES, July 31, 1844.

viii. SCOTT BURDSALL, b. June 29, 1824; d. February 24, 1852; m. SARAH B. MARTIN, May 1840.

*Generation No. 3*

3. MARY<sup>3</sup> BURDSALL (*JOB*<sup>2</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>7</sup> was born July 19, 1812, and died September 21, 1889 in Lawrenceville, NJ. She married GEORGE SHERMAN POTTS<sup>7</sup> March 27, 1832 in Mercer, NJ<sup>8,9</sup>, son of WILLIAM POTTS and ANNA POTTS. He was born October 10, 1807 in Mercer Co. NJ, and died April 07, 1882 in Mercer Co. NJ.

See the Descendants of John Potts (p. 2) for the ancestors of George Sherman Potts and the descendants of George Sherman and Mary Burdsall Potts.

*Endnotes*

1. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
2. 1880 US Census.
3. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
4. 1880 US Census.
5. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
6. Friends Intelligencer obituary for Mary Burdsall Potts.  
Michelle Macler Cox, 2004Michelle Macler Cox-RootsWeb, ([macchilly@aol.com](mailto:macchilly@aol.com)).

## Descendants of John Calvert

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>2</sup> CALVERT (*CAVERTS*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1520 in Danbywiske, Yorkshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN CALVERT is:

2. i. LEONARD<sup>3</sup> CALVERT, b. Abt. 1550, Danby Wiske, Yorkshire, England; d. England.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. LEONARD<sup>3</sup> CALVERT (*JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *CAVERTS*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1550 in Danby Wiske, Yorkshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in England<sup>1</sup>. He married ALICE GRACE CROSSLAND<sup>1</sup> 1575 in Hrstm Cauxcastle, Sussex, England<sup>1</sup>, daughter of THOMAS CROSSLAND and JOANE HAWSWORTH. She was born Abt. 1555 in Crossland Hill, Yorkshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in England<sup>1</sup>.

See the Descendants of Roger De Crosslands (p. 36 ) for the ancestors of Alice Grace Crossland.

Child of ALICE CROSSLAND and LEONARD CALVERT is:

3. i. GEORGE<sup>4</sup> CALVERT<sup>1</sup>, b. Danbywiske, Yorkshire, Eng<sup>1</sup>; d. April 12, 1632, London, Middlesex, England<sup>1</sup>; m. ANNE WYNNE<sup>1</sup>, November 22, 1604, St. Peter's, Cornhill, London, England<sup>1</sup>; b. November 20, 1579, Hertingfordbury, Hertfordshire, England<sup>1</sup>; d. August 08, 1622, Hertingfordbury, Hertfordshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. GEORGE<sup>4</sup> CALVERT (*LEONARD*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *CAVERTS*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born in Danbywiske, Yorkshire, Eng<sup>1</sup>, and died April 12, 1632 in London, Middlesex, England<sup>1</sup>. He married ANNE WYNNE<sup>1</sup> November 22, 1604 in St. Peter's, Cornhill, London, England<sup>1</sup>, daughter of JOHN WYNNE (born Abt. 1550<sup>1</sup>, and died WFT Est. 1588-1649<sup>1</sup>) and ELIZABETH WROTH (born Abt. 1562<sup>1</sup>, and died WFT Est. 1588-1656<sup>1</sup>). She was born November 20, 1579 in Hertingfordbury, Hertfordshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died August 08, 1622 in Hertingfordbury, Hertfordshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of GEORGE CALVERT and ANNE WYNNE is:

4. i. ANNE<sup>5</sup> CALVERT<sup>1</sup>, b. Abt. 1595, Yorks, England<sup>1</sup>; d. WFT Est. 1628-1706<sup>1</sup>; m. WILLIAM PEASLEE<sup>1</sup>, Abt. 1599, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>; b. Abt. 1580, Yorks, England/Newbury, Essex<sup>1</sup>.

More About WILLIAM PEASLEE:

Probate: April 1663, Estate Probated in Essex Cty., MA<sup>1</sup>

### *Generation No. 4*

4. ANNE<sup>5</sup> CALVERT<sup>1</sup> (*GEORGE*<sup>4</sup>, *LEONARD*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *CAVERTS*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup>, b. Abt. 1595, Yorks, England<sup>1</sup>; d. WFT Est. 1628-1706<sup>1</sup>; m. WILLIAM PEASLEE<sup>1</sup>, Abt. 1599, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>; b. Abt. 1580, Yorks, England/Newbury, Essex<sup>1</sup>.

See the Descendants of John Peaslee (p.87 ) for the ancestors of William Peaslee and the descendants of William and Anne Calvert Peaslee.

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of Roger De Crosslands

### *Generation No. 1*

1. ROGER<sup>1</sup> DE CROSSLANDS<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1500 in Crosslands of Henry III, England<sup>1</sup>, and died Abt. 1560<sup>1</sup>.

Child of ROGER DE CROSSLANDS is:

2. i. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> CROSSLAND, b. Abt. 1525, Crossland Hill, Yorkshire, England; d. Abt. September 1587, England.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> CROSSLAND (*ROGER<sup>1</sup> DE CROSSLANDS*)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1525 in Crossland Hill, Yorkshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died Abt. September 1587 in England<sup>1</sup>. He married JOANE HAWSWORTH<sup>1</sup> Abt. 1550<sup>1</sup>. She was born Abt. 1530 in England<sup>1</sup>, and died Abt. July 1575 in England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of THOMAS CROSSLAND and JOANE HAWSWORTH is:

3. i. ALICE GRACE<sup>3</sup> CROSSLAND, b. Abt. 1555, Crossland Hill, Yorkshire, England; d. England.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. ALICE GRACE<sup>3</sup> CROSSLAND (*THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, ROGER<sup>1</sup> DE CROSSLANDS*)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1555 in Crossland Hill, Yorkshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in England<sup>1</sup>. She married LEONARD CALVERT<sup>1</sup> 1575 in Hrstmn Cauxcastle, Sussex, England<sup>1</sup>, son of JOHN CALVERT. He was born Abt. 1550 in Danby Wiske, Yorkshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in England<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of John Calvert (p. 34 ) for the ancestors of Leonard Calvert and the descendants of Leonard and Alice Crossland Calvert.

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of John Dow

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> DOW<sup>1</sup> died July 1561 in Tylner, Norfolk Co., England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN DOW is:

2. i. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> DOW, b. Tylner, Norfolk Co., England; d. Runham, Norfolk, England.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> DOW (*JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born in Tylner, Norfolk Co., England<sup>1</sup>, and died in Runham, Norfolk, England<sup>1</sup>. He married MARGARET ENGLAND<sup>1</sup>.

Child of THOMAS DOW and MARGARET ENGLAND is:

3. i. HENRY<sup>3</sup> DOW, b. Runham, Norfolk, England; d. Runham, Norfolk, England.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. HENRY<sup>3</sup> DOW (*THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born in Runham, Norfolk, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in Runham, Norfolk, England<sup>1</sup>. He married ELIZABETH MARCH<sup>1</sup>, daughter of CHRISTOPHER MARCH and FRANCIS ATFFENNE.

Children of HENRY DOW and ELIZABETH MARCH are:

4. i. THOMAS<sup>4</sup> DOW.
5. ii. HENRY DOW, b. Abt. 1608, Runham, Norfolk, England; d. April 21, 1659, Hampton, NH.

John Dow and Hannah Page married November 27, 1696 in Hampton, NH. They may have been second cousins descended from these two brothers, John Dow (descended from Henry Dow) and Hannah Page (descended from Thomas Dow). There is uncertainty about Hannah Page Dow's parentage.

### *Generation No. 4*

4. THOMAS<sup>4</sup> DOW (*HENRY*<sup>3</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup>. He married PHEBE LATLY<sup>1</sup>.

Child of THOMAS DOW and PHEBE LATLY is:

6. i. MARTHA<sup>5</sup> DOW.

5. HENRY<sup>4</sup> DOW (*HENRY*<sup>3</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1608 in Runham, Norfolk, England<sup>1</sup>, and died April 21, 1659 in Hampton, NH<sup>1</sup>. He married JOANE<sup>1</sup>. She was born Abt. 1607<sup>1</sup>, and died June 20, 1640 in Watertown, MA<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for HENRY DOW:

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license April 11 1637

More About HENRY and JOANE DOW:

Immigration: 1637, Hampton, NH<sup>1</sup>

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Child of HENRY DOW and JOANE is:

7. i. JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> DOW, b. March 20, 1638/39, Watertown, MA; d. April 04, 1703.

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6. MARTHA<sup>5</sup> DOW (*THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, HENRY<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup>. She married JOSEPH PAGE<sup>1</sup> Aft. 1672 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>, son of JOHN PAGE and MARY MARSH.

See Descendants of George Marsh (p. 74) for ancestors of Joseph Page.

Child of MARTHA DOW and JOSEPH PAGE is:

8. i. HANNAH<sup>6</sup> PAGE, b. February 05, 1676/77, Haverhill, Essex, MA.

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unsure if Joseph and Martha are her parents or John Page and Mary Marsh 1699 Haverhill also known as Paige  
possible parents Samuel Page son of John Page of Watertown come over with Winthope  
possible parents John Page and Sarah Guile

7. JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> DOW (*HENRY<sup>4</sup>, HENRY<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born March 20, 1638/39 in Watertown, MA<sup>1</sup>, and died April 04, 1703<sup>1</sup>. He married MARY MOULTON SANBORN<sup>1</sup> December 17, 1662 in Salisbury, NH<sup>1</sup>.

Marriage Notes for JOSEPH DOW and MARY SANBORN:

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Child of JOSEPH DOW and MARY SANBORN is:

9. i. JOHN<sup>6</sup> DOW, b. December 12, 1665, Hampton, NH; d. November 26, Haverhill, Essex, MA.

*Generation No. 6*

8. HANNAH<sup>6</sup> PAGE (*MARTHA DOW<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, HENRY<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born February 05, 1676/77 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

She married her second cousin

9. JOHN DOW (*JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, HENRY<sup>4</sup>, HENRY<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> November 27, 1696 in Hampton, NH<sup>1</sup>, son of JOSEPH DOW and MARY SANBORN. He was born December 12, 1665 in Hampton, NH<sup>1</sup>, and died November 26 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for HANNAH PAGE:

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unsure if Joseph and Martha Page are her parents, making her John Dow's second cousin also known as Paige  
possible parents Samuel Page son of John Page of Watertown come over with Winthope  
possible parents John Page and Sarah Guile

Notes for JOHN DOW:

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possible parents Thomas Dow and Pebe Laty would make him second cousin with his wife

1741-new line run between Mass and NH divided the city of Haverhill. The town instructed its selectman to take an exact list of the polls and estates on the north side of the line. Those listed were living in the N

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Hampshire Province. There is a John Dow and John jr. listed on the north side. Also, a John Dow listed on the southside.

More About JOHN DOW:

Religion: member of Congregational Church<sup>1</sup>

Child of HANNAH PAGE and JOHN DOW is:

10. i. SARAH<sup>7</sup> DOW, b. October 23, 1709, Hampton, NH; d. Bef. April 08, 1772.

*Generation No. 7*

**10.** SARAH<sup>7</sup> DOW (*JOHN<sup>6</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, HENRY<sup>4</sup>, HENRY<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>2,3</sup> was born October 23, 1709 in Hampton, NH<sup>3</sup>, and died Bef. April 08, 1772<sup>3</sup>. She married BENJAMIN FRYE<sup>4,5</sup> December 22, 1732<sup>5</sup>, son of WILLIAM FRYE and HANNAH HILL. He was born November 09, 1701 in Kittery, Maine<sup>5</sup>, and died March 1754<sup>5</sup>.

See the Descendants of Adrian Frye (p.44 ) for the ancestors of Benjamin Frye and the descendants of Benjamin and Sarah Dow Frye.

*Endnotes*

1. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
2. Kathleen Jenkins, Gone but not Forgotten.
3. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
4. Kathleen Jenkins, Gone but not Forgotten.
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## Descendants of John Emery

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> EMERY<sup>1</sup>. He married ALICE BANET<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN EMERY and ALICE BANET is:

2. i. JOHN<sup>2</sup> EMERY, b. England.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. JOHN<sup>2</sup> EMERY (*JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born in England<sup>1</sup>. He married AGNUS NORTHEND<sup>1</sup>, daughter of EZEKIEL NORTHEND and EDNA HALSTEAD.

Notes for JOHN EMERY:

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On March 16, 1663, John Emery was presented to the court a Ipswich by Henry Jaques, Constable of Newbury, for entertaining travellers and Quakers. May 5, 1663, his presentment for entertaining Quakers was referred unto next Court. The next court fined him four pounds, costs and fees for entertaining strangers.

Child of JOHN EMERY and AGNUS NORTHEND is:

3. i. JOHN<sup>3</sup> EMERY, b. 1609, England; d. November 03, 1683, Newbury, Essex, MA.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. JOHN<sup>3</sup> EMERY (*JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1609 in England<sup>1</sup>, and died November 03, 1683 in Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>. He married ALICE GRANTHAM<sup>1</sup> June 26, 1620 in Whiteparish, Wiltshire, England<sup>1</sup>, daughter of WALTER GRANTHAM and ELEANOR. She died April 28, 1649 in Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for JOHN EMERY:

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possibly married to a Mary Shatswell Webster

More About JOHN EMERY:

Emigration: April 05, 1635, Southampton, Eng<sup>1</sup>

Will: May 01, 1680, Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>

Child of JOHN EMERY and ALICE GRANTHAM is:

4. i. EBENEZER<sup>4</sup> EMERY, d. 1724.

### *Generation No. 4*

4. EBENEZER<sup>4</sup> EMERY (*JOHN*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> died 1724<sup>1</sup>. She married JOHN M. HOAG<sup>1</sup> April 21, 1669 in Newbury/Amesbury<sup>1</sup>, son of RICHARD HOAG and JOAN. He was born March 04, 1641/42 in England or Wales<sup>1</sup>, and died April 1728 in Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

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See Descendants of Richard Hoag (p. 50) for ancestry of John M. Hoag and descendants of John and Ebenezer Emery Hoag.

Cathy Thomas comment: Ebenezer is an unusual name for a woman.

*Endnotes*

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## Descendants of Philip Fowler

### *Generation No. 1*

1. PHILIP<sup>1</sup> FOWLER<sup>1</sup>. He married MARY WINSLOW<sup>1</sup>.

Child of PHILIP FOWLER and MARY WINSLOW is:

2. i. SAMUEL<sup>2</sup> FOWLER.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. SAMUEL<sup>2</sup> FOWLER (*PHILIP<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup>. He married ALICE HUNT<sup>1</sup>, daughter of THOMAS HUNT and MARY NEWBY.

Child of SAMUEL FOWLER and ALICE HUNT is:

3. i. MARY<sup>3</sup> FOWLER, b. Bef. 1662, Salisbury; d. Aft. 1668.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. MARY<sup>3</sup> FOWLER (*SAMUEL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born Bef. 1662 in Salisbury<sup>1</sup>, and died Aft. 1668<sup>1</sup>. She married RICHARD GOODWIN<sup>1</sup> November 14, 1677 in Amesbury, MA<sup>1</sup>, son of EDWARD GOODWIN and SUSANNA WHEELER. He died 1729 in Amesbury, MA<sup>1</sup>.

See the Descendants of George Goodwin (p. 46 ) for the ancestors of Richard Goodwin and the descendants of Richard and Mary Fowler Goodwin.

### *Endnotes*

1. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.

## Descendants of Phillip Fowler

### *Generation No. 1*

1. PHILLIP<sup>1</sup> FOWLER<sup>1</sup>.

Child of PHILLIP FOWLER is:

2. i. PHILLIP<sup>2</sup> FOWLER JR..

### *Generation No. 2*

2. PHILLIP<sup>2</sup> FOWLER JR. (*PHILLIP*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup>. He married MARY WINDER<sup>1</sup>.

Child of PHILLIP FOWLER and MARY WINDER is:

3. i. ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> FOWLER, d. June 02, 1649, Salisbury, Essex, MA.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> FOWLER (*PHILLIP*<sup>2</sup>, *PHILLIP*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> died June 02, 1649 in Salisbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>. She married SAMUEL WINSLEY<sup>1</sup>. He was born Abt. 1597 in Knodishall Co., Suffolk, England<sup>1</sup>, and died June 02, 1668 in Salisbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

Child of ELIZABETH FOWLER and SAMUEL WINSLEY is:

i. DEBORAH<sup>4</sup> WINSLEY<sup>1</sup>, m. JOHN WEED<sup>1</sup>; b. Abt. 1627<sup>1</sup>; d. March 15, 1687/88, Amesbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

See the Descendants of Richard North (p.77) for John and Deborah Winsley Weed's descendants.

History of Amesbury & Merrimac, Jos. Merrill; Reg. Probate, Essex Co., Salem, 23 Nov. 1686.  
George Martin, the husband of Susanna North Martin, was sponsored as a servant to Samuel Winsley. Samuel Winsley was from Colchester, Essex. Samuel Winsley served in the militia at Knodishall, according to Edward Banks, on the border of Suffolk County. Samuel Winsley and George Martin seem to have arrived in New England at about the same time (abt. 1639), so it is possible they emigrated together, as George "came as a servant to Winsley."

### *Endnotes*

1. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.

## Descendants of Adrian Frye

### *Generation No. 1*

1. ADRIAN<sup>1</sup> FRYE<sup>1</sup> was born in Fryes Point, Kittery, Maine<sup>1</sup>. He married SARAH WHITE<sup>1</sup>, daughter of JOHN WHITE and LUCY.

Child of ADRIAN FRYE and SARAH WHITE is:

2. i. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> FRYE, b. Dover, NH; d. Aft. 1739.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> FRYE (ADRIAN<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born in Dover, NH<sup>1</sup>, and died Aft. 1739<sup>1</sup>. He married HANNAH HILL<sup>1</sup> 1694<sup>1</sup>, daughter of SAMUEL HILL and ELIZABETH WILLIAMS. She was born in Dover, ME<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for WILLIAM FRYE:

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1711 he was on the list of Freeholders of Kittery, the value of the year's income of Wm's estate was 07. 1718 and 1725 he and his wife signed a deed. In a deed dated 3 June 1708 he mentions "My Brother Joseph Hill" According to a deed dated 4-4-1713, he sold to Philip Pike ten acres called Fry's Point and situated between the river and Sturgeon's Point at Kittery.

More About WILLIAM FRYE:

Religion: Society of Friends, Quaker<sup>1</sup>

Notes for HANNAH HILL:

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Father's will says daughter Hannah More inherits house lott number 9 and warehouse lott number 12 on the Bank in Portsmouth. Also one acre of land for an orchard in Kittery nera Shapleigh's Creek. Possibly married to a More before Frye.

Child of WILLIAM FRYE and HANNAH HILL is:

3. i. BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup> FRYE, b. November 09, 1701, Kittery, Maine; d. March 1754.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup> FRYE (WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, ADRIAN<sup>1</sup>)<sup>2,3</sup> was born November 09, 1701 in Kittery, Maine<sup>3</sup>, and died March 1754<sup>3</sup>. He married SARAH DOW<sup>4,5</sup> December 22, 1732<sup>5</sup>, daughter of JOHN DOW and HANNAH PAGE. She was born October 23, 1709 in Hampton, NH<sup>5</sup>, and died Bef. April 08, 1772<sup>5</sup>.

See the Descendants of John Dow (p.37 ) for the ancestors of Sarah Dow

Child of BENJAMIN FRYE and SARAH DOW is:

4. i. RUTH<sup>4</sup> FRYE, b. February 08, 1741/42, Town of Kittery, County of York, Province oi MA; d. October 20, 1841.

### *Generation No. 4*

4. RUTH<sup>4</sup> FRYE (BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, ADRIAN<sup>1</sup>)<sup>5</sup> was born February 08, 1741/42 in Town of Kittery, County of York, Province oi MA<sup>5</sup>, and died October 20, 1841<sup>5</sup>. She married WILLIAM JENKINS

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JR.<sup>5</sup> April 08, 1772 in Lee, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>6,7</sup>, son of WILLIAM JENKINS and PHEBE HOAG. He was born August 10, 1747<sup>7</sup>, and died December 04, 1809 in Stratford Co., NH<sup>7</sup>.

See the Descendants of Edward Jenkins (p.53) for the ancestors of William Jenkins and the descendants of William and Ruth Frye Jenkins.

*Endnotes*

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2. Kathleen Jenkins, Gone but not Forgotten.
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## Descendants of George Goodwin

### *Generation No. 1*

#### 1. GEORGE<sup>1</sup> GOODWIN<sup>1</sup>.

Child of GEORGE GOODWIN is:

2. i. EDWARD<sup>2</sup> GOODWIN, b. Newbury/Salisbury (England); d. 1681, Salisbury, MA.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. EDWARD<sup>2</sup> GOODWIN (*GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born in Newbury/Salisbury (England)<sup>1</sup>, and died 1681 in Salisbury, MA<sup>1</sup>. He married SUSANNA (STOWERS) WHEELER<sup>1</sup> June 05, 1668 in Newbury<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for EDWARD GOODWIN:

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Occupation: 1667, Salisbury<sup>1</sup>

shipwright

listed as family founder by Ethel Bower (Goodwing) O'Daniel

Child of EDWARD GOODWIN and SUSANNA WHEELER is:

3. i. RICHARD<sup>3</sup> GOODWIN, d. 1729, Amesbury, MA.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. RICHARD<sup>3</sup> GOODWIN (*EDWARD*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> died 1729 in Amesbury, MA<sup>1</sup>. He married MARY FOWLER<sup>1</sup> November 14, 1677 in Amesbury, MA<sup>1</sup>, daughter of SAMUEL FOWLER and ALICE HUNT. She was born Bef. 1662 in Salisbury<sup>1</sup>, and died Aft. 1668<sup>1</sup>.

See the Descendants of Philip Fowler (p. 42) for the ancestors of Mary Fowler.

Child of RICHARD GOODWIN and MARY FOWLER is:

4. i. SARAH<sup>4</sup> GOODWIN, b. June 09, 1688, Sratham, NH; d. 1763, Stratham, NH.

### *Generation No. 4*

4. SARAH<sup>4</sup> GOODWIN (*RICHARD*<sup>3</sup>, *EDWARD*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born June 09, 1688 in Sratham, NH<sup>1</sup>, and died 1763 in Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>. She married JOSEPH HOAG<sup>1</sup> March 08, 1705/06 in Newbury, MA<sup>1</sup>, son of JOHN HOAG and EBENEZER EMERY. He was born January 16, 1675/76 in Newbury, MA<sup>1</sup>, and died 1762 in Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>.

See the Descendants of Richard Hoag (p.50) for the ancestors of Joseph Hoag and the descendants of Joseph and Sarah Goodwin Hoag.

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of Richard Haines/Haynes

### *Generation No. 1*

1. RICHARD<sup>1</sup> HAINES/HAYNES<sup>1</sup> was born in England<sup>1</sup>, and died 1682 in Atlantic Ocean<sup>1</sup>. He married MARGARET<sup>1</sup>. She was born in England<sup>1</sup>.

Children of RICHARD HAINES/HAYNES and MARGARET are:

- i. JOHN<sup>2</sup> HAINES<sup>2</sup>, b. Abt. 1664; m. (1) ESTHER BORTON; m. (2) HANNAH WHITALL WOOD.
- ii. RICHARD HAINES<sup>2</sup>, b. Abt. 1665, Baptism: August 06, 1665, St. Michael's Church, Aynhoe, Northamptonshire, England; m. MARY CARLISLE.
- iii. THOMAS HAINES<sup>2</sup>, b. Abt. 1666; m. ELIZABETH AUSTIN.

More About THOMAS HAINES:

Baptism: December 22, 1666, St. Michael's Church, Aynhoe, Northamptonshire, England

2. iv. WILLIAM HAINES, b. Abt. 1672; d. 1754.
  - v. MARY HAINES<sup>2</sup>, b. June 30, 1676, Recorded in Banbury Monthly Meeting, Oxfordshire.
- Residence: Bet. 1672 - 1682, Aynhoe, Northamptonshire, England
- vi. JOSEPH HAINES<sup>2</sup>, b. 1682; m. (1) DOROTHY; m. (2) ELIZABETH THOMAS.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> HAINES (*RICHARD<sup>1</sup> HAINES/HAYNES*)<sup>3</sup> was born Abt. 1672<sup>3</sup>, and died 1754. He married (1) SARAH PAINE<sup>3</sup> 1695 in Burlington Monthly Meeting, Burlington Co., NJ<sup>3</sup>, daughter of JOHN PAINE. She was born 1678<sup>3</sup>, and died July 05, 1728. He married (2) FRANCES GOODWIN CHANDERS BONNELL 1732.

