

**Jacob Graves (5)** (1806-7/8/1884), a farmer, married **Margaret M.(4)** (1814-10/18/1890). They had: **Wilbur F. (6)** (1847-8/14/1864); and **Almira B. (7)** (1840-6/29/1842) and **Jennie S. (3)** (1846 10/16/1889). He also married **Fanny(1)** (1810-11/21/1873) and they had Ellen (1843); Jane (1845) and Wilson (1848). He had a sister **Minerva (2)** (1817-5/20/1877) and Fanny 2<sup>nd</sup> (1812).

**Mary F. Blake (8)** (1831-10/24/1870) was the wife of Daniel S. Blake (b. 1825), a farmer, and daughter of **Joseph Patten (11)** (1797-7/4/18749) and **Hannah W. Patten (10)** (1798-1/16/1880). They also had **Arther H. Patten (9)** (1848-11/9/1857). Daniel and Mary had: Alice M. (1865).

**Hugh Rogers (14)** (1785-4/30/1867 married **Isabella (13) Owen** (1783-6/21/1875). He was the son of Capt. John Rogers and Jane Potter, and she was the daughter of Thomas Owen. They had: **Julia Henry (12)** (1815-11/4/1885); Martha (1819); Eliza (1826); Isabella (1830); Almira (1816); Lucy Hunter (1821); Thomas (1826-1903); and Lucinda (1834).

**Jenny Graves (15)** (1776-12/17/1866) married Crispus Graves. Crispus' parents were Johnson Graves and Sarah Staples. He had the following siblings: Elizabeth (1759) ; Lucetta; ; John (1762); William (1765); and Daniel (1758). Jennie's parents were Joseph Berry and Jeanette (Jane) Henry Berry.

Johnson resided in the First Parish of Falmouth and was enumerated there as a taxpayer in 1760. He was a brother of Samuel and Joseph Graves who came to Topsham with Samuel Staples about 1757. Another brother, John Graves, also came to Topsham. Johnson and Sarah were residents of Topsham by 1763 when Samuel Staples, with John Patten and John Fulton, conveyed to "Johnson Graves of Topsham, yeoman" on 4 March 1763, 50 acres in the Cathance Mill Right, Lot #3 Second Division of what became their homestead. On 15 November 1768 he also bought Lot #4, a fifty acre lot in the Second Division, from his brothers, Samuel and Joseph Graves. On the same day, Adam Hunter sold to the Graves brothers, Samuel, Joseph, Johnson, and John "in equal parts and not by survivorship forever, one full third part of a tract or lot of land lying near the bounds of Bowdoinham...120 rods wide...the track as it now lieth in common and undivided together with one third part of all privileges." Samuel and Stephen Staples witnessed the deed dated 15 November 1768. In 1819 Johnson conveyed his "undivided fourth part of one undivided third part" to his son Crispus Graves.

On 9 July 1784 Johnson Graves bought Lot #62, a one hundred acre lot from Samuel Thompson which he conveyed in 1786 to his son John Graves Jr., who was called "Jr." because his uncle was the elder John Graves in Topsham. On 24 May 1800 Johnson conveyed to his son, Crispus Graves, the homestead property, Lot #3 in the Second Division "it being part of the lot whereon now I live...excepting and reserving the house wherein I now live which is forty feet long and twenty-two feet wide and the barn thereon standing, it being forty-four feet long and thirty feet wide, both which I reserve to myself forever"

Johnson Graves was among those who signed the petition on 21 December 1763 to incorporate the town of Topsham. Though not active in town affairs, he served during the Revolutionary War on the Petty Jury in 1775 and "on the jury at Pownalborough at the Tory tray!" in December 1777. Johnson also served as constable in 1785.

At Lexington and Concord the Revolutionary War began, and it became a war that directly effected the people of Topsham. When the news reached Topsham, Captain William Lithgow and Lieutenant George White, with a company of men, went to Falmouth to defend the seacoast. In May 1775, Colonel Samuel Thompson of Topsham and his men, in what was known locally as "Thompson's War" captured Captain Henry Mowatt, commander of the British warship "Canceau", his surgeon and the Rev. John Wiswall of St. Paul's Church in Falmouth. At the urgency of

several prominent men of Falmouth, Captain Mowatt and the others were released. When Mowatt left, he took the Rev. John Wiswall with him. A few months later, nearly all of Falmouth Neck (Portland) was burned at Mowatt's hand.

Johnson Graves and his brothers-in-law were in their forties when the war broke out, so it was the sons who first served in the Revolution. Stephen, the son of Samuel, and Joseph, the son of Stephen, served at Falmouth in 1776 and 1777. As the war dragged on, even the older men served, particularly when the action was close to home.

Johnson Graves, with experience as a Private in Captain Isaac Isley's Back Cove Company of Militia at Falmouth in 1757, served as a Private in Captain Actor Patten's Company, Colonel Samuel Cobb's Regiment, from 6 July 1779 to 25 September 1779. With many of his friends and neighbors, he participated in the ill-fated battle known as the Penobscot Expedition. This version of the action, described as the largest American naval engagement in the Revolutionary War, was taken from "A History of the Town of Unity, Maine" by James Vickery, 1954. "In June 1779 the British forces occupied the coastal town of Bagaduce (now called Castine) from which place they could prey upon American shipping. In an effort to oust them, the Americans sent a force of ships and men under General Lovell to besiege the place. The colonials were almost successful in capturing the poorly fortified town, but American naval forces delayed in giving assistance in destroying two British sloops. In the meantime, four British warships appeared and attacked the large American forces. The Americans seized with panic, ran their ships aground, or burned them and departed pell mell into the Maine woods...there were about 1,800 American Militiamen who were left to get home the best way they could."

At this time Unity was a fledgling community on the Sebasticook River and on a direct route through the wilderness from the Penobscot to the Kennebec River and then down river to the coastal towns. Many of the soldiers passed through the area on their way home. Among them was Johnson Graves. According to Moses Woodman in his "History of Topsham", Mr. Graves struck the Sebasticook where he was met by his brothers, Samuel and John, who on hearing that the remnants of the ill-fated soldiers were endeavoring to wend their way homeward had started on to meet and relieve their suffering brother and fellow patriots. He was found by his brothers much fatigued and in want, but suffering more for the ill success of the expedition. He was among the troops who first engaged in battle in the attempt to land at Bagaduce. When landing or going ashore in boats, the enemy overshot and the bullets flew like hail over their heads. For his service on the Penobscot Expedition, Johnson has been accepted as a Patriot by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Johnson Graves' occupation was identified as a yeoman (a member of a former class of small freeholding farmers in England) in several deeds. The mark of his cattle was recorded on 2 April 1784 as "crop off the Right Ear and a slit under said ear". He was enumerated at Topsham in the valuation of 1771 with one poll and house valued at 2 pounds 15 shillings and 6 pence. In addition, he owned 2 oxen and 3 cattle; 2 acres of pasture that would keep two cows; 1 acre of tillage yielding 10 bushels of grain; and 6 acres of English and Upland mowing land that produced 8 tons of hay. Johnson was also enumerated at Topsham in the census of 1790 and 1800. In 1790 the household included two males over sixteen and two females. Sarah's mother, Elisabeth (Mariner) Staples, was perhaps the other female over 45 years of age residing with them in 1800. After Sarah's death, Johnson married Susanna (Hobbs) Staples. As noted earlier, Johnson conveyed his homestead property to his son Crispus in 1800. In the census of 1810 and 1820, Johnson and Susanna are probably the additional male and female over age of 45 years enumerated with Crispus Graves.

Prior to Johnson's death, his son John Graves Jr. released to his brother Crispus "all my right title and interest in and to the farm owned by my father Johnson Graves and now in his possession situated in said Topsham containing about fifty acres of land...with the buildings thereon" on 11 November 1822. Johnson left no probate record. On 5 May 1824, his son William Graves quitclaimed to Crispus Graves "all my right title and claim of any name or nature in and to the estate of my honoured father, Johnson Graves, late of Topsham, deceased." His wife, Katherine releasing her "Right of Dower". Their sister Elisabeth (Graves) Jaques and her husband Benjamin Jaques, "of Bowdoin, labourers, for twenty-five dollars well and truly paid to us in household furniture and clothing by our beloved brother Crispus Graves of Topsham...convey all our right and title, claim and interest of any name or nature in and to the estate of our honoured father, Johnson Graves, late of Topsham, deceased" on 21 June 1824.

**Hiram Henry (16)** (1807-12/14/1890), a farmer, married **Mary Ellis Winchell (16)** (1805-4/15/1893). They had: **Horace G. (17)** (1841-7/8/1872); **Mary S. (18)** (1843-10/25/1864); and **Sarah W. (19)** (1838-7/30/1856; and Ebenezer W. (1845).

**James Ernest Purington (20)** (1868-5/7/1888) was the son of James & Abbie (Abigail) F. (L) Graves Purington. His father was a farmer He had the following siblings: Wallace M. (1871-1896); and Susan Grace (1873). Abigail has two sisters: **Betsey (21)** (1800-2/23/1861) and **Mary (22)** (1805-8/14/1880).

**Susan Graves (23)** (1825) married **John Graves (24)** (1808-10/30/1888) a farmer. He was the son of Ebenezer Graves and Abigail.

**Joseph Work (25)** (1839-7/5/1876), was a farmer. Albert J. Work, a ships carpenter married **Weltha L. Walker (26)** (1839-10/30/1866). They had: **Albert A. (27)** (1863-3/28/1864). Joseph was in the 19<sup>th</sup> Regiment in the Civil War. Albert J. then married Helen Getchell and they had Ethnon P. Work (b. 1874) and Ella.

**Josiah Staples (29)** (1773-6/22/1858), a farmer, married **Lucy Mallett (28)** (1782-3/25/1870). His father was Stephen and his mother Susanna Hobbs. Josiah and Lucy had Otis (1800-1884); Horacio (1812); George R. (1817-1893); Horace (1821-1890); Josiah (1825-1905); **Lincoln (51)** (1804-11/2/1851), a farmer.; and **Holman (36)** (1908-1/12/1891), a farmer, who married **Lucy G. Moulton (35)** (1816-3/29/1888), daughter of Jedediah and Rachel Moulton. They had **Thomas M. (34)** (1846-2/27/1853); **Samuel F. (34)** (1849-2/12/1853); Mary (1839); Otis (1842); Emily T. (1844) Hannah (1847); Josiah (1851); Lucy Ann (1853) Sarah (1855); Fanny G. (1857) and Julia (1858-1925).

**Capt. Samuel Douglass (30)** (1788-7/29/1868), a farmer, "Our Father", married **Esther B. (31)** (1783-7/28/1874, "Our Mother". They had **Paulina J. (32)** (1818-4/11/1818); **William B. (33)** (1825-7/10/1881); Samuel (1819) and Ester (1829).

**James Rich (37)** (1810-3/17/1873), a farmer, married **Cassandra Rogers (218)** (1808-1871). She was the daughter of William Rogers and Martha Dunning. She had siblings: John D. (1801-1820); William R. (1803-1867); Mary Dunning (1808); Jane Porter (1810); Sarah Potter (1812-1898); and Harriet Newell 1814-1883).

**Mary S. Coombs (38)** (1811-9/22/1895) married Nathaniel Coombs, a farmer who died before she did leaving her a widow. They had: John H. (1837) a printer in Bath in 1860 with whom she lived; Abbie W. (1840) who married George M. Plummer, a teamster in Portland, with whom she lived in 1880; and Isaac (1826).

**Charles Hunter (39)** (1817-10/27/1862) married Sarah N. ? and they had Sarah Maria (1820) and Charles Crawford (1821).

**Hannah Winchell Gray (40)** (1801-5/13/1887) married **Capt. George Gray (41)** (1794-12/24/1826) of Bowdoinham in 1826. She was the daughter of Samuel & Sarah Winchell. They had George (1826) who was a farmer. George Gray, born June 8, 1826 in Topsham, Maine, to Hannah

Winchell Gray and Captain George Gray. He married Cynthia Ann Hammond, born June 19, 1840, in Newport, Rhode Island, to Moses Hammond of Sandwich, Massachusetts and Abby Marble Hammond of Newport, RI. George and Hannah Gray's children were born in Stockton, CA. Cynthia, in 1914 lost both of her legs in an accident in Stockton. She went to Stockton over the Isthmus by steamer in the summer of 1854. Her father and brother had gone to the Gold Rush. Gray was mayor of the pioneers in the years 1862-4, when California was torn by the Civil War. Mrs. Gray lost her legs trying to save her dog out the path of a streetcar. She left a \$90,089 estate. George was sent to a boy's academy in Topsham to be educated for Bowdoin College in Brunswick. Ill health prevented him from pursuing his studies; made an ocean trip and became a pioneer He arrived in 1850 to Calif. With his uncle Capt. Winchell. He constructed a mansion in Stockton in 1872; fancy town down in 1953 for a planned medical center. Capt. George's grave with fancy fence around it in Topsham.

The lumber firm of Simpson & Gray, establish at Stockton in 1853 by the purchase of the interests of Simpson & Jackson, enjoys the distinction of being the oldest continuous co-partnership on the Pacific coast, and its members, A. W. Simpson and George Gray, are entitled to the highest credit for having built up from a small beginning, an industry of large dimensions and great importance. Meanwhile they have contributed to the general development of the city and have paid large amounts to aid in the task of street improvement, which work was taken up about the time their partnership was formed. Besides their city property, they own lands in the county and are rated among the successful and prosperous business men of Stockton.

A native of Maine, Mr. Gray was born June 8, 1826, in the town of Topsham, in what was then Lincoln, but is now Sagadahoc county. His father, Capt. George Gray, descended from an old family of Rhode Island, and his mother was a member of the Winchell family, colonial settlers of Maine. On both sides the ancestors were lumbermen, farmers and seafaring men. The boy grew up almost within sight of the great Atlantic and as he listened to the tales spun by the sailors of winter nights, there arose in his heart a desire to be a sailor, yet duties at home prevented for a time and, after he had attended the country school and an academy, he turned his attention to farming in Lincoln County. The land in that locality affords little encouragement to tillers of the soil and its sterile wastes provide a most meagre sustenance in return for care and cultivation; hence the young man indulged his desire to see something of the world and became a sailor on a vessel between Maine and New Orleans. While following the sea he learned of the discovery of gold in California. November 1, 1849, he sailed before the mast on the ship Birmingham, bound for the Pacific coast via Cape Horn, and after a voyage of one hundred and fifty days under Captain Winchell, an uncle, he landed at San Francisco April 4, 1850, to find himself in the midst of strange conditions and a cosmopolitan population.

