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BEDFORD GENEALOGY

Descendants of the Twenty-two
Original Settlers

Abraham Ambler	Jonathan Pettit
Richard Ambler	Jonas Seely
Richard Ayres	Eleazar Slawson
William Clark	Benjamin Stevens
John Cross	Joseph Stevens
John Green	Joseph Theale
John Holmes Jr.	David Waterbury
Daniel Jones	Nicholas Webster
Jonathan Kilborn	Daniel Weed
John Miller	Samuel Weed
Thomas Pennoyer	John Westcott

First Proprietors of the Town in 1680

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THEALE DESCENDANTS

7. Harold Halsted Park, b. Mar. 22, 1888, at White Plains, N. Y., d. Jan. 31, 1974; m. Oct. 2, 1913, Madeline Fish, b. July 19, 1891, d. Apr. 1, 1960, the dau. of Edwin Bennett Fish and Mary Elizabeth Sutton.
- *8. Harold Halsted Park, Jr.
9. Barbara Park; m. 1st Carl Louis Bausch, Jr.; 2nd David Racusen
10. Sylvia Park; m. 1st Donald Henry Kellogg (see Miller Descendants I, No. 15); m. 2nd, Walter Frey
8. Harold Halsted Park, Jr.; m. Virginia Greene Semlow. They reside at Bedford, N. Y.
- *11. David Sutton Park
12. Christopher Semlow Park
11. David Sutton Park; m. Mrs. Pamela (Van Horn) Hom.
13. Kendall Sutton Park
14. Kelly Diane Park

WATERBURY

1. John Waterbury, born in Sudbury, County Suffolk, England, married Nov. 1614, Anne Shelton. They apparently resided there, as at least one of the children was born in Sudbury.
- *2. William
2. William, born in Sudbury, Suffolk, England; married Alice Parcett. They removed to Boston, Mass., 1629-30.
3. Rachel, bapt. July 25, 1619
- *4. John, bapt. Dec. 31, 1621
5. Mary, bapt. Feb. 29, 1624
6. William, bapt. Feb. 26, 1626, d. Oct. 15, 1626
7. William, bapt. Aug. 9, 1627
8. Samuel, bapt. Sept. 20, 1629
4. John, baptized at Sudbury, England, Dec. 31, 1621; he came with his parents to America about 1629-30. He first settled in Watertown, Mass. about 1641, where he sold his property Oct. 15, 1646, and removed to Stamford, Conn., by Mar. 2, 1651. John married Rose (Lockwood?) who, after John's death July 31, 1658, at Stamford, married 2nd Jos Garnsey, May 11, 1659.

- * 9. Rachel Parcett, b. abt. 1639; m. Dec. 3, 1659, John Holmes
- *10. Sarah, b. abt. 1646; m. 1st Zachariah Dibble; and 2nd, Nicholas Webster
- *11. John, b. abt. 1650; m. Mary _____
- *12. Jonathan, b. abt. 1653; m. Eunice _____
- *13. David, b. abt. 1655; m. 1st Hannah Newman; 2nd Sarah Weed
9. Rachel Parcett, born at Stamford, Conn., about 1639, married Dec. 3, 1659, John Holmes (see Holmes family No. 5 and Westcott family No. 7; see Waterbury Descendants I, No. 1; III, No. 1).
10. Sarah, born at Stamford, Conn., about 1639, married 1st Zachariah Dibble; and 2nd, Nicholas Webster (see Webster family No. 1).
11. John, born at Stamford, Conn., about 1650, died there Nov. 28, 1688. He served in King Philip's War of 1675-76. John married Mary _____, who married 2nd, after the death of John, Jonas Seeley as his 2nd wife (see Seely family No. 8).
14. Mary, b. Mar. 20, 1679; m. Jonathan Slawson (see Slawson family No. 11)
- *15. John, b. Oct. 30, 1682
- *16. David, b. Jan. 24, 1684
- *17. Thomas, b. May 12, 1687
12. Jonathan, born at Stamford, Conn., about 1653; he died there Jan. 14, 1702. He married Eunice _____.
18. Sarah, b. Aug. 15, 1677; m. May 10, 1700, Benjamin Mead
19. Eunice, b. Oct. 7, 1679, d. May 24, 1710; m. Richard Higginbottom
20. Rose, b. Jan. 21, 1681, d. before 1702, unm.
21. Rachel, b. Aug. 26, 1684, d. before 1702, unm.
- *22. Jonathan, b. Feb. 9, 1686, d. May 6, 1752; m. Sarah Mead, dau. of Jonathan
23. Abigail, b. July 1, 1688, d. Oct. 7, 1729; m. John Newman
- *24. Joseph, b. Jan. 26, 1691, d. 1751; m. twice
- *25. Benjamin, b. Sept. 12, 1694; m. Jan. 12, 1727, Mary, dau. of Jonathan Mead
13. LIEUTENANT DAVID, born at Stamford, Conn., about 1655; he died there Nov. 20, 1706. His will dated Mar. 24, 1704; inventory taken, Nov. 20, 1706; filed and probated, Jan. 28, 1707. David apparently obtained his commission of lieutenant while serving in King Philip's War, 1675-76. One report says that he "married 3 times"; we can find only two of the reported three wives. 1st, Hannah Newman, born Oct. 29, 1657, daughter of William and Elizabeth Newman. He married 2nd Aug. 11, 1698, Sarah Weed, born Nov. 18, 1675, the daughter of Daniel Weed and Ruth _____. Sarah married 2nd Benjamin Ferris; 3rd, Nathaniel Pond. David removed from Stamford, to Bedford, where he was one of the original proprietors of Bedford in 1680. He sold his land and holdings about 1681-82 to Jonas Weed and John Miller and