More About WILLIAM HAINES:

Baptism: April 24, 1672, St. Michael's Church, Aynhoe, Northamptonshire, England

Immigration: 1682

Religion: Family Quaker at time of his marriage.

Will: March 24, 1751/52, Probated 4/29/1754

More About FRANCES GOODWIN CHANDERS BONNELL:

Will: September 11, 1749, Probated 8/21/1750

Children of WILLIAM HAINES and SARAH PAINE are:

- i. JACOB<sup>3</sup> HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. September 24, 1698; m. MARY COLES.
- ii. MARGARET HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. June 04, 1700; d. Bef. August 1737; m. WILLIAM BROWN.
3. iii. NATHAN HAINES, b. September 19, 1702, Burlington Co., NJ; d. August 1751.
- iv. SAMUEL HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. January 24, 1704/05; m. LYDIA STOKES.
- v. NATHANIEL HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. January 22, 1706/07; m. MARY HARVEY.
- vi. SARAH HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. February 25, 1709/10; d. May 30, 1761; m. JACOB LAMB, 1732.
- vii. JEREMIAH HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. March 25, 1713; m. HANNAH BONNELL.
- viii. ELIZABETH HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. August 01, 1716; m. (1) WILLIAM BROWN, March 04, 1737/38; m. (2) WILLIAM ALLEN, June 18, 1743. Elizabeth was disowned from Nottingham Monthly Meeting in PA for this marriage to William Allen
- ix. JOSEPH HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. April 23, 1717; m. PATIENCE PRICKITT.

### *Generation No. 3*

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3. NATHAN<sup>3</sup> HAINES (*WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, RICHARD<sup>1</sup> HAINES/HAYNES*)<sup>5</sup> was born September 19, 1702 in Burlington Co., NJ<sup>5</sup>, and died August 1751<sup>5</sup>. He married SARAH AUSTIN<sup>5</sup> March 1724/25 in Haddonfield Monthly Meeting, daughter of FRANCIS AUSTIN and MARY BORTON.

Notes for NATHAN HAINES:

Inventory of personal property taken 9/3/1751

More About NATHAN HAINES:

Occupation: Farmer

Residence: Evesham Township, Burlington Co. NJ

Will: June 24, 1751

More About SARAH AUSTIN:

Religion: April 05, 1725, Quaker Burlington Monthly Meeting

Children of NATHAN HAINES and SARAH AUSTIN are:

4. i. WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> HAINES, b. March 05, 1725/26, Burlington Co. NJ; d. July 29, 1759.
- ii. AMOS HAINES, m. MARY CONROW.
- iii. JOHN HAINES, m. MARY SHREVE.
- iv. NATHAN HAINES, b. March 12, 1731/32; m. REBECCA BALLINGER.
- v. SARAH HAINES, m. HUDSON MIDDLETON, 1757, Chester Meeting.
- vi. MARY HAINES, m. ISAAC HOLLOWAY, November 16, 1758, Haddonfield Monthly Meeting.

*Generation No. 4*

4. WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> HAINES (*NATHAN<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, RICHARD<sup>1</sup> HAINES/HAYNES*)<sup>5</sup> was born March 05, 1725/26 in Burlington Co. NJ, and died July 29, 1759. He married ELIZABETH BALLINGER<sup>5</sup> 1748 in Evesham Meeting, daughter of THOMAS BALLINGER and MARY ELKINTON. She was born 1726.

See the Descendants of Henry Ballinger (p. 27) for the ancestors of Elizabeth Ballinger.

More About WILLIAM HAINES:

Occupation: Farmer

Residence: Pilesgrove Township, Salem Co. NJ

Religion: Quaker

Children of WILLIAM HAINES and ELIZABETH BALLINGER are:

5. i. SARAH<sup>4</sup> HAINES<sup>4</sup>, b. October 17, 1752, Pilesgrove Twp, Salem, NJ<sup>4</sup>; d. Bet. January 01 - March 12, 1830<sup>4</sup>; m. AARON LIPPINCOTT<sup>4</sup>, February 28, 1771, Pilesgrove Meeting House, Salem, NJ<sup>5,6</sup>; b. July 26, 1749, Woolwich Twp, Gloucester, NJ<sup>6</sup>; d. 1821<sup>6</sup>.
- ii. MARY HAINES<sup>6</sup>, b. January 24, 1754; m. JOSEPH LEWIS, October 06, 1775, Salem Monthly Meeting, Burlington Co. NJ.
- iii. ANN HAINES<sup>6</sup>, b. June 03, 1755; d. November 16, 1832; m. (1) AMOS KIRBY, March 01, 1781; m. (2) ENOCH ALLEN, May 07, 1800.
- iv. SUSANNAH HAINES<sup>6</sup>, b. October 04, 1756.
- v. JACOB HAINES<sup>6</sup>, b. May 01, 1758; m. ELIZABETH PAUL.
- vi. WILLIAM HAINES<sup>6</sup>, b. October 20, 1759; d. June 30, 1822; m. SUSANNAH SILVER.

*Generation No. 5*

5. SARAH<sup>5</sup> HAINES (*WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, NATHAN<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, RICHARD<sup>1</sup> HAINES/HAYNES*)<sup>7</sup> was born October 17, 1752 in Pilesgrove Twp, Salem, NJ<sup>7</sup>, and died Bet. January 01 - March 12, 1830<sup>7</sup>. She married AARON LIPPINCOTT<sup>7</sup> February 28, 1771 in Pilesgrove Meeting House, Salem, NJ<sup>8,9</sup>, son of BENJAMIN LIPPINCOTT and HOPE WILLS. He was born July 26, 1749 in Woolwich Twp, Gloucester, NJ<sup>9</sup>, and died 1821<sup>9</sup>.

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See the Descendants of Lofe of Lovecote (p. 58) for the ancestors of Aaron Lippencott and the descendants of Aaron and Sarah Haines Lippincott.

*Endnotes*

1. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
2. compiled by John Wesley Haines, *Richard Haines and his descendants:a Quaker family of Burlington County, New Jersey since 1682.*
3. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
4. compiled by John Wesley Haines, *Richard Haines and his descendants:a Quaker family of Burlington County, New Jersey since 1682.*
5. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
6. compiled by John Wesley Haines, *Richard Haines and his descendants:a Quaker family of Burlington County, New Jersey since 1682.*
7. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
8. Lea Smitz Buzby, *Burr.*
9. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
10. Judith M. Olsen, *Lippincott:Five Generations of Descendants of Richard and Abigail Lippincott,* (Gloucester Co. Historical Society, Woodbury, NJ 1982).

## Descendants of Richard Hoag

### *Generation No. 1*

1. RICHARD<sup>1</sup> HOAG<sup>1</sup>. He married JOAN<sup>1</sup> Aft. 1637<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for RICHARD HOAG:  
[florence-potts-ancestors.FTW]

Quaker

More About RICHARD HOAG:  
Immigration: 1650, Boston, MA<sup>1</sup>

Child of RICHARD HOAG and JOAN is:

2. i. JOHN M.<sup>2</sup> HOAG, b. March 04, 1641/42, England or Wales; d. April 1728, Newbury, Essex, MA.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. JOHN M.<sup>2</sup> HOAG (*RICHARD*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born March 04, 1641/42 in England or Wales<sup>1</sup>, and died April 1728 in Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>. He married EBENEZER EMERY<sup>1</sup> April 21, 1669 in Newbury/Amesbury<sup>1</sup>, daughter of JOHN EMERY and ALICE GRANTAM. She died 1724<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for JOHN M. HOAG:  
[florence-potts-ancestors.FTW]  
Quaker

More About JOHN M. HOAG:  
Immigration: 1650, Boston, MA<sup>1</sup>

Notes for EBENEZER EMERY:  
[florence-potts-ancestors.FTW]  
Quaker

Descends from President Franklin Pierce along the Emery line.

Child of JOHN HOAG and EBENEZER EMERY is:

3. i. JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> HOAG (*JOHN M.*<sup>2</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born January 16, 1675/76, Newbury, MA; d. 1762, Stratham, NH. m. SARAH GOODWIN<sup>1</sup>, March 08, 1705/06, Newbury, MA<sup>1</sup>; b. June 09, 1688, Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>; d. 1763, Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> HOAG (*JOHN M.*<sup>2</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born January 16, 1675/76 in Newbury, MA<sup>1</sup>, and died 1762 in Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>. He married SARAH GOODWIN<sup>1</sup> March 08, 1705/06 in Newbury, MA<sup>1</sup>, daughter of RICHARD GOODWIN and MARY FOWLER. She was born June 09, 1688 in Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>, and died 1763 in Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>.

See the Descendants of George Goodwin (p. 46 ) for the ancestors of Sarah Goodwin.

Notes for JOSEPH HOAG:  
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Yeoman

More About JOSEPH HOAG:

Event: 1714, Exeter<sup>1</sup>

Religion: Quaker<sup>1</sup>

Will: 1762, Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>

More About SARAH GOODWIN:

Will: 1763, Stratham, NH<sup>1</sup>

Child of JOSEPH HOAG and SARAH GOODWIN is:

4. i. PHEBE<sup>4</sup> HOAG, b. January 01, 1716/17, Hampton, Rockingham Co., NH; d. March 29, 1764, Dover, Stratford Co., NH. m. WILLIAM JENKINS<sup>1</sup>, Bef. 1743, Hampton, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>1</sup>; b. Abt. 1716<sup>1</sup>; d. Dover, Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>.

*Generation No. 4*

4. PHEBE<sup>4</sup> HOAG (*JOSEPH<sup>3</sup>, JOHN M.<sup>2</sup>, RICHARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born January 01, 1716/17 in Hampton, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>1</sup>, and died March 29, 1764 in Dover, Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>. She married WILLIAM JENKINS<sup>1</sup> Bef. 1743 in Hampton, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>1</sup>, son of JOSEPH JENKINS and HANNAH MERROW. He was born Abt. 1716<sup>1</sup>, and died in Dover, Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>.

See the Descendants of Edward Jenkins (p. 53) for the ancestors of William Jenkins and the descendants of William and Phebe Hoag Jenkins.

*Endnotes*

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## Descendants of Robert Hudson

### *Generation No. 1*

1. ROBERT<sup>1</sup> HUDSON<sup>1</sup>. He married MARY THREDDER<sup>1</sup>.

Child of ROBERT HUDSON and MARY THREDDER is:

2. i. ELIZABETH THREDDER<sup>2</sup> HUDSON, b. 1668; d. Burlington Co., NJ.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. ELIZABETH THREDDER<sup>2</sup> HUDSON (ROBERT<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1668<sup>2,3</sup>, and died in Burlington Co., NJ<sup>3</sup>. She married HENRY BURR<sup>3</sup> Abt. 1689 in NJ<sup>4,5</sup>. He was born 1664 in London, England<sup>6,7</sup>, and died June 11, 1743 in Vineland, Burlington Co., NJ<sup>8,9</sup>.

Notes for HENRY BURR:

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Had a slave named in census as Maria a Negress 17yrs. old

Child of ELIZABETH HUDSON and HENRY BURR is:

3. i. MARY<sup>3</sup> BURR, b. 1699; d. January 09, 1777.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. MARY<sup>3</sup> BURR (ELIZABETH THREDDER<sup>2</sup> HUDSON, ROBERT<sup>1</sup>)<sup>9</sup> was born 1699<sup>10,11</sup>, and died January 09, 1777<sup>12,13</sup>. She married JACOB LIPPINCOTT<sup>14,15</sup> January 05, 1715/16 in Burlington Monthly Meeting, Burlington, NJ<sup>16,17</sup>, son of RESTORE LIPPINCOTT and HANNAH SHATTUCK/SHATTOCK. He was born August 15, 1692<sup>18,19</sup>, and died 1757<sup>20,21</sup>.

See the Descendants of Lofe of Lovecote (p.58) for the ancestors of Jacob Lippincott and the descendants of Jacob and Mary Burr Lippincott.

### *Endnotes*

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2. Lea Smitz Buzby, *Burr*.
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4. Lea Smitz Buzby, *Burr*.
5. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
6. Lea Smitz Buzby, *Burr*.
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12. Lea Smitz Buzby, *Burr*.
13. florence-potts-ancestors.FTW, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
14. Judith M. Olsen, *Lippincott: Five Generations of Descendants of Richard and Abigail Lippincott*, (Gloucester Co. Historical Society, Woodbury, NJ 1982).
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## Descendants of Edward Jenkins

Further study on this line of the family could flesh out some fascinating, exciting and tragic stories of life in early Maine, just hinted at in the lineage below. Probably because family names are reused on both sides of the Atlantic, the dates and locations associated with the early generations are a little suspect as noted here.

Name	Birth	Marriage	Immigrated	Death	Comment
Edward	~1575 Somerset, England	Joan		~1605	Died ~ age 30. Unlikely that he sired a son when he as 7 yrs old.
Reginald Reynolds	~1582	Ann		1632 Maine killed by Indian while trading inland from Cape Porpoise	Died ~ age 50. Was his death the impetus for his son's immigration?
Reynolds	1608 England /Wales	ANNE GALL GALE in England or Maine	3/2/1632	1683 Maine buried 1691 in England	It is unlikely he was unburied for 9 years, or that the body was returned to England for burial.
Stephen	1653 in America	Elizabeth Pittman, 1678. She drown herself in 1687		July 1694 Maine Killed by Indian Chief Bomazeen	So their son Joseph, who lost his mother at age 2 was orphaned at age 9.
Joseph	Abt. 1685	Hannah Merrow. She died 1704.		February 18, 1777	Will lists a 2 <sup>nd</sup> wife, Tabitha and children
William	Abt. 1716 in NH	Phoebe Hoag before 1743		Abt 1786	Unlikely that he was born 12 years after his mother's death, so either date is wrong or he is William & Tabitha's son

### Generation No. 1

1. EDWARD<sup>1</sup> JENKINS<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1575 in Somerset Co., England<sup>1</sup>, and died Abt. 1605<sup>1</sup>. He married JOAN<sup>1</sup>.

Child of EDWARD JENKINS and JOAN is:

2. i. REGINALD REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup> JENKINS, b. Abt. 1582; d. 1632, Cape Porpoise, ME.

### Generation No. 2

2. REGINALD REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup> JENKINS (EDWARD<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1582<sup>1</sup>, and died 1632 in Cape Porpoise, ME<sup>1</sup>. He married ANN<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for REGINALD REYNOLDS JENKINS:  
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Trader

Killed by Indians while trading inland from Cape Porpoise 1632? ME is now Kennebunkport.

Child of REGINALD JENKINS and ANN is:

3. i. REYNOLDS<sup>3</sup> JENKINS, b. 1608, England or Isle of Man off of Wales; d. 1683, York Co., Maine?.

*Generation No. 3*

3. REYNOLDS<sup>3</sup> JENKINS (*REGINALD REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup>, EDWARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born 1608 in England or Isle of Man off of Wales<sup>1</sup>, and died 1683 in York Co., Maine?<sup>1</sup>. He married ANNE GALL GALE<sup>1</sup> in Oyster River, ME/Broomfield, Sussex, Eng<sup>1</sup>, daughter of RICHARD GALE and AGNES. She was born in York Co., Maine/near Broomfield, Somerset, Eng<sup>1</sup>, and died Bef. 1678 in Kittery, York, ME<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for REYNOLDS JENKINS:

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Surgeon

yeoman, fisherman

More About REYNOLDS JENKINS:

Immigration: March 02, 1632/33, Arrived from England<sup>1</sup>

Residence: 1630, Dorchester<sup>1</sup>.

Residence: 1637, Richmond Island, settled in Kittery Maine

Burial: April 25, 1691, Broomfield, Somerset, Eng<sup>1</sup>

Child of REYNOLDS JENKINS and ANNE GALL is:

4. i. STEPHEN<sup>4</sup> JENKINS, b. 1653, USA; d. July 18, 1694, Oyster River, ME.

*Generation No. 4*

4. STEPHEN<sup>4</sup> JENKINS (*REYNOLDS<sup>3</sup>, REGINALD REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup>, EDWARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born 1653 in USA<sup>1</sup>, and died July 18, 1694 in Oyster River, ME<sup>1</sup>. He married ELIZABETH PITMAN<sup>1</sup> 1678<sup>1</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM PITMAN and ANN ROBERTS. She was born in Oyster River, ME<sup>1</sup>, and drown herself in 1687 in Oyster River, ME<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of William Pitman (p.103) for the ancestors of Elizabeth Pitman.

Notes for STEPHEN JENKINS:

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Killed by an Indian-Chief Bomazeen

He was acc. by Mary Chelson in suff. ct. 25 April 1676; of Kit 23 mar 1686-7 bot from Wm. Williams Sr. and Saml. Hill at Oyster River Tav. Lic O.R. 1689. Sources Kathleen Jenkins.

Residence: South side of Oyster River, next W. of the Parsonage Lot of Piscataqua<sup>1</sup>

History of Durham p. 55: Road which formed the western part of the meeting house lot was only a bridle path. 20 acres granted to William Williams, Sr, 24 Aug 1651, bounded then by land s of John Bickford & Ambrose Gibbons. "From William Williams his house to the next creek wet ward & from his house to the eastward eight rods. W.W. & wife Mary, & Samuel Hill & wife Elizabeth 23 March 1686 conveyed to Stephen Jenkins of Kittery land "on which the aforesaid William Williams now liveth, containing forty acres as it is bounded between the lands called Roberts his Land on the NW & the Hwy or the Ministers

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Lot on the SE & butting upon Oyster River. Here the Jenkins family lived a long time. Stephen Jenkins house stood on or very near the site of the old house now standing on the hilltop, & W. Williams lived near the river bank, 20 rods w of the parsonage lot. History of Nathon Lord of Kittery, ME p. 3 May 29, 1682. Stephen Jenkins and Jabez Jenkins depose and say that there was a difference between Nathan Lord, Sr. and Nicholas Frost in regard to a brook running int Sturgeon Creek occasioning much trouble between said Lord and Frost, etc.

Child of STEPHEN JENKINS and ELIZABETH PITMAN is:

5. i. JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> JENKINS, b. Abt. 1685; d. February 18, 1777, USA.

*Generation No. 5*

5. JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> JENKINS (*STEPHEN<sup>4</sup>, REYNOLDS<sup>3</sup>, REGINALD REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup>, EDWARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1685<sup>1</sup>, and died February 18, 1777 in USA<sup>1</sup>. He married HANNAH MERROW<sup>1</sup>, daughter of HENRY MERROW and JANE LINDES. She was born March 05, 1667/68 in Reading, MA<sup>1</sup>, and died 1704 in Lee, NH<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of Walter Merry (p. 75 ) for ancestors of Hannah Merrow.

Notes for JOSEPH JENKINS:

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Will: Bet. August 20, 1754 - November 12, 1755, names wife Tabitha and children<sup>1</sup>

Will-made his X mark. (possibly illiterate?) Witnesses-Jon Cushing, Mathaneal Lammas, James Lammas

Child of JOSEPH JENKINS and HANNAH MERROW is:

6. i. WILLIAM<sup>6</sup> JENKINS, b. Abt. 1716; d. Dover, Stratford Co., NH.

Notes for JOSEPH JENKINS:

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Will-made his X mark. (possibly illiterate?) Witnesses-Jon Cushing, Mathaneal Lammas, James Lammas

More About JOSEPH JENKINS:

Will: Bet. August 20, 1754 - November 12, 1755, names wife Tabitha and children<sup>1</sup>

Child of HANNAH MERROW and JOSEPH JENKINS is:

- i. WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> JENKINS<sup>1</sup>, b. Abt. 1716<sup>1</sup>; d. Dover, Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>; m. PHEBE HOAG<sup>1</sup>, Bef. 1743 in Hampton, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>1</sup>; b. January 01, 1716/17, Hampton, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>1</sup>; d. March 29, 1764, Dover, Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>.

*Generation No. 6*

6. WILLIAM<sup>6</sup> JENKINS (*JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, STEPHEN<sup>4</sup>, REYNOLDS<sup>3</sup>, REGINALD REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup>, EDWARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1716<sup>1</sup>, and died in Dover, Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>. He married PHEBE HOAG<sup>1</sup> Bef. 1743 in Hampton, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>1</sup>, daughter of JOSEPH HOAG and SARAH GOODWIN. She was born January 01, 1716/17 in Hampton, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>1</sup>, and died March 29, 1764 in Dover, Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of Richard Hoag (p. 50) for ancestors of Phebe Hoag.

Notes for WILLIAM JENKINS:

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Religion: Quaker. He refused to "sign the test" association test in November 1776, with his son, William, Joseph Cartland, etc. because they were Quakers.

Residence: Dover, Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>

Will: May 16, 1782, Written in Lee, NH<sup>1</sup>

will proved in 1786 names sons Wm. Jr., Joseph, John, Jonathan & James, and daus Hannah Hanson, Elizabeth Evans, Phebe Hanson. Wm. Jr. & John were named executors. By 1787 when the real estate was divided, John had purchased the rights of his brothers Wm. Jr, Joseph, and Jonathan, and James & John (at least) were still living. His signature witnesses: Samuel Langley , Job Runals Jr. & Hercules Mooney. Inv. Comm. Zeaccheus Clough & Samuel Mathes. Appraised : 8/22/1787. Value: L2224..3..11. Allowed: 8/22/1787 Div. Comm.: Samuel Mathes, Robert Thompson, Ebenezer Thompson, Hunkin Dame & another unamed . To divide the real est. among his children, agreeable to his will. Divisess: James Jenkins, John Jenkins, who had purchased the rights of his bros. Wm. Jr., Joseph & Jonathan. Allowe d: 9/2/1793

Child of WILLIAM JENKINS and PHEBE HOAG is:

7. i. WILLIAM JENKINS<sup>7</sup> JR., b. August 10, 1747; d. December 04, 1809, Stratford Co., NH.m. RUTH FRYE<sup>1</sup>, April 08, 1772, Lee, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>2,3</sup>; b. February 08, 1741/42, Town of Kittery, County of York, Province oi MA<sup>3</sup>; d. October 20, 1841<sup>3</sup>.

### Generation No. 7

7. WILLIAM JENKINS<sup>7</sup> JR. (*WILLIAM<sup>6</sup> JENKINS, JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, STEPHEN<sup>4</sup>, REYNOLDS<sup>3</sup>, REGINALD REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup>, EDWARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born August 10, 1747<sup>1</sup>, and died December 04, 1809 in Stratford Co., NH<sup>1</sup>. He married RUTH FRYE<sup>1</sup> April 08, 1772 in Lee, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>2,3</sup>, daughter of BENJAMIN FRYE and SARAH DOW. She was born February 08, 1741/42 in Town of Kittery, County of York, Province oi MA<sup>3</sup>, and died October 20, 1841<sup>3</sup>.

See Descendants of Adrian Frye (p.44) for the ancestors of Ruth Frye.

Notes for WILLIAM JENKINS JR.:

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Census: 1790, US Census, NH, Rockingham, Portsmouth<sup>3</sup>

2 free males over 16, 1 free male under 16, 3 free white females (maybe Hannah wasn't born yet);

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Quaker

Notes for RUTH FRYE:

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May have been born 1743. Married Aug 24, 1772

Quaker

Child of WILLIAM JR. and RUTH FRYE is:

8. i. SARAH<sup>8</sup> JENKINS<sup>4,5,6</sup>, b. July 23, 1773, Kittery, York, Maine possibly Pittsfield<sup>7,8,9,10</sup>; d. August 25, 1888<sup>11,12</sup>; m. AMOS PEASLEE<sup>12</sup>, February 04, 1802, Pittsfield, Rockingham Co., Merick, NH<sup>13,14</sup>; b. July 17, 1780, Gilmanton, Belknap, NH<sup>15,16,17,18</sup>; d. May 29, 1866, Kingston, Rockingham NH<sup>19,20,21</sup>.