Using some boards to construct a boat, Mr. Gray rowed from San Francisco to Stockton and then proceeded to the southern mines, but met with no success. A brief experience on the Feather river terminated his experience as a miner. For a short time he operated a dray in Stockton, next he worked in a saw mill in Sonora, Tuolumne county, and during the summer of 1853 he became a permanent resident of Stockton, where his interests in the state had first centered and where previously he had made his headquarters and terminus. Among his recollections of early days here is the fact that a ferry was operated across a slough where now stands the hall owned by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. For a time he served as president of the San Joaquin County Society of Pioneers and always he has maintained a warm interest in the reunions of the early settlers, with whom he enjoys exchanging stories of pioneer existence and frontier experiences. Since coming to the west he has made three visits to Maine, the first one being made via the Isthmus ten years after his arrival on the coast.

A house that was brought around Cape Horn to California and that is still occupied in Stockton, was the center of a gay circle of pioneers one night in September, 1858 when George Gray and Cynthia A. Hammond were united in marriage. The bride was a native of Newport, R. I., born in 1840, and had come to the western coast during childhood years. Their married life has been one of prosperity and happiness and they own a comfortable home on Fremont street, where their comfort is ministered to by their daughter, Hannah W., the other daughter, Abbie H., being the wife of John Garwood, of Stockton. Both daughters were educated in Stockton schools and are women of refinement and **George E. GRAY**, son of George GRAY and Hannah WINCHELL, was born on 8 June 1826 in Topsham, Sagadahoc, ME. He migrated in from Maine to Stockton, San Joaquin, CA on 5 April 1850 He appeared in

the census on 9 December 1850 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. George appeared in the census in 1852 in San Joaquin Co, CA. In 1853 he was an est Simpson & Gray in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He First Annual Ball for St. Patrick's Birth Day on 17 March 1859 at City Hall in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. On 5 April 1859 George acquired description unreadable from R P Hammond in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA On 11 November 1859 he acquired description unreadable from E B Bateman in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA He was elected as Alderman - First Ward in 1860 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. George was elected as Union Democratic delegate on 8 June 1861 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. On 5 August 1861 he was a Gray & Hickman Store in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. He was appointed surety for county surveyor on 9 October 1861 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA George was elected as mayor in 1863 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. He was elected as a treasurer of the Stockton and Copperopolis Railroad on 11 October 1865 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. About 1866 he was a Lumber dealer in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. George lived Registered to vote in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA on 24 July 1866. He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 In 1884 he was a Simpson & Gray in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. He lived in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA on 17 September 1886. He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 George was elected as president of the Pioneers of the County of San Joaquin in 1888 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. Pioneers who arrived in CA prior to the 1st of January, 1851 were eligible for membership in the Pioneers of the County of San Joaquin. George Gray was elected as president for the term 1888-89. He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He registered to vote - Ward 2, Pct 3 in 1897 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He was listed in the St. Louis City Directory in 1890 He died chronic enteritis on 15 November 1915 at the age of 89 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. George was buried on 18 November 1915 in Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. He was buried on 4 June 1929 in Rural Mausoleum, Stockton, San Joaquin, CA. He has reference number 427. handwritten record from Hannah Gray (dau of George and Cynthia Hammond Gray), written February 13th 1935. Iture.

**Moses Graves (43)** (1778-1/5/1855), a farmer, married **Martha A. Mallett (44)** (1773-7/12/1852) and they had **Joseph W. (45)** (1823-11/21/1868), a farmer; **Caroline Graves (42)** (1813-9/19/1876); Stockbridge (1827), a farmer; and Bernice (1844); Alfred Collamore (1818-1884); Adams, Moses, Deborah (1807). Adams True Graves was born 1904 and married Katharine Hathorn and had Cyrus Edwin (1837), Angelia Catherine (1839), Bernice Mallett (1843) marr. Emery C. Mallett of Topsham. Deborah Graves married Asa Merrill Wood of Bowdoinham and settled in Gardiner dying in 1892; Moses Adams Graves married Ann Sawyer of Topsham; Caroline was unmarried; Collamer M. (1816-1816); Alfred Collamer Graves, b. 1818, married Susan B. Jack and lived in Topsham, they had Edgar Henry (1858-1879), Albert Moses (1860), Cora Estelle (1864-1884), Alfred C. (d. 1884); Joseph William Graves (1820) married Ann C. Berry of Topsham and had son Frank L.; Dr. Stockbridge P. Graves (1826) married F. Ellen Graves, daughter of David Graves of Bowdoinham, they had Martha Ella (1855) Dr. Roscoe S. (1858) and Fred Payne (1866). Moses and Martha has: Martha (1783); Adams (1804); Deborah (1807); Moses (1810); Caroline (1813); Collamore M. (1816-1816); Alfred, Joseph, and Stockbridge.

**Lewis M. Work (46)** (1823-2/22/1856), a farmer, "Husband and Father" was the son of David and Mary Eaton Work. His sister was Josephine Work who married Dennett and is buried in Riverview Cemetery. In 1853 was postmaster in Topsham and in Dec. 1853 took over the grocery store that had been operated by Mr. F. Littlefield in Topsham.

Abel E Work James Work the great grandfather of Capt Abel E Work of Bath was born in the City of Cork near Dublin his great grandmother was Elizabeth Work but no relation of her husband They came to America about 1722 resided thirteen years on Birch Island in 1735 they moved to Topsham and settled on a farm of one hundred acres bought of the Pejepscot Proprietors on the Bay road both died about 1760 They had two sons and three daughters The grandfather Ebenezer Work was born on the

passage from Europe in 1722 He married Olive Sullivan of Scituate Mass born in 1724 They lived and died on the old farm he in December 1826 and she in December 1827 Their children were John James David William Margaret Jane Mary Elizabeth Lydia and Mary The father David Work the third son of the above was born in Topsham in 1777 married Mary Eaton of Topsham 1801 or 1802 she was born in 1784 and died in 1876 he died in 1861 when nearly 84 years of age They lived and died on the homestead farm Their children were fifteen of whom eleven lived to grow up Oliver Lucy David Joseph Benjamin Catharine Charles Susan **Lewis M** Harriet Humphrey Statira Abel E Those living are **David**, Susan, and Abel E David lives on the homestead and married Mrs Hannah Griffin of Topsham in 1882 Abel E was brought up on his father's farm and commenced going to sea in 1850 when sixteen years old and became captain in 1862 commanding successively the brig President Benson of Baltimore bark Halcyon and ships Bombay Oregon and Thomas M Reed of Bath never met with an accident in twenty six years only lost one man by sickness and one lost overboard On June 13 1874 he married Augusta Fisher who was born in Arrowsic September 11 1843 daughter of AD Fisher has one child Ruth Pearl born in Bath April 1 1877.

James Mustard (1788-1840) and Dorcas Gammon (1798-1840) Mustard had an **infant son , (47)** (9/3/1821) and **Elinor (47)** (1823-10/4/1825) and Abigail (1839-1840) along with an infant son (1821-1821). James and Dorcas, and Abigail are buried in Haley Cemetery. Dorcas Gammon married James Mustard after she had married Enoch Perkins, son of Jabez Perkins and Nancy Pray. Dorcas and Enoch had: **Mary J. Perkins (48)**(1817-9/28/1825). Enoch had also married Sybil Walker (1794-1816).

**Fanny Jack Graves (49)** (1775-2/2/1856) married **Jacob Graves (50)** (1773-9/14/1855), a farmer. Fanny was the daughter of Andrew Jack and Frances Merryman. Fanny and Jacob had Andrew (1818-1855); Minerva (1818) Fanny (1812) and Jacob (1806) who married Margaret Staples.

**Joseph Work (52)** (1813-12/16/1839) lost from the Brig Bidou (Epitaph from G. Pullen of Augusta)

**William Alexander (53)** (1774-6/25/1793) Probably born in Harpswell after his family moved there from Topsham. His grandfather was William who married Jennett Wilson of Topsham. His parents were David Alexander and Anna Ewing. He had siblings: Joseph (1765); David (1767-1818); Anna (1769); Isaac (1774) and Isabella (1774).

**William Porter (54)**(1794-8/14/1794) was the son of Benjamin Jones & Elizabeth L. Porter. Dr. Porter was a Maine State House Rep. in 1800,01,03 and 04 as well as a State Senator from Topsham in 182,13. His house at 19-26 Elm Street was built in 1802. He was a surgeon in the Revolutionary War. He was a prominent business man in Topsham before moving to Camden in 1829. William had a sister Mary (1792) and two brothers: Rufus King Jones (1799) and Charles Richard (1797).

Dr. Aaron Porter born in Boxford the 28th of March 1752 married Paulina King a daughter of Richard King She was a sister of Rufus King and half sister of Gov King and Elizabeth L who married Dr Benjamin Jones Porter The first settlement of Dr Aaron Porter was in Biddeford Maine in 1773 where he

had a large practice which he retained till his removal to Portland in 1810 He does not appear to have been drawn aside from his profession by the allurements of commerce although he was one of the early proprietors of Porterfield now the town of Porter in the county of Oxford Maine named in honor of himself.

Surgeon's Mate Porter went from Topsham He was the son of Capt Billy Porter of the 11th Massachusetts regiment from Beverly Massachusetts He married Elizabeth L King daughter of Richard King and practised medicine in Scarborough Westbrook and Portland He was a man of rare conversational powers and great suavity of manners was a member of the governor's council and senator from Lincoln County He removed to Camden in 1829 and died August 18 1847 aged eighty four years.

He was treasurer and on the Board of Trustees for Bowdoin College. He was in business with his brother William King (Gov.) In 1814 Bowdoin funds were found to be badly involved in Porter's personal account and putting them in jeopardy. The Trustees attached the property of his bondsman William King. This included the ships at King's wharf already loaded and ready for sea. They were held up and the wharf and store attached and all his business halted. King was incensed and declared he would have nothing more to do with the College. A long time later, after Porter was exonerated from any criminal action and all funds were restored, King was reconciled with Bowdoin and returned to its Board of Trustees and was a benefactor of the College to his death. At the end of his life he had financial troubles and his wife told the College he could not send any more funds. They named the chapel after him anyway. Porter as a State Commissioner that negotiated the statehood of Maine with Massachusetts at the Jameson Tavern in Freeport in 1820. The decided to give MA \$180,000 for her part of public lands; \$30,000 of it in Indian Claims that Maine assumed and rest \$150,000 at 5% for 40 years.

**Thomas Hunter (55)** (1771-4/15/1846), a farmer, married **Sally Wilson Hunter (55)** (1779-1/31/1865). He was the son of James (1735-1809) and Abigail Williams Hunter (1734-1829) and grandson of Adam Hunter and Mary Lithgow. Thomas and Sally had: Abigail E. (1757) Jane (1758); Adam (1759) Margaret (1759) James Jr. (1760); Mary (1762); Susanna (1763) and William (1765). Sally was the daughter of Thomas Wilson and Ann Cochran Wilson. Thomas was a sergeant in the first Topsham Militia.

**Alvin Hunter (55)** (1817-1/13/189?) served in the 1<sup>st</sup> Maine Regiment Cavalry in the Civil War and was a farmer. He was the son of Adam Hunter (**189**), a farmer, and Priscilla Foote (**190**). His sister was **Sarah Winchell Hunter (186)** (1814-1895) who was a widow when she died. He also had sisters: **Julia Foote (195)** (1812-1812) and **Martha (194)** (1811-1843) as well as **Charlotte A. (191)** (1829); Jonathan Hardy; **George L. (192)** (1816-1854); Arthur (d. 1829); and **Priscilla F. (188)** (1826-1896).

**Silence A. Hunter (55)** (1815-3/6/1865) probably another sister to Alvin and Daughter to Adam and Priscilla.

**Susan T. Hunter (55)** (1795-4/2/1868) Probably the mother of Silence A. Hunter.

**Samuel Mustard (61)** (1770-10/13/1791)

**Margaret Hunter (63)** (1763-1/17/1836) married **Robert Hunter (62)** (1745-2/19/1808).

Adam Hunter (1710-176) was a Revolutionary War Captain. He married, in Georgetown, in 1732, Mary Lithgow (1709).. He and Mary had: Elizabeth (1733) who married William Woodside of Brunswick; Col. James (1735-1809) who married Abigail Williams. He was buried in Rogers Cemetery; Susannah (1737-1799) who married Capt. Benjamin Lemont (1734) of Georgetown; Mary (1738-1780) who married Capt. James Lemont of Georgetown; Jane (1740) who married Joseph Berry; William (1741-1766); John (1743) who married, in 1765, Margaret Wilson (b. 1745); Lt. Robert (1745-1808) who married (1) Mrs. Susannah Thompson and (2) Margaret Randall of Topsham; Margaret (1747-1831) who married Robert Patten (1743); Arthur (1749-1829) who married Sarah Winchell (1750-1840) and they had Samuel who is buried in the 1<sup>st</sup> Parish Cemetery in Topsham. No stone has been found. Col. James Hunter (1735-1809), son of Adam and Mary, married Abigail Williams (1734-1824) and they had: **Thomas Hunter (55)** who married **Sally Wilson Hunter (55)**. Thomas and Sally had: Abigail (1757); Jane (1758); **Adam (1759) (189)**; Margaret (1759); James Jr. (1760); Mary (1762); Susannah (1763); and William (1765). **Adam Hunter (159)** was a farmer and married **Priscilla Foote (190)** and they had: **Alvin Hunter (55)** (1817-1/13/189?) who served in the 1<sup>st</sup> Maine Regiment Cavalry in the Civil War and was a farmer; **Sarah Winchell (186)** (1814-1843), a widow when she die **Julia Foote (195)** (1812-1812) and **Martha (194)** (1811-1843) as well as **Charlotte A. (191)** (1829); Jonathan Hardy ; **George L. (192)** (1816-1854)); Arthur (d. 1829); and **Priscilla F. (188)** (1826-1896).