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returned shortly thereafter to Stamford. He was given a grant to build a dam at the mouth of the Noroton River, which flows between Stamford and Darien. During his brief stay in Bedford he was quite active and served as a justice of the peace (see Weed family No. 26).
Children by 1st wife, Hannah:

*26. John, b. Jan. 25, 1682

27. Elizabeth, b. Jan. 19, 1684; m. June 1, 1702, Isaac Howe
(see Slawson family no. 48)

*28. Sarah, b. Jan. 10, 1685; m. Jonas Weed

Children by 2nd wife, Sarah:

29. Ruth, b. June 3, 1699

*30. David, b. Nov. 9, 1701

31. Ebenezer, b. Mar. 12, 1704, d. Mar. 7, 1721, unm.

32. Mercy, b. Jan. 27, 1706; m. David Selleck

15. John, born at Stamford, Conn., Oct. 30, 1682, died there May 28, 1744. He married 1st Jan. 16, 1707, Sarah Holmes, daughter of Stephen Holmes and Martha _____ (see Holmes family No. 12); she died Aug. 1, 1709. John married 2nd, Nov. 30, 1710, Hannah Cross, daughter of Nathaniel Cross and Abigail _____. Hannah was the niece of John Cross (see Cross family No. 2; Waterbury Descendants II, 1)
Children by 1st wife Sarah:

33. John, b. Dec. 17, 1707, d. Jan. 28, 1708

34. Sarah, b. July 26, 1709, d. Nov. 25, 171(?)

Children by 2nd wife Hannah:

*35. John, b. Dec. 5, 1711

*36. Nathaniel, b. May 21, 1717

16. David, born at Stamford, Conn., Jan. 24, 1684, died there June 14, 1710. He married Apr. 10, 1707, Waitstill Green, born Nov. 26, 1685, daughter of Joseph Green (see Green family No. 8). Waitstill married 2nd, after the death of David, Stephen Bishop.

*37. David, b. 1708; m. Dec. 22, 1730, Mary Bouton, dau. of John Bouton and Mercy Hickock

38. Mary, b. 1710

17. Thomas, born at Stamford, Conn., May 12, 1687, died there July 18, 1758. Thomas married 1st Elizabeth Holly, daughter of Elisha Holly and Rebecca Bishop. She was born June 28, 1693, died Nov. 2, 1719. He married 2nd Elizabeth Boardman, widow of Israel Boardman and daughter of Jacob Gibbs. He married 3rd Hannah Hoyt, widow of Joseph Hoyt and daughter of Samuel Finch; she died in 1762.
Children by 1st wife, Elizabeth (Holly):

39. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 21, 1717; m. _____ Hait

*40. Thomas, b. 1719, m. Apr. 21, 1752, Mary Brown

Children by 3rd wife, Hannah Finch (Hoyt):

41. Samuel, b. Nov. 18, 1732

42. Hannah, b. Feb. 26, 1734, d. July 22, 1758, unm.

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- 43. Abigail, b. July 29, 1737; m. Selleck Holly
- 44. Jacob, b. Oct. 26, 1741
- 45. John, b. Sept. 20, 1744

. Jonathan, born at Stamford, Conn., Feb. 9, 1686, and died in Stamford May 30, 1765. He married Jan. 21, 1718, Sarah Mead, daughter of Jonathan Mead and Martha Finch; she was born Oct. 11, 1691 (see No. 25 below).