### Generation No. 8

8. SARAH<sup>8</sup> JENKINS<sup>4</sup> (*WILLIAM<sup>7</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>6</sup> JENKINS, JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, STEPHEN<sup>4</sup>, REYNOLDS<sup>3</sup>, REGINALD REYNOLDS<sup>2</sup>, EDWARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> b. July 23, 1773, Kittery, York, Maine possibly Pittsfield<sup>7,8,9,10</sup>; d. August 25, 1888<sup>11,12</sup>; m. AMOS PEASLEE<sup>12</sup>, February 04, 1802, Pittsfield, Rockingham Co., Merick, NH<sup>13,14</sup>; b. July 17, 1780, Gilmanton, Belknap, NH<sup>15,16,17,18</sup>; d. May 29, 1866, Kingston, Rockingham NH<sup>19,20,21</sup>.

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See the Descendants of John Peaslee (p.87) for the ancestors of Amos Peaslee and the descendants of Amos and Sarah Jenkins Peaslee

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## Descendants of Lofe of Lovecote

The estate of Lufcote or Lovecot appears to be held by the family that we know as Lippincott from the time of the Doomesday Book of William the Conqueror. While the direct line of descent threads a maze of names and probabilities, it is still fun to have names and the possible connection with historic events of 1000 years ago.

### *Generation No. 1*

1. LOFE OF<sup>1</sup> LOVECOTE<sup>1</sup> was born 1042 in Luffes Cott, Shebbear Parish Hundred, Black Torrington, Devonshire, England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of LOFE OF LOVECOTE is:

2. i. RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, b. 1020, England or France.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE (LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1020 in England or France<sup>1</sup>.

Child of RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?) LOVECOTE is:

3. i. ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE, b. 1195, Devonshire, England; d. England.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE (RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1195 in Devonshire, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of ROGER DE LUVCOTE is:

4. i. ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT.

### *Generation No. 4*

4. ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT (ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for ROBERT DE LYVENSOT:

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1243 King Henry III reigned. The Lippincott Ancestors lived in the manor and parish of Luffencott, at the west end of Devonshire.

Child of ROBERT DE LYVENSOT is:

5. i. JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, b. 1265, England.

### *Generation No. 5*

5. JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER (ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1265 in England<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHANNIS DE LOCINGGETER is:

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6. i. JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, b. 1305, England.

*Generation No. 6*

**6.** JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT (*JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1305 in England<sup>1</sup>.*

Child of JOHN DE LUGHENCOTT is:

7. i. ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, b. Manor of Hughecott.

*Generation No. 7*

**7.** ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT (*JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born in Manor of Hughecott<sup>1</sup>.*

Child of ROBERT DE LUHENCOTT is:

8. i. THOMAS<sup>8</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, b. 1331, England.

*Generation No. 8*

**8.** THOMAS<sup>8</sup> DE LUGHENCOT (*ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1331 in England<sup>1</sup>.*

Child of THOMAS DE LUGHENCOT is:

9. i. JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, b. 1355, England.

*Generation No. 9*

**9.** JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT (*THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1355 in England<sup>1</sup>.*

Child of JOHN DE LUGHENCOT is:

10. i. NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, b. 1375, England.

*Generation No. 10*

**10.** NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE (*JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1375 in England<sup>1</sup>.*

Child of NICHOLAS DE LUFFINCOTE is:

11. i. JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, b. 1397, Lippincott Manor, Devon, England.

*Generation No. 11*

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**11.** JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I (*NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born 1397 in Lippincott Manor, Devon, England<sup>1</sup>. He married JANE WYBERRY<sup>1</sup> Abt. 1440 in Devonshire, England<sup>2,3</sup>, daughter of JOHN WYBERRY. She was born 1398 in Sidbury, Devon, England<sup>3</sup>.

Notes for JOHN LUFFINCOTE I:

The line has passed through questionable areas up to this point. It is said that John Lippincott Esq. of Lippincott and Wibbery was the son of John Lippincott, Esq. who held Wibbery in King Henry V's time. This John married Jane the daughter and coheir of John Wibbery, Esq. of Wibbery in Alverdiscott, Devonshire near Bideford.

The estate of Lufcote or Lovecot appears to have been held by the family that we know as Lippincott from the time of the Domesday Book of William the Conqueror. The direct line of descent is lost in the maze of names and probability

Notes for JANE WYBERRY:

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co-heir to John Wyberry estate, which became property of the Lippincotts until 1775 when it was sold to Charles Cartcliff.

Child of JOHN LUFFINCOTE and JANE WYBERRY is:

12. i. JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup> LIPPINCOTT JR., b. 1415, Lybury, Devon, England or Wibbery, Devonshire, England.

*Generation No. 12*

**12.** JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup> LIPPINCOTT JR. (*JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>3</sup> was born 1415 in Lybury, Devon, England or Wibbery, Devonshire, England<sup>3</sup>. He married WYKES OF DERON<sup>3</sup>. She was born 1419 in Lybury, England or Devonshire<sup>3</sup>.

Children of JOHN LIPPINCOTT and WYKES DERON are:

- i. WILLIAM<sup>13</sup> LIPPINCOTT<sup>4</sup>.
  - ii. ELIZABETH LIPPINCOTT<sup>4</sup>, m. WILLIAM GIFFORD.
  - iii. ELEANOR LIPPINCOTT<sup>4</sup>, m. CHIPMAN.
13. iv. JOHN LIPPINCOTT, b. Abt. 1461, Lybury, Devon, England or Wibbery, Devonshire, England.

*Generation No. 13*

**13.** JOHN<sup>13</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>5</sup> was born Abt. 1461 in Lybury, Devon, England or Wibbery, Devonshire, England<sup>5</sup>. He married JANE DE LAPLODED (OF JOHN)<sup>5</sup>, daughter of JOHN DE LAPLODED. She was born 1465 in Lybury, Devon, England or Sidbury, near Honiton, Devonshire, England<sup>5</sup>.

Children of JOHN LIPPINCOTT and JANE DE LAPLODED (OF JOHN) are:

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14. i. PHILLIP<sup>14</sup> LIPPINCOTT, b. Abt. 1486, Wibbery, Devonshire, England; d. June 01, 1567, England.  
ii. ANN LIPPINCOTT<sup>6</sup>, m. JOHN HARLEWIN.  
iii. THOMAS LIPPINCOTT<sup>6</sup>, d. England.  
iv. LEWIS LIPPINCOTT<sup>6</sup>, d. 1572.  
v. WILLIAM LIPPINCOTT<sup>6</sup>.  
vi. JOHN LIPPINCOTT<sup>6</sup>.

*Generation No. 14*

**14.** PHILLIP<sup>14</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>7</sup> was born Abt. 1486 in Wibbery, Devonshire, England<sup>7</sup>, and died June 01, 1567 in England<sup>7</sup>. He married (1) (ALICE) GRACE GOUGH<sup>7</sup>, daughter of RICHARD GOUGH. She was born Abt. 1490 in Killcham, Cornwall, England<sup>7</sup>, and died Aft. 1538. He married (2) JANE LARDER. She was born in Pynes in Upton-Pyne, Devonshire, England. He married (3) ALICE DYRRANTE<sup>8</sup>. She was born in Earscombe.

Children of PHILLIP LIPPINCOTT and (ALICE) GOUGH are:

15. i. JOHN<sup>15</sup> LIPPINCOTT, b. 1513, Wibbery, Devonshire, England; d. November 12, 1576, Wibbery, Devonshire, England.  
ii. JANE LIPPINCOTT<sup>8</sup>, d. 1538; m. JOHN BUTLER.

Children of PHILLIP LIPPINCOTT and JANE LARDER are:

- iii. MARGARET<sup>15</sup> LIPPINCOTT<sup>8</sup>, m. ROSENCARROCK/ROSTOICK; b. Cornwall.  
iv. EDMUND LIPPINCOTT<sup>8</sup>.  
v. HENRY LIPPINCOTT<sup>8</sup>.  
vi. ARTHUR LIPPINCOTT<sup>8</sup>.  
vii. ANNE LIPPINCOTT<sup>8</sup>, m. JOHN VINEY; b. Osney.

*Generation No. 15*

**15.** JOHN<sup>15</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>9</sup> was born 1513 in Wibbery, Devonshire, England<sup>9</sup>, and died November 12, 1576 in Wibbery, Devonshire, England<sup>9</sup>. He married ANNE ELFORDE<sup>9</sup> July 19, 1545<sup>9</sup>, daughter of ROGER ELFORDE. She was born 1517 in Shulstoon, Devon, England<sup>9</sup>.

Children of JOHN LIPPINCOTT and ANNE ELFORDE are:

16. i. ANTHONY<sup>16</sup> LIPPINCOTT, b. 1559, Devon, England; d. 1620.  
ii. JOHN LIPPINCOTT<sup>10</sup>, b. June 10, 1555; m. JOAN.  
iii. FRANCES LIPPINCOTT<sup>10</sup>, m. (1) ANTHONY BERRY; m. (2) ALEXANDER ROLLE/ROLLO.  
iv. MARGARET LIPPINCOTT<sup>10</sup>, m. ROBERT HERNE/HEARN.  
v. MARY LIPPINCOTT<sup>10</sup>, m. JOHN COLLAMORE/COLLOMORE.

*Generation No. 16*

**16.** ANTHONY<sup>16</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE*

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*LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>11</sup> was born 1559 in Devon, England<sup>11</sup>, and died 1620<sup>11</sup>. He married KATHERINE ORRELLS<sup>11</sup>. She was born 1561 in England<sup>11</sup>.*

Children of ANTHONY LIPPINCOTT and KATHERINE ORRELLS are:

17. i. BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup> LIPPINCOTT, b. Abt. 1567, Sudbury, Devon, England; d. of East Wood and Biddleford, Devonshire, England.
- ii. ANN LIPPINCOTT<sup>12</sup>, m. TUYLER.

*Generation No. 17*

**17.** BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>13</sup> was born Abt. 1567 in Sudbury, Devon, England<sup>13</sup>, and died in of East Wood and Biddleford, Devonshire, England<sup>13</sup>. He married ALICE<sup>13</sup>. She was born Abt. 1571 in Sybury, Devon, England<sup>13</sup>.*

More About ALICE:

Burial: March 27, 1635

Children of BARTHOLOMEW LIPPINCOTT and ALICE are:

18. i. ANTHONY<sup>18</sup> LIPPINCOTT, b. November 04, 1593, Sybury, Devon, England; d. January 08, 1618/19, Biddleford, England.
- ii. THOMAS LIPPINCOTT<sup>14</sup>, b. May 29, 1595. Baptism: May 29, 1595
- iii. DOROTHY LIPPINCOTT<sup>14</sup>, b. October 09, 1597. Baptism: October 09, 1597
- iv. JOAN LIPPINCOTT<sup>14</sup>, b. 1599. Baptism: 1599
- v. JOAN LIPPINCOTT<sup>14</sup>, b. 1602. Baptism: 1602
- vi. MARY LIPPINCOTT<sup>14</sup>, b. December 07, 1604. Baptism: December 07, 1604
- vii. BARTHOLOMEW LIPPINCOTT<sup>14</sup>, b. April 07, 1607; d. NH; m. ELIZABETH SQUIRE; d. NH. Baptism: April 07, 1607

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**18.** ANTHONY<sup>18</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>15</sup> was born November 04, 1593 in Sybury, Devon, England<sup>15</sup>, and died January 08, 1618/19 in Biddleford, England<sup>15</sup>. He married MARGERY CATHERINE WEARE<sup>15</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM WEARE (d. ~ May 20, 1683) and SUSAN. She was born 1595 in Cornwall, England<sup>15</sup>, and died in England<sup>15</sup>.*

More About ANTHONY LIPPINCOTT:

Baptism: November 04, 1593

All four of these children are named in the will of their grandfather William Weare which is dated the 8<sup>th</sup> of January 1619 and proved on the 20<sup>th</sup> of May, 1683.

Children of ANTHONY LIPPINCOTT and MARGERY WEARE are:

19. i. RICHARD<sup>19</sup> LIPPINCOTT, b. Bet. 1615 - 1625, Dorchester, County Devon, England; d. November 25, 1683, Shrewsbury, Monmouth, Burlington, NJ.

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- ii. ARTHUR LIPPINCOTT.
- iii. MAUD LIPPINCOTT.
- iv. JOAN LIPPINCOTT.

*Generation No. 19*

**19. RICHARD<sup>19</sup> LIPPINCOTT** (*ANTHONY<sup>18</sup>, BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>16,17</sup> was born Bet. 1615 - 1625 in Dorchester, County Devon, England<sup>17</sup>, and died November 25, 1683 in Shrewsbury, Monmouth, Burlington, NJ<sup>17</sup>. He married ABIGAIL GOODY<sup>18,19,20</sup> May 10, 1640 in Roxbury, MA<sup>20</sup>. She was born 1622 in Dorchester, Northumberland, England<sup>20</sup>, and died June 02, 1697 in Shrewsbury, Monmouth, Burlington, NJ<sup>21,22</sup>.*

Lived at Stone House, near Plymouth, Devonshire, England, where the family had been seated for many centuries.

Emigration: 1639, from England to Boston, MA<sup>23,24</sup>

Immigration: May 13, 1640, Dorchester, MA<sup>24</sup>

Religion: Puritan/ they became a members of the Friends/Quaker after returning to England<sup>24</sup>

Notes from Anne Quast:

Richard and Abigail Lippincott first migrated to America about 1639 or 1640. They migrated from Devonshire, England to the Massachusetts Bay colony. Richard was admitted as a Freeman by the General Court of Boston on the 13<sup>th</sup> of May, 1640.

In 1641 they lived near Dorchester where their eldest son, Remembrance was born. Remembrance was baptized on the 19<sup>th</sup> of the 7<sup>th</sup> month, 1641. The family later moved to Boston where their second son John was born in the 8<sup>th</sup> month. He was baptized on the 6<sup>th</sup> of the 9<sup>th</sup> month, 1644. Their daughter Abigail was born there on the 17<sup>th</sup> of the 11<sup>th</sup> month, 1646, but she died in infancy.

Richard seems to have been of a "contrary mind" as far as religion was concerned. He was excommunicated from the church in 1651. The Lippincotts returned to Plymouth, Devonshire, England in 1652. Here on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of the 5<sup>th</sup> month, 1653 their son Restore(d) was born. Richard and Abigail Lippincott appear to have joined the Society of Friends (Quakers) about this time. The Quakers were still being persecuted in England and many were thrown in prison for their beliefs.

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1655 he was arrested with other Friends at Plymouth, Devonshire and confined in the castle in Exeter. He was arrested again at Plymouth in 1660 and was released at the solicitation of Margaret Fell, who later became the wife of George Fox. Named his children after the trials, successes and vicissitudes, etc. of he and his wife.

Notes from Anne Quast resume:

Freedom Lippincott was born on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the 7<sup>th</sup> month, 1655 and Increase Lippincott was born on the 10<sup>th</sup> of the 5<sup>th</sup> month, 1657. Also in Plymouth a fifth son, Jacob was born on the 11<sup>th</sup> of the 3<sup>rd</sup> month, 1660. At that time Stonehouse was an area of Plymouth.

Rhode Island colony appeared to be offering the Quakers freedom of religion. In 1661 or 62 the Lippincotts returned to Rhode Island. Their son Preserved was born there on Christmas Day, 1663.

Rhode Island was granted a new charter in 1664. As a result Richard in company with other Quakers moved to land near the Shrewsbury River in East Jersey. Richard joined in the formation at Newport for securing title from the Indians and Dutch authorities at New York to a large tract of land in NJ. He was the

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largest contributor of funds for that purpose. The purchase of the land from the Indian Sachem Popona was consummated April 3, 1665, and the title confirmed the following day by patent from Gov. Richard Nichols, of New York. By the terms of this patent the settlers were to have "free liberty of conscience, without any molestation or disturbance whatever, in their way of worship." The Lippincotts were among the first colonists in New Jersey. Richard settled at Shrewsbury, Monmouth Co., and was a representative in the first Provincial Assembly of the Province organized in 1667, and again in 1668. He was an active officer of the colony and in 1669 was deputy of the Patentees. In 1670 Richard was an overseer of Shrewsbury Town, NJ. He was made one of the judges of the first court, in 1670; was again in the Assembly in 1677; and was coroner of Monmouth county, 1681-83.

He was one of the founders of Shrewsbury Friends Meeting, and prominent in all concerns of the pioneer settlement of East Jersey. The first meeting for worship among the Quakers came later in 1669. George Fox, the man who started the Society of Friends, visited these people in 1672.

Richard stayed in this area for the rest of his life. He died here on the 25<sup>th</sup> of November, 1683.  
From *LIPPINCOTTS: Five Generations*.. ..Pages 7-16.

Notes for RICHARD LIPPINCOTT:

Will of Richard: Nov. 23, 1683 Land at Long Point. Personal Property. The wife executrix. Witnesses-Hugh Dickman, Judah Allen. Acknowledged by testator before Joseph Parker, Justice of the Peace, as his testament same day. 1683-4 Jan. 2. Warrant by Governor Thomas Rudyard to Joseph Parker, John Hans and Eliakim Wardell or any two of them, to examine Abigail, the widow of Richard Lippincott, as to her knowledge of any other last will, made by her late husband. Endorsement, dated May 21, 1683, states that the said Abigail has no knowledge of any other will and that she will faithfully administer the estate. 1683-4 Jan. 2. Bond of Abigail Lippincott, widow, as administratrix. William Shattock and Francis Borden fellow bondsmen. Monmouth Wills. 1684 May 21.

Inventory of the personal estate ((pounds) 428.2.0, incl. debts due (pounds) 30 and negro servants (pounds) 60); made by Eliakim Wardell, William Shattock, Francis Borden and Joseph Parker, as shown by the widow Abigail.

Descendant Charles Lippincott of Cinnaminson, published the Lippincott family tree containing 10,000 names. On the female lines by marriage the Lippincotts are connected with many of the oldest families of Burlington Co and New Jersey. Twins were quite common and there is a record of triplets.

Notes for ABIGAIL GOODY:

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Will on June 28, 1697

Will reads excerpt reads: "1697 June 28. Lippincott Abigail, of Shrewsbury, widow of Richard; will of. Grandson John, son of John Lippincott, widow and children of son Freedom except eldest son Samuel, granddaughters, children of daughter Inceas Dennes, viz: Abigail, Sibiah and Rachel Dennes, son-in-law Samuel Dennes, son Restore, Rememberance and John Lippincott. Land in the new purchase, called Pesequenokwe, in Shrewsbury. Personal property. Executors-John Hanc(e), William Worth and William Shattock. Witnesses-George Corleis, William Shattock, Ann Lippincott, Meargeat Lippincott. Proved August 7, 1691. NJ Archives, Volume XXI, p. 270, and Monmouth Wills. 1697 Aug. 12. Inventory of the estate ((pounds)25.0.0 real, (pounds)401.11.1, personal incl. 3 negroes (pounds) 90, bills and book accounts (pounds)85.5.11); made by Thomas Huit, George Corles, Thomas Cooke and Joseph Clarke. Monmouth Wills.

Children of RICHARD LIPPINCOTT and ABIGAIL GOODY are:

i. REMEMBRANCE<sup>20</sup> LIPPINCOTT<sup>25</sup>, b. September 09, 1641, Dorchester, MA; d. April 11, 1722, Shrewsbury, Monmouth Co. NJ; m. MARGARET BARBER, 1670.

ii. JOHN LIPPINCOTT<sup>25</sup>, b. November 06, 1644, Boston, MA; d. April 16, 1720, Shrewsbury NJ m. (1) ANN BARBER, Abt. 1670; m. (2) Jennett (Mill) Austin, widow of William Austin/Ashton. They had no children.

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- iii. ABIGAIL LIPPINCOTT<sup>25</sup>, b. January 17, 1645/46; d. March 09, 1646/47.
20. iv. RESTORE LIPPINCOTT, b. July 03, 1653, Plymouth, Dev., England; d. May 22, 1741, Mount Holly, Burlington, NJ.
- v. FREEDOM LIPPINCOTT SR, b. September 01, 1655, Plymouth England or Stone House, Devonshire, England; d. Bef. June 28, 1697, Shrewsbury, Monmouth, Burlington, NJ.<sup>45,46,47</sup> He married MARY AUSTIN CURTIS/CUSTANCE<sup>53,54</sup> August 14, 1680 in Burlington, NJ, at Burlington Meeting<sup>55,56</sup>, daughter of CUSTANCE and ANN NOTTINGHAM. She was born 1657<sup>56</sup>.
- Children of Freedom and Mary Lippincott:
- i. SAMUEL<sup>21</sup> LIPPINCOTT, b. December 24, 1684, Shrewsbury, Monmouth, NJ; d. 1759, Evesham Twp, Burlington, NJ.
- vi. INCREASE LIPPINCOTT<sup>25</sup>, b. December 05, 1657, Stonehouse, England; d. November 29, 1695, Shrewsbury, NJ; m. SAMUEL DENNIS, 1680.
- vii. Jacob Lippincott was born on the 11<sup>th</sup> of March, 1660 and died on the 6<sup>th</sup> of December, 1689. He married Grace Woolley about 1680. They had three children all of whom died in infancy (between 1687 and 1689).
- viii. PRESERVED LIPPINCOTT<sup>25</sup>, b. February 25, 1662/63; d. March 1665/66.

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20. RESTORE<sup>20</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*RICHARD<sup>19</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>18</sup>, BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>26,27,28,29,30</sup> was born July 03, 1653 in Plymouth, Dev., England<sup>30</sup>, and died May 22, 1741 in Mount Holly, Burlington, NJ<sup>31,32</sup>. He married (1) HANNAH SHATTUCK/SHATTOCK<sup>33,34</sup> November 06, 1674 in home of William Shattock in Shrewsbury, Monmouth, Burlington, NJ<sup>35,36</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM SHATTUCK and SUSANNAH/HANNAH SHATTUCK. She was born July 08, 1654 in Boston, MA<sup>37,38</sup>, and died Bef. 1729 in Burlington Co., NJ<sup>38</sup>. He married (2) MARTHA SHINN<sup>39</sup> 1729.

He had no children with his second (third?) wife Hannah Owen.

Alternate death date for Restore Lippincott: died on the 20<sup>th</sup> of July, 1741 near Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey (the 3 month discrepancy is probably a result of the calendar change).

He is listed as a husbandman and both Restore and Hannah were members of the Society of Friends aka Quaker<sup>42,43</sup>

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"Restore Lippincott was the third son of Richard Lippincott. He moved to Monmouth County, N. J., with his parents and married shortly after coming of age. He and his wife Hannah settled on a plantation at Shrewsbury, where he acquired several tracts of land, and where he resided until 1692.

In 1692, he purchased a plantation of 570 acres in Northampton Township, Burlington County, to which removed, and upon which he resided at his death. He and John Garwood bought 2000 acres of land near Pemberton.

"In 1701, he was elected a representative to the West Jersey Assembly from Burlington County (NJ 2:380), and in the same year he joined with the Provincial council and the members of the Assembly in the petition which they addressed to King William, asking for confirmation of Andrew Hamilton as governor of the Colony. This assembly was the last to meet under the West Jersey government, as in 1702 the Proprietors of the provinces of East and West Jersey surrendered their rights of government to the crown, whereupon Queen Anne united the two governments under one, naming it New Jersey, and appointing Lord Cornbury as governor. The first Assembly under the new united New Jersey met at Perth Amboy in 1703.

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Restore Lippincott was chosen one of its members, and participated in its deliberations. He was re-elected in 1704, and continued to serve in such capacity until the Assembly was dissolved in October, 1706.

"He was an active and highly esteemed member of the Society of Friends, and died in the profession of that faith. He was buried in the Friends' burial ground at Mount Holly. When the Quaker minister, Thomas Chalkley, attended his funeral, he noted in his Journal: 'On fourth day, the 22d, I was at Mount Holly, at the burial of our ancient friend. Restored Lippincott; he was, as I understood, nearly one hundred years of age, and had upwards of two hundred children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, many of whom were at his funeral.'"

Notes for RESTORE LIPPINCOTT:

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Colonial Dames qualifier through Richard Lippincott whose son Restore in register p. 231 "Restore Lippincott. Burlington Co., NH representative 1701, 1703, 1704" and also of Mahlon Stacy Settled in Burlington Co., NJ.