**Abigail Graves (64)**(1790-2/22/1864) married **Thomas Graves (65)** (1783- 7/13/1826). They had: **Abigail I (66)** (1822-3/14/1831); **Martha J. (67)**(1817-4/18/1834). They had the following children: Melinda (1810); Harriet (1811) Harvey (1813); Albert (1815); Martha (1818); Louisa (1820); Abigail (1822) and Benjamin J. (1824). Thomas was the son of Samuel Graves and Mary Jack and had siblings: Mry; Jacob; Ebenezer; Samuel, Ann and Susannah.

**Maj. James Mustard (68)** (1857-4/5/1784) married Priscilla Hinkley and they had Charity.

**William Mustard (69)** (1855-7/7/1775)

**John Mustard (70)** (1754-2/21/1779)

**Capt. James Mustard (72)** (1725-8/16/1793) married **Charity Reed Mustard (71)** (1733-7/21/1787). Charity was the daughter of **William (100) and Mary (99) Reed**. He was a woodmaker. They had John (1753-1779) who married Abigail Randall; William (1755-1775); James (1757-1784); Mary



(1759-1911); **Margaret Mustard (73)** (1763-9/25/1791) ; David (1765-1794) who married Elizabeth Stinson; Captain Charles (1767-1812); Same I (1770-1791); Joseph (1772-1833) who married Agnes Fulton; and Charity (1775) who married Samuel White.

**Philip Godfrid Hoyt (77)** (1754-6/24/1790) was the earliest physician in Topsham. He married Elizabeth (Betsey)Kinson in 1777. They had **John Hoyt (74)** (1786-8/27/1789); **Gustavus A. (75)** (1788-1/27/1789) and **Betsey (76)** (1783-2/17/1783); Martha (1780); Philip (1781); Samuel (1779); Abigail (1777); and John (1786). When Philip died his widow married Dr. William Oliver and moved to New Hampshire. He had studied with her husband.

**Alexander Potter (78)** (1711-4/14/1800), son of Alexander, married **Jane Potter (79)** (1717-4/15/1781).

**Eliza Holland (81)** (1786-9/16/1808) was the wife of Capt. John Holland. They had **Eliza (80)** (1807-9/7/1812). John was in the first Artillery Company in the Topsham contingent of the Massachusetts Militia.

On December 25, 1854, the Brunswick and Lewiston stage line was established, John Holland, Jr., being the agent. A passenger coach, capable of seating nine persons inside, left Lewiston for Brunswick every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, and arrived at the latter place in season for the noon train for Bath and Augusta.

**Hugh Wilson (83)** ( 1729-6/9/1769) emigrated from Ulster, Ireland in 1719. He had: Jennett; **Hugh Wilson (82)** (1763 -1/7/1799); Robert (1727); Samuel (1732) who married Mary Reed (1) and (2) Elizabeth Snow Holbrook. He was an innkeeper in Topsham (1762-1766); William 1734); Alexander (1736) Jane who married William Alexander and moved to Harpswell; Martha (1763-1838) who married Ebenezer Farrin; James; Betsey who married Jessie Davis; and William F. (1769-1837) who married (1) Sarah Chase and (2) Deborah Page. Martha is buried at Riverview Cemetery in Topsham.

James Wilson emigrated from Ulster, Ireland in 1719.<sup>(1)</sup> James settled with his family among a colony of Scotch-Irish immigrants in Topsham, Maine about 1719.<sup>(2)</sup>

Wheeler, in his subchapter *Family Histories* - "Wilson," says "A James Wilson was called<sup>(3)</sup> the father of Hugh, and so was probably father of Robert, Samuel, William, Alexander, and Jane, who m. William Alexander of Topsham, afterwards of Harpswell." All were called "early settlers of Topsham." Also among those early settlers was Thomas Wilson, who, "according to family tradition, was of no relation to others of the name."

**Josiah Sandford (85)** (1785-8/10/1855) married **Mary Wilson (84)** (1789-11/6/1856). He was a member of the Maine House in 1840-1) from Topsham. He was also a selectman from Topsham.

Thomas Wilson married Ann Cochrane of Londonderry, N.H. They had: William Wilson, who was born in Boston and came to Topsham when about one year old, and died here Apr. 15, 1826, aged 84 years. His wife was Mary Patten, daughter of Robert Patten of Kennebunk, who never resided here, and who was the father of Actor Patten of this Topsham. Actor Patten was the father of Hugh Patten and of Actor Patten, 3rd.

This William and Mary Wilson had eleven children: -Robert, married Margaret Owen of Brunswick for 1st wife; Mary Preble of Bowdoinham for second wife; Lettice, married David Owen of Wayne; Johnson, married Hannah, daughter of Gideon Walker and who afterwards absconded; Actor, of Bowdoin, married a Pennell; Ann, was wife of Actor Patten, 3rd, Esq., and mother of John S. Patten.

Peter, who died non-sane idiot by fits; Thomas, of Bowdoinham, unmarried; Isaac, of Strong; **Mary**, married **Josiah Sandford**, a Selectman of Topsham; Rachel, married Joel Thompson of Lisbon; and Adam, a graduate of Bowdoin College in class of 1819, and editor of Zions Advocate, in Portland who married Ann Pullen; and Henry.

John Sandford was born 1724 in Bridgehampton, NY. He had: Esther (1779); John (1781); William (1783); **Josiah** (1785); Lettice (1787); Susan (1789); Hezekiah (1791); James Wilson (1793); Mary Wilson (1795); Benjamin and **Thomas (1777)**. Thomas married Esther Topping (1799) and had Benjamin Franklin Sandford (1816) who married Mary Minerva Thwing (1835) in Boston.

**Cordelia Rideout Sandford (86)** (1842-4/6/1848) married Capt. **Benjamin** Flanders Sandford in 1842, , who was a brick mason. He was born in Bowdoinham (1823-1914)); Benjamin's parents were Josiah (1785) and Sarah T. Flanders Sandford (1788).

**Gideon Owen (87)** (1742-7/8/1792) was the son of John Owen (1720) and Margaret Mustard (1735). He married Jane White (1743), the daughter of Hugh and Jane (Given) White. He was a boatbuilder and farmer. He had siblings: Thomas (1784); William (1739-1799) who married Mary Dunning from Brunswick (1740-1818); Samuel; and James (1746).

Gideon (John, Nathaniel, William) Owen was baptised in Falmouth in 1742, probably born in April, and died at Topsham 8 July 1792. He married 1 December 1763 Jane, daughter of Hugh and Jane (Given) White of Brunswick. Gideon was a boat builder and farmer. He was one of six sons mentioned in his father's will in 1752, and seems to have settled in Brunswick about the time of his marriage. A deed from Jane Spear conveying him his ten-acre home lot on Middle Bay, subsequently enlarged, is dated in April 1764. In 1775 Gideon was a member of the Committee of Inspection at Brunswick and in 1776 he was commissioned lieutenant in Capt. William Stanwood's 2nd (Brunswick) Company of the 2nd Cumberland County Regiment. In September, 1776, he purchased of William and Daniel Randall 79 acres on the west side of Muddy River in Topsham whereon he afterward lived, later enlarging his property there. His Topsham farm seems to have been part of lots 20 and 21 on the 1768 plan of that town. In 1786 he was a signer of the petition for the erection of a light house on Seguin Island. He appears as the administrator of

the estate of his son-in-law, William Wilson, and at various times his name is connected with other matters in Probate Court; and there, are many real estate transactions to which he was a party. He was an active and substantial citizen and died possessed of a considerable estate. He died however intestate and on petition of his widow and sons Hugh and Thomas his son John was appointed administrator.

Gideon and Margaret also had Margaret (174-1840 who married (1) **Lt. William Wilson (88)** (1851-11/12/1786) and (2) David Perry, son of Jonathan Perry and Margaret Malcolm. Lt. William Wilson was the son of William Wilson and Isabella Larrabee. Margaret married (2) David Perry.

**Enoch Perkins (89)** (1791-8/5/1819) married **Sybil (90) Walker** (1794-3/19/1815). Enoch also married Dorcas Gammon who also married James Mustard. Sybil Staples was the daughter of Samuel Staples of Topsham and Sybil Winslow. She married William Walker (a shoemaker) in 1783 or 1785; They set the date and requested that Rev. John Miller of Brunswick officiate. The wedding was to take place in Topsham either at the house of her parents or the meeting house. No bridge across the river existed at this time and a sudden and unusual freshet prevented all crossings on the ferry. Rev. Miller was on the Brunswick side and communicate loudly with the bridal party on the Topsham side (Wheeler and Wheeler). William and Sybil joined hands and heard Miller's voice across the river pronouncing them man and wife. They had: (born in Falmouth and some died in Peru, Maine). Hezekiah (1784-1848) who married Dorcas Hobbs; Susanna (1785-1853) who married Jedediah White; George (1786-1866) who married Melinda Holmes; Sally (1788-) who married Josiah Hobbs; William (1790-1868) Jr. who married Martha Knight and was a shoemaker and hotel owner in Peru, Me.; Nathan (1792-1863) who married Francine Torrey; Rebecca (1795-1841) who married William Kyle; Charity (1787-) who married Amos Kyle; Mary 91800-1842) who married Edsel Groves; Samuel (1805-1881) who married Mary N. Klye; Eliza S. (1808-1849) who married Joseph Ricker; and **Sibyl (1794-1816)** who married Enoch Perkins of Topham. She cut her own throat. Josiah Pierce (1792-1866) while at Bowdoin College wrote a letter to his sister Hannah in Baldwin about the suicide. "It was more astonishing as the subject of this unnatural act seemed to have everything that a female could wish for; she had been married but 3 weeks before to an amicable man, her own unbiased choice; a man too in affluent circumstances. She cut her throat in a most shocking manner and died in a few hours. Appeltton (2<sup>nd</sup> President of Bowdoin College and a Minister) preached the funeral sermon to a very great assembly. I am told she was a believer in the doctrine of universal salvatation.

**Jebez PERKINS** was born in 1755. He died on 26 Nov 1853 in Topsham, Me. He married Joanna PRAY on 14 Oct 1777. She was born in Berwick, me. She died on 24 Aug 1829 in Topsham, Me.

They had the following children: Jacob (1778); Joseph (1780); Samuel (1782-1831); Josiah (1785); Nahum (1787); Mary (1787); Noah (1791); **Enoch (1791)**; Jabez (1795) and Wentworth (1799).

**Sally Fulton Winchell (93)** (1773-10/6/1845) married **Samuel Winchell (94)** (1768-10/28/1819). He was the brother of Jennette (1769) who married John Perry. Sally and Samuel had **Capt. Robert Winchell (92)** (1796-5/14/1822) who at sea in St. Pierre Martinico; **Capt. Eben Winchell (91)** (1798-5/1/1834) who died at sea; John (1803-1838) **John Winchell (92)** (1799-9/30/1822); Samuel (1805-1805); Mary Ellis (1806) James Fulton (1808) **Henry Winchell (91)** (1808-12/26/1838); Thomas Jefferson (1810); James Madison (1810) and Sarah Ann Fulton (1813).

**Daniel Winchell (95)** (1776-9/21/1812) was the son of Daniel & Ann Winchell.

**Rebeckah Tucker (96)** (1791-7/12/1796) was the daughter of Francis Peace Tucker (1762-1838) and Peace Emery (1769-1837). They are buried at Riverview Cemetery in Topsham. Their other children: Daniel (1794-1830); Sarah (1797-1799); Frances (1797-1808) and Rebecca (1800-1850). Francis was a blacksmith. Their other children are buried there in Riverview as well.

Benjamin Randall and Sarah Oakman had: Paul (1736-1807); Benjamin (1725-1786); Daniel (1744-1816); Ezra (1729-1818), a shipwright; Elizabeth (1738); **Huldah Randall (97)** (1732-11/28/1782); Joseph (1723-1759); Isiah (1731); William; Sarah; Mary; and Josiah.

**Robert Reed (98)** (1777-9/7/1822) married **Hannah House (98)** (1786-5/27/1856). They had Matthew P. Reed (1816); Statira Reed (1835-1863) who married William Whitehead (1836-1812) and they had Myrtle (1864-1951); Sewall Reed (1813) who married **Jane (191)**.

**William Reed (100)** (1720-11/10/1808) married **Mary Dunning (99)** (1732-10/1800). They had James T. (1757-1806) who married Hannah Merrill; William (1759) died at sea; John (1862-1832); Martha (1764-1842) who married William James Hunter; Robert (1770-1823); David Thomas (1777-1816) and David (1775-1843) who married Elizabeth Randall (1779-1853).

**Samuel Greaves (Graves) (101)** (1728-8/23/1792) Four Graves brothers came from Gloucestershire, England and went to Falmouth, Maine. Got 500 acres of land in Topsham and had a millwright. Samuel got SW division of 150 acres; Joseph got the next 100 Acres and Johnson and John got 250 Acres. They were convenient to the 2 branches of the Cathance River. William Graves married Elizabeth Bean, daughter of Capt. John Bean and Joanna Treaty of York and they had: Joseph (1728); Charles Johnson (1732) John (1735) Joanna (1737); John (1739) and Crispus (1742). Charles Johnson married (1) Sarah Staples and (1) Mrs. Susanna Hobbs Staples. They had Daniel (infant died); Elizabeth (1759); John (1762); William (1765) and Crispus (1767). His brother John married Sarah Boynton and they had: Daniel (1770); Sarah (1771); Johnston (1774); Elizabeth (1778); John (1780) who married Margaret Gray; Esther (1788); and Levi (1790). His other brother Samuel, a selectman in Topsham in 1773, married Mary Goding of Topsham and they had: Ebenezer (1775-1832); Jacob; Thomas; Jabez; Susan who married Joseph Jack; Molly who married Ephriam Marriner; and Ann who married Isaac Jacques. The other brother, Joseph was a Topsham selectman in 1770.

**John Fulton (105)** (1729-6/28/1811) married **Hannah Maxwell (104)** (1741-4/1/1781) William (Gideon, John, Nathaniel, William) Owen was born in Topsham in November 1781 and died in Phippsburg, Me., 21 November 1843. He married in Topsham 25 November 1806 **Catherine (Fulton) Card, daughter of John and Hannah (Maxwell) Fulton** of Topsham and widow of Theodore Card of Bath. Catherine was born 1 April 1781 and died at Bath 7 November 1849. William was a boat builder. John and Hannah also had **Margaret (103)** (1762-2/17/1847) who never married ; **Sarah (102)** (1771-3/11/1847) and probably **Jane Fulton (114)** (1771-3/24/1835).