More About RESTORE LIPPINCOTT:

Occupation: Yeoman 1697<sup>40,41</sup>

Notes for HANNAH SHATTUCK/SHATTOCK:

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1709 last name variation Shattuck or Shattock

Children of RESTORE LIPPINCOTT and HANNAH SHATTUCK/SHATTOCK are:

- i. SAMUEL<sup>21</sup> LIPPINCOTT<sup>44</sup>, b. September 12, 1675; m. ANN HULET.
- ii. ABIGAIL LIPPINCOTT<sup>44</sup>, b. February 16, 1676/77; m. JAMES SHINN.
- iii. HANNAH LIPPINCOTT<sup>44</sup>, b. November 15, 1679; d. Bef. 1741.
- iv. HOPE LIPPINCOTT<sup>44</sup>, b. October 1681; m. WILIAM GLADDING.
- v. REBECCA LIPPINCOTT<sup>44</sup>, b. November 24, 1684; m. JOSIAH GASKILL.
- vi. JAMES LIPPINCOTT<sup>44</sup>, b. June 11, 1687; m. ANNA EVES.
- vii. ELIZABETH LIPPINCOTT<sup>44</sup>, b. March 15, 1689/90; m. GEORGE SHINN.
21. viii. JACOB LIPPINCOTT, b. August 15, 1692; d. 1757.
- ix. RACHEL LIPPINCOTT<sup>44</sup>, b. January 08, 1694/95; m. (1) ZECHARIAH JESS; m. (2) FRANCIS DAWSON.

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21. JACOB<sup>21</sup> LIPPINCOTT (RESTORE<sup>20</sup>, RICHARD<sup>19</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>18</sup>, BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVVOCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>57,58</sup> was born August 15, 1692<sup>59,60</sup>, and died 1757<sup>61,62</sup>. He married MARY BURR<sup>62</sup> January 05, 1715/16 in Burlington Monthly Meeting, Burlington, NJ<sup>63,64</sup>, daughter of HENRY BURR and ELIZABETH HUDSON. She was born 1699<sup>65,66</sup>, and died January 09, 1777<sup>67,68</sup>.

See the Descendants of Robert Hudson (p.52) for the ancestors of Mary Burr.

More About JACOB LIPPINCOTT:

Occupation: yeoman

Residence: Greenwich Township, Gloucester Co. NJ

Marriage Notes for JACOB LIPPINCOTT and MARY BURR:

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liberated to marry

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More About MARY BURR:

Burial: Friends Burying Ground in Woodstown, NJ

Children of JACOB LIPPINCOTT and MARY BURR are:

22. i. JOSEPH LIPPINCOTT<sup>27</sup>, b. 1718, Mt. Holly, NJ<sup>28,29,30</sup>; d. 1779<sup>31,32</sup>; m. (1) REBECCA SHARP<sup>32</sup>; d. 1781<sup>33,34</sup>; m. (2) ELIZABETH EVANS

Occupation: farmer<sup>35,36</sup>

23. ii. BENJAMIN<sup>4</sup> LIPPINCOTT<sup>22</sup>, b. 1719; d. Bet. May 28 - July 16, 1804, Evesham Township, Burlington Co. NJ; m. HOPE WILLS<sup>23</sup>, November 11, 1741, Northampton Meetinghouse; b. 1721, NJ<sup>24,25</sup>; d. 1786<sup>26,27</sup>. More About HOPE WILLS: Religion: Quaker<sup>27</sup>

iii. RESTORE LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. 1721; m. (1) ANN LORD; m. (2) DEBORAH COOPER.

iv. MARY LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. 1723; m. JACOB SPICER.

v. JACOB LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. January 12, 1724/25; m. ELIZABETH TYSON.

vi. HANNAH LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. 1727; m. JOSHUA LORD.

vii. SARAH LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. 1729; m. (1) WILLIAM HAINES; m. (2) AZARIAH SHINN.

viii. JOSHUA LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. 1731; m. (1) ELIZABETH WOOD; m. (2) REBECCA WILKINS.

ix. SAMUEL LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. 1733; m. (1) ELIZABETH SHINN; m. (2) MARY BARBER; m.

(3) ELIZABETH APPLYN.

x. WILLIAM LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. 1735; m. SARAH BISPHAM.

xi. CALEB LIPPINCOTT<sup>69</sup>, b. 1736; m. HANNAH WILLS.

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**22.** JOSEPH<sup>22</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*JACOB*<sup>21</sup>, *RESTORE*<sup>20</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>19</sup>, *ANTHONY*<sup>18</sup>, *BARTHOLOMEW*<sup>17</sup>, *ANTHONY*<sup>16</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *PHILLIP*<sup>14</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>13</sup>, *JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup> *LUFFINCOTE I*, *NICHOLAS*<sup>10</sup> *DE LUFFINCOTE*, *JOHN*<sup>9</sup> *DE LUGHENCOT*, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup>, *ROBERT*<sup>7</sup> *DE LUHENCOTT*, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup> *DE LUGHENCOTT*, *JOHANNIS*<sup>5</sup> *DE LOCINGGETER*, *ROBERT*<sup>4</sup> *DE LYVENSOT*, *ROGER*<sup>3</sup> *DE LUVVOTE*, *RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)*<sup>2</sup> *LOVECOTE*, *LOFE OF*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>79</sup> was born 1717-1718 in Mt. Holly, NJ<sup>80,81,82</sup>, and died 1779<sup>83,84</sup>. He married (1) REBECCA SHARP<sup>84</sup>, daughter of HUGH SHARP and RACHEL FRENCH. She died 1781<sup>85,86</sup>. He married (2) ELIZABETH EVANS.

More About JOSEPH LIPPINCOTT:

Occupation: farmer<sup>87,88</sup>

Child of JOSEPH LIPPINCOTT and REBECCA SHARP is:

25. i. MARY<sup>23</sup> LIPPINCOTT, d. October 15, 1790.

**23.** BENJAMIN<sup>23</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*JACOB*<sup>21</sup>, *RESTORE*<sup>20</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>19</sup>, *ANTHONY*<sup>18</sup>, *BARTHOLOMEW*<sup>17</sup>, *ANTHONY*<sup>16</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *PHILLIP*<sup>14</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>13</sup>, *JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup> *LUFFINCOTE I*, *NICHOLAS*<sup>10</sup> *DE LUFFINCOTE*, *JOHN*<sup>9</sup> *DE LUGHENCOT*, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup>, *ROBERT*<sup>7</sup> *DE LUHENCOTT*, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup> *DE LUGHENCOTT*, *JOHANNIS*<sup>5</sup> *DE LOCINGGETER*, *ROBERT*<sup>4</sup> *DE LYVENSOT*, *ROGER*<sup>3</sup> *DE LUVVOTE*, *RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)*<sup>2</sup> *LOVECOTE*, *LOFE OF*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>72</sup> was born 1719, and died Bet. May 28 - July 16, 1804 in Evesham Township, Burlington Co. NJ. He married HOPE WILLS<sup>73</sup> November 11, 1741 in Northampton Meetinghouse, daughter of DANIEL WILLS and ELIZABETH WOOLSTON. She was born 1721 in NJ<sup>74,75</sup>, and died 1786<sup>76,77</sup>.

More About HOPE WILLS:

Religion: Quaker<sup>77</sup>

Children of BENJAMIN LIPPINCOTT and HOPE WILLS are:

i. ELIZABETH LIPPINCOTT<sup>78</sup>, b. November 27, 1742; m. JOHN TEST.

24. ii. AARON<sup>23</sup> LIPPINCOTT, b. July 26, 1749, Woolwich Twp, Gloucester, NJ; d. 1821.

iii. MARY LIPPINCOTT<sup>78</sup>, b. August 23, 1752; m. (1) ISAIAH STRATTON; m. (2) JABEZ WOOLSTON.

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- iv. HOPE LIPPINCOTT<sup>78</sup>, b. September 27, 1754; m. ZACCHEUS BALLINGER.
- v. BENJAMIN LIPPINCOTT<sup>78</sup>, b. October 17, 1757; m. (1) LYDIA PIMM; m. (2) MARY WOOD.
- vi. JETHRO LIPPINCOTT<sup>78</sup>, b. 1760; m. PHEBE ELKINTON.

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**24.** AARON<sup>24</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*BENJAMIN<sup>23</sup>, JACOB<sup>21</sup>, RESTORE<sup>20</sup>, RICHARD<sup>19</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>18</sup>, BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>88</sup> was born July 26, 1749 in Woolwich Twp, Gloucester, NJ<sup>88</sup>, and died 1821<sup>88</sup>. He married SARAH HAINES<sup>88</sup> February 28, 1771 in Pilesgrove Meeting House, Salem, NJ<sup>89,90</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM HAINES and ELIZABETH BALLINGER. She was born October 17, 1752 in Pilesgrove Twp, Salem, NJ<sup>90</sup>, and died Bet. January 01 - March 12, 1830<sup>90</sup>.*

See Descendants of Richard Haines (p. 47) for the ancestors of Sarah Haines.

More About AARON LIPPINCOTT:

Religion: Quaker<sup>90</sup>

More About SARAH HAINES:

Religion: Quaker<sup>90</sup>

Will: December 13, 1824, Probated 3/12/1830

Children of AARON LIPPINCOTT and SARAH HAINES are:

- i. DEBORAH<sup>24</sup> LIPPINCOTT<sup>91</sup>, b. August 16, 1772; d. Bef. 1820; m. JOHN SOMMERS, March 03, 1795, Pilesgrove Meeting House, Salem, NJ; d. 1844.
- 26. ii. JOHN LIPPINCOTT, b. January 11, 1774, Pilesgrove Twp., Salem, NJ; d. January 08, 1850, Harrison Co. NJ.; m. HANNAH MOORE<sup>13,14</sup>, March 02, 1797, Pilesgrove Twp Monthly Meeting, Salem, NJ<sup>14</sup>; b. September 15, 1778, Woodstown, Salem, NJ<sup>14</sup>; d. June 24, 1841, Salem Co. NJ<sup>14</sup>.
- iii. HOPE LIPPINCOTT<sup>91</sup>, b. March 14, 1777; m. VURMEL.
- iv. ELIZABETH LIPPINCOTT<sup>91</sup>, b. January 13, 1781; d. June 15, 1862.
- v. BENJAMIN H. LIPPINCOTT<sup>91</sup>, b. October 14, 1782; d. April 11, 1856; m. ELIZABETH HOLMES.
- vi. SARAH LIPPINCOTT<sup>91</sup>, b. June 18, 1788; d. May 03, 1863; m. THOMAS EDWARDS.

**25.** MARY<sup>25</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, JACOB<sup>21</sup>, RESTORE<sup>20</sup>, RICHARD<sup>19</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>18</sup>, BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVOCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>92,92,93</sup> died October 15, 1790<sup>94,95</sup>. She married JOB MOORE<sup>96,97</sup>, son of THOMAS MOORE and MIRIAM RIDGEWAY. He was born 1742<sup>98,99</sup>.*

Child of MARY LIPPINCOTT and JOB MOORE is:

- 27. i. HANNAH<sup>24</sup> MOORE, b. September 15, 1778, Woodstown, Salem, NJ; d. June 24, 1841, Salem Co. NJ.

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26. JOHN<sup>26</sup> LIPPINCOTT (AARON<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, JACOB<sup>21</sup>, RESTORE<sup>20</sup>, RICHARD<sup>19</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>18</sup>, BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>100,101</sup>, son of AARON LIPPINCOTT and SARAH HAINES was born January 11, 1774 in Pilesgrove Twp., Salem, NJ<sup>101</sup>, and died January 08, 1850 in Harrison Co. NJ<sup>101</sup>.

On March 02, 1797 in Pilesgrove Twp Monthly Meeting, Salem, NJ<sup>103</sup>, he may have married his 2<sup>nd</sup> cousin

27. HANNAH<sup>27</sup> MOORE (MARY<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, JACOB<sup>21</sup>, RESTORE<sup>20</sup>, RICHARD<sup>19</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>18</sup>, BARTHOLOMEW<sup>17</sup>, ANTHONY<sup>16</sup>, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, PHILLIP<sup>14</sup>, JOHN<sup>13</sup>, JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, NICHOLAS<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, JOHN<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, JOHN<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, JOHANNIS<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, ROBERT<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, ROGER<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOTE, RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, LOFE OF<sup>1</sup>)<sup>105,106</sup>, daughter of Job and Mary Lippincott Moore, was born September 15, 1778 in Woodstown, Salem, NJ<sup>106</sup>, and died June 24, 1841 in Salem Co. NJ<sup>106</sup>.

If this lineage is correct, John Lippincott and Hannah Moore would have been 2<sup>nd</sup> cousins. His grandfather Benjamin Lippincott and her grandfather Joseph Lippincott were brothers, both sons of Jacob Lippincott.

It is possible Hannah Moore's parents were Benjamin Moore and Hannah Ballinger

See Descendants of Benjamin Moore (p.76 ) for alternate ancestors of Hannah Moore.

She and John Lippincott would still have been 2<sup>nd</sup> cousins each descended from a child of Thomas and Elizabeth Elkington Ballinger. The siblings were Elizabeth who married William Haines and Thomas who married Mary Coffin. Elizabeth and William Haines daughter, Sarah, married Aaron Lippincott and was John's mother. Thomas and Mary Coffin Ballinger's daughter Hannah married Benjamin Moore and their daughter was Hannah Moore.

Notes for HANNAH MOORE:

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1779 possibly married to Jacob Lippincott

There is a Hannah Lippincott listed near William Crispin in the 1830 NJ Census. Line 23.

Notes for JOHN LIPPINCOTT:

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possibly Woolwich Twp, Gloucester, NJ

More About JOHN LIPPINCOTT:

Burial: Friends Burial Ground at Woodstown, NJ

Religion: Quaker<sup>103</sup>

More About HANNAH MOORE:

Burial: Friends Burial Ground at Woodstown, NJ<sup>103</sup>

Religion: Quaker<sup>103</sup>

Children of JOHN LIPPINCOTT and HANNAH MOORE are:

i. TACY<sup>25</sup> LIPPINCOTT<sup>104</sup>, b. 1798, NJ; m. JACOB BITTERS; b. 1796.

ii. ELMA LIPPINCOTT<sup>104</sup>, b. 1800, NJ; m. LEWIS MILLER, December 02, 1819; b. 1798.

iii. CHALKY LIPPINCOTT<sup>104</sup>, b. May 07, 1802; m. PHEBE DUELL, April 10, 1823; b. 1809.

iv. STACY LIPPINCOTT<sup>104</sup>, b. 1804, NJ; m. MARTHA PANCOAST, April 06, 1825; b. 1806.

v. REBECCA LIPPINCOTT<sup>104</sup>, b. August 24, 1806, NJ; m. EPHRAIM S. COLES; b. June 08, 1800.

vi. RACHEL LIPPINCOTT<sup>104</sup>, b. 1812; d. May 06, 1888; m. WILLIAM HAINES, April 06, 1834; b.

March 08, 1810, NJ; d. April 28, 1876.

28. vii. HANNAH LIPPINCOTT, b. July 25, 1812, Pilesgrove Twp, Salem, NJ; d. March 19, 1890.

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- viii. JOHN LIPPINCOTT<sup>104</sup>, b. 1814, NJ; m. LYDIA LIPPINCOTT, January 14, 1835; b. 1816, NJ.  
ix. SARAH LIPPINCOTT<sup>104</sup>, b. February 22, 1817; m. ABRAHAM WOOLMAN, March 28, 1844;  
b. 1815.

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**28.** HANNAH<sup>28</sup> LIPPINCOTT (*JOHN*<sup>26</sup>, *AARON*<sup>24</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>23</sup>, *JACOB*<sup>21</sup>, *RESTORE*<sup>20</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>19</sup>, *ANTHONY*<sup>18</sup>, *BARTHOLOMEW*<sup>17</sup>, *ANTHONY*<sup>16</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *PHILLIP*<sup>14</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>13</sup>, *JOHN DELUFFINCOTTE*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup> LUFFINCOTE I, *NICHOLAS*<sup>10</sup> DE LUFFINCOTE, *JOHN*<sup>9</sup> DE LUGHENCOT, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup>, *ROBERT*<sup>7</sup> DE LUHENCOTT, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup> DE LUGHENCOTT, *JOHANNIS*<sup>5</sup> DE LOCINGGETER, *ROBERT*<sup>4</sup> DE LYVENSOT, *ROGER*<sup>3</sup> DE LUVCOE, *RUALD ADOLFUS AOLATUS (ADOBATUS?)*<sup>2</sup> LOVECOTE, *LOFE OF*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>111,112,113</sup> was born July 25, 1812 in Pilesgrove Twp, Salem, NJ<sup>114,115,116</sup>, and died March 19, 1890<sup>117,118,119</sup>. She married AMOS JENKINS PEASLEE<sup>120,121</sup> March 02, 1843 in Pilesgrove Twp, Salem, NJ<sup>122,123</sup>, son of AMOS PEASLEE and SARAH JENKINS. He was born April 24, 1813 in Pittsfield NH<sup>124,125,126,127,128</sup>, and died September 11, 1889 in afternoon of Pneumonia<sup>129,130,131</sup>.

See the Descendants of John Peaslee (p. 87 ) for the ancestors of Amos Jenkins Peaslee and the descendants of Amos and Hannah Lippincott Peaslee.

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## Descendants of George Marsh

### *Generation No. 1*

1. GEORGE<sup>1</sup> MARSH<sup>1</sup>. He married ELIZABETH KEY<sup>1</sup>.

Child of GEORGE MARSH and ELIZABETH KEY is:

2. i. MARY<sup>2</sup> MARSH.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. MARY<sup>2</sup> MARSH (GEORGE<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup>. She married JOHN PAGE<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for JOHN PAGE:

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Haverhill in 1600's?

Child of MARY MARSH and JOHN PAGE is:

3. i. JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> PAGE<sup>1</sup>, m. MARTHA DOW<sup>1</sup>, Aft. 1672, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for JOSEPH PAGE:

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unsure if Joseph and Martha are her parents or John Page and Mary Marsh 1699 Haverhill

### *Generation No. 3*

3. JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> PAGE (MARY<sup>2</sup> MARSH, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup>. m. MARTHA DOW<sup>1</sup>, Aft. 1672, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>

See Descendants of John Dow (p. 37 ) for ancestors of Martha Dow and descendants of Joseph and Martha Dow Page.

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of Walter Merry

### *Generation No. 1*

1. WALTER<sup>1</sup> MERRY<sup>1</sup>. He married REBECCA<sup>1</sup>.

Child of WALTER MERRY and REBECCA is:

2. i. HENRY<sup>2</sup> MERROW, b. Abt. 1625, Scotland; d. November 05, 1685, Reading, MA.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. HENRY<sup>2</sup> MERROW (*WALTER<sup>1</sup> MERRY<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. 1625 in Scotland<sup>1</sup>, and died November 05, 1685 in Reading, MA<sup>1</sup>. He married JANE LINDES<sup>1</sup> December 09, 1661 in Woburn, Middlesex, MA<sup>1</sup>. She was born 1634 in Ireland<sup>1</sup>, and died Aft. 1685<sup>1</sup>.

Child of HENRY MERROW and JANE LINDES is:

3. i. HANNAH<sup>3</sup> MERROW, b. March 05, 1667/68, Reading, MA; d. 1704, Lee, NH.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. HANNAH<sup>3</sup> MERROW (*HENRY<sup>2</sup>, WALTER<sup>1</sup> MERRY<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 05, 1667/68 in Reading, MA<sup>1</sup>, and died 1704 in Lee, NH<sup>1</sup>. She married JOSEPH JENKINS<sup>1</sup>, son of STEPHEN JENKINS and ELIZABETH PITMAN. He was born Abt. 1685<sup>1</sup>, and died February 18, 1777 in USA<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of Edward Jenkins (p.53 ) for ancestors of Joseph Jenkins and descendants of Joseph and Hannah Merrow Jenkins.

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of Benjamin Moore

### *Generation No. 1*

1. BENJAMIN<sup>1</sup> MOORE<sup>1</sup>. He married REBECCA FENIMORE.

Child of BENJAMIN MOORE and REBECCA FENIMORE is:

2. i. BENJAMIN<sup>2</sup> MOORE.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. BENJAMIN<sup>2</sup> MOORE (*BENJAMIN<sup>1</sup>*) He married HANNAH BALLINGER March 17, 1768 in Woodstown, Salem NJ<sup>1</sup>, daughter of THOMAS BALLINGER and MARY COFFIN. She died 1841.

Children of BENJAMIN MOORE and HANNAH BALLINGER are:

3. i. HANNAH MOORE, b. September 15, 1778, Woolwich, Gloucester, NJ; m. JOHN LIPPINCOTT, son of AARON and SARAH HAINES LIPPINCOTT; d. June 24, 184, Salem. Co. NJ
- ii. EDITH<sup>3</sup> MOORE, b. Woolwich, Gloucester, NJ; m. JONATHAN COLESON.
- iii. ASA MOORE, m. LYDIA LIPPINCOTT, December 06, 1810<sup>1</sup>.
- iv. BENJAMIN MOORE, m. LYDIA SHUTE, September 13, 1807<sup>1</sup>.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. HANNAH MOORE (*BENJAMIN<sup>2</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>1</sup>*) b. September 15, 1778, Woolwich, Gloucester, NJ; m. JOHN LIPPINCOTT, son of AARON and SARAH HAINES LIPPINCOTT; d. June 24, 184, Salem. Co. NJ

See the DEscendants of Lofe of Lovecote (p. 58 ) for the ancestors of John Lippincott and the descendantats of John and Hannah Moooe Lippincott.

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of Richard North

### *Generation No. 1*

1. RICHARD<sup>1</sup> NORTH He married (1) JOAN BARTRAM. She died Bet. 1622 - 1638. He married (2) URSULA.

More About RICHARD NORTH:

Immigration: 1639, England -> New England with family

Residence: 1639, Listed as one of the first Proprietors of Salisbury, MA

Children of RICHARD NORTH and JOAN BARTRAM are:

- i. DAUGHTER<sup>2</sup> NORTH, b. Bef. January 1620/21.
- ii. MARY NORTH, b. Bef. January 1620/21; m. JONES.
2. iii. SUSANNA(H) NORTH, b. September 30, 1621, Olney, Buckinghamshire, England; d. July 19, 1692, Gallows Hill, Salem, MA.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. SUSANNA(H)<sup>2</sup> NORTH (*RICHARD*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born September 30, 1621 in Olney, Buckinghamshire, England, and died July 19, 1692 on Gallows Hill, Salem, MA. She married GEORGE MARTIN<sup>1,2</sup> August 11, 1646 in Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA<sup>3</sup>. He was born Abt. 1618 in Ramsey, Hampshire, England, and died November 23, 1686 in Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA. He had previously been married to Hannah

Baptism: September 30, 1621, Olney, Bucks, England Her baptismal record calls her Susan. The source of this information was a TAG article by Dr. David L. Greene [TAG, April 1993], drawn from the Olney Bishop's Transcripts which are held in the Buckinghamshire Records Office at Aylesbury. In this article almost the entire North family is clearly presented, using relevant information from the Wills of Richard's father John and brother Thomas, along with the Bishop's Transcripts.

More About SUSANNA(H) NORTH:

Immigration: 1639, England -> New England. After arrival in the Colonies Susanna went to work in the household of Capt. Wiggins at Squamscot, and lived with the wife of Rev. Stephen Bachellor. This was referred to in the 1669 allegations of child abuse brought against her by William Sargent.

Notes for SUSANNA(H) NORTH:

When her father died she expected to inherit a large portion of his estate, but she was disappointed. It came to Susannah's attention at the time of his death that he had supposedly written a new will stating that all previous wills should be voided. According to the new will, which had (almost impossibly) been written nearly two decades before his death, all but 22 pounds went to his second wife, Susanna's stepmother. In addition, several irregularities with the will led Susannah to believe someone had tampered with the will. For example one of the witnesses to Richard North's second will would only have been eleven or twelve years old at the time her father reputedly drafted the will.

In 1669 a bond was posted for her appearance in court for suspicion of witchcraft. She was acquitted of the charges. Soon after her stepmother died, prompting a long and tedious battle on the North estate. Susanna failed to make good her claim on her father's estate. (Karlsen, 1989:89-95)

She was known as the witch of Amesbury and was hanged as a witch for refusing to confess or incriminate her neighbors. Kathleen A. Martin thinks sons Richard and John came at night to remove her body from the

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"crack in the fels te crudd" where it had been thrown. Rebecca Nurse's children also recovered their mother's body.

The following is from <http://www.rootsweb.com/~nwa/sm.html>

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Susanna was baptized in Olney, Buckinghamshire, England September 30, 1621. She was the daughter of Richard and Joan (Bartram) North. While she was still young her mother died. She came to America with her father, stepmother, and at least one sister. She married George Martin, a blacksmith, August 11, 1646 at Salisbury, MA and had eight children. During the first 23 years of her marriage, Susanna's name appears twice in public records. In 1647 or 48 she was fined 20 shillings for an unnamed offense and in 1667 her husband George objected to her seat placement in the meeting house. Perhaps he felt it was below her station.

In 1669 Susanna was required to post 100 pounds bond to appear in court on a charge of witchcraft, a capital offense. At the same time George Martin sued William Sargent, Jr. for slander for saying that "...said Martyn's wife had a child at Capt. Wiggins and was wringing its neck in Capt. Wiggins' stable, when a man entered, and she took him by the collar and told him she would be the death of him if he told"; he sued William Sargent "...for saying his wife was a witch and he would call her a witch." George also sued Thomas Sargent "...for saying that his son George Marttin was a bastard and that Richard Marttin was Goodwife Marttin's imp," (a witch's familiar.)

Charges were dropped against Thomas Sargent, William Sargent, Jr.. was found guilty of accusing Susanna of "fornication and infanticide" and George was awarded (in what appears to be a public insult) the amount of "a white wampam peague (colonial currency) or the eighth part of a penny damage" by the magistrates. William Sargent (Sr?) was acquitted of witchcraft slander, although, "the Court did not agree." The records of Susanna's first trial for witchcraft have not survived, but as she was around for another 23 years, we might assume that she was acquitted.

In October, 1669 George Martin was sued by Christopher Bartlett because Susanna had called him a liar and a thief. The verdict was against George and Susanna but they had other problems to deal with. At that same court session, their son Richard was "presented by the grand jury at the Salisbury Court, 1669, for abusing his father and throwing him down, taking away his clothes and holding up an axe against him." The court found him guilty and sentenced Richard to be "whipped ten stripes."

In 1671, George and Susanna (her sister Mary Jones would join them later) became involved in lengthy litigation over Richard North's estate. In October 1674, their inheritance would be lost when the court found against them.

Descriptions of Susanna say that she was short, slightly plump, active, and "of remarkable personal neatness." She was also said to be very outspoken, contemptuous of authority, and defiant in the face of slander which had followed her for years.

The Rev. Cotton Mather said about Susanna, "This woman was one of the most impudent, scurrilous, wicked creatures of this world; and she did now throughout her whole trial discover herself to be such a one. Yet when she was asked what she had to say for herself, her chief plea was that she had led a most virtuous and holy life." Mr. Merrill, in his History of Amesbury described Susanna differently----- "The idea of snatching this hardworking, honest woman from her home to be tried for her life by those who never knew her, and witnesses who were prejudiced against her...is almost too much for belief. ...Allowed no counsel, she was her own lawyer, and her answers are remarkable for independence and clearness. She showed herself to be a woman of more than ordinary talent and resolution."

On April 30, 1692 a warrant was issued for Susanna's arrest on a charge of witchcraft and she was arrested on May 2nd. "When she saw Orlando Bagley approaching on the morning of her arrest, little did she dream of his errand. He was a personal friend of long standing, and we can but faintly imagine her surprise when..." he read the warrant.

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During her preliminary examination the at same day, she vigorously answered the charges against her. When the " afflicted girls" began having fits, she laughed out loud. When the magistrates asked why she laughed, she responded, "Well I may at such folly." She refused to express any thoughts on what may have ailed the girls but bluntly stated that she didn't think they were bewitched. Her further testimony show that she realized the seriousness of her situation and she adamantly maintained her innocence.

"The mental anguish and suffering of the two and a half months while she lay in Salem jail...is beyond our power of description." Susanna Martin underwent the indignity of a physical examination on June 2 1692. She examinations were intended to discover whether the accused had any physical abnormalities, especially anything that could be used to suckle a familiar or even the devil himself. Susanna was examined twice during the same day; at neither examination was any abnormality discovered, but at the first her breasts appeared to be full and at the second slack. Doubtless the magistrates found this apparent indication that she had actually suckled even more satisfactory than an abnormal "witch's teat."


On June 26, 1692 her trial began. Susanna pleaded not guilty, but in the end she was found guilty and condemned to death.

On Tuesday, July 19, 1692 Susanna Martin, Sarah Good, Rebecca Nurse, Sarah Wilde, and Elizabeth Howe were taken from their cells, put into a cart and driven up the rocky road to Gallows Hill. While Rebecca Nurse prayed, Rev. Nicholas Noyes exhorted Sarah Good to confess saying, "You are a witch, and you know you are a witch." She replied, calling him a liar and saying that she was no more a witch than he was a wizard and...if you take away my life, God will give you blood to drink." Tradition says that Rev. Noyes died of an internal hemorrhage, bleeding profusely from the mouth.

"The bodies...were thrust into a shallow grave in a crevice of felsite." There is historical evidence that the body of at least one of these women, Rebecca Nurse, was secretly removed and given Christian burial; "this was the hour and the power of darkness when a son could not say where he had buried his mother."

In 1711, the General Court granted compensation to many of the victims or their heirs, but Susanna's children made no application to the authorities and they received nothing. Susanna was not among those whose attainder was lifted.

In November 2001, the Massachusetts State Legislature passed a bill that pardoned Susanna Martin who was unjustly executed as a witch 309 years ago. Representative Tirone sponsored the bill that finally pardoned the remaining women by name — Ann Pudeator, Bridget Bishop, Susanna Martin, Alice Parker, Margaret Scott and Wilmott Redd.

	<p>Let Goody Martin rest in peace,          I never knew her harm a fly,          And witch or not - God knows - not I?          I know who swore her life away;          And as God lives, I'd not condemn          An Indian dog on word of them.</p>
<p>Susanna Martin Memorial, Amesbury, MA          Photo © Bonnie Johnson, 1998</p>	<p>John Greenleaf Whittier</p>

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Plaque reads: "Here stood the house of Susanna Martin. An honest, hardworking, Christian woman. Accused as a witch, tried and executed at Salem, July 19, 1692. A martyr of superstition."

Her dramatic and tragic life and death in Amesbury is described in the Essex Co. Archives; Salem; Witchcraft; Vol I, p. 35, etc.

"Martins of Mooretown," a 300-page book written by Kathleen A. Martin, contains all surrounding court records and transcripts including testimony by the witch examiners and Dr. Barton. Chapter notes provide documentation. It traces mainly the descendance of Samuel(3) Martin (John2, George1) and Ruth Silver and their family in Amoskeag, N.H., and includes the adventures of the Martin boys in a counterfeiting venture with Major Robert Rogers and subsequent trial, in action with the Rogers Rangers, and at the massacre of Fort William Henry. Some were at Bunker Hill, another on the Arnold Expedition and taken prisoner at Montreal. One was seized by Indians in Vermont and taken to Canada.

Transcripts of the trial and other documents are available online at:  
<http://etext.lib.virginia.edu/salem/witchcraft/>

Notes for GEORGE MARTIN:

Occupation: Blacksmith

Residence: Knoddishall, Suffolk or Ramsey England

Will: November 23, 1686. Willed his land to Susanna, his wife, and his younger son William and a Hadley grandchild. After Susanna's death the land may have been attainted ie taken by the court.

History of Amesbury & Merrimac, Jos. Merrill; Reg. Probate, Essex Co., Salem, 23 Nov. 1686. The fact that he was sponsored as a servant to Samuel Winsley (See The Phillip Fowler Line p. 43), who was from Colchester, Essex, points to this area as a possible birthplace for George Martin. Samuel Winsley served in the militia at Knodishall, according to Edward Banks, on the border of Suffolk County. They seem to have arrived in New England at about the same time (abt. 1639], so it is possible they emigrated together, as George "came as a servant to Winsley." George may have even married his first wife, Hannah, in England; but a date of 1642 is more likely, since Hannah was born February 01, 1642/43. At any rate their marriage is not listed in Salisbury-Amesbury records.

As we read George's will, written on dark-stained parchment paper, it is extremely moving to hold it crackling in our hands, knowing that Susannah fingers must have held it too. George's actual gravesite is not known, but his name is listed on a brass plaque on the Memorial Stone. Burial: Amesbury, Essex, MA

Amesbury has not changed all that much, and one can wander past the various sites mentioned in Whittier's poems with a feeling of recognition. The Merrimac River is broad and bordered by endless beds of reeds below where the Martin home was originally located. A sign indicating Martin Street points us into the village. Though a highway now cuts through the site of the original farmstead, a monument marks the spot.

In sharp contrast, the death site on Gallows Hill in Salem is now covered over with houses and a children's playground.

Children of SUSANNA(H) NORTH and GEORGE MARTIN are:

3. i. JOHN<sup>3</sup> MARTIN, b. January 26, 1650/51, Salisbury, MA; d. October 06, 1693, Arnesbury, MA.
- ii. RICHARD MARTIN<sup>d</sup>, b. June 29, 1647, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; d. March 11, 1727/28, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; m. MARY HOYT BARTLETT, Abt. 1674<sup>d</sup>.
- iii. GEORGE MARTIN<sup>d</sup>, b. October 21, 1648, Salisbry, MA; d. April 14, 1743, Ipswich, MA; m. ELIZABETH; b. Abt. 1650, England.
- iv. ESTHER MARTIN<sup>d</sup>, b. April 07, 1653; m. JOHN JAMESON, March 15, 1667/68.
- v. JANE MARTIN<sup>d</sup>, b. November 02, 1656, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; m. HADLEY.
- vi. ABIGAIL MARTIN<sup>d</sup>, b. September 10, 1659, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; m. JAMES HADLOCK, December 03, 1679.

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- vii. WILLIAM MARTIN, b. Abt. 1662, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; d. December 11, 1662, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA.
- viii. SAMUEL MARTIN, b. September 29, 1667, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA.
- ix. WILLIAM MARTIN, b. Abt. 1663, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; d. not mentioned in father's 1683 will; m. MARY STONE, Abt. 1697.

*Generation No. 3*

**3.** JOHN<sup>3</sup> MARTIN (*SUSANNA(H)<sup>2</sup> NORTH, RICHARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>5</sup> was born January 26, 1650/51 in Salisbury, MA<sup>5</sup>, and died October 06, 1693 in Amesbury, MA<sup>5</sup>. He married MARY WEED<sup>5</sup> Abt. 1677 in Amesbury, MA, daughter of JOHN WEED and DEBORAH WINSLEY. She was born September 05, 1653 in Salisbury, MA<sup>5</sup>, and died Aft. January 17, 1714/15 in Amesbury, MA<sup>5</sup>.

Children of JOHN MARTIN and MARY WEED are:

- i. JOHN<sup>4</sup> MARTIN, b. Abt. 1674, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA.
- ii. HANNAH MARTIN, b. Abt. 1680, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; m. RICHARD GENT, April 04, 1709, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA.
- 4. iii. MARY MARTIN, b. 1680, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; d. Bet. August 23, 1744 - August 18, 1745, South Hampton NH.
- iv. RUTH MARTIN, b. Abt. 1683, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA.
- v. ABIGAIL MARTIN, b. March 13, 1684/85, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; m. WILLIAM HARVEY, October 14, 1714.
- vi. DEBORAH MARTIN, b. August 08, 1689, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; m. THOMAS DAVIS, December 15, 1709.
- vii. SAMUEL MARTIN, b. July 02, 1692, Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA; m. RUTH SILVER.

Notes for SAMUEL MARTIN:

He and his wife left Mass as soon as they could and settled nextto the Amoskeag Falls in old Manchester, NH

*Generation No. 4*

**4.** MARY<sup>4</sup> MARTIN (*JOHN<sup>3</sup>, SUSANNA(H)<sup>2</sup> NORTH, RICHARD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>5</sup> was born 1680 in Amesbury, Essex, MA or Salisbury, MA<sup>5</sup>, and died Bet. August 23, 1744 - August 18, 1745 in South Hampton NH. She married JOHN PEASLEE<sup>5</sup> May 01, 1705 in Amesbury, Essex, MA, at the house of Thomas Barnard in Amesbury<sup>6,7,8</sup>, son of JOSEPH PEASLEE and RUTH BARNARD. He was born February 25, 1678/79 in Haverhill, MA<sup>9,10,11</sup>, and died 1752 in Newton, NH<sup>12,13</sup>.

See the Descendants of John Peaslee (p.87 ) for the ancestors of John Peaslee and the descendants of John and Mary Martin Peaslee.

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2. Martin Family Genealogy - Found via Susanna Martin.
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10. Lori Williams, Peaslee.

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## Descendants of Ezekiel Northend

### *Generation No. 1*

1. EZEKIEL NORTHEND<sup>1</sup> married EDNA<sup>1</sup> HALSTEAD<sup>1</sup>.

Child of EDNA HALSTEAD and EZEKIEL NORTHEND is:

2. i. AGNUS<sup>2</sup> NORTHEND.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. AGNUS<sup>2</sup> NORTHEND (*EDNA<sup>1</sup> HALSTEAD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup>. She married JOHN EMERY<sup>1</sup>, son of JOHN EMERY and ALICE BANET. He was born in England<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of John Emery (p. 40) for ancestors of John Emery and descendants of John and Agnes Northend Emery.

Notes for JOHN EMERY:

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On March 16, 1663, John Emery was presented to the court at Ipswich by Henry Jaques, Constable of Newbury, for entertaining travellers and Quakers. May 5, 1663, his presentment for entertaining Quakers was referred unto next Court. The next court fined him four pounds, costs and fees for entertaining strangers.

Child of AGNUS NORTHEND and JOHN EMERY is:

3. i. JOHN<sup>3</sup> EMERY, b. 1609, England; d. November 03, 1683, Newbury, Essex, MA.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. JOHN<sup>3</sup> EMERY (*AGNUS<sup>2</sup> NORTHEND, EDNA<sup>1</sup> HALSTEAD<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born 1609 in England<sup>1</sup>, and died November 03, 1683 in Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>. He married ALICE GRANTHAM<sup>1</sup> June 26, 1620 in Whiteparish, Wiltshire, England<sup>1</sup>, daughter of WALTER GRANTHAM and ELEANOR. She died April 28, 1649 in Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for JOHN EMERY:

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possibly married to a Mary Shatswell Webster

More About JOHN EMERY:

Emigration: April 05, 1635, Southampton, Eng<sup>1</sup>

Will: May 01, 1680, Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>

Child of JOHN EMERY and ALICE GRANTHAM is:

- i. EBENEZER<sup>4</sup> EMERY<sup>1</sup>, d. 1724<sup>1</sup>; m. JOHN M. HOAG<sup>1</sup>, April 21, 1669, Newbury/ Amesbury<sup>1</sup>; b. March 04, 1641/42, England or Wales<sup>1</sup>; d. April 1728, Newbury, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for EBENEZER EMERY:

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Quaker

Descends from President Franklin Pierce along the Emery line.

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Notes for JOHN M. HOAG:  
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Quaker

More About JOHN M. HOAG:  
Immigration: 1650, Boston, MA<sup>1</sup>

*Endnotes*

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## Descendants of John Parker

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> PARKER<sup>1</sup>. He married EDITH SUTTON<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN PARKER and EDITH SUTTON is:

2. i. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> PARKER, b. 1500, Whitley Hal, Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> PARKER (JOHN<sup>1</sup>)<sup>2</sup> was born 1500 in Whitley Hal, Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England<sup>3</sup>. He married ELIZABETH HOLMES<sup>4</sup> 1525<sup>5</sup>.

Notes for THOMAS PARKER:

Thomas and Elizabeth Parker had the following children. These all came from the LDS family tree computer program as used at one of their family history centres. It looks like a family of about 18 children with some mortality and reuse of names exacerbated by confusion of the location of Whitley Hall and whether Francis is male or female. That many of the names appear twice in the same birth order just offset by 1-2 years argues for it being one family with researchers unclear on dates rather than multiple families reusing family names. Cathy Thomas has compressed the list a little, by combining pairs of children with same name born within a few years of each other. A date & location range represents two listings with the same name, the first birthplace goes with the earlier date. Realizing infant mortality, repeated names have been allowed to stand when the birth years are far apart. This list still seems excessive.

Robert Parker born about 1526 at Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
William Parker born about 1528-1533 at Ecclesfield, or Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
(Rev.) Nicholas Parker born about 1530-1533 at Ecclesfield or Thirston, Yorkshire, England  
Elizabeth Parker born about 1532-34 at Ecclesfield or Whitley Hall, Whitley, Yorkshire, England  
William Parker born about 1535-35 at Whitley Hall, Yorkshire or Derbyshire, England  
Isabel Parker born about 1535-6 Ecclesfield or at Whitley, Yorkshire, England  
Robert Parker born about 1535-7 of Medda Hall, Yorkshire or Derbyshire, England  
Francis Parker born about 1536-7 of Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
Anne Parker born about 1538-43 of Whitley Hall, Whitley or Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
Ellen Parker born about 1539-40 at Ecclesfield or Whitley Hall, Whitley, Yorkshire, England  
Elizabeth Parker born about 1539-41 at Darnell or Whitley Hall Yorkshire, England  
Frances Parker (female) born about 1539 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Francis Parker (male) born about 1539 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Margaret Parker born about 1541-2 at Whitley Hall, Whitley or, Yorkshire, England  
Isabel Parker born about 1541-3 at Herringthorpe or Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Anne Parker born about 1543-5 at Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Margaret Parker born about 1547 at Ecclesfield or Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Ellen Parker born about 1545-1547 at Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England

Here is the full set of names, dates and locations Anne Quast found in the LDS family tree computer program as used at one of their family history centres.

Robert Parker born about 1526 at Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
William Parker born about 1528 at Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
(Rev.) Nicholas Parker born about 1530 at Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
Elizabeth Parker born about 1532 at Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
William Parker born about 1533 at Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England

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Nicholas Parker born about 1533 at [Thireston](#), Yorkshire, England  
Elizabeth Parker bom about 1534 at Whitley Hall, Whitley, Yorkshire, England  
William Parker born about 1535 at Whitley Hall, Derbyshire, England  
Isabel Parker born about 1535 of Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
Robert Parker born about 1535 of [Medda](#) Hall, Yorkshire, England  
William Parker born about 1535 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Francis Parker born about 1536 of Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
Isabel Parker born about 1536 of Whitley, Yorkshire, England  
Robert Parker born about 1537 of Medda Hall, Derbyshire, England  
Francis Parker born about 1537 in Yorkshire, England  
Robert Parker born about 1537 of Medda Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Anne Parker born about 1538 of Whitley Hall, Whitley, Yorkshire, England  
Ellen Parker born about 1539 of Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
Elizabeth Parker born about 1539 of [Darnall](#), Yorkshire, England  
Frances Parker (female) born about 1539 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Francis Parker (male) born about 1539 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Ellen Parker born about 1540 at Whitley Hall, Whitley, Yorkshire, England  
Margaret Parker born about 1541 at Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
Isabel Parker born about 1541 at [Herringthorpe](#), Yorkshire, England  
Elizabeth Parker born about 1541 at Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Margaret Parker born about 1542 at Whitley Hall, Whitley, England  
Anne Parker born about 1543 of Ecclesfield, Yorkshire, England  
Anne Parker born about 1543 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Isabel Parker born about 1543 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Ellen Parker born about 1545 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Anne Parker born about 1545 of Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Margaret Parker born about 1547 at Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England  
Ellen Parker born about 1547 at Whitley Hall, Yorkshire, England

Child of THOMAS PARKER and ELIZABETH HOLMES is:

3. i. ANNE<sup>3</sup> PARKER, b. Abt. 1543, Balefield, York, England; d. July 15, 1609, York, England.

*Generation No. 3*

3. ANNE<sup>3</sup> PARKER (*THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>6</sup> was born Abt. 1543 in Balefield, York, England<sup>6</sup>, and died July 15, 1609 in York, England<sup>6</sup>. She married JOHN STACYE<sup>6</sup> Bet. 1564 - 1570 in York, England<sup>6</sup>. He was born Abt. 1539 in Ballifield, York, England<sup>6</sup>, and died 1593 in York, England<sup>6</sup>.

See Descendants of John Stacye (p.105 ) for descendants of John and Anne parker Stacye.

*Endnotes*

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2. ruth-stacy2943852.ged, Date of Import: Oct 2, 2004.
3. church of latter day Saints computer genealogical index.
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5. church of latter day Saints computer genealogical index.
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## Descendants of John? Peaslee

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN?<sup>1</sup> PEASLEE<sup>1</sup>. He married HANNAH SAGE?<sup>1</sup>.

Child of JOHN? PEASLEE and HANNAH SAGE? is:

2. i. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> PEASLEE, b. Abt. 1580, Yorks, England/Newbury, Essex.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> PEASLEE (*JOHN?<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1580 in Yorks, England/Newbury, Essex<sup>1</sup>. He married ANNE CALVERT<sup>1</sup> Abt. 1599 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>1</sup>, daughter of GEORGE CALVERT and ANNE WYNNE. She was born Abt. 1595 in York, England<sup>1</sup>, and died WFT Est. 1628-1706<sup>1</sup>.

More About WILLIAM PEASLEE:

Probate: April 1663, Estate Probated in Essex County., MA<sup>1</sup>

Child of WILLIAM PEASLEE and ANNE CALVERT is:

3. i. ROBERT<sup>3</sup> PEASLEE.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. ROBERT<sup>3</sup> PEASLEE (*WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>*, *JOHN?<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup>. He married JANE<sup>1</sup>.

Child of ROBERT PEASLEE and JANE is:

4. i. JOSEPH<sup>4</sup> PEASLEE, b. 1597, Bristol or England, Severn, Gloucester, England; d. December 03, 1660, Salisbury, Essex, MA.

### *Generation No. 4*

4. JOSEPH<sup>4</sup> PEASLEE (*ROBERT<sup>3</sup>*, *WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>*, *JOHN?<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born 1597 in Bristol or England, Severn, Gloucester, England<sup>2,3</sup>, and died December 03, 1660 in Salisbury, Essex, MA<sup>4,5</sup>. He married MARY JOHNSON<sup>5</sup> Abt. 1625 in Newbury, Essex England or Wales<sup>5</sup>, daughter of JOHN JOHNSON (b. abt 1588) and HANNAH THROCKMARTEN/THROCKMORTON. She was born 1604 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>6,7</sup>, and died September 27, 1694 in Salisbury, Essex, MA<sup>8,9</sup>. Her father was a farmer of considerable worldly estate.

Anne Quast's records list him as being born in 1600 and dying in Newton, NH.

From the website <http://home.eznet.net/~sadler/peaslee.html>

Joseph and Mary, with two or three daughters, arrived in Boston, MA and soon went to Newbury, MA and are named among the early settlers and land holders of that town. They soon, in 1641, moved to Colchester (now Salisbury, MA)<sup>114</sup>.

Notes for JOSEPH PEASLEE:

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He was one of 91 freeholders in 1642. He was accounted as the "First Quaker" of Haverhill. He was the founder of the Peaslee family in America.

Public Offices: townsman, one of the commissioners for the settlement of claims and was selectman of Haverhill in the years 1649-50 and 53

"He came from England; was in Haverhill before 1646; took the oath of freeman June 22, 1642, and that he removed to Salisbury where he died." In 1645, when the "Great Pond Meadow" of Haverhill was divided, "beginning at the East end," Joseph Peasley received his share "for acres lying by the upland and bounded with two stakes".

In 1650 the town voted "that Joseph Peasley and Bartholomew Heath shall have liberty to set up each of them a barn upon the common (ie land not granted to an individual), "...Dec. 30, 1650, voted that Joseph Peasley should have his four acres of land which he was to take up over the little river laid out in the Plain adjoining to his land which formerly was part of the land of Thomas Davis.