Andrew Graves (1801-1885) married Roxanna in 1828 and they had: Royal Sandford (1828); Lucinda M. (1829); William Albion (1832); Mary Frances (1834); **Edward F. Graves (106)** (1837-1/11/1849); George M. (1839); Samuel Patten (1842); Robert W. (1844); Antoinette A. (1846); and Roxanna E. (1850).

**Elizabeth Stockman (107)** (1750-1/8/1764) was the daughter of Thomas & Nancy Stockman

**John Winchell (108)** (1739-11/29/1791) married **Ann (109)** (1747-3/9/1792). They had Samuel (1768-2/4/1783) Ion (1769); Sally (Sarah) 1771); Ebenezer (1773) who was lost at sea; **Robert (110)** (1775-1/23/1792); Daniel (1776-1821); John (1779-1779); Silence (1786); David (1784) lost at sea; and Susan (1786).

**Col. Samuel Winchell (111)** (1711-1783) married **Sarah McNeiss of Harpswell (112)**. They had John (1730) (drowned); Ann; Samuel (drowned); James; Martha; Sarah; Silence who married James Purinton; Mary; and **Hannah (113)** (1760-7/29/1823).

**Edmond Freeman (115)** (1765-6/11/1788)

**William Thorne Jr. (117)** (1751-7/6/1777) may have married Lucy Freeman. He was the son of William Thorne (1705) and **Martha (116)** (1713-3/1/1767). He had siblings: Katherine (1743) who married Reuben Freeman in 1764; Mary; Elizabeth (1740); Sarah and Martha (1738); Thomas 91736); Susanna (1751) who married Robert Sinclair; and **Lucy Thorne White (118)** (1753-3/31/1775) who married George White on Nov. 19, 1771. William Jr. and Lucy had: Sarah (1772); Thomas (1773); Elizabeth (1774); and Martha (1778).

**Elizabeth Malcom (119)** (1743-6/17/1769). There was a Jonathan Perry who married Margaret Malcom of Topsham and they had David. There was a John Eaton (b. 1703) who married Sarah Malcom (1730). John Haley married Mary Malcom and had Joseph. David Robinson married Sarah Malcom and they had son Charles (1770). Charles ROBINSON (d.abt.1758 killed by rolling log) m. Martha MALCOLM.

**Mary Reed (120)** (1692-9/11/1768) married **William Reed (121)** (1691-8/11/1773). They were from Ireland and came here in 1719. They had: **Lt. Col. John William (1719-1795)(174)**; Mary (1723-1752) who married David Stanwood; Elizabeth (1729-1819); Charity (1733-1782); and William Jr. (1733-1808).; and David (1737-1809) who married Ann Diatha Rodgers (1741-) who settled in Orono and had: Deina (1760); Mary (1762) who married Nathaniel Hinkley; Margaret (1764-) who married (1) Robert Jck (2) Capt. Enoch Samson; Anna (1766); David 1767-1858) who married Nancy Phillip[s and went to Ohio; Capt. William David (1733-1816) Orono; George (1776-1836) California; John (1799-1865) Orono; and Lavinia (1781-1865).

**David Reed (122)** (1766-8/19/1795) was the son of John Reed (1729-1795) and his 2<sup>nd</sup> wife Susanna Stanwood (1729-1799). John's first wife was Hanna Savage (1724-1746). David married Jenney Dunlap and had an **Infant (122)** (12/19/179-). He had siblings: Jane (1749) who married Joseph Foster; Susanna (1754-1796); Martha (1756-1844) who married Joseph Randall; Margaret (1758) who married Robert Jack; Elizabeth (1758-1795) who married John Soule; Mary (1767) who married Samuel Wilson; Charity (1765) who married (1) Benjamin Randall (2) Prescott (3) John Hern; Hannah (1766) who married Robert Potter; and Col. John (1747-1797) who married Rachel Thorne (1746-1827) and they had Hannah who married David Potter; Mary who married Levi Petersen; Thomas who was unmarried and died at sea; Ebenezer (1784-1801) who married Jane; Lucy who married Edward Kellerer; Jane who married David Stinson; and Rachel who married Nehemiah Harding.

**John Reed (123)** (1729-1/12/1795) was the father of Col. John Reed (1747-1797) who married Rachel Thorne (1746-1827) daughter of William Thorne. Col. John and Rachel had: Hannah who married David Potter; Mary who married Levi Peterson; Thomas who was unmarried and died at sea; Ebenezer (1784-1801) who married Jane; Lucy who married Edward Kellerer; Jane who married David Stinson; and Rachel who married Nehemiah Harding. John Reed Sr. married Susanna Reed and they had, besides John: David; Mary, with wife of Samuel Wilson; Susanna; Martha, the wife of Joseph Randall; Elizabeth; Margaret; Charity; and Hannah. John Reed Sr. married Susannah and they had, besides Col. John; Mary, who married Samuel Wilson; Jane, who married Joseph Foster; Martha, who married Joseph Randall; Elizabeth; Margaret; Charity; and Hannah.

Thomas and Ann Wilson had William Wilson who married Mary and they had Rev. Adam Wilson. Adams married (1) **Ann F. Pullen Wilson (124)** (1794-5/28/1824) in 1823 and they had John Newton (1824-1824) and then he married (2) Sally H. Ricker (b. 1807) in 1833. He and Sally had John Butler (1834) who married Semantha T. Perkins. Rev. Wilson was a Baptist minister in Portland and graduated from Bowdoin College in 1819. He was the founder of the Zion's Advocate in Portland.

**Thomas Patten (126)** (1761-5/20/1841) married **Catherine (127)Fulton Patten** (1766-6/1/1816). They had **Thomas M. (128)** (1810-12/6/1816) and **Mary F. Means Patten (125)** (1804-4/30/1823) Thomas was the son of John Patten(1717-1795) from Ireland and Mary Means (1723-1800). John was a farmer and blacksmith who came to Topsham In 1750. His father was Actor (Hector) Patten. A marble monument was put erected in 1863. John Patten and Mary also had; Sarah; Robert; Jean; William; Dorcas; Mary and Hannah. Thomas a Catherine had: George Ferguson, Capt. John, James, Fulton, Katherine, Thomas, Pauline M. and Statira.

Captain John (2), son of Thomas and Catherine (Fulton) Patten, was born in Topsham, Aug. 27, 1789, and died in Bath in 1887. During his earlier years he was a mariner. In the war of 1812-15 he was mate with Capt. Levi Peterson and was captured by the British five times. Through these mishaps he found himself penniless at the close of the war, and was obliged to use his month's advance to buy an outfit, but through his energy and ability he became in 1816 owner and master of the brig "Ann Maria," of 530 tons register, of Topsham.

In 1820 he settled in Bath, and there in 1821 he and his brother, George F., formed a partnership under the stule of George F. and J. Patten, ship-builders, which continued forty years. Their ship-yard was south of the present office of A. Sewell & Company. Their first vessel was the brig "Jasper," of 222 tons. Subsequently they built forty other vessels, most of which were ships. The firm was finally dissolved, and Capt. Patten took his son, Gilbert E. R. Patten, as a partner, and they occupied the yard adjacent to that of Major Harward. In 1869 they built their first vessel and called it the "Nimbus." Capt. Patten always retained an interest in other shipping, becoming part owner in steamers and ships built by other firms. It has been estimated that he was an owner in sixty-five vessels.

**Slilence Purinton (129)** (1818-12/29/1819) was the daughter of Capt. Ezekiel & Isabella Wilson Purinton. They are buried in Riverview Cemetery in Topsham . Silence had a sister Mary P. who married McManus.

**Rebeckah Purinton Melcher (130)** (1772-11/22/1802) was the wife of Capt. Nathaniel Melcher. There is a Capt. Nathaniel Melcher buried in the Maquoit Cemetery in Brunswick. (1765-1840).

**Lt. James Purinton (134)** (1742-12/7/1832) was born in Truro, MA in 1742 and died in Topsham in 1732. He was a 1st Lieut. in Capt. Actor Patten's 8th Company, Lincoln Co. (ME) Regiment, Massachusetts Militia Military Service 1 Jul 1776. He was a Revolutionary officer and supporter of the Republican Constituion. He married **Priscilla Harding (132)** (1741-6/3/1786). **Silence**

**Winchell Purinton (133)** (1744-1/20/1829) was the 2nd wife of Mr. James Purinton. They had no children. They married in 1786. His parents were : Humphrey Purinton (1703) and Thankful Harding (1703). His first wife was Priscilla Harding (1743). He and Priscilla had: **Nathaniel Purinton (131)** (1780-10/19/1795); an infant (1766); Rachel (1768); Susannah (1770); Rebecca (1772); Fannie (1775); James (1777); an infant (1779); and Ezekiel (1782).

**Rachel Smith Purinton (135)** (1767-12/28/1854) was a daughter of James Purinton and married Jasiel Smith (1763-1848) who was the son of Jasiel Smith and Anna Crossman of Massachusetts. Rachel and Jasiel lived in Buckfield, Maine. They had Isaac and Ann. Jasiel was a mail carrier.

**John Henry (136)** (1777-11/24/1780) was the son of James Henry Jr.

**Hannah McKness Henry (138)** (1721-9/16/1801) was the wife of **Deacon James Henry (137)** (1711-6/25/1785). James was a sea-faring man who moved from Providence, RI. Hannah was born in Ireland. James' parents were John Henry and Elizabeth Steward. They were the parents of 10 children: William (1743); **James (1743) who married Mercy**; Mary (1745) who married Robert Gower of Farmington; Margaret (1747); Elizabeth (1749) who married Stephen Titcomb; Jennett (1751) who married Joseph Berry; Ann (1752); John (1753); Martha (1755); Francis who married Hezekiah Murdock.

**James Henry (139)** (1743-11/2/1831) married **Mercy Beveridge Henry (139)** (1753-10/26/1831). James was a cooper who purchased 57 acres from Adam and James Hunter in 1762. His lot was the first lot in the second division of the Cathance Mill right. He also purchased a 50 acre parcel referred to as the second lot in the second division from Samuel Winchell in 1765. James and Mercy had **Capt. Robert Henry (141)** (1779-1851) who married **Eunice Cooper Henry (140)** (1786-8/9/1844). They had: Mary Jane (1820-1896); Hiram (1807-1890); Thomas J. (1809-1891); John A. (1815-1847); Robert (1822-1895); Eveline B. (1805-1863); James (1809); Joseph C. (1813-1826) and **George F. Henry (141)** (1818-9/8/1848) who died in Kronstadt, Russia.

**Capt. Thomas White (142)** (1713-4/7/1786) married **Ann Cochrane of New Hampshire (143)** (1712-11/4/1789). They had William (1732-1826) who married Mary Patten the sister of Actor Patten. They had: Robert who married (1) Margaret Owen and (2) Mary Preble; Lettice who married David Owen; Johnson who married Hanna Walker, daughter of Gideon, who left him; Actor who married Pennell; Ann who was the 3<sup>rd</sup> wife of Actor Patten and had John; Peter who died from non-sane mental fits; Thomas; Isaac; **Mary (85)** who married, in 1776 **Josiah Sandford (84)**; Rachel who married Joel Thompson; and Adam who graduated from Bowdoin College in 1819 and was editor of the Sion Advocate in Portland, Maine.



**James Reed (144)** (1762-1/19/1808). Bethia Wenworth was born in Canton Mass 25 July 1755 and married 16 July 1783 James who was born in Boston Mass 4 February 1762 died at Topsham Me 19 January 1808 She died at Milton Mass 21 December 1843 They had Children all born in Canton Mass.

**Charlotte Patten (145)** (1801-1801) daughter of Actor Patten & Anna(h) Wilson Patten who also had Actor (1771-1829) who married Jane McLellan (1744-1835) and they had: **Robert Patten (146)** (1766-6/14/1767).

**Sally Emerson (147)** (1767-12/24/1791) was the wife of Doctor Ebenezer Emerson. Doctor Emerson came to Topsham prior to 1792. He came to Maine from Reading, Mass. At first he boarded with James Wilson, but he afterwards built and occupied a house later occupied by Swansey Wilson, just beyond Cyrus Purington's on the Bowdoinham Road. Sally was Sarah Stinson. She was born and died in Georgetown, Maine. Her parents were Rev. Samuel Stinson (b. 1741) of Georgetown and Jane Robinson (b. 1741) in Topsham, Maine. She married Ebenezer in 1791 and they had Sarah "Sally" Emerson who was born in 1791 in Georgetown. Ebenezer married (2) Becky (Rebecca) Miller after 1794, the daughter of Rev. John Miller, a minister in Brunswick and his second wife. When Ebenezer died she married Stephen Calef. He married Sally Stinson, a sister of Captain John Stinson, of Woolwich, and afterward married Beckey, daughter of Reverend John Miller, of Brunswick. His intention of marriage to her was recorded December 20, 1792. His second wife survived him and married again. Doctor Emerson was a tall, raw-boned man. He was liberally educated, but was an odd character. He kept a span of mules with which he drove about to visit his patients. He died prior to 1798.

**Marcy Lemont (148)** (1762-2/10/1766) Could have been the daughter of Benjamin Lemont (1737) son of John Lemont and Elizabeth McLanathan of Georgetown, and Susanna Hunter (married in 1757). Susannah was born in 1736 and died in 1831. She was the daughter of Adam Hunter and Mary Lithgow. Benjamin and Susanna had: Thomas M. (1759); Adam (1761) Mary (Marcy) 1762; Betsy (1765); Susannah (1767) and Sarah (1769).

**Susannah Thompson Hunter (150)** (1742-11/5/1774) married Robert Hunter who married (2) Margaret Randall. Robert was the son of Adam Hunter and Mary Lithgow.