<http://www.best.com/~mpeaslee/genealogy/d0005/g0000458.htm>  
says Elizabeth, Jane and Mary were children of a previous marriage

More About JOSEPH PEASLEE:

Event: June 22, 1642, Haverhill/Salisbury, MA<sup>9</sup>

Immigration: 1641, From England to Haverhill/Salisbury, MA<sup>10,11</sup>

Occupation: Gifted Brother in lieu of a minister to the church at Amesbury<sup>11</sup>

Religion: Quaker<sup>11</sup>

Notes for MARY JOHNSON:

Mary was the daughter of a fairly wealthy farmer. She outlived Joseph by more than 30 years. After his death Mary was the administratrix of the estate which consisted of extensive holdings of land in several locations. The records show that she did this very competently.

This info came from web site

<http://www.best.com/~mpeaslee/genealogy/d0002/g0000118.htm>

This site also said the information came from POP vol IIP1,3

From Coffin, the historian of [Newbury](#), we learn that Joseph [Peasley](#) was "an early settler of that town, that his daughter Sarah was born September 9, 1642, and he died in [Amesbury](#), December 5, 1660".

The "Plain" was afterwards known as "Tilton's Corner" now [Riverside](#). Here was the [Haverhill](#) home of Joseph Peasley, near what is now the head of East [Broadway](#), on the side towards the river, where now is a small apple orchard.

In 1652 it was voted to open a highway "at the upper end of Goodman Peasley's house lot".

"June 7, 1652, voted and granted that the second division of plough land shall begin at the head of Joseph Peasley's pond meadow and so to go north and west and east until each man's own proportion is laid out according to order and true meaning". The next year he received in separate tracts and shares of land forty-one acres, besides "his share in the ox-common between the ponds", which was four acres. In the third and fourth divisions of meadow [thirty-six](#) acres were set off to him. He belonged to the Society of Friends or Quakers, and sometimes, in the absence of a minister, exhorted the people on the Sabbath, but in 1653, he, with Thomas [Macy](#) of Salisbury, was prohibited from exercising his gift of exhortation.

From [Merrill's](#) History of [Amesbury](#) we learned that at a meeting in Salisbury, "July 16th, 1656, Joseph Peaslee was made a townsman, and granted twenty acres of upland, bought of Thomas Macy, and ten acres of meadow at the pond, for which the town agreed to pay 6 pounds to Thomas Macy". "This Joseph Peaslee, whom the [commoners](#) of Salisbury received an to whom they gave considerable land, was a self-constituted preacher, as well as farmer, and eventually proved troublesome on that account".

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In 1657 Mr. Peaslee had land near "Mill river". "October 29, 1658, a general meeting was held and a large tract of land beyond the pond, bordering on Back river, was ordered to be laid out in lots eighty rods long, ranging southerly"- Of this division of Salisbury land "Joseph Peisly" received forty acres.

The old town of Salisbury had almost forced the settlement of the new part, west of the Powow river. May 26, 1658, an attempt was made by the inhabitants of the new part to separate themselves from the old, in order "to be a distinct town and make provision for the maintenance of public worship". This was not liked by the old town and the petition to be made a separate precinct was not granted by the General Court, but they were ordered "to attend the worship of God together in the old towne and to contribute towards the support of preaching there". Joseph Peaslee, however, paid little regard to the order, and continued to preach, while the people refused to attend worship in the old town, for which offense they were fined five shillings each for "every day's absence on the Lord's day". In 1659 five hundred acres of land were given to the children of the commoners, "Joseph, son of Joseph Peasley", receiving a share with sixteen others.

The church at Salisbury old town considered the preaching of Joseph Peaslee "very weak and unfit", while the inhabitants of the new portion encouraged him in his labors. He was again fined five shillings per week for his disobedience and ordered not to preach. Merrill states that "he died previous to 1662, in Haverhill", while Chase of Haverhill states that he died in Salisbury. The latter is correct. The record may be found in an old town book of Salisbury. He died December 3, 1660.

Of him Merrill says: "If he was 'very weak and unfit' for preaching, he was a successful farmer, and left his son a good property". He made his will November 11, 1660, which is on file in Salem, but so faded it is very difficult to read. It is not plain what portion of the property was willed to his wife during her life, a few words being worn and indistinct, but, from following events, it appears that she lived, after the death of her husband, at the home in Salisbury.

His will of Will: November 11, 1660

"The last Will and Testament of Josef Peasly is that my debts shall be payed out of my Estate and the remainder of my estate .... my debts being payed I doo give and bequeath unto Mary my wiff During her life and I doo give unto Josef my sonne all my land that I have upon the plain at Haverhill and doo give unto Josef my sonne all my medo ling in East medo at Haverhill and doo give unto Josef my sonne five shares of the common rites that doo belong to me on the plain. I doo give unto my daffter Elizabeth my fourty fower acres of upland ling westwards of Haverhill and doo give unto my daffter Elizabeth fower acres and a half of medo ling in the ... at Haverhill and doo also give to my daffter Elizabeth fower of the common rites that belong to the plain and doo give unto daffter Jean fower shillings and to my daffter Mary fower shillings. I doo give unto Sara Saier my grandchild my upland and medo ling in ... medo. And I doo give unto my sonne Josef all the remainder of my land at Haverhil which is not hererein disposed of I doo also make Mary my wiff my Soule executrer and do also -leave Josef my sonne and the estate I have given him to my wiff to poss on till Josef my sonne be twenty years of aige."

Phillip Challis and Thomas Barnard were witnesses to the will. James Davis, Sen., and Theophilus Satchwell, both of Haverhill, "did their best endeavors" in appraising the estate. In Haverhill they found twelve acres, more or less, in the plain, fenced; another tract of thirty-six acres; one of eighteen, unfenced; fourty-four acres west of Little River, four on Spickett Hill; the west meadow; Spickett meadow; the 4<sup>th</sup> Division of upland not yet fenced; four acres of the 3d Division of meadow; the "new-found meadow"; four oxen commons and other cow commons; "One grinding stone and iron bar".

In the Inventory of the Estate we find House land and meadow; "1 grinding stone; 2 smoothing irons; 1 pair andirons; 1 iron pot; 8 skilletts; pot hook; flesh hook and frying pan; 2 Bibles and other books; chests, barrels, spinning wheel and other lumber," forty bushels of wheat, sixty of Indian corn; three cows and two heifers; wool, flax, hemp and yarn. Total £360.<sup>114</sup>

The widow received a lot of land lying upon the river in Salisbury, soon after his decease. Before he died he received at the March meeting a grant of "a tounsheip for his son" Joseph, which was a right to vote and take part in town meetings when old enough.

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In 1662 widow Peaslee received a share in a division of land which was lot 19, consisting of one hundred and eight acres.

In 1664 "Widow Peaslee, 'Exacitor to Joseph Piesly', received twenty acres of land in exchange for six acres of salt marsh formerly granted to her husband".

Mr. Peaslee occasionally practiced medicine; was one of the commissioners of the settlement of claims and was selectman of Haverhill in the years 1649, 1650, and 1655. Mary, the widow, lived many years.

The part of Salisbury to which Joseph and Mary Peaslee removed was given the name of Amesbury, from which was granted Newtown, now Newton, N. H.

In that town, near the Junction, in the heart of tie woods, is the old Quaker burying ground where rest many early settlers of that faith and the Peaslee name. There, surrounded by graceful hemlocks and murmuring pines, are row of graves unmarked save by rude unlettered stones at the head and foot of each. In this secluded spot may repose the dust of Joseph and Mary. It is gratifying to know that measures have been taken to restore and keep in good condition this ancient burial place. For this purpose it has recently been deeded by Arthur P. French of Danville, New Hampshire, to the "Overseers of the Monthly Meeting of Friends" of Amesbury, Mass.

Children of JOSEPH PEASLEE and MARY JOHNSON are:

- i. ELIZABETH<sup>5</sup> PEASLEE<sup>12</sup>.
- ii. JANE PEASLEE<sup>12</sup>, m. JOHN DAVIS, December 10, 1646.
- iii. MARY PEASLEE<sup>12</sup>.
- iv. SARAH PEASLEE<sup>12</sup>, b. September 9-21, 1642, Newbury, MA; m. THOMAS BARNARD, April 12, 1664.
- v. JOSEPH PEASLEE<sup>13,14</sup>, b. September 09, 1646, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>15,16</sup>; d. March 21, 1734/35, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>17,18</sup>; m. (1) MARY TUCKER; m. (2) RUTH BARNARD<sup>18</sup>, January 21, 1670/71, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>19,20,21</sup>; b. October 16, 1651, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>21</sup>; d. November 05, 1723, Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>21</sup>.

Notes for JOSEPH PEASLEE:  
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says Elizabeth, Jane and Mary were children of a previous marriage

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5. JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> PEASLEE (*JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN?<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>13,14</sup> was born September 09, 1646 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>15,16</sup>, and died March 21, 1734/35 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>17,18</sup>. He married (1) RUTH BARNARD<sup>18</sup> January 21, 1670/71 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>19,20,21</sup>, daughter of THOMAS BARNARD and HELENE/ELINOR MORSE. She was born October 16, 1651 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>21</sup>, and died November 05, 1723 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>21</sup>. Joseph married (2) Mary (Tucker) Davis, widow of Stephen.

See the Descendants of Barnard (p. 29) for the ancestry of Ruth Barnard.

Joseph Peaslee, Jr., son of Joseph, was but fourteen years of age when his father died, consequently, for several years his doings and whereabouts were not of sufficient importance to be recorded by the town clerk. While this heir to the Peaslee estate was growing to manhood, under the guardianship of his mother,

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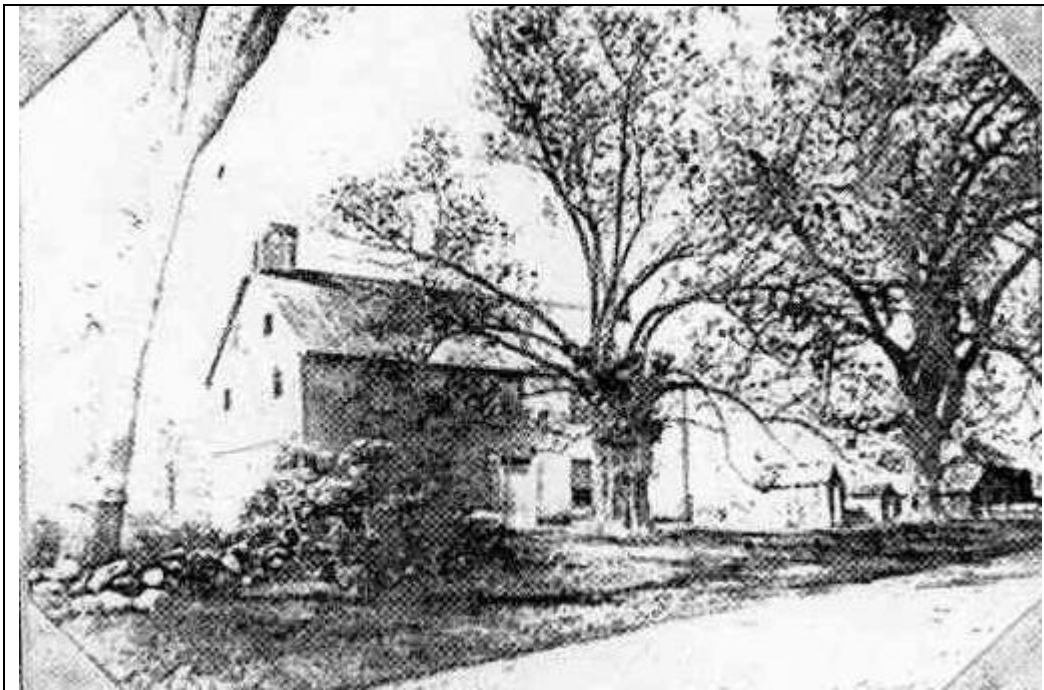
in **Salisbury Newtown**, the town of **Haverhill** was slowly but steadily growing towards the suburb now called Rocks Village. There is abundant proof in well-preserved private papers, as well as public records that, in 1652, a tavern called “Coffin’s Ordinary” was kept at the ferry, a short distance above the present Rocks bridge. The “King’s Highway”, from Newbury, crossed the Merrimac at this point. The “Twelve-rod-away” formerly, called “**Goodman Ayer’s** cart-way”, leading from “Coffin’s Ordinary” to the county highway between Haverhill and **Salisbury**, was laid out in 1665. Two years later the road from “County Bridge to Holt’s Rocks” was opened, and, in 1667, the River road, once “**Jamaca Path**”, was laid out on condition that those who used it should keep it in repair. James **Davis**, Sen., and his son James, Jr., possessed considerable land upon the “great river” in 1652 one portion of which was “bounded by a red oke at Coffin’s Ordinary”.

Joseph Peaslee Jr. was a physician and a farmer who held many town offices and was much in public life.<sup>114</sup>

Joseph Peaslee, son of Joseph, married Ruth Barnard, of **Salisbury**, January 21, 1671. His daughter **Mary** was born there July 14, 1672. She married Joseph **Whittier** and was the great-grandmother of John **Greenleaf Whittier**.

On page 94, “Chase’s ‘History of Haverhill’, in a ‘A list of more houses built which fall under the law made in 1660, which prohibits them from privileges in Common lands,’ is the name of ‘Joseph **Peasley**’.” Under this list is the following entry: “This account was entered Jan. 25, 1675, by the Selectmen. William White, George Brown, Daniel **Hendricks**, Thomas **Baton**, Selectmen in 1675”.

The house erected by Joseph **Peasley**, prior to 1675, on the Country Bridge road, a short distance west of the Twelve-rod-way, is now widely known as the “Old **Garrison**”.



Joseph Peaslee House (The Peaslee Garrison)

From Ruth W. Peaslee Engle via Cathy Pidcock Thomas:

### THE PEASLEE GARRISON HOUSE... EAST HAVERHILL, MASSACHUSETTS

Our previous presentations of interesting historical houses of New England have been connected with the Revolutionary history, when America was in the formative process politically; but we now retreat more

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than a century back of that time to the scenes contemporary with Myles Standish and Roger Williams, and produce one of the oldest and most picturesque houses in America—The Peaslee “Garrison” house of East Haverhill. This old house figures in the trying times from 1670 to 1725 up to which time the pastoral settlers of the frontier towns of the Merrimac were never secure from the terrible cruelties of the savages. On the North the unknown forests stretched away to the St. Lawrence and the upper reaches of the Merrimac afforded them a route to make their raids, over which their canoes made no footprints nor left any trail to be followed when they retreated in the darkness. No axe clearing opened a ray of sunlight to the great wild expanse, and though now many spots are marked by the monuments of the captive martyrs and heroic deeds, yet the great majority perished unknown except to their savage captors and no leaf of history tells where the young and the innocent were cruelly put to death.

It was, therefore, imperative that the settlers should build some of the dwellings for the double purpose of shelter and defense to which they could flee in case of attack, and this is a good type of the old Garrison house, a few of which are now standing in the oldest of the Colonial towns.

Joseph Peaslee came to Haverhill about 1645 soon after it was settled, from Newbury, and his son, Joseph, Junior built the house between 1669 and 1675, according to the historian, “It appears from all the facts in its history and traditions of its people”. It faces the south as do most of the Colonial houses and when the kitchen clock was not regular in its toll, or the family did not have one from old England, the sun, showing squarely through the door, would tell tell the hour of noon.

The house attracts at once the attention of the stranger as a historical place. It is made of brick and the walls are 16 inches thick giving it strength to withstand any attack from the Indians. The brick are of two kinds — some coarse and porous, evidently from the clay of the neighborhood—and the others in prominent places in the structure solid and smooth with fancy edges, showing that they were brought from the mother country. No doubt in its earlier days the bricks were exposed to the weather, but later the front was plastered over and on the eastern end, which is shown in this picture, the bricks have been clapboarded over, foundation strips of wood being fastened on to hold them. The leaning shed on the back is also of later construction than the original. The interior stirs the imagination by its quaintness and evident purpose, the deep window seats marking the thick walls, the fine old kitchen where generations of guests have been served in the long past, and mysterious attics from which one may look out through the loop-holes where the long muskets of the defenders spoke mercilessly to the skulking foe. In the cellar are several compartments, and one, stronger than the rest, appears to have been intended as a last resort in case of a successful attack by the Indians, for a massive door was hung in the wall and large stones ready to roll against it. But these were never used, as history does not record that the house was ever captured. So the visitor must shut himself in here, roll these stones against, the door, and in the darkness, imagine history. It looked, however, as though this might be realized in 1690, as the settlers held a meeting to consider whether for present security they should “draw-off or send for help abroad.” This must have been a crises with those people looking back over their half century of toil.

Rough the cart-path, wild the forest  
And adown the Merrimac,  
Swiftly came the birch-bark, bearing  
Savage on the white man's track.

But the palefaced grew and flourished,  
All undaunted, went not hence,  
But the garrison erected,  
For a shelter and defense.

Joseph Peaslee and Joseph Jr. were Quakers, which was not the popular doctrine of the colonies, and they would probably have been persecuted in consequence of their creed had not it been for the necessity of harmony in defense against the common enemy.

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The Peaslees occupied this house for four generations but **relinquished** it in 1758 when it passed to **Ephraim Elliott** whose wife, Formerly Miss **Wingate** was a **niece** of the Honorable Thomas **Pickering** and a sister of **Payne** Wingate, Judge of the Supreme Court of the United States.

But the mansion changed its owners,  
Generations came and went,  
Echoed there the voice of sadness  
Joy, love, woe and discontent.

The old house has its romances as well as its stern realities, and the spreading willow seen at the left is said to have grown from a walking stick left standing in the ground by a young gallant who accompanied his sweetheart home to the old historical house.

And the willow, neat and glossy  
For a century or more,  
Has its yellow catkins scattered  
Lavishly before the door.

**T**was a walking stick, and planted,  
In the twilight by a Beau,  
As a token to the lady  
Whom he courted long ago.

This account of the "garrison" house was given to Edward L. Bond by a Peaslee living in **Darien**, Conn. Hannah gave the account to me to copy **11th Mo. 5<sup>th</sup>**, 1955.  
Ruth W. Peaslee **Engle**

More About JOSEPH PEASLEE:

Education: learned to be a doctor from his practicing father<sup>22,23</sup>

Occupation: Physician<sup>23</sup>

Religion: Society of Friends<sup>24,25</sup>

Notes for JOSEPH PEASLEE:

[florences-potts-ancestors.FTW]

He received children's land in Amesbury in 1659 (after his father died) and a "township" in Amesbury in 1660, but lived in Haverhill after coming of age. He was a large landowner by grants, inheritance, and purchases, owned saw and grist mills, and had large tracts of land beyond the Seicket River, now Salem, NH., inherited from his father. He built a brick garrison House with bricks imported from England about 1673. This house is in East Haverhill on the highway now called "River Road" and is still standing in good repair, one of the landmarks of Merrimack Valley.

[from Anne Quast]

An article at web site: <http://www.bearclaws.basken.com/jpeasleybio.html> reads as follows:

"Joseph Peasley, Jr. was born in Haverhill, MA in 1646. He was the son of Joseph, Sr, the immigrant and his wife, Mary (perhaps Johnson). Joseph was raised in the eastern part of Haverhill, near to Amesbury in the old riverfront settlement of Rocks Village. The Peasley family members were of a dissenting frame of mind, especially when it came to church affairs. They spoke their minds on many occasions, and often what they had to say didn't agree with the doctrine of the established church. That they got away with this behavior, may be because they were eminently useful to the town, and also, probably due to the fact that they didn't live in the more populated area of Haverhill, When, in 1699 the town of Haverhill voted to build a new meeting house, Joseph formally requested permission for himself and those who worshipped in their own way (Quakers) to hold their meetings in the new building. but the town refused to grant the request. So, he and the other dissenters, met at his house, and this band of Friends held the first meeting of the

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society in the part of the country at that site. Large groups of folk would assemble at the so called quarterly meetings, there to listen to addresses by the more notable speakers of the day. Earlier, in 1693, Joseph had built a sawmill on a local river, and he was also a physician who ministered to his neighbors. He owned a fortified house, to which people could repair, in the event of an Indian attack. This house was built in the 1690s and still stands in the eastern part of Haverhill, known as Rocks Village. Joseph and his first wife Ruth (Barnard) Peasley were ancestors, through their daughter, Mary, of John Greenleaf Whittier. After Ruth's death in 1723, Joseph married Mary (Tucker) Davis, widow of Stephen. Joseph died 21 March, 1734/35, and as those of the Quaker faith eschewed any large stones at gravesites, the site of his grave is unknown.

Children of JOSEPH PEASLEE and RUTH BARNARD are:

- i. MARY PEASLEE<sup>26</sup>, b. July 14, 1672, Salisbury, MA; m. JOSEPH WHITTIER, May 24, 1694.

Notes for JOSEPH WHITTIER:

This is the family connection to the poet John Greenleaf Whittier for whom Whittier college is named.

- ii. JOSEPH PEASLEE<sup>26</sup>, b. July 19, 1674, Haverhill, Essex, MA; m. ELIZABETH HASTINGS, 1699, Salem, NH.
- iii. ROBERT PEASLEE<sup>26</sup>, b. February 03, 1676/77, Haverhill, Essex, MA; m. (1) ANN SARGENT; m. (2) ALICE CURRIER, December 16, 1701.
6. iv. JOHN<sup>6</sup> PEASLEE, b. February 25, 1678/79, Haverhill, MA; d. 1752, Newton, NH.
- v. NATHANIEL PEASLEE<sup>26</sup>, b. June 25, 1682, Haverhill, Essex, MA; m. JUDITH KIMBALL.
- vi. RUTH PEASLEE<sup>26</sup>, b. February 25, 1683/84, Salisbury or Haverhill, Essex, MA; d. November 05, 1723<sup>27</sup>; m. SAMUEL CLEMENTS, July 25, 1705.
- vii. EBENEZER PEASLEE<sup>28</sup>, b. February 29, 1687/88, Haverhill, Essex, MA; d. April 11, 1689, Haverhill, Essex, MA.
- viii. SARAH PEASLEE<sup>28</sup>, b. August 15, 1690, Haverhill, Essex, MA; m. EBENEZER EASTMAN, March 04, 1709/10.

These names and dates are from web site: <http://home.eznet.net/~sadler/peaslee.htm>

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**6. JOHN<sup>6</sup> PEASLEE** (*JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>?1</sup>*)<sup>29</sup> was born February 25, 1678/79 in Haverhill, MA<sup>30,31,32</sup>, and died 1752 in Newton, NH<sup>33,34</sup>. He married (1) MARY MARTIN<sup>34</sup> May 01, 1705 in Amesbury, Essex, MA, at the house of Thomas Barnard in Amesbury<sup>35,36,37</sup>, daughter of JOHN MARTIN and MARY WEED. She was born 1680 in Arnesbury, MA<sup>37</sup>, and died Bef. 1745. He married (2) MARY NEWBEGIN August 18, 1745.

See Descendants of Richard North (p.77) for ancestors of Mary Martin. Mary's grandmother was Susanna Martin, hung during the Salem Witch scare of 1692.

John Peaslee was a farmer and large land owner. The records of this family are, apparently incomplete and scattered; some appearing at Haverhill, others parts at Amesbury and on church records of Society of Friends, Amesbury.<sup>114</sup>

Marriage Notes for JOHN PEASLEE and MARY MARTIN:

The marriage of John & Mary was the first marriage recorded among the Society of Friends at Hampton, NH at the home of Thomas Barnard in 1704. Thomas Nickolls and Joshua Purrington had been appointed at a previous meeting to inquire if they were free to marry. The record was signed by John Peaslee, Mary Martin and 47 others.