**Adam Hunter (154)** (1709-2/27/1776) married Mary Lithgow. Adam Hunter settled in Topsham in 1718 (at 8 yrs old?) at which time he purchased 2 lots of land on 100 acres each at 5 pounds each (at 8 yrs old?). He was also one of the proprietors of the Cathance Millwright, owning 125 acres of land and 1/8 of the double saw mill. He later bought more land. He was evidently a man of wealth for those days. His house was deemed the best in town and to it strangers were directed for accommodation. He was a captain in the last Indian war, and a selectman in 1766. His wife was of Irish descent and came to this country when ten years old He died on a prison ship. They had: Elizabeth Hunter b: 17 SEP 1733 in Topsham, Maine who married Wiliam Woodside Jr.; James Hunter b: 15 APR 1735 in Topsham, Maine who was a Colonel and married Abigail Williams; Susannah Hunter b: 9 FEB 1736/37 in Topsham, Maine who married Benjamin Lemont ; Mary Hunter (1738-1780) who married Jams Lemont; Jane Hunter b: 28 FEB 1739/40 in Topsham, Maine who married Joseph Berry; **William Hunter (149)**(1742-2/3/1766); **John Hunter (152)** (1743-1/12/1776)who married Margaret Wilson daughter of Thoma Wilson and Ann Cochran; Robert Hunter b: 15 JUN 1745 in Topsham, Maine who married Mrs. Susannah Thompson and (2) Margaret Randall daughter of Ezra and Margaret; **Margaret Hunter Rogers (151)** (1755-4/16/1831) who married Maj. **Alex Rogers (153)** (1754-3/10/1846).; **Arthur Hunter** b: 5 APR 1749 in Topsham, who married Sarah Winchell. There is a mystery of when Adam (1709) was born. He married Mary Lithgow in 1732. There were other Hunters who came to early Topsham and dealth with the Pejepscoot proprietors.

**Crispus Graves (Greaves) (155)** (1768-3/9/1850) married **Betsey (Betty) Jacques Greaves (Graves) (156)** (1770-1/18/1829). They had **Crispus Graves (Greaves) Jr. (157)** (1810-9/6/1825) and **Isaac Greaves (Graves) (158)** (1778-12/16/1796). Crispus (1768) was the son of **Charles Johnson Greaves (Graves) (159)** (1732-1/27/1824)and (1) **Sarah Staples Graves (Greaves) (161)** (1737-7/27/1801). Charles Johnson Graves marred (2) **Sarah Hobbs Greaves (Graves) (163)** (1772-4/6/1816).

**Crispus** had siblings: Daniel (1758); **Elizabeth Graves Meserve (159)** (1799-1/20/1879) who married Joshua Merserve (b. 1794). He was a farmer in Richmond in 1860 and they had Elbridge (1827); George W. (1839); John Owen. (1839); Josephine (E. 1850); and **William Greaves (Graves) (162)** (1765-10/12/1844)

**Adam Hunter (166)** (1770-8/9/1776) was the son of John & Margaret Wilson Hunter. He had siblings: Ann (1773); Adam (1771); **William Hunter (164)** (1766-12/10/1856) married **Mary Patten Hunter (165)** (1770-2/8/1830) in 1787. They had: Alexander (1794); Robert (1790); Ezra (1793); George (1800); Jane (1806); Nancy (1791) the 2<sup>nd</sup> wife of Joseph Whitney; Elizabeth (1814) and Mary P. (1804).and Thomas (1768);

**Campbell Rogers (167)** (1787-4/19/1789) was the son of Alexander (1754-1846) & Margaret Wilson Hunter Rogers. (b. 1745). They also had: Peggy Rogers , b. August 13, 1783 and George Rogers, b. 1786; d. November 18, 1865. Nathaniel Green b Bath/Topsham, ME where he m. 20 April 1808 Margaret Rogers, b. 13 Aug. 1783 in Topsham, dau. of Alexander and Margaret (Wilson) Hunter. He d. 3 Apr. 1848 in Topsham (age 66 ). She d. 14 Dec. 1875 (age 92).. 14 Aug 1782, went to

**Samuel Graves (170)** (1755-1/26/1802) married **Catherine Sutherland Graves (169)** (1777-7/28/1857). They had **Patience (168)** (1802-9/9/1887) and Alexander who married Sarah Jacques.

**Robert McMollin (171)** (1755-8/16/1774) Could have been a servant of a Topsham Family. The name might have been McMullin or McMillan.

**Margarett Foster Randall (172)** (1734-1/26/1792) married Ezra Randall

**Ezra Randall.** Born on 9 Apr 1729 in Scituate, MA.<sup>48</sup> At the age of 1, Ezra was baptized in the Second Church of Scituate, on 4 Apr 1731.<sup>48</sup> Ezra died ca 1818 in Topsham, Sagadahoc Co., ME.<sup>134</sup> Occupation: shipwright.

Ezra moved to Topsham, Maine.<sup>134</sup>

On 14 Nov 1751 when Ezra was 22, he married **Margaret Foster (40176)**, daughter of **Joseph Foster (24753)** (8 Aug 1702-) & Abigail Steel, in the Second Church of Scituate.<sup>48</sup> Born on 20 May 1734 in Scituate, MA.<sup>48</sup> Margaret died in Topsham, Sagadahoc Co., ME, on 26 Jan 1792; she was 57.<sup>134</sup>

Children of Ezra and Margaret Randall, the first three born at Scituate,<sup>48</sup> the others at Topsham, ME:

- i. Joseph Randall, b. 24 Mar 1755, d. 27 Aug 1818, m. 6 Apr 1778 Martha Reed (d. 23 Feb 1844 æ. 86, bur. Bowdoin, ME, dau. of John Reed);
- ii. Abigail Randall, b. 13 Dec 1757, m. 22 Jan 1778 John Mustard;
- iii. Ezra Randall, b. 30 Nov 1758, d. young;
- iv. Benjamin Randall, b. 13 Oct 1760, d. 10 Nov 1783 at sea, m. 8 Nov 1783 Charity Reed;
- v. Margaret Randall, b. 6 Aug 1762, m. Alexander Potter (son of Alexander Potter of Bowoinham)1762;
- vi. Ezra Randall, b. 28 Aug 1764, d. 10 Jun 1850 at Lewiston, ME, m. 17 Sep 1785 Mary Whitten (d. Oct 20 1805);
- vii. Hatherly Randall, b. 26 Aug 1766, d. 19 Apr 1858 at Bowdoin, m. 29 Sep 1810 Elizabeth Stimson;
- viii. John Randall, b. 24 Feb 1769, m. 1 Mar 1792 Sarah Hewey;
- ix. Isaiah Randall, b. 4 Nov 1772;

- x. Isaac Randall, b. 1 Jan 1776, d. 27 May 1852, m. Thankful Purrington; and
- xi. Elizabeth Randall, b. 28 Nov 1779, d. 4 Oct 1852, m. David Reed.

**Abigail Foster (173)** (1771-4/4/1774)

**Joseph Foster.** Born on 8 Aug 1702 in Scituate, MA.<sup>48</sup>

Joseph and Abigail removed to Topsham, ME, after 1760.<sup>39</sup>

On 11 Jan 1727 when Joseph was 24, he married **Abigail Steel** in First Parish Church of Scituate.<sup>103</sup>

Their children include:

- 40176** i. [Margaret Foster](#) (20 May 1734-26 Jan 1792)
- 40177** ii. [Hatherly Foster](#) (21 Apr 1737-)
- 40178** iii. [Abigail Foster](#) (2 Feb 1738-13 Apr 1764)
- 40179** iv. [Betty Foster](#) (19 May 1741-)
- 40180** v. [Joseph Foster](#) (27 Feb 1742-)
- 40181** vi. [Timothy Foster](#) (23 Mar 1744-)
- 40182** vii. [Steel Foster](#) (17 Dec 1750-)

**Col. John Reed Esq. (174)**(1747-10/20/1797) married **Rachel Thorne (175)** (1746-9/10/1827). They had Jane (1749) who married David Stinson; Hannah (1769-1828) who married David Patten; Lucy (1772) who married Capt. Edward Kellernan; Mary (1773); Rachel (1774) who married Nehemiah Harding; Thoams (1775) and **Ebenezer (176)**(1784-8/21/1801). John was the son of **William (100) and Mary (99)**.

**Nancy Blake (177)** (1802-9/3/1879) married **Lemuel Blake (178)** (1798-2/23/1858). He was a farmer.

**Father:** Lemuel Blake  
**[Birth/Chris:](#)** ... 1798 at ...  
**Death/Burial:** at ...

**Mother:** Nancy Staples  
**[Birth/Chris:](#)** ... 1804 at ...  
**Death/Burial:** at ...

Married: ... at ...

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**Children:**

1. Blake, Priscilla S - at ...
2. Blake, John F - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1831 at ...
3. Blake, Daniel S - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1824 at ...
4. Blake, Rachel C - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1825 at ...
5. Blake, Susan J - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1827 at ...
6. Blake, Sylvanus - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1828 at ...
7. Blake, William B - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1830 at ...
8. Blake, Priscilla S - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1834 at ...
9. Blake, Thankful B - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1835 at ...
10. Blake, Rhoda L - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1838 at ...
11. Blake, Charles F - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1841 at ...
12. Blake, Ruben - [Birth/Chris:](#) ... 1842 at ...

**Sylvanus C. Blake (179)** (1828-6/6/1864), a farmer, was the son of Lemuel Blake and Nancy Staples and married **Roxanna T. (180)** (1834-4/16/1875)

**Charles F. Blake (181)** (1841-6/22/1864) was the of Lemuel Blake and Nancy Staples.

**Thankful B. Blake (182)** (1836-1918) was a daughter of Lemuel Blake and Nancy Staples. She lived with her brother William's family. William was a carpenter in Brunswick. She was a coat maker.

**John Grover (183)** (1784-6/5/1853)

**38. ANDREW JR.<sup>9</sup> GROVER** (*ANDREW<sup>8</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>7</sup>, ANDREW<sup>6</sup>, THOMAS<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, LAZARUS<sup>3</sup>, STEPHEN<sup>2</sup>, THOMAS<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1764 in Georgetown, Sagadahoc, Maine, and died Bef. February 18, 1840 in Bowdoin,

Sagadahoc, Maine. He married (1) SARAH. He married (2) MEHITABLE.

More About ANDREW JR. GROVER:

Fact 1: 15 JAN 1840 Will was signed.

Fact 2: 18 FEB 1840 Appointment of executor (James).

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Children of ANDREW GROVER and SARAH are:

50. i. **JOHN<sup>10</sup> GROVER**, b. August 1785, Bowdoin, Maine ?; d. June 05, 1853, Topsham.

51. ii. ANDREW JACKSON GROVER, b. January 26, 1797; d. July 25, 1868.

iii. JAMES GROVER, b. January 26, 1790; d. March 26, 1849.

iv. JORDON GROVER, b. March 09, 1786; d. February 02, 1845; m. DEBORAH G. TARR, November 16, 1809.

More About JORDON GROVER:

Fact 2: also found death 1/21/1841

v. BENJAMIN GROVER, b. Bowdoin, Maine; d. 1841.

vi. JOSEPH GROVER, b. January 26, 1792; d. June 06, 1860.

vii. DANIEL GROVER.

viii. MEHITABLE GROVER.

ix. SUSANNAH GROVER.

x. SALLY SARAH GROVER.

xi. HANNAH Grover

**50. JOHN<sup>10</sup> GROVER** (*ANDREW JR.<sup>9</sup>, ANDREW<sup>8</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>7</sup>, ANDREW<sup>6</sup>, THOMAS<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, LAZARUS<sup>3</sup>, STEPHEN<sup>2</sup>, THOMAS<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 1785 in Bowdoin, Maine ?, and died June 05, 1853 in Topsham. He married (1)

ELIZABETH STEWARD January 19, 1822. He married (2) HANNAH GRAVES February 03, 1822.

More About JOHN GROVER:

Fact 1: Buried on Great Island

Fact 2: 68 years 10 mos.

More About ELIZABETH STEWARD:

Fact 1: of Bowdoin, Maine

Fact 2: (Stewart)

More About HANNAH GRAVES:

Fact 1: of Bowdoin, Maine

Children of JOHN GROVER and ELIZABETH STEWARD are:

i. ELIZABETH<sup>11</sup> GROVER, b. October 22, 1811.

ii. DANIEL A. GROVER, b. August 04, 1814.

iii. JOHN JR. GROVER, b. November 13, 1817; d. September 15, 1892; m. (1) JULIA RING, June 07, 1846; m. (2)

ELIZA JANE TRUFANT, December 22, 1875.

Children of JOHN GROVER and HANNAH GRAVES are:

65. iv. WILLIAM D.<sup>11</sup> GROVER, b. July 03, 1825; d. August 27, 1874.

v. GEORGE GROVER, b. 1829.

vi. COOLEIDGE GROVER, b. 1832.

**Charlie B. Grover (184)** (1871-11/11/1882) was a son of W.D. & P.S. Grover

**65. WILLIAM D.<sup>11</sup> GROVER** (*JOHN<sup>10</sup>, ANDREW JR.<sup>9</sup>, ANDREW<sup>8</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>7</sup>, ANDREW<sup>6</sup>, THOMAS<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, LAZARUS<sup>3</sup>, STEPHEN<sup>2</sup>, THOMAS<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 03, 1825, and died August 27, 1874. He married PRISCILLA BLAKE January 19, 1854 in Thopsham. She was born February 28, 1834, and died February 05, 1908.

Children of WILLIAM GROVER and **PRISCILLA BLAKE** are:

80. i. JOHN F.<sup>12</sup> GROVER, b. July 26, 1869; d. July 29, 1943.

ii. **CHARLES B. GROVER**, b. January 08, 1871; d. November 11, 1882.

iii. CLARA P. GROVER, b. May 16, 1867; d. August 19, 1867.

iv. WILLIAM L. GROVER, b. April 14, 1863; d. December 09, 1921.

v. SUSAN A. GROVER, b. May 07, 1860; d. February 07, 1866.

vi. R. ANNA GROVER, b. October 03, 1857; d. June 29, 1928.

vii. N. MEDORA GROVER, b. January 31, 1856; d. May 06, 1905.

viii. MARY E. GROVER, b. November 10, 1854; d. June 30, 1900.

**Jeremiah H. Grover (185)** (1821-11/18/1846) married Mercy S. Hulett and they had Clara Elizabeth (1847). Could have been **John and Elizabeth's** son.

**Sarah Winchell Hunter (186)** (1814-2/4/1895) was a housekeeper and was the daughter of Adam Hunter and Priscilla Foote.