Children of JOHN PEASLEE and MARY MARTIN are:

- i. JOSEPH<sup>7</sup> PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. March 07, 1704/05, Haverhill, NH; m. MARTHA HOAG.
- ii. JOHN PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. December 09, 1707, Haverhill, Essex, MA; m. LYDIA.
- iii. SARAH PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. February 20, 1707/08, Haverhill, Essex, MA.
- iv. MARY PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. Bet. 1709 - 1719; m. ELIPHALET HOYTE, August 01, 1745.
7. v. JACOB PEASLEE, b. May 11, 1710, Haverhill, Essex, MA; d. July 29, 1744, Kingston, Rockingham, NH. M. Hulda Brown

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- vi. NATHAN PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. September 20, 1711; m. LYDIA GOVE, 1741.
- vii. RUTH PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. 1712, Haverhill, Essex, MA.
- viii. DAVID PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. April 03, 1713, Amesbury, NH (now MA); d. 1800, Sutton, NH.
- ix. MOSES PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. 1714, Amesbury, NH (now MA); m. MARY GOVE, December 15, 1742.
- x. JAMES PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. 1715, Amesbury, NH (now MA); m. ABIGAIL JOHNSON, January 13, 1741/42.
- xi. EBENEZER PEASLEE<sup>38</sup>, b. 1716, Amesbury, NH (now MA); m. LYDIA WEED, June 23, 1744.

Note from Anne Quast:

The above information is listed on <http://home.eznet.net/~sadler/peaslee.htm>  
Since many of the above dates appear a little suspect, other sources of confirmation should be checked. A note on the website: <http://www.best.com/~mpeaslee/genealogy/d0005/g0000454.htm>  
Tells us that John and Mary Martin Peaslee had sixty grandchildren and their dants are found in many towns of New Hampshire, Canada, and throughout the States. This information comes from Old Families of Salisbury and Amesbury which has the call number H974.45 S 167 at the New York State Library. The marriage of John and Mary was the first marriage recorded among the Society of Friends at Hampton, New Hampshire at the home of Thomas Barnard in 1704. Thomas Nickolls and Joshua Purrington had been appointed at a previous meeting to inquire if they were free to marry. The record was signed by John Peaslee, Mary and 47 others

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7. JACOB<sup>7</sup> PEASLEE (*JOHN<sup>6</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>39</sup> was born May 11, 1710 in Haverhill, Essex, MA<sup>40,41</sup>, and died July 29, 1744 in Kingston, Rockingham, NH<sup>42,43</sup>. He married HULDAH BROWN<sup>43</sup> October 25, 1735 in Amesbury, Essex, MA<sup>43</sup>, daughter of JOHN BROWN and ABIGAIL JOHNSON. She was born September 03, 1715 in Seabrook, Rockingham, NH<sup>43</sup>.

Child of JACOB PEASLEE and HULDAH BROWN is:

- 8. i. ELIJAH<sup>8</sup> PEASLEE, b. July 16, 1741, Kingston, Rockingham Co., NH; d. July 29, 1810, Pittsfield, Merimack, NH.

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8. ELIJAH<sup>8</sup> PEASLEE (*JACOB<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>43</sup> was born July 16, 1741 in Kingston, Rockingham Co., NH<sup>44,45</sup>, and died July 29, 1810 in Pittsfield, Merimack, NH<sup>46,47</sup>. He married ESTHER GOODELL<sup>47</sup> January 17, 1766<sup>47</sup>. She was born January 16, 1745/46 in Gloucester Co., NJ<sup>47</sup>, and died Bef. 1830<sup>47</sup>.

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.(this account was given to us the summer of 1953 when we had a very enjoyable little visit with Francis Peaslee, his wife, Elizabeth, and with his sister, Elizabeth).

From Cathy Pidcock Thomas records, she suspects the writer is Emma Engle.

The sun was **sinking in the West** on April 14<sup>th</sup>, 1768, when Elijah Peaslee halted his weary oxen before the log hut he had built the previous fall on the Southern slope of Catamount Mountain. He helped his wife, Esther, and their two children down from the feather bed they had ridden on in the bottom of the cart and then carried the bed and woolen blankets inside. He had built a stone fireplace on one end of the cabin and left fitted wood, so, as soon as he could get a spark he would have a warm fire going. The babies stopped wimpering while their Mother fed them and Elijah went out and removed the yoke from the oxen, and secured them in the log stockade he had prepared. It had been a long, hard journey from Kingston, N.H. requiring four days from daylight to dark and the last few miles from the worn trail in Epsom had been especially fierce as he often had to cut trees to get the two wheel cart through and the exhausted oxen had been determined not to cross the swollen water of Bear Brook on which one of his sons later built a dam of stones and logs to make a pond for his tannery. After he had pulled his aching feet from the crude leather boots, he munched some of the corn bread which had been their standby on this trip to their life-time hoae, and was soon asleep.

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The next morning the sun rose clear and warm and this couple forgot the world they had left behind; to start in earnest and with all the courage of youth to establish a home in the wilderness. They could not hope for any of the things we call necessities today, but a shelter for the family and a means of supporting it with their own efforts was all they asked. We know that they had much sorrow and loss of children and exposure to our Northern climate but from their old family Bible and the character their children showed, we know they knew God and realized the true values of life.

From this crude and to us impossible start, Elijah, in a lifetime was able to gain title to four hundred acres of land and to help each of his sons to a farm of their own. He used to tan hides and make fisherman shoes which he sold for \$6.00 a pair. Samuel settled in another part of town and had eleven children. Amos started a tannery on Bear Brook and later sold to his brother, John (1818) when he moved to New Jersey where he had located a place in his travels as a Quaker minister. It took about two weeks for the trip. Abraham moved to New York State and Mary, the only daughter to grow to maturity, married Moses Dow and had many descendants in Pittsfield.

It must have been gratifying to see other settlers follow them and help establish a school and Meeting House. Within ten years or so, Pittsfield village was organized. We wonder if they left their property many times a year, but in caring for their family and building a two story house. They were too busy to worry over entertainment and selfish diversions. We can truly say they made good use of their privileges and lived worthwhile lives with little money and no help from the government.

Notes for ELIJAH PEASLEE:  
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p. 869, NHS1a2379044; Ancestry.com

More About ELIJAH PEASLEE:  
Census: 1800, New Hampshire Federal Census Index<sup>47</sup>  
Occupation: preacher<sup>48,49</sup>

Children of ELIJAH PEASLEE and ESTHER GOODELL are:

9. i. AMOS<sup>9</sup> PEASLEE, b. July 17, 1780, Gilmanton, Belknap, NH; d. May 29, 1866, Kingston, Rockingham NH.
- ii. RUTH PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.
- iii. JACOB PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.
- iv. ANNA PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.
- v. HULDAH PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.
- vi. SAMUEL PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.
- vii. ABRAHAM PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.
- viii. JOHN PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.
- ix. MARY PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.
- x. STEPHEN PEASLEE<sup>50</sup>.

The above came from the website <http://www.best.com/~mpeaslee/genealogy/d0004/g0000320.htm>

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9. AMOS<sup>9</sup> PEASLEE (ELIJAH<sup>8</sup>, JACOB<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>)<sup>51</sup> was born July 17, 1780 in Gilmanton, Belknap, NH<sup>52,53,54,55</sup>, and died May 29, 1866 in Kingston, Rockingham NH<sup>56,57,58</sup>. He married SARAH JENKINS<sup>59,60,61</sup> February 04, 1802 in Pittsfield, Rockingham Co., Merick, NH<sup>62,63</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM JENKINS and RUTH FRYE. She was born July 23, 1773 in Kittery, York, Maine possibly Pittsfield<sup>64,65,66,67</sup>, and died August 25, 1888<sup>68,69</sup>.

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See The descendants of Edward Jenkins (p.53 ) for the ancestors of Sarah Jenkins.



Amos Peaslee



Sarah Jenkins Peaslee

Notes for AMOS PEASLEE:  
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Quaker records state 7-17-1780

Federal Population Schedule, NH 1810 Federal Census Index, NHS1a2379038

12/30/1829 Amos produced a certificate from Woodbury Monthly Meeting, to marry. (to marry Sarah N.

Allen) 1/6/1830, Amos & minor son, Amos J. Peaslee (17), received on certificate from Woodbury Monthly Meeting, dated 6/28/1830 to Salem MM

12/30/ 1835, Amos & wife Sarah N., & minor daughter Sarah Allen, granted certificate to Green St. Monthly Meeting, Philadelphia of Gloucester Co., NJ 1829 Emma had Frederick Tolles from Swarthmore microfilm the Diary of Amos Peaslee which is now in their records. (son of Elijah) (the preacher) Cathy Thomas also has a copy of the diary. Typing it up is on her "to-do" list.

Census: 1790, US Census, NH, Strafford, Dover<sup>72</sup>

Religion: Quaker<sup>73,74</sup>

More About AMOS PEASLEE:

Burial: Fair Hill, Philadelphia, PA<sup>70,71,72</sup>

More About SARAH JENKINS:

Religion: Quaker<sup>77,78</sup>

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Burial: Mickleton Friends Burying Ground<sup>75,76</sup>

Children of AMOS PEASLEE and SARAH JENKINS are:

10. i. AMOS JENKINS<sup>10</sup> PEASLEE, b. April 24, 1813, Pittsfield NH; d. September 11, 1889, afternoon of Pneumonia.

ii. ANNA PEASLEE<sup>79</sup> married Isaac B. Ward 12/1829. rocf from Haddonfield MM 4/1830 into Woodbury MM. He was disowned from membership 6/1834. They moved to Camden, NJ

iii. ELIJAH PEASLEE<sup>79</sup> b. after 1801, died of tuberculosis 12/7/1831, buried at Mickleton Friends' yard.

ESTHER PEASLEE<sup>79</sup> b. after 1798, died of tuberculosis 3/28/1828, buried at Mickleton Friends' yard.

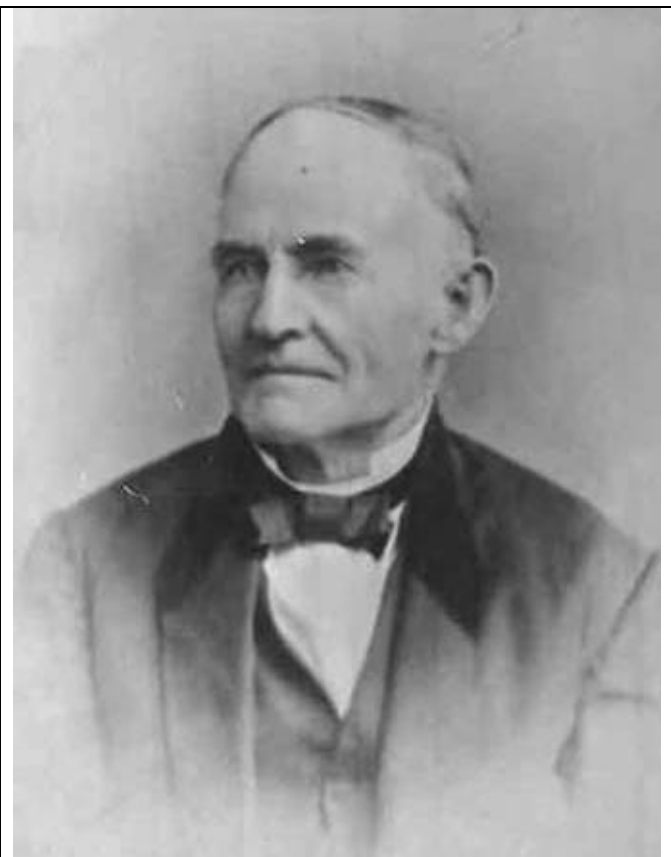
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**10.** AMOS JENKINS<sup>10</sup> PEASLEE (*AMOS<sup>9</sup>, ELIJAH<sup>8</sup>, JACOB<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>80,81</sup> was born April 24, 1813 in Pittsfield NH<sup>82,83,84,85,86</sup>, and died September 11, 1889 in afternoon of Pneumonia<sup>87,88,89</sup>. He married HANNAH LIPPINCOTT<sup>90,91,92</sup> March 02, 1843 in Pilesgrove Twp, Salem, NJ<sup>93,94</sup>, daughter of JOHN LIPPINCOTT and HANNAH MOORE. She was born July 25, 1812 in Pilesgrove Twp, Salem, NJ<sup>95,96,97</sup>, and died March 19, 1890<sup>98,99,100</sup>.

See The Descendants of Lofe of Lovecote, progenitor of the Lippincott line (p 58. ) for the ancestors of Hannah Lippincott.



Hannah Lippincott Peaslee



Amos Jenkins Peaslee

More About AMOS JENKINS PEASLEE:

Occupation: Tanner & Currier<sup>101,102</sup>

Religion: Quaker<sup>102</sup>

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Amos & minor son, Amos J. Peaslee (17), received on certificate from Woodbury Monthly Meeting, dated 6/28/1830 to Salem MM

Amos J. Peaslee brought his certificate back to Woodbury MM from Salem MM 4<sup>th</sup> month 1835.

Amos J. Peaslee was granted a certificate of clearness to Pilesgrove Monthly Meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> month 1843.  
(information collected from Woodbury Monthly Meeting records by James G. and Ruth W. Engles)

Autobiography of Amos J. Peaslee says he bought a "worn-out" farm at Crosswicks when he came from New England and stayed there only a short time.

From Friends Intelligencer v.46 p.601

An elder in Upper Greenwich Preparative and Woodbury Monthly Meeting

Greatly useful in Meetings for business. Liberal contributor to starting Swarthmore College. Active part in forming and carrying on the Friends Publication Association which afterwards became Friends' Book association of which he was director for many years.

Burial: Mickleton Friends Graveyard NJ

Notes for HANNAH LIPPINCOTT:

[florence-potts-ancestors.FTW]

abt. 1823

More About HANNAH LIPPINCOTT:

Religion: Quaker<sup>102</sup>

Child of AMOS PEASLEE and HANNAH LIPPINCOTT is:

i. ESTHER LIPPINCOTT<sup>11</sup> PEASLEE<sup>103,104,105</sup>, b. March 16, 1851, Greenwich Twp, Gloucester Co., Berkley, NJ<sup>106,107,108,109,110,111,112</sup>; d. March 13, 1896, Trenton, NJ; m. GEORGE SHERMAN POTTS<sup>113</sup>, March 11, 1875, Woodbury MM; b. September 28, 1845, Laurence Township, Mercer Co. NJ; d. October 21, 1898, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ.

*Generation No. 10*

**11.** ESTHER LIPPINCOTT<sup>11</sup> PEASLEE (*AMOS JENKINS<sup>10</sup>, AMOS<sup>9</sup>, ELIJAH<sup>8</sup>, JACOB<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>5</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, ROBERT<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>80,81</sup> b. March 16, 1851, Greenwich Twp, Gloucester Co., Berkley, NJ<sup>106,107,108,109,110,111,112</sup>; d. March 13, 1896, Trenton, NJ; m. GEORGE SHERMAN POTTS<sup>113</sup>, March 11, 1875, Woodbury MM; b. September 28, 1845, Laurence Township, Mercer Co. NJ; d. October 21, 1898, Trenton, Mercer Co. NJ.

See The Descendants of John Potts (p 2) for the ancestors of George Sherman Potts and the descendants of George and Esther Peaslee Potts.

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113. Michelle Macler Cox, 2004*Michelle Macler Cox-RootsWeb*, (macchilly@aol.com), macchilly@aol.com.

114. George F. Beede, Esq., of Fremont who delivered the lecture "Our Peaslee Ancestors" in response to the toast "Our Ancestors" at the Peaslee Reunion, held at Plainstow, August 17, 1898. The talk concludes with this paragraph: This brief sketch of the early Peaslee families shows many prominent traits of character which the ancestor Joseph Peaslee left as an inheritance to his descendants. Freedom of religious opinion, self-reliance, courage, intelligence and business tact are the leading traits of each generation. They were brainy men of fine physique, good citizens, prominent in town and church affairs.

## Descendants of William Pitman

### *Generation No. 1*

1. WILLIAM<sup>1</sup> PITMAN<sup>1</sup> was born 1632 in Oyster River, NH<sup>1</sup>, and died 1682 in Durham, Stratford, NH<sup>1</sup>. He married ANN ROBERTS<sup>1</sup> Bef. 1661 in Durham, Dover, NH<sup>1</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM ROBERTS and ANN. She was born 1650<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of William Roberts (p. 104 ) for ancestors of Ann Roberts.

Notes for WILLIAM PITMAN:  
[florence-potts-ancestors.FTW]

blacksmith

No records found at the Stratford City Clerk or State Registrar of NH

Child of WILLIAM PITMAN and ANN ROBERTS is:

2. i. ELIZABETH<sup>2</sup> PITMAN, b. Oyster River, ME; d. 1687, Oyster River, ME.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. ELIZABETH<sup>2</sup> PITMAN (*WILLIAM<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup> was born in Oyster River, ME<sup>1</sup>, and died 1687 in Oyster River, ME<sup>1</sup>. She married STEPHEN JENKINS<sup>1</sup> 1678<sup>1</sup>, son of REYNOLDS JENKINS and ANNE GALL. He was born 1653 in USA<sup>1</sup>, and died July 18, 1694 in Oyster River, ME<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of Edward Jenkins (p. 53) for the ancestors of Stephen Jenkins and the Descendants of Stephen and Elizabeth Pitman Jenkins

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of William Roberts

### *Generation No. 1*

1. WILLIAM<sup>1</sup> ROBERTS<sup>1</sup> died 1673<sup>1</sup>. He married ANN<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for WILLIAM ROBERTS:  
[florence-potts-ancestors.FTW]

Wm. was fined for mending the stocks 5/5/1643. Perhaps he did a poor job.

1/12/1645 Darby Field conveyed to Wm. land at Oyster River, which "was in the use of Thomas Roberts" between lands of Matthew Giles and Thomas Stevenson. This shows that he was related to Thomas Roberts of Dover. Nick, perhaps a son, not named in the will of Thomas Roberts.

On the 6th and 8th month 1650 he and others were fined for going to the ordinary in the time of the meeting, on the 25th of May last.

In 1664 he deeded his farm to William Pitman and his oldest son Ezekiel Pitman. It may be that his dau., Ann, had married William Pitman.

William Roberts and Ann Roberts, evidently his wife gave testimony in 1673.

He was killed by Indians in 1676.

CD 2-Wm. Roberts listed in Dover in 1648  
a William Roberts in 1673 in Kittery, Maine  
also a William Roberts Jr. in 1703 in Maine  
a William Roberts in Kittery in 1744.

Child of WILLIAM ROBERTS and ANN is:

2. i. ANN<sup>2</sup> ROBERTS, b. 1650.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. ANN<sup>2</sup> ROBERTS (WILLIAM<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1650<sup>1</sup>. She married WILLIAM PITMAN<sup>1</sup> Bef. 1661 in Durham, Dover, NH<sup>1</sup>. He was born 1632 in Oyster River, NH<sup>1</sup>, and died 1682 in Durham, Stratford, NH<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of William Pittman (p. 103) for descendants of William and Ann Roberts Pittman.

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of John Stacye

### *Generation No. 1*

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> STACYE<sup>1</sup> was born Abt. 1539 in Ballifield, York, England<sup>1</sup>, and died 1593 in York, England<sup>1</sup>. He married ANNE PARKER<sup>1</sup> Bet. 1564 - 1570 in York, England<sup>1</sup>, daughter of THOMAS PARKER and ELIZABETH HOLMES. She was born Abt. 1543 in Balefield, York, England<sup>1</sup>, and died July 15, 1609 in York, England<sup>1</sup>.

See Descendants of John Parker (p. 85) for ancestors of Anne Parker.

More About JOHN STACYE:  
Burial: 1593, England<sup>2</sup>

Children of JOHN STACYE and ANNE PARKER are:

- i. KATHERINE<sup>2</sup> STACYE<sup>3</sup>, b. Abt. 1561.
- ii. ELIZABETH STACYE<sup>3</sup>, b. June 27, 1567.Christening: June 27, 1567
- iii. ANNE STACYE<sup>3</sup>.Christening: November 08, 1572
2. iv. THOMAS STACYE, b. February 24, 1573/74, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England; d. February 10, 1631/32, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England. m. ANN BOOTH<sup>9</sup>, May 18, 1597, Handsworth, England<sup>9</sup>; b. July 08, 1579, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England<sup>9</sup>.
- v. PHILLIPA STACYE<sup>3</sup>, b. February 28, 1576/77.Christening: February 28, 1576/77

### *Generation No. 2*

2. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> STACYE (*JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>4</sup> was born February 24, 1573/74 in Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England<sup>4</sup>, and died February 10, 1631/32 in Handsworth, Yorkshire, England<sup>4</sup>. He married ANN BOOTH<sup>4</sup> May 18, 1597 in Handsworth, England<sup>4</sup>, daughter of JOHN BOOTH and ANN REVEL. She was born July 08, 1579 in Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England<sup>4</sup>.

More About THOMAS STACYE:  
Christening: February 24, 1574/75, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England

Children of THOMAS STACYE and ANN BOOTH are:

3. i. JOHN<sup>3</sup> STACYE, b. Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England; d. September 30, 1658, York, England.
- ii. ELIZABETH STACYE<sup>5</sup>.Christening: March 11, 1599/00
- iii. HELEN STACYE<sup>5</sup>.Christening: April 07, 1607
- iv. THOMAS STACYE<sup>5</sup>.Christening: May 28, 1609
- v. MARGARET STACYE<sup>5</sup>.Christening: October 16, 1611
- vi. ROBERT STACYE<sup>5</sup>. Christening: July 20, 1614
- vii. MARY STACYE<sup>5</sup>.Christening: April 18, 1616
- viii. CUTHBERT STACYE<sup>5</sup>.Christening: November 15, 1618
- ix. ANNE STACYE<sup>5</sup>.Christening: August 19, 1627

### *Generation No. 3*

3. JOHN<sup>3</sup> STACYE (*THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>6</sup> was born in Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England<sup>6</sup>, and died September 30, 1658 in York, England<sup>6</sup>. He married MARY FULLWOOD<sup>6</sup> December 16, 1618 in Handsworth, England<sup>6</sup>, daughter of JOHN FULLWOOD and MARY GARLAND. She was born Abt. 1600 in Balifield, York, England<sup>6</sup>, and died January 23, 1682/83 in England<sup>6</sup>.

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More About JOHN STACYE:

Christening: January 28, 1597/98, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England<sup>7</sup>

Children of JOHN STACYE and MARY FULLWOOD are:

- i. THOMAS<sup>4</sup> STACYE<sup>7</sup>, b. 1619, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England.
- ii. MARY STACYE<sup>7</sup>, b. 1621, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England.
- iii. JOHN STACYE<sup>7</sup>, b. 1623, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England.
- iv. WILLIAM STACYE<sup>7</sup>, b. 1625, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England.
- v. MATTHIAS STACYE<sup>7</sup>, b. 1627, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England.
- vi. HELEN STACYE<sup>7</sup>, b. 1629, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England.
- vii. ANNE STACYE<sup>7</sup>, b. 1631, Ballifield, Handsworth, Yorkshire, England.
- viii. ROBERT STACYE<sup>7</sup>, b. 1633, Ballifield, Yorkshire, England.
4. ix. MAHLON STACY, b. July 01, 1638, Dorehouse, Handsworth, County York, England; d. Bet. February 03 - 05, 1703/04, Falls of the Delaware, New Jersey Colony.

*Generation No. 4*

**4. MAHLON<sup>4</sup> STACY** (*JOHN<sup>3</sup> STACYE*, *THOMAS<sup>2</sup>*, *JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>8</sup> was born July 01, 1638 in Dorehouse, Handsworth, County York, England<sup>9,10</sup>, and died Bet. February 03 - 05, 1703/04 in Falls of the Delaware, New Jersey Colony<sup>11,12</sup>. He married REBECCA ELY<sup>13</sup> July 29, 1668 in Dore house, Handsworth, Cloune, Derby, England<sup>14</sup>, daughter of GEORGE ELY and SARAH HEATH. She was born 1648 in Utterly Manor, Mansfield, England<sup>14</sup>, and died October 26, 1711 in Mansfield, Nottingham, Burlington, NJ<sup>14</sup>.