**Parlin Springer (187)** (1809) married **Anicus (Annis) D. Small (187)** (1812) in 1832. They had Charlotte A.H. 1842-1916; Sarah C. who married Gowen in Lewiston; Ann S. (1838) who married Charles Strout in 1858; and Ellen A.P. (1838-1905) who is buried at Pine Grove Cemetery in Brunswick. Parlin was a hatter in Lewiston Ellen A.P. Springer, "Nellie" kept house in the home of Horatio Patten. They also had a servant Mary McKinley and a boarder Crossman. In 1870 she worked in the cotton mill in Lewiston and lived at the home of the Erastus Hibbard family. Her father was Parlin A. Springer, a mariner and hatter from Topsham, Maine. She died in Yarmouth, Maine.

**Adam Hunter (189)** (1786-2/16/1870) married **Priscilla Foote (190)** (1786-5/23/1870) They had: **Sarah Winchell (186)**; **Huldah (1818)**; **Julia Foot (195)** (1812-5/11/1812) **Charlotte A. (191)** (1828-8/18/1869); **Priscilla A. (188)** (1826-6/28/1896); Jonathan Harding (1820); **Martha A. (194)** (1811-8/16/1843). and **George Lithgow (192)** (1816-11/5/1854). Adam was the son of Arthur and Sarah Winchell Hunter. **Huldah Grace (193)** (1818-7/3/1851) married Lewis Farrington (1815-1903) a farmer. He died in Jay, Maine and they had Adam Hunter Farrington. He married after her death Adeline Thompson of Jay, Maine in 1858.

**Capt. Joseph O. Reed (199)** (1786-3/1/1829) married **Nancy Stover (198)** (1790-6/27/1845). They had **Jacob G. (197)** (1826-9/21/1839) and **Mary Ann (196)** (1824-3/28/1824). Lettice Reed, who on September 10, 1837 was given away by one Topsham captain, her father Joseph O. Reed, to another Topsham captain, Joseph Harding Purinton. The bride was 20, the groom 24. They also had Joseph S. Reed (1820-1903). LETTICE H. ORR married JOHN Sr. REED 1762-1832, son of Capt.(RevWar) WILLIAM REED 1730-1808 and MARY DUNNING. LETTICE H. AND JOHN REED had: Joseph Orr Reed 1786-1829, no wife found, stuck around HCM.; Captain William Reed 1788-1817, same; Mary Reed 1790-1868 married Samuel Skolfield; Lettice Reed 1792-1855, married Joseph Harding Purinton; JOHN Jr. REED 1795-1868 m. ALICE ALEXANDER; Charles Reed 1797-1867; Susannah Reed 1807-1869; Arthur Reed 1810-1879

**Francis Small (200)** (1770-8/16/1848) was the son of John Small and Hannah Preble. He married Silence Winchell. They had Alvicia (1820) who married Capt. Horatio A. Patten and had no children but adopted her sisters youngest daughter Mary Emma Patten; David Winchell (1810) who drowned as a boy; Samuel W. (1823) unmarried; **Anicus (Annis) D. Small (187)** who married **Parlin Springer (187)** (1809) who was a hatter in Lewisto; and Granville W. (1808);

**Adam Patten (201)** (1779-1/8/1856) married, in 1805, **Hannah Small** (1779-12/4/1850) and they had **Henry (202)** (1808-3/21/1848) . Adam was the son of Robert Patten (1743 - 1841) and Margaret *Hunter* Patten (1747 - 1831). Hannah went insane in 1850. Hannah and Adam had, besides Henry, Mary L. (1810); Adelaide (1813-14); Gilbert (1812); Robert (1811-12); Lucy Ann (1815; Francis S. (1817); Wesley (1820-88) and Alexander (1823-1843).

Joseph Foster was born on 8 Aug 1702 in Scituate, MA. and he married **Abigail Foster (173)** (1771-4/4/1774). Joseph and Abigail removed to Topsham, ME, after 1760. On 11 Jan 1727 when Joseph was 24, he married **Abigail Steel** in First Parish Church of Scituate. They had: Margaret Foster (20 May 1734-26 Jan 1792) married Ezra Randall of Topsham; Hatherly Foster (21 Apr 1737-); Abigail Foster (2 Feb 1738-13 Apr 1764); Betty Foster (19 May 1741-); Joseph Foster (27 Feb 1742-); Timothy Foster (23 Mar 1744-); and **Steel Foster (203)** (1750-12/10/1816) who married **Martha (204)** (1749-1/21/1832).

**Albert Pullin (205)** (1819-6/30/1820) was the infant son of Actor & Ann Pullin.

**Catharine E. Sutherland Graves (206)** (1777-1857) married Samuel Graves (1755-1803). Samuel was the brother of Johnston Graves. They had: **Ebenezer (207)**; Patience; Alexander; William; John; Mary; and Joseph.

**Eben Graves (207)** (1776-8/14/1833) married **Abigail Graves (208)** (1776-1/16/1860). They had: Ebenezer (181); Mary (1805); Elizabeth (1799); Thankful (1801); John (1808); Joel (1815); Samuel (1811); Merit (1807) and **Ezekiel (207)** (1804-6/2/1840) who was lost at sea. Eben's parents were Samuel and Catherine.

**Maria F. Otis (209)** (1828-8/31/85) married Harrison G. Otis, a farmer and son of Samuel and Sarah Otis. His siblings were **Statira P. Otis (210)** (1822-10/16/1849) ; Marcia (1827) Thankful (1827) and Albion (1830).



**Procinda M. Fulton (211)** (1819-7/2/1853) married Dan Fulton(1818) . They had **Procinda M. (211)** (1853-10/11/1853). They had: Nancy (1848) and James M. (1850).

**James Fulton (214)** (1732-2/4/1820) was the son of Gowen Fulton, of Coleraine. N. Ireland , and Margaret Caswell. He married **Mary Ferguson Fulton (215)** (1738-3/15/1817). He had siblings: John; Hannah; Sarah; and Robert.They had **Capt. James Fulton (213)** (1769-3/16/1839) who married **Sarah (Sally) Sampson Fulton (212)**(1780-8/28/1868) and they had **James Fulton (216)** (1816-4/13/1818); George Ferguson (1822) and **Daniel** (1818).

**Jane Porter Rogers Delano (217)** (1811-1/4/1865) married, in 1839, Capt. Ira Bradford Delano (b. 1812), a carpenter and lumberman, from Bath. She was the daughter of **Capt. William Rogers (224)** (1762-7/10/1847) and **Martha Dunning Rogers (224)** (1772-7/5/1858). She had siblings: John D. Rogers (1801-1820); William R. Rogers (1803-1857); **Cassandana Rogers Rich 218**(1808-4/11/1871) who married James Rich ; Mary Dunning Rogers (1808); Sarah Potter Rogers (1812-1898); and Harriet Newell Rogers (1814-1883).

**Jane Tarbox (219)** (1853-9/3/1855) was the daughter of James Tarbox & **Susan H. Randall Tarbox (220)** (1807-1/18/1856) who was the daughter of William Randall .

**Capt. William P. Patten (221)** (1776-4/27/1821) married **Sarah (222)** (1771-8/5/1868).They had: their eldest daughter, **Nancy Patten (223)** 1800-4/22/1816).

**Sarah Baker (225)** (1820-2/1/1821) Daughter of Jonathan Baker and Betsey N. They also had John (1822) and George (1818). From 1820 to 1834 Jonathan kept a store right across from the Bank in Topsham .Dr. Isaac Lincoln, when he was in Topsham had his office over Jonathan's store.

**John Graves (227)** (1739-5/4/1818) married Sarah Boynton of Falmouth (b. 1747) and they had **Elizabeth Greaves (Graves) (226)** (1778-1/7/1807); Daniel (1770) ;Sarah (1771); Johnston (1774); John (1780); Esther (1788) and Levi (1790). John's brother was Johnson Graves (1732-1842) who married (1) Sarah Staples and (2) Mrs. Susannah Hobbs. He and Sarah had: John (1767); William (1765); Danie who died as an infant; Elizabeth (1759); and Crispus (1767). John's other brother was Samuel who married Mary Goodwin and had Ebenezer (1775-1832); Jacob; Thomas, and Jabez.

**Ann Henry Wilson (228)** (1747-3/3/1841), daughter of James Henry of Providence, RI who moved to Harpswell and then Topsham, married **James Wilson (229)** (1752-6/27/1802. James was the son of Thomas Wilson and Ann Cochran. They had Henry (1775); Thomas (1778); John (1780); Hannah (1783); and Charles (1785). James had siblings: Lettice; Elizabeth; Margaret; May; Thomas, William and John. James Wilson built the Wilson homestead still standing in Topsham selecting himself every stick of timber in it From the land which he received from his father he gave the land for the county buildings in Topsham then the shire town of Lincoln County .The lot given to the county was one of the finest in the village. James Wilson was one of the selectmen of Topsham from 1782 to 1788 inclusive and again in

1798 He died in Topsham in June 1803 and his widow March 3 1840 Their children were first Henry born September 25 1775 He was a merchant in Topsham and died unmarried in 1813 second Thomas born January 14 1778 He was engaged in mill operations and died unmarried in 1810 third John who commanded the force at the mouth of the Kennebec in the war of 1812 He was born April 8 1780 and married in 1818 Eunice daughter of Alexander Thompson of Topsham a Revolutionary soldier He died February 6 1832 Mrs Eunice Wilson widow of Gen Wilson died in Topsham in December 1878 aged ninety years and nine months Fourth Hannah born January 6 1783 fifth Charles born December 15 1785 and died unmarried July 8 1812 while a member of the junior class in Bowdoin College He was a young man of promising abilities amiable manners and correct habits Sixth James born July 30 1789 and died in Topsham October 17 1880 in the ninety second year of his age.

**Hannah Owen (231)** (1774-12/28/1806 ) married John Owen (1772-1850) who was the son of Gideon Owen (1742-1792) and Jane White (1743-). He and Hannah had: Margaret (1796); Samuel (1797-1818); Charles M. (1800-1887); William (1805-1897); Mary J. (1796-1873); and John (1792-1872). He then married (2) **Abigail Curtis Owen (230)** (1768-7/4/1862) and had: Isaac ; Julia (1813) and Hannah (1810-1878). John Owen passed away in Brunswick and may be in Pine Grove Cemetery.

**Margaret Jameson (232)** (1776-11/25/1841)

**Mary Lowell Foy (233)** (1765-4/8/1848) married Samuel Foy in 1838. She was born in West Bath. They had: Mary, who married her cousin John Lowell; Emily (1839); Edgar (1845); Samuel, a farmer, (1844-1900) who married Nancy (b. 1845) and lived in Revere, MA. Samuel and Nancy had: Alfred (1864); Anna M. (1868); and Minnie F. (1873). Mary was the daughter of John Lowell and Martha Currier.

**Capt. John Sandford (234)** (1753-4/17/1840) married **Mary Wilson (235)** (1746-1/25/1832). Mary was the daughter of Thomas Wilson and Ann Cochran. John was the son of John Sanford and Esther of New York. They had: Thomas Sandford 1777-1854; Esther Sandford 1779-1855; John Sandford 1781-1840; **William Sandford 1783-1847**; Josiah Sandford 1785-1855; Lettice Sandford 1787-1855; Susan Sandford 1789-1865; Hezekiah Sandford 1791-Unknown; James Wilson Sandford 1793-1858; Mary Wilson Sandford 1795-1837; and Bernice Sandford 1797-Unknown. John next married Priscilla Delano and they had: Judah Delano Sandford 1812-1870; William T Sanford 1818-1886; Mary Elizabeth Sanford 1820-1913; Susan S Sandford 1823-1891; Harriet P Sandford 1825-1911; John Q Sandford 1829-1868; Henry Cutler Sanford 1831-1917; Lucia M Sandford 1834-1914; and Thomas Sandford 1836-1889. **Thomas Sandford** Esther Topping (1777-1864) and they had, among other children, James Madison Standford (1816-1877) who married Mary Jane Stinson (1823-1902) and they had, among other children: Frank Weston Stanford of Bowdoinham the founder of **the Shiloh Movement**.

Thomas Wilson, was another son of Thomas and Ann Wilson. He was unmarried, went to sea, and was never heard from. (A Torey) Capt. John Sandford went to New York City to hear of Wilson's fate. Mary Wilson, was another daughter of Thomas and Ann, and was the wife of John Sandford, married June 18, 1776, was living in Feb. 1803.

**William Wilson (237)** (1741-4/15/1826) married **Mary Wilson (236)** (1802-4/20/183). William was the son of Thomas Wilson and Ann Cochran. He was born in Boston and died in Topsham. They had:

Rachel Wilson1792-1853; Actor Wilson1777-Unknown; Adam Wilson1769-Unknown; Ann Wilson1772-1832; Mary Wilson1774-Unknown; Lettice Wilson1775-Unknown; Johnson Wilson1776-Unknown; Peter Wilson1779-Unknown; Robert Wilson1780-Unknown; Thomas Wilson1782-Unknown; Isaac Wilson1783-Unknown.

**Capt. Robert Patten (240)** (1743-3/14/1841) married **Margaret Hunter (239)** (1747-6/25/1831) and they had **Robert Jr. (238)** (1790-6/7/1811). Capt. Robert was born in Biddeford and died in Bowdoinham. He was married in 1768 in Topsham. His father was John Pattern and mother was Mary Means. They also had: John (1785-1865); **Susan (1774-1860)** who married Capt. John Rogers; Jane or Jenny (1772-1822); Margaret (1781-1865); Mary Patten (1769-1830); William (1776-1821); and Adam (1779-1856).

PATTEN, CAPTAIN ROBERT.

Robert Patten was the eldest son of the subject of the preceding sketch (John Patten), and came to Topsham with his father while a boy. When about twenty-five years of age he married and settled on a lot of land about a mile from his father's. His farm and residence at that time was in Topsham, but by a change of the boundary line his farm afterwards came within the limits of Bowdoinham.

Mr. Patten was an industrious, hard-working man, possessed of a great amount of perseverance in the accomplishment of whatever he undertook. His chief employment for some time was farming. Besides the management of his farm he built, during his lifetime, a number of vessels, and was always more or less engaged in navigation. In his business concerns, while he met with much success, he also met with many losses. He was interested in six vessels, which were lost in the course of his business life. Of one of these he was sole owner; of the others, part owner only. Twice he suffered the loss of his dwelling-house by fire. Yet notwithstanding these serious checks to his prosperity, he succeeded in maintaining himself through life in good circumstances as to property, and died possessed of a considerable estate.

The advantages for an education were of course very limited at that period. A few weeks' schooling was all that was enjoyed by the subject of this sketch, when young; yet by his own application, with what aid he received from members of the family, he acquired a decent education for that day. When about the age of thirty he was chosen captain of a militia company by his fellow-citizens. This country being then under England, his commission was from the king's "Council of the Colony of Massachusetts Bay," and was dated July

1, 1776, just three days before the declaration of our national independence. He was a person of remarkable health. He was never confined a day by sickness for nearly or quite ninety years, never took any medicine during that long period, and retained all his teeth, fair and sound, until within a short time of his death, in his ninety-eighth year.

**John Rogers (241)** (1771-6/14/1846) married Susannah (Susan) Patten (1774-1860) in 1799. Susannah was the daughter of Robert Patten. They had : Col. John Rogers and Margaret Green who died in Buchanan, MI. Col. John's son Rankin (became Governor of the State of Washington. They also had: Margaret (1804-1881) who married Hugh Curtis; Robert Patten(1806-1883) ; Maria [Died as Child]; Rebecca (1813-1894); Rankin (1808-1844) who married Ellen Sanders; and Maria (1815-1902) . Col. John and Margaret had: Rev. Robert Henry; Cornelia G.; Margaret Green; Rev. Joseph McKeen; George Gardner; and Gov. John Rankin (1838-1901) Governor of Washington State.

**Lt. Daniel Baker (242)** (1780-9/12/1814) Whose life, at a military parade in Bath, was by the casual discharge of a pistol, suddenly brought to his end...Served in the Army during the War of 1812. Buried right next to :

**Sarah Baker (225)** (1820-2/1/1821) Daughter of Jonathan Baker and Betsey N. They also had John (1822) and George (1818). From 1820 to 1834 Jonathan kept a store right across from the Bank in Topsham .Dr. Isaac Lincoln, when he was in Topsham had his office over Jonathan's store.

**William Randall (246)** (1785-2/20/1867) married (2) **Margaret Hunter (248)** (1803-1/6/1841). His parents were William Randall (1741) and Jane Patten (1746). He married (1) **Susannah (Susan) (245) Hunter** (1787-1/12/1825) in 1807. He and Susannah had: Susanna C. (1807); William (1809); Robert (1811); Elbridge L (1813); and Margaret J (1816). He and (2) Margaret Hunter were married in (1826) and they had: **Ann Francis (243)** (1832-8/28/1858) **Belvill (245)** (1830-2/15/1832..

**Capt. Charles Mustard (249)** (1767-5/2/1812) married **Margaret Fulton (250)** (1771-5/6/1837) they had **Charles Mustard (251)** (1800-4/24/1861). Capt. Mustard's parents were: James Mustard (1725-1793) and Charity Reed Mustard (1771-1837).

**John Given (252)** (1799-1/29/1867) was the son of **John (256)** (1743-11/10/1819) and **Mary (257) Winchell** (1753-1851), daughter of Samuel Winchell and Sarah McNess. John had siblings: Sally who married Enoch Eaton; Mary (1804-1845); William (1772); **Jane Eaton (253)** (1776-1/25/1858) **Hannah(158)**(1779-10/18/1819); **Annie (254)** (1780-2/22/1836) who married (1) Caleb Curtis and (2) William Foote; Susanna (1791); and Silence (1793-1885) who married Thomas Powers and and **Peggy (255)**(1776-1819).

**Prudence N. Given (260)** (1826-6/9/1832) was the daughter of Samuel, a farmer, and son of John Given and Mary Winchell, who married Ruth Booker (17887-1886) Given. She had siblings: Roxana; Simeon Booker 1813-1881; Rebekah J 1815-1841; William R 1817-1903; Harriet 1820-Unknown; Eliza 1825-Unknown.

**Capt. Joseph Sprague (265)** (1757-6/23/1807) married **Ruth Hunt (264)** (1764-4/1/1916). Capt. Joseph Sprague went to Bowdoinham, ME in 1787. He settled in 1791 or 1792 in Topsham, ME., where he bought a large farm. He was a shipbuilder and mariner. His wife had one vessel built while he was away at sea. Capt. Sprague was a member of the Masonic order. CAPT. JOSEPH SPRAGUE came to this vicinity from Duxbury in 1787. Settled first in Bowdoinham; moved to Topsham in 1791 or 1792. He was b. in 1757; m. Ruth Hunt, of Duxbury. Ch. were:- **James (266)** (1783-9/5/1802) and his twin **Daniel (267)** (1802-1802); Oakman, (b.1786) ; Joseph, (b.1788); Elizabeth,( b.1790); **Ruth (265)** (1793-7/20/1803); Mary, b. Aug. 27, 1794; **Samuel (268)** (1796-4/19/1803); Willis; David; Frances; **Willis (Deacon) (263)** (1800-9/29/1867) who married **Mary L. (262)** (1798-10/14/1860) and had B. Sprague (261) (1803).

**Mary Blish Hallet (270)** (1797-5/27/1821) was the wife of Watson F. Hallett. Watson married Mary Blish in 1820. She was the daughter of Stacy and Mary Blish of Vassalboro, Maine . After she died he married, in 1836, Priscilla Purinton (1800-1880) and he became President of the Freeman's Bank in Augusta. He and Priscilla had: Mary (1825); Julia (1845); Watson P. (1842-1853); Francis (1827); Sarah E. (1831); and Ocatavia (1833). Priscilla still had a bank account in the Androscoggin Bank in Topsham in 1839. She was the daughter of Humphrey Purinton and Sarah Emery of Topsham. He was the son of Zena and Lydia Hallet of MA. and had several siblings: Walter, Thacher; Bartlett, Fanny; Frederick; and Thatcher Clark. Priscilla Purinton Hallet had siblings: Woodbury Bryant Purington1806-1895; Ann Emery Purington1802-1873; Samuel E Purington1804-1821 Sarah P Purington1806-1844; Hannah E Purington1809-1850; and Francis T Purington1813-1857

**Howard Palmer Dearing (271)** (1866-7/24/1867) was the infant son of Albert L. & Sarah Howard Palmer Dearing. Albert was the son of John and Caroline Perry Dearing. He had sibling Charle E. and went to California where he died. John was for many years a stage driver from Augusta to Brunswick. Albert Lincoln Dearing, b. 1835 Webster, ME., was a Rev. in the Methodist Episcopal Church. He served as preacher in CT in the 1870's. Was a Capt. in Co. G 5th ME. Albert, due to health, removed to Orange Co., CA. in 1882. He and Sarah had the following children: William S. a clergyman, John A. a clergyman, Addie P., and Harry L. of the Santa Fe Railroad Co. Also Charles B. from third wife. Albert's father was John Dearing, mother Caroline (Perry) Dearing. Grandfather, Samuel Dearing of the Pine State. Albert Lincoln was in Co. I of the 5<sup>th</sup> Maine Infantry. He enlisted in the US Army in the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment Mounted Rifles and went to SW to fight Indians. He was discharged in 1859 in NM and returned to Maine and

became a carriage maker. In the Civil War he enlisted in the 5<sup>th</sup> Maine Infantry and in 1861 was mustered in as a sergeant. Was at the 1<sup>st</sup> Battle of Bull Run (1861) and promoted to 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Stationed in DC. He was arrested for dereliction of duty when a surprise night-time inspection found the sentry guard house empty and the officer of the guard Lt. Dearing asleep in his tent. After a brief confinement and investigation he was cleared of the charge. He next was in the Peninsula Campaign and in 1862 promoted to 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. and detached and placed in charge of the ambulance corps of his division. He witnessed the bloody battle of Antietam. Promoted again to Captain, he returned to his Regiment. Was at the battle of Fredricksburg and Chancellorsville in Col I where the war ended for him because a musket ball tore into his left hip and shattered his hip bone. After 5 months in the hospital he was discharged and returned to Maine and married Miss Susan Palmer in the late 1860s. He started a 7 year study of the ministry and graduated from the Theological Seminary of Massachusetts. Sarah died in 1878 and they had John Anthony (1869). He married (2) Clementine (d. 1880) and in 1882 he married (3) Lydia and had 5 children. He moved to Santa Ana and bought a 20 Acre ranch. He accepted an appointment to 1<sup>st</sup> Methodist Church as Pastor in Santa Ana. Lydia died in 1910 and he married (4) Matilda and sold his ranch. He died of stomach cancer in 1924 and Matilda died in 1933; They are interred in a beautiful mausoleum at Fair Haven Park in Santa Ana.

**Rhoda Perry (272)** (1809-7/16/1810) was the infant daughter of Joseph M. & Sarah Perry. They also had: Caroline (1806) who married Albert Dearing; Elijah (1804); Mary Jane (1813); John (1817); Lincoln (1815); Joseph (1811) and Bradford (1819). Their son Capt. Joseph was a retired mechanic from Gardiner who married Olive Gilpatrick and had Clara E. and Anna J. and (2) Mrs. Arin M. Felker Peterson of Wiscasset. His title came from the bloodless fields of the Aroostook War where he commanded the Kennebec Guards.

Jonathan Perry (1730-1816) who was born in Topsham and died in Topsham married, in 1762, Margaret Robeson and they had: David (1762) who married Margaret Owens Wilson (1764-1840); Sarah (1765-1792); John S. (1768); Charles (1773-1863); and **Joseph M.** (1778-1820) who married, in 1804, Sarah Whitmore and died in Salisbury, NH. Joseph and Sarah had: Mary Jane (1813); **Rhoda (1809-1810)**; Caroline (1806) John W. (1817)(Brunswick); Joseph (1811) Bradford(1820); Eliza (1804) who married Henry Foy of Gardiner; and **Lincoln (1815-1890)**

**Lincoln Perry** was born in Topsham Me July 25 1815 and died in Gardiner Me August 28 1890 His father Joseph M Perry of Topsham had four sons and four daughters. Joseph and Lincoln settled in Gardiner. John W in Brunswick Me and Bradford settled first in Gardiner afterward in Boston One daughter Eliza married Henry Foy of Gardiner and resided in that place Lincoln Perry came to Gardiner in 1831 In 1842 he purchased a mill on dam No 3 and engaged in the lumber business afterward owning and operating two mills on that dam for the manufacture of lumber He continued in that business until 1867 when he retired In the mill purchased in 1842 had been placed the first planing machine introduced into the county which he operated for a while and which up to that time and later was the only planing machine in the county He married Mary Languon Reed of Dresden Me They had three children Mary Adelia Arthur L and Sarah W Perry The two former lived and resides in Gardiner Lincoln Perry served in the city government in 1867 68 69 and 70 He was a prominent member of the Congregational church and throughout life one of its most earnest supporters .

**Samuel Dearing (273)** (1825-10/22/1840) was the son of Joseph & Sarah Perry Dearing

**Sarah Perry Dearing (274)** (1783-8/26/1854) married Joseph Dearing ( 1778-1820) .

**John Tarbox (277)** (1773-1/9/1844), a farmer, married **Lucy Card (276)** and they had: **Zechariah (275)** (1818-11/27/1850), a sailor, and Huldah (1806) who married William Small; and James (1813), a farmer. John was the son of Cornelius Tarbox of Saco and Bethiah Tyler Tarbox from Biddeford.

**Capt. John Rogers (279)**(1746-10/19/1832) married **Jane Potter Rogers (278)** (1744-6/131/1828). They had: **Hugh Rogers (1785-1867)(14)**.; Jenney (1775); Dinah (1781-1826); John (1771-1849) William (1773-1857) and Alexander 1778). John was the son of William Rogers and Dina Rankin of Georgetown and Jane was the daughter of Alexander Potter and Abigail of Topsham.

**Actor Patten (280)** (1767-8/21/1855), a farmer, married **Ann A. Hunter (281)** (1779-8/11/1858). They had: **Nancy (282)** (1803-11/16/1839). Actor was the son of John Patten and Mary Means. Actor and Ann had, besides Nancy: Peggy (1796); Louisa (1815); Penelope (1812); John (1808); Isaac R. (1810); Freeman (1801); Albert (1818); Alexander P. (1799); and Rufus (1806-1895).

**Calvin Dearborn (283)** (1791-12/9/1808) was the son of Benjamin & Mary (Polly) Perkins Dearborn. Benjamin and his wife Mary moved to Winthrop, Maine from Brunswick, Maine in 1814. He was the miller who built and operated the Perley mill on the canal and later the saw-mill. He also carried on farming to some extent. They had, besides Calvin,: John Dearborn, born January 05, 1794 in Topsham, Sagadahoc, Maine; died May 04, 1857; married Susannah Keith Hinds March 30, 1817 in Livermore, Maine; Mary Polly Dearborn, born August 19, 1798; died July 09, 1877; married Col. George Washington Stanley 1821; born March 11, 1800; died November 27, 1881 in Augusta, Maine; Harriet Dearborn, born June 1801 in Topsham, Sagadahoc, Maine; died May 19, 1897; married David Stanley 1837; born September 10, 1808; died May 18, 1875; and Nancy Dearborn, born 1807 in Topsham and died September 8, 1837. He family is buried in Kennebec County.

**Jane Jameson (284)** (1784-3/27/1827) married Capt. James Jameson.

William Randall. was born on 20 Jan 1741[2] in Scituate, MA. William died in Jun 1826 in Topsham, Sagadahoc Co., ME. William moved to Maine after his brothers; bought 50 acres of brother Ezra; with his brother Daniel bought 85 acres of brother Paul and 50 acres from William Thorne of Topsham; selectman Topsham 1776. On 21 Aug 1783 when **William** was 41, he married **Jane Patten**, daughter of John Patten (1717-7 Apr 1795) & Mary Means (1722-5 Oct 1800), in Topsham, ME. Born on 13 Sep 1746, Jane died in Topsham, Sagadahoc Co., ME, on 16 Nov 1833; she was 87. The children of William and Jane (Patten) Randall, were born

at Topsham: **Jane Randall**, b. 28 Apr 1784, d. 27 Mar 1727, m.16 Sep 1804 **James Jameson**;  
William Randall, b. 22 Aug 1785, d. 20 Feb 1867, m. Susannah Hunter; Benjamin Randall, b.  
14 Nov 1787, d. soon; and Benjamin Randall, b. 14 Nov 1789.