Notes for REBECCA ELY:

There are two possibilities for Rebecca Ely's parentage:

From: Michele Macler Cox records: Richard Ely born 1627 Staffield, Yorkshire, England spouse unknown

From Anne Quast records: George Ely & Sarah Heath

Notes for MAHLON STACY:

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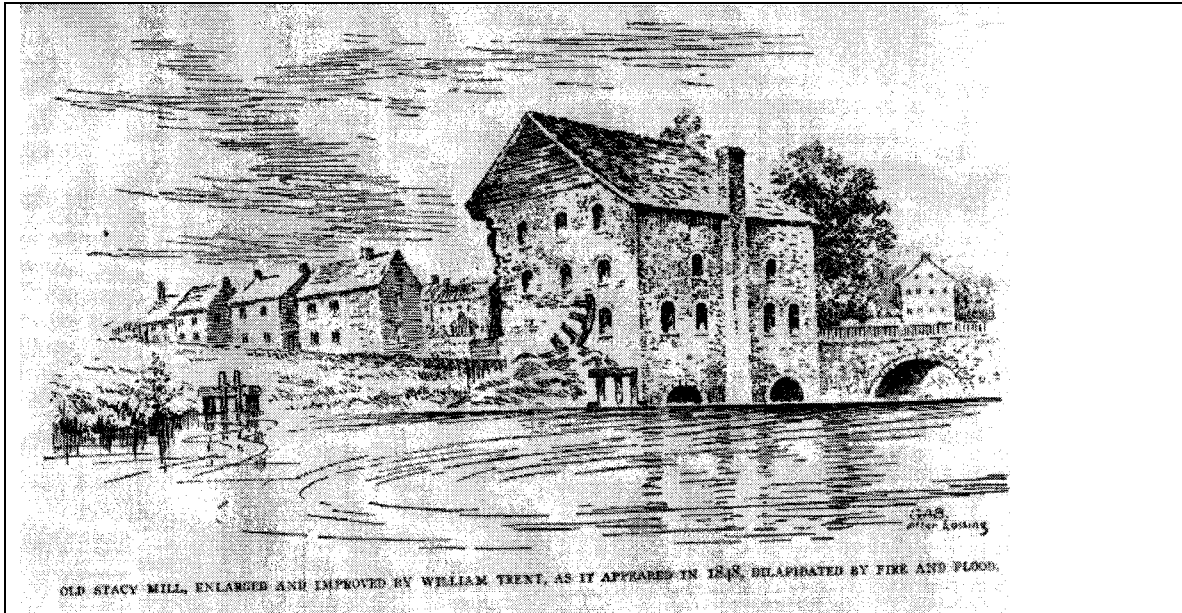
Immigrated to NJ with Thomas Potts on the ship the "Shield". Their families intermarried. Mentions Mahlon Kirkbride in his will, son of one of his daughters. Witnesses to will Peter Frettwell, Samuel Frettwell; William Emley, Senior.

# Death: 2 MAY 1704

Occupation: yeoman<sup>17,18</sup>

One of the founders of Trenton, NJ. His mill shows on a 1680 map of NJ

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Old Stacy Mill, enlarged and improved by William Trent, as it appeared in 1848, dilapidated by fire and flood.

# Reference Number: 824

# Note:

FROM: Calendar of New Jersey Wills, VOL XXIII, 1670-1730, p437,  
1703-4 Jan. 11. STACY, MAHLON, of Balifield, Nottingham Township, Burlington  
Co., yeoman; will of. Wife Rebecca. Children---Mahlon (under 21), Elizabeth,  
Mary, Ruth, Rebecca; Mahlon Kirkbride co-heir. Plantation of 500 acres at  
Balifield, land on South side of Great Shabbacunck, do. between the greater  
and the lesser Shabbacunck, the York Road and the Assunpinck, 400 a. on the  
South side of the Assunpinck. Personal estate. Executors--the wife and son  
Mahlon.

Witnesses---Peter Fretwell, William Emley senior. Proved April 24, 1704.  
1704 April 25. Inventory of the estate (£1034.-6, all personal); made by  
Abel Jancey, Samuel Beaks, Will: Beakes and Francis Davenport. Burlington  
Wills

FROM: Calendar of New Jersey Wills, VOL XXIII, 1670-1730, p437,  
1711 Aug. 20. STACY, RABAKAH, of Belifield, Nottingham Township, Burlington  
Co., widow; will of. Daughters--Elizabeth, Mary, Ruth and Rabakah Wright,  
son Mahlon Stacy, grandson Mahlon Kirkbride (under age); legacy to Sarah Ely  
of some money and the remainder of her time (as bound servant); to "nager"  
woman Jane of her freedom and 20s. yearly for life. Real and personal  
estate. Son Mahlon executor. Witnesses: William Palmer, John Moore, Andrew  
Robeson junior. Proved October 26, 1711.

!711 Sept. 10. Inventory of the personal estate, £381.15.8, old currency,  
incl. "History of Josephus, three great Bibles and other books," £6.-, purse,  
apparill and plate £38.-, two negro boys £100; made by Jno. Bainbridge and  
John Brearley.

He owned land at the Falls of the Delaware (now Trenton, New Jersey). He was a signer of the Constitution of West New Jersey in 1676. He was a member of the Assembly in 1681 and later of the House of Representatives from 1697-1701. Mahlon was a member of the Governors Council in 1682 and 1683 and a member of Council of Proprietors in 1688.

(Taken from A History of Trenton 1679-1929 by The Trenton Historical Society page 35.)

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More About MAHLON STACY:

Arrived in USA: December 1678, on "Shield" to Burlington, NJ

Burial: Friends Burying Ground in Notingham Township<sup>15,16</sup>

Christening: July 01, 1638, Balifield, Twp of Nottingham, (now Mercer Co.) Co. of Burlington, province of Nova Cesarea, Yorkshire, England<sup>16</sup>

Religion: Quaker

Children of MAHLON STACY and REBECCA ELY are:

5. i. RUTH STACY, b. March 30, 1680, Trenton, Mercer Co, "The Falls", N.J.; d. June 09, 1775, Chester, Burlington, NJ.
6. ii. REBECCA<sup>5</sup> STACY, b. June 08, 1684; d. Aft. 1756.
- iii. JOHN STACY, b. November 30, 1671, Balifield, Yorkshire, England; d. December 11, 1671, Balifield, Yorkshire, England.
- iv. ELIZABETH STACY, b. October 17, 1673, Dorehouse, Yorkshire, Eng; d. 1748. She married ABEL JANNEY June 18, 1700 in Chesterfield MM, Burlington, NJ. He was born December 26, 1671 in Mobberly, Cheshire, England.
- v. SARAH STACY, b. June 07, 1675; d. September 29, 1703. She married JOSEPH KIRKBRIDE February 17, 1701/02 in Dore House. He was born Abt. 1675.
- vi. MARY STACY, b. April 12, 1677, Dorehouse near Sindergreen, Yorkshire, Eng; m. REUBEN POWNALL<sup>19</sup>, March 01, 1699/00, Chesterfield MM, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>20</sup>; b. January 07, 1666/67, Lostock Gralam, Witton, Great Budsworth, Cheshire, Eng.

Notes for MARY STACY:

FROM: Calendar of New Jersey Wills--1761-1770, p337,

1755, Sept 24. POWNALL, MARY, of Chester, Burlington Co., widow; will of.

My sister, Ruth Atkinson, is deceased, and I give to her daughters, viz.

Rebekah Say and Ruth Bispham, and to my sister, Rebeckah Potts, 1/2 of estate

between them. Sister Elizabeth Janney, is deceased, and I give to her two

daughters, Rebekah Poolly and Elizabeth Stakehouse, the rest.

Executors--Thomas Say, of Philadelphia, merchant, and Joshua Bispham, of

Chester Township. in said co.

Witnesses: Earl Shinn, Samuel Atkinson, John Cox. Proved May 10, 1763.

1763, April 25. Inventory, £967.11.6, made by Samuel Atkinson, Jr., and John Cox.

- vii. REBECCA STACY, b. 1682; d. Bef. 1684.

- viii. MAHLON STACY, b. Bet. 1668 - 1698; d. 1742; m. SARAH BAINBRIDGE; b. Bet. 1668 - 1698.

Note: In 1730 Thomas Potts III married Sarah Beakes who was Mahlon and Rebecca Ely Stacy's granddaughter, through their daughter Ruth who had married William Beakes. In 1741 Thomas's father Thomas Potts married Sarah Beakes Potts aunt, Rebecca Stacy Wright, who was her mother's sister and also a child of Mahlon and Rebecca Ely Stacy. It was Thomas Potts third marriage and Rebecca Stacy Wright Potts second. There were no offspring from the union.

*Generation No. 5*

5. RUTH<sup>5</sup> STACY (*MAHLON<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup> STACYE, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>27,28</sup> was born March 30, 1680 in Trenton, Mercer Co, "The Falls", N.J.<sup>29</sup>, and died June 09, 1775 in Chester, Burlington, NJ<sup>30</sup>. She married (1) WILLIAM BEAKES, JR.<sup>31</sup> March 03, 1704/05 in Chesterfield MM, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>32,33,34</sup>, son of WILLIAM BEAKES and MARY WALL. He was born June 22, 1663 in Backwell, Somersetshire, England<sup>35</sup>, and died April 1711 in Bucks Co, PA<sup>36,37</sup>. She married (2) SAMUEL ATKINSON<sup>38</sup> September 12, 1714 in Chesterfield, Burlington County, NJ<sup>39,40</sup>. He was born July 17, 1685 in Bristol Twp, bucks County<sup>41,42</sup>, and died February 1775 in Chester Twp, Burlington, New Jersey<sup>43,44</sup>.

Notes for RUTH STACY:

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Ruth STACY, b. 30th of 1 [or 7] month, 1680 at the Falls of the Delaware [Trenton, NJ], d.9 Jun 1755, married

1) 3 3 month 1705 to William BEAKES, Jr. (b.1663 or 5 or 8, d. Mar/Apr 1711, his 2nd marriage) by whom she had Sarah, Stacy, and Nathan.

married 2) reported 2 7 month 1714 to Samuel ATKINSON (b.17 5 month 1685,d.21 Feb 1775) by whom she had Thomas, Rebecca [my line], Ruth, Elizabeth, and Samuel.

More About RUTH STACY:

Religion: Quaker

Notes for WILLIAM BEAKES, JR.:

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Arrived in America on The "Samuel and Mary"<sup>45</sup> November 1683, Thomas Skeves, master

William Beakes' will was dated March 24, 1710-1. It was proved on the 27<sup>th</sup> of April, 1711.

Falls was organized in 1692. Original settlers: Joshua Hoops, John Palmer, John Collins, William and Charles Biles, William Darke, John Haycock, John Wheeler, Jonathan Witscard, John Parsons, Andrew Elland, William Beaks, William Nevables, John Luff, Jeffrey Hawkins, Ann Millcomb, James Hill, John and Thomas Rowland, Thomas Atkinson, Thomas Wolf, Ralph Smith, John Wood, Daniel Brindsly, John Acreman, Joshua Bore, Robert Lucas, Gilbert Wheeler, Samuel Darke, Daniel Gardner, Lyonel Britton, George Brown, James Harrison and George Heathcote.

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Children of RUTH STACY and WILLIAM BEAKES are:

7. i. SARAH BEAKES<sup>45</sup>, b. March 12, 1705/06, Nottingham, Chester Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>46,47</sup>; d. July 11, 1757, Mansfield, Burlington, NJ<sup>47</sup>; m. THOMAS POTTS III<sup>48</sup>, October 29, 1730, Chesterfield Meeting House, Chester Twp., Burlington, NJ<sup>49,50</sup>; b. October 17, 1706, Mansfield Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>51,52</sup>; d. May 31, 1742, Mansfield, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>53,54</sup>.

ii. STACY BEAKES<sup>57</sup>, b. Abt. 1708, Burlington, NJ<sup>57</sup>; d. November 30, 1745<sup>57</sup>.

iii. NATHAN BEAKES<sup>57</sup>, b. Abt. 1710, Chesterfield, Burlington Co, NJ<sup>58,59</sup>; d. December 28, 1785, Trenton, Mercer Co, NJ<sup>60,61</sup>; m. August 02, 1753, Camden, Camden Co, NJ<sup>61</sup>.

Children of RUTH STACY and SAMUEL ATKINSON are:

iv. RUTH ATKINSON.

v. THOMAS ATKINSON, m. SUSANNAH SHINN.

vi. SAMUEL ATKINSON, b. April 10, 1722; d. October 10, 1781.

vii. REBECCA ATKINSON<sup>62</sup>, b. 1716, Chesterfield Township, Burlington Co. NJ; d. June 26, 1795.

viii. ELIZABETH ATKINSON, b. October 02, 1718.

6. REBECCA<sup>5</sup> STACY (*MAHLON<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup> STACYE, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 08, 1684, and died Aft. 1756. She married (1) JOSHUA WRIGHT April 07, 1705 in Chesterfield Monthly Meeting. She married (2) THOMAS POTTS March 08, 1741/42<sup>21</sup>, son of THOMAS POTTS and JOANI. He was born December 30, 1677 in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England<sup>22</sup>, and died February 02, 1754 in Philadelphia, PA<sup>22</sup>.

Children of REBECCA STACY and JOSHUA WRIGHT are:

i. JOSHUA WRIGHT, b. 1707; d. 1752.

ii. MAHLON WRIGHT, b. 1714; d. February 09, 1785, New Hanover Township, Burlington Co. NJ.

iii. NATHAN WRIGHT.

iv. DAVID WRIGHT, b. 1706, New Hanover Township, Burlington Co. NJ; d. July 19, 1791.

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v. ELIZABETH WRIGHT, b. 1708; d. January 27, 1746/47; m. ISAAC KNIGHT, November 13, 1729, Haddonfield Monthly Meeting.  
REBECCA WRIGHT, b. 1724; d. 1790; m. JOHN TERRY.

Generation No. 6

7. SARAH BEAKES<sup>45</sup>(RUTH<sup>5</sup>, MAHLON<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup> STACYE, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>)<sup>27</sup>. b. March 12, 1705/06, Nottingham, Chester Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>46,47</sup>; d. July 11, 1757, Mansfield, Burlington, NJ<sup>47</sup>; m. THOMAS POTTS III<sup>48</sup>, October 29, 1730, Chesterfield Meeting House, Chester Twp., Burlington, NJ<sup>49,50</sup>; b. October 17, 1706, Mansfield Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>51,52</sup>; d. May 31, 1742, Mansfield, Burlington Co., NJ<sup>53,54</sup>.

See the Descendants of John Potts (p. 2 ) for the ancestors of Thomas Potts and the Descendants of Thomas and Sarah Beakes Potts.

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## Descendants of William Williams

### *Generation No. 1*

1. WILLIAM<sup>1</sup> WILLIAMS<sup>1</sup>. He married ALICE<sup>1</sup>.

Child of WILLIAM WILLIAMS and ALICE is:

2. i. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> WILLIAMS.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> WILLIAMS (*WILLIAM<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup>. He married MARGARET STEVENSON<sup>1</sup>, daughter of THOMAS STEVENSON and MARGARET.

Child of WILLIAM WILLIAMS and MARGARET STEVENSON is:

3. i. ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> WILLIAMS<sup>1</sup>, m. SAMUEL HILL<sup>1</sup>.

Notes for SAMUEL HILL:

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says daughter Hannah More inherits house lott number 9 and warehouse lott number 12 on the Bank in Portsmouth. Also one acre of land for an orchard in Kittery near Shapleigh's Creek.

### *Generation No3*

3. ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> WILLIAMS (WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, *WILLIAM<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup>. She married SAMUEL HILL<sup>1</sup>, son of THOMAS STEVENSON and MARGARET.

4. i. Hannah Hill, m. William Frye 1694. She was born in Dover, ME<sup>1</sup>

### *Generation No4*

4. Hannah Hill (ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> WILLIAMS ,WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, *WILLIAM<sup>1</sup>*)<sup>1</sup>, m. William Frye 1694. She was born in Dover, ME<sup>1</sup>

See the Descendants of Adrian Frye (p.44 ) for the ancestors of William Frye and the descendants of William and Hannah Hill Frye.

### *Endnotes*

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## Descendants of Oliver Yardley

### *Generation No. 1*

1. OLIVER<sup>1</sup> YARDLEY was born in Yardley, County Stafford.

Child of OLIVER YARDLEY is:

2. i. JOHN<sup>2</sup> YARDLEY, b. Killingworth.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. JOHN<sup>2</sup> YARDLEY (*OLIVER<sup>1</sup>*) was born in Killingworth. He married MARGARET YARDLEY, daughter of JOHN YARDLEY and TICKENS. She was born in Killingsworth.

Child of JOHN YARDLEY and MARGARET YARDLEY is:

3. i. JOHN<sup>3</sup> YARDLEY.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. JOHN<sup>3</sup> YARDLEY (*JOHN<sup>2</sup>, OLIVER<sup>1</sup>*) He married ELIZABETH BIRKES, daughter of WILLIAM BIRKES. WILLIAM<sup>1</sup> BIRKES was born in County Stafford

Child of JOHN YARDLEY and ELIZABETH BIRKES is:

4. i. WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> YARDLEY, b. County Stafford.

### *Generation No. 4*

4. WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> YARDLEY (*JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, OLIVER<sup>1</sup>*) was born in County Stafford. He married ELIZABETH MORTON, daughter of WILLIAM MORTON and ALICE BRERERTON. Elizabeth and her parents were born in Morton, County Chester.

Child of WILLIAM YARDLEY and ELIZABETH MORTON is:

5. i. WILLIAM<sup>5</sup> YARDLEY.

### *Generation No. 5*

5. WILLIAM<sup>5</sup> YARDLEY (*WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, OLIVER<sup>1</sup>*) He married MARGERY LAWTON, daughter of JOHN LAWTON, who was born in Lawton.

Child of WILLIAM YARDLEY and MARGERY LAWTON is:

6. i. JOHN<sup>6</sup> YARDLEY, b. 1579.

### *Generation No. 6*

6. JOHN<sup>6</sup> YARDLEY (*WILLIAM<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, OLIVER<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1579. He married ALICE SUTTON. She was born in Rushton Spencer, County Stafford.

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Child of JOHN YARDLEY and ALICE SUTTON is:

7. i. WILLIAM<sup>7</sup> YARDLEY, b. 1600, Stafford, England.

*Generation No. 7*

7. WILLIAM<sup>7</sup> YARDLEY (JOHN<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, OLIVER<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born 1600 in Stafford, England<sup>1</sup>. He married DOROTHY DRAKE, daughter of SIR JOHN DRAKE. She died Abt. 1636.

Children of WILLIAM YARDLEY and DOROTHY DRAKE are:

8. i. THOMAS<sup>8</sup> YARDLEY, b. Bet. 1630 - 1637, Rushton, Stafford, England; d. Rushton, Stafford, England.
  - ii. WILLIAM YARDLEY, b. 1632, Ransclough, Stafford; d. May 09, 1693. He married JANE. Occupation: yeoman .Immigration: July 28, 1682, Friends Adventure. In addition to the family, they brought their servant Andrew Heath indentured for 4 years. Loosed the 29th day of 7th month 1686 with wages of 50 acres of land.
    - i. ENOCH<sup>9</sup> YARDLEY.
    - ii. THOMAS YARDLEY.
    - iii. WILLIAM YARDLEY.

*Generation No. 8*

8. THOMAS<sup>8</sup> YARDLEY (WILLIAM<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, OLIVER<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1</sup> was born Bet. 1630 - 1637 in Rushton, Stafford, England<sup>1</sup>, and died in Rushton, Stafford, England<sup>1</sup>.

Children of THOMAS YARDLEY are:

9. i. THOMAS<sup>9</sup> YARDLEY, b. 1685, The Beeches, Rushton, Stafford, England; d. 1756, Lower Makefield, Bucks, PA.
  - ii. SAMUEL YARDLEY.

*Generation No. 9*

THOMAS<sup>9</sup> YARDLEY (THOMAS<sup>8</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>7</sup>, JOHN<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, OLIVER<sup>1</sup>)<sup>1,2</sup> was born 1685 in The Beeches, Rushton, Stafford, England<sup>3</sup>, and died 1756 in Lower Makefield, Bucks, PA<sup>3</sup>. He married ANN BILES<sup>3</sup> February 1705/06 in Bucks Co, PA<sup>3</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM BILES and JOANNAH HELLARD. She was born June 13, 1685 in Falls, Bucks, PA<sup>3</sup>.

See The Descendants of Andrew Biles (p.31) for Ann Biles ancestry.

Notes for THOMAS YARDLEY:

Arrived in America in 1704 after he inherited the estate of his uncle William. His uncle had arrived on the Friends Adventure in 1682.

Children of THOMAS YARDLEY and ANN BILES are:

- i. MARY<sup>10</sup> YARDLEY, b. August 04, 1707.
- ii. JANE YARDLEY, b. November 20, 1708.
- iii. REBECCA YARDLEY, b. July 27, 1710.
- iv. SARAH YARDLEY, b. July 30, 1712.
- v. JOYCE YARDLEY, b. October 03, 1714.
10. vi. WILLIAM YARDLEY, b. January 24, 1716/17, Bucks Co, PA; d. August 03, 1774, Lower Makefield, Bucks, PA.
  - vii. HANNAH YARDLEY, b. November 13, 1717.
  - viii. THOMAS YARDLEY, b. November 01, 1720; d. March 12, 1803.
  - ix. SAMUEL YARDLEY, b. April 12, 1723; d. August 12, 1726.

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x. SAMUEL YARDLEY, b. July 13, 1729; d. 1759.

*Generation No. 10*

**10.** WILLIAM<sup>10</sup> YARDLEY (*THOMAS*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>7</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *OLIVER*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>3</sup> was born January 24, 1716/17 in Bucks Co, PA<sup>3</sup>, and died August 03, 1774 in Lower Makefield, Bucks, PA<sup>3</sup>. He married (1) ANN BUDD<sup>3</sup> April 20, 1748<sup>3</sup>. She was born Abt. 1720 in NJ<sup>3</sup>, and died 1753 in Bucks Co, PA<sup>3</sup>. He married (2) SARAH KIRKBRIDE March 31, 1756, daughter of MAHLON KIRKBRIDE and MARY SOTCHER. She was born December 13, 1729, and died January 21, 1783.

More About WILLIAM YARDLEY:

Occupation: 1765, Justice of Bucks Co. PA - appointed by governor of PA

Children of WILLIAM YARDLEY and ANN BUDD are:

- i. ANN<sup>11</sup> YARDLEY, b. April 10, 1749; d. February 25, 1816.
- ii. SARAH YARDLEY, b. February 17, 1750/51; d. January 17, 1786.
11. iii. MARGARETTA YARDLEY, b. December 06, 1752, Bucks, PA<sup>4,5</sup>; d. August 25, 1783, Trenton, Mercer, NJ<sup>5,6</sup>; m. STACY POTTS<sup>6</sup>, April 15, 1773, Upper Makefield, Bucks, PA<sup>7,8</sup>; b. September 20, 1731, Mansfield Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>9,10,11</sup>; d. April 28, 1816, Trenton, Mercer, NJ<sup>12,13,14,15</sup>.

See The Potts Line for Stacy Potts ancestors and the descendants of Stacy and Margarett Yardley Potts.

Children of WILLIAM YARDLEY and SARAH KIRKBRIDE are:

- iv. MARY<sup>11</sup> YARDLEY, b. January 27, 1757; d. October 15, 1793.
  - v. HANNAH YARDLEY, b. October 03, 1758; d. August 08, 1830.
  - vi. ACSAH YARDLEY, b. February 17, 1760; d. March 27, 1827.
  - vii. LETITIA YARDLEY, b. July 12, 1762; d. April 04, 1882.
  - viii. THOMAS YARDLEY, b. October 02, 1763; d. January 26, 1828.
  - ix. MAHLON YARDLEY, b. July 17, 1765; d. November 17, 1829.
  - x. SAMUEL YARDLEY, b. February 28, 1767; d. infancy.
  - xi. WILLIAM YARDLEY, b. June 22, 1769; d. September 01, 1852.
- JOSEPH YARDLEY, b. March 19, 1771; d. October 09, 1831.

*Generation No. 11*

**10.** MARGARETTA YARDLEY<sup>11</sup> (*WILLIAM*<sup>10</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>7</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>6</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>3</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>2</sup>, *OLIVER*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>3</sup>, b. December 06, 1752, Bucks, PA<sup>4,5</sup>; d. August 25, 1783, Trenton, Mercer, NJ<sup>5,6</sup>; m. STACY POTTS<sup>6</sup>, April 15, 1773, Upper Makefield, Bucks, PA<sup>7,8</sup>; b. September 20, 1731, Mansfield Twp., Burlington Co., NJ<sup>9,10,11</sup>; d. April 28, 1816, Trenton, Mercer, NJ<sup>12,13,14,15</sup>.

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