**William Randall (285)**(1742-6/30/1825) married **Jane Patten (286)** (1747-11/16/1833). (see above).

**Joseph Berry (287)** (1740-9/23/1830) married **Jennett Henry (288)** (1757-9/26/1843, the daughter of James Henry and Hannah McKness. They had **Josiah (289)** (1792-9/27/1817). Joseph Berry, was born at New Meadows, Brunswick, Sept. 26, 1740, and died in Topsham Sept. 23, 1830, aged nearly 90 yrs. His parents resided in Berry's Mills, in Bath, then Georgetown. He was captured by Indians in the Indian Wars and carried to Canada. His first wife was Jane, or Jenny, a daughter of Capt. Adam Hunter. Jane was born Feb. 28, 1810. Married in Feb. 1767. She died leaving: -Adam, born Jan. 25, 1769, unmarried, lost, or died at sea; Joseph, born abt. 1772 died 1810, aged 38, unmarried. Joseph's second wife Jennett, (or Jane) a daughter of Deacon James Henry, the Cooper. She was born in Providence, Sept. 25, 1751, children by second wife: -Jenny, married Crispus Graves; John married a Simpson and died in Demarara, British Guiana in South America, Mar. 18, 1803; Hannah who died an infant; Robert born April 28, 1786, unmarried, drowned May 17, 1838 at Cathance Stream and Rufus born Mar. 22, 1792, unmarried and drowned near Seguin Sept. 27, 1817, as he was coming from Portland in a small boat.

**John H. Foote (290)** (1820-4/21/1842) was the son of Enoch Foote and Julia Ann Hunter (1794). Who was born in Bath and John was. Adam Hunter married Priscilla Foote and they had Julia Foote Hunter (1822-23). Julia A. Hunter was the daughter of Thomas Hunter and granddaughter of James Hunter of Topsham. Thomas was Adam's brother who married Priscilla Foote of Bath. John was an early member of the Bath Washingtonian Society, a group of reformed drunkards devoted to temperance.

**Jane H. Berry Reed (291)** (1803-3/13/1846) married Sewall Reed ( b. 1813) son of **Robert Reed (98)** and **Hannah House (98)**. Sewall and Jane had: Jane E. (1835); Catherine (1839); John Henry (1842) and Mary E. (1846) who married H.W. Weston.

**Joseph Patten (297)** (1763-1/4/1809) married **Mary Coombs (296)** (1762-11/29/1853). They had **Hannah Patten (292)** (1789-5/16/1865); **Margaret Patten (293)** (1806-7/9/1828); **Salley (Sarah) Patten (295)** (1795-11/24/1816) and **Daniel Patten (294)** (1804-3/31/1825) as well as an **infant son (297)** 2 months old.

**George Rogers (298)** (1785-5/16/1865) married **Mary (299)** (1795-1/26/1821). Mary was the daughter of Hannah and David Patten and sister to **Lucinda Patten Rogers (300)** (1802-1/5/1829) daughter of Hannah and David Patten, and sister to **Mary** married **George Rogers Esq. (298)** and they had **David Osborn Rogers (301)** (1824-7/27/1827) and **Lucinda Mary Patten Rogers (302)** (1830-1/12/1832).



**John Hunter (304)** (1771-9/20/1843) married **Nancy (305)** (1784-2/7/1840) and they had **Bradford (303)** (1825-4/7/1852).

**Col. James Hunter (306)** (1735-2/1809) First white man born in Topsham, helped build Ft. Halifax in 1754, an officer in the Revolutionary War. He had been a major in the Rev War, and was made a Col about the close of the war. Commission was signed by Hancock. He served under Col/Judge North. He was the son of Adam Hunter and Mary Lithgow. He married **Abigail Williams (307)** (1733-1829). Abigail was the daughter of Thomas Williams and Hannah. James and Abigail had: Adam Hunter, b. 1758, d. Fall 1781 at sea; James Hunter II, b. 1759, d. 1824; Margaret Hunter, b. 1761, d. 1839; John Hunter, b. 1763; William Hunter, b. 1764; Daughter B Hunter, b. 1765; Daughter C Hunter, b. 1768. James' son Adam was captured by Indians and sent as a prisoner to Halifax and then released. He then became a member of a privateer ship which was captured by the British and he was sent to Halifax. He was placed on the ship "Cornwallis" to be taken to a prisoner exchange in 1781 and it was lost off Halifax.

**Thomas T. Hunter (309)**(1807-4/18/1851) married **Sarah Maria (310)** (1820-5/13/1852). They had Robert S. (1838); **Frederic A. Hunter (308)** (1846-1/12/1868); and Belville R. (1848) (who is buried in the Varny Cemetery)..

**Capt. Charles Hunter (311)** (1795-6/21/1843) was the son of Robert Hunter (1745-1808) and (2) Margaret Randall Hunter (1762-1836).

**Gideon Larrabee (313)** (1779-8/7/1809) married Lucy Davis in 1803 and they had **Lucy (312)** (1808-3/18/1809); Martha D. (b. 1804); Mary (b. 1806).

**Hosea Hildreth (315)** (1774-3/22/1821) married (1) Betsey Brown in 1797) and (2) **Lucy Fletcher (314)** (1775-5/23/1848) in 1798 in Topsham, Maine. Lucy was the daughter of Jonathan Fletcher and Lucy Taylor of Mass. She died in Richmond, Maine. Hosea's parents were Hosea and Experience Keep Hildreth from Massachusetts. Hosea and Lucy had: Lucy Fletcher Hildreth b: 12 FEB 1800 in Brookline, MA; **Eliza (Betsey) Hildreth (316)** b: 2 DEC 1801 in Charlestown, MA/whop married Deacon Freeman P. Patten;Hosea Hildreth b: 14 OCT 1803 in Chelsea, MA; Jonathan Page Hildreth b: 16 SEP 1805 in Brunswick, ME; **Joseph Fletcher Hildreth (317)** (1807-12/23/1872), born in Brunswick, ME; Susannah Fletcher Hildreth b: 30 MAY 1809 in Brunswick, ME;William Jenks Hildreth b: 10 AUG 1812 in Brunswick, ME;Samuel Fletcher (twin) Hildreth b: 21 DEC 1814 in Brunswick, ME; and Rhoda Wright (twin) Hildreth b: 21 DEC 1814 in Brunswick, ME.

**Eliza H. Patten (316)** (1801-12/11/1866) married Deacon Freeman ParkerPatten (1801-1882). She was the daughter of Hosea Hildreth and Lucy Fletcher. Freeman was born in Bowdoinham and moved to Gardiner where he was a successful lumberman. He and Eliza (Betsey) Had: Freeman (1847) who became Mayor of Gardiner, ME.

**Gershom Orr (319)** (1787-11/16/1831) who perished at sea married **Elizabeth (Polly) (319)** (1798-12/15/1851). They had: **Lydia A. Orr (318)** (1822-8/15/1884) and **David (320)** (1825-8/21/1847);

Hannah P. who married Stephen Sewall of Bath; and Susan H. (185-1904) who married Samuel F. Purington (1814-1887) and died in Bath, Maine.

**Dorcas Hunter (321)** (1758-4/12/1813) married James Hunter Jr., the son of James and Abigail Williams.

**Arthur Hunter (322)** (1749-2/24/1829) was a gentleman and son of Adam Hunter and Mary Lithgow. He married Sarah WINCHELL, b. 1750, Harpswell, Sagadahoc, ME, (daughter of Samuel WINCHEL and Sarah McNEISS). Arthur married **Sarah Winchell Hunter (323)** (1751-5/10/1846). They had **Miss Mary L. Hunter (324)** (1776 -2/17/1846) and **William Hunter (325)** (1775-12/25/1858) who was a farmer and unmarried; Sarah who married Thomas Hunter; **Samuel** who was unmarried; Arthur who married Hannah Mustard and died in 1829; Adam who married Priscilla Foote; Lithgow who married Nancy Work and graduated from Bowdoin College; Silence who married Richard Adams, a stonecutter in Topsham. **Samuel** was buried in the 1<sup>st</sup> Parish Cemetery in Topsham but no stone was found. **Samuel Hunter** (1782-1/12/1847). In 1840 he had \$500 in the Union Bank. We can assume he was buried near his parents.

**Alton Wheeler (328)** (1899-1956) was the son of Henry and Lucy McCaller Wheeler of Solon. His obituary appeared in the Brunswick Record Sept. 13, 1956, pg. 4.

**Polly(Mary) Atkins (329)** (1782-1/27/1864) married Ansel Atkins. Ansel was the son of Matthew Atkins and Judith. They had: Christina, Nancy and **John Atkins (327)** (1817-6/21/1887), a farmer, married **Dolly Ann Ward (326)** (1815-3/29/1891). They had:; Edward (b. 1856) who married Hannah Huntington and the had Ernest Edward and Francis A.??????????

**Philip Hoyt Foster (331)** (1790-5/28/1858), a farmer, married **Martha G. Stanwood (330)** (1797-8/20/1854). They had: Philip H. (1836); Rebecca (1839); and Jane S. (1842) and Eliza (1822-1902) who married Otis Staples.

**Alexander Graves (332)** (1800-9/17/1887), a farmer, married **Sarah S. Jacques (333)** (1802-7/11/1889). They had: **Florilla E. Graves (334)** (1835-1915); **Loring E. (335)** (1842-(1925) and Samuel W. (1837). Alexander was the son of Samuel Graves and Catherine Sutherland. Alexander had a sister Patience.

**Capt. David Patten (337)** (1770-1/22/1830) married **Hannah Reed (336)** (1770-5/6/1828). They had: Lucinda who was the 2<sup>nd</sup> wife of George Rogers; Rachel (1796); David (1799) and Lincoln (1808).

**James Orr (338)** (1801-4/20/1879) married **Hannah R. Ward (339)** (1813-8/7/1883). They had: **Hannah Orr (340)** (1842-7/24/1860); **James H. (340)** 3 months; **Richard (340)** 2 months; **James H. (340)** 1 yr. 6 months; **Annette Jane (340)** 2 yrs. 9 months; Nathaniel (1850); Ellen (1853); Esther (1854); Mary

Elizabeth; Rachel Jane; Esther Ann; Priscilla P. (1834-1912); and Josiah. James Orr married (1) Margaret and then (2) Hannah. He may have emigrated in 1851.

**James Hugh Ward (341)** (1827-3/3/1846) was the son of Charles & Hannah Orr Ward. They had Deborah (1837) who married William Pollard; Bethia (1833); George C.(1839); James Hewey (1845); Rhonda (1842); Rhonda Jane (1847) and **Hannah R.**

**Thomas Hunter (342)** (1769-3/24/1858) married **Katie S. (343)** "Mother" (1769-3/23/1864).

**Susan Malcolm Hunter (344)** (1807-2/23/1838) daughter of William Malcolm and Susannah Hunter, married Daniel W., Hunter(1804-1879)), a farmer. They had Willis O.(1837-1892),a soldier; Helen Augusta (1844); and Mary (1847)

**Sarah McNelley Hunter (345)** (1820-3/11/1846) married Daniel W.Hunter in 1838.

**Samuel G. Gatchell (346)**, a farmer, (1833-4/10/1890) married **Dolly A. Ward (347)** (1847-12/25/1876). His parents were John Gatchell and Mindwell . Dolly's parents were Nathaniel, a farmer, and Hannah.

**Nathaniel Ward (352)** (1816-7/22/1894) married **Hannah A. (352)** (1815-5/27/1895). They had: **John T. (348)** (1838-11/20/1838); **Page O. (350)** (1843-9/16/1864); **Sarah E. (349)** (1845-9/18/1864); **Dolly A** ; Alonzo (1854); Louisa H. (1857) worked in the box factory, and Polly (Mary) A. (1861).

**George Alonzo (353)Ward** (1876-1937) was the grandson of Nathaniel Ward and Hannah.

**Abie (Abigail) Randall (354)** (1835-1/10/1855 )married William Randall. They had a **Baby Randall (355)**.

**Mary Ann Crane (356)** (1799-4/18/1854) married Jonathan Crane. They had: **Maria C. (357)** (1825-9/4/1853). William Huston and Miriam Parker, from Nova Scotia, were the parents of Mary. Jonathan immigrated from Nova Scotia on the Acadian in 1847. In 1850 they were living in Topsham with a widower, Eldridge Randall, a farmer. Jonathan was a farmer and he and Mary had, besides, Maria; James (1838); Rachel (1840) and Eloisa (1842).

**Recorded but no stone found:**

**Albert Patten** (1804-4/30/1820) was the son of Actor (1767-1855) who as the son of John Patten and Mary Means & Ann (Annah) A. Hunter Patten(1779-1858). He had siblings: Nancy (1803-1839) ; Daniel (1804-1825); Freeman (1801); Isaac R. (1810); John (1808); Penelope (1812); Peggy (1796); Margaret (1781); Louisa (1815); and Rufus (15805).

**Abie (Abigail) Ward Prindall** (1835-1/10/1885) married William Prindall. William was the son of James Prindall and Dolly Pollard. Abigail was the daughter of Nathaniel and Hanna Ward. William and Abie had: Adelaide (1857-1879) who died in childbirth and married Thomas Wilson Rich; William Edward (1858); Warren A. (1858); Elizabeth (1867). William was listed as a huckster and later as a Botanical Doctor when he moved to Thomaston with wife (2) Nancy Crouse Davis. He joined Company F of the 10th Maine in the Civil War and deserted only to rejoin Company D in the 10<sup>th</sup> 6 months later. He was know by an alias: James Bushnell.

**Edward Reed** (1801-1881) married Mary Ann Randall (b. 1805-1860) daughter of Ezra Randall and Margaret Foster. They had, in Freeport: Adelaide (1844-1826) Mary E. (1831); Helen A. (1841); Grenville (1839) and Davis R. (1836). In Woodlawn Cemetery in Freeport there is a stone for Edward and Mary and Adelaide and her husband George W. Coffin of Freeport.

**Abraham Grant Lincoln** (1870-1929) . He had come to Topsham after spending most of his life tramping all over the country. He was born in Sacramento, Calif. And left no relatives. Died in 1929 and was about 50 years old. He was the son of Bernard Lincoln (1830) and Rose (1850). His father was a fire insurance agent in California. Abraham had siblings: William (1868) and Mary E. (1875).