- *46. Jonathan, b. Nov. 5, 1720
- 47. Josiah, b. Mar. 12, 1722
- 48. Isaac, b. 1723
- 49. Nathaniel, b. Apr. 26, 1724
- 50. Sarah, b. 1726; m. Gideon Weed, son of Jonas and Sarah (see Weed family No. 50)
- 51. Martha, b. 1728; m. Scudder Waring
- 52. Abigail, b. July 18, 1730; m. Israel Weed, son of Benjamin and Mary (see Weed family No. 61)
- 53. Eunice, b. 1733

. Joseph, born Jan. 26, 1691, at Stamford, Conn., and died there 1751. He married 1st Hannah _____; 2nd, at Norwalk, Mar. 12, 1719, Hannah Fountain, daughter of Aaron Fountain and Hannah _____.

Children by 1st wife, Hannah _____:

- 54. Hannah, b. Jan. 31, 1707, d. young

Children by 2nd wife, Hannah (Fountain):

- 55. Eunice, b. Apr. 20, 1720
- 56. Joseph, b. Jan. 21, 1723, d. young
- 57. Samuel, b. Jan. 31, 1725
- 58. Hannah, b. Jan. 31, 1727
- 59. Joseph, b. Oct. 10, 1728
- 60. Ruth, b. May 8, 1731
- 61. Ezra, b. Feb. 7, 1733
- 62. Hezekiah, b. Feb. 15, 1735
- 63. Gideon

. Benjamin, born at Stamford, Conn., Sept. 12, 1694; married Jan. 12, 1727, Mary Mead, daughter of Jonathan Mead and Martha Finch; she was born May 22, 1704 (see No. 22 above).

- 64. Rachel, b. Nov. 10, 1727
- 65. Benjamin, b. Feb. 26, 1729
- *66. Josiah, b. July 31, 1732
- 67. James, b. Dec. 7, 1734
- 68. Ebenezer, b. Feb. 25, 1736
- 69. Mary, b. Jan. 5, 1740
- 70. Bethia, b. May 20, 1744

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26. John, born Jan. 25, 1682, either in Bedford or in Stamford, Conn., he died in Stamford Jan. 20, 1736. John married Dec. 4, 1710, Susannah Newkirk.
71. Hannah, b. Apr. 1, 1712
 72. Susannah, b. Dec. 17, 1714
 73. John, b. Dec. 21, 1718, d. between 1790 and 1800; m. Feb. 1, 1750, Mary Slawson (see Slawson family No. 65)
 74. Sarah, b. Feb. 23, 1720, d. young
 - *75. David (Brig. General), b. Feb. 12, 1722, d. June 29, 1801; m. Mary Maltby
 76. Sarah, b. abt. 1724
 77. Peter, b. Nov. 8, 1726, d. supposedly by 1759
 - *78. Isaac, b. abt. 1728; m. at Bedford, N. Y., Thankful Scofield
 79. Elizabeth, b. abt. 1730
 80. Mary, b. abt. 1732; m. Abraham Bates
 81. Sylvanus, b. abt. 1735
28. Sarah, born probably in Stamford, Conn., Jan. 10, 1685; married Jonas Weed (see Weed family No. 23), her cousin.
30. David, born in Stamford, Conn., Nov. 9, 1701; married Mary Sturges, Jan. 11, 1721.
82. Ebenezer, b. Nov. 17, 1722
 83. Mary, b. Oct. 15, 1725
 84. David, b. May 14, 1728
 85. Nathan, b. June 11, 1730
 86. Sarah, b. Apr. 12, 1732
 87. Ruth, b. Apr. 14, 1735
 88. Mercy, b. Apr. 23, 1737
 89. Phineas, b. June 1, 1739
 90. Abigail, b. May 14, 1743; m. 1st Capt. Hezekiah Gray; m. 2nd, Samuel Barrett (III), son of Samuel, Jr. (see Holmes family No. 124)
35. John, born Stamford, Conn., Dec. 5, 1711, married there Sept. 22, 1737, Hannah Ferris.
91. Abigail, b. Dec. 8, 1738
 92. Hannah, b. Aug. 25, 1741, d. young
 93. Sarah, b. Nov. 29, 1743
 94. Hannah, b. Mar. 29, 1746
 95. Mary, b. Sept. 8, 1749
 96. Bethia, b. Sept. 26, 1752
 97. John, b. Apr. 1, 1754
 98. Martha, b. Mar. 11, 1756
36. Nathaniel, born in Stamford, Conn., May 21, 1717, and married Dec. 29, 1743, Rebecca Holly, daughter of Elisha Holly and Rebecca Bishop.

99. Abigail, b. Nov. 15, 1744, d. Oct. 29, 1745
100. Abigail, b. Apr. 15, 1746
101. John, b. Mar. 10, 1749
102. Rebecca, b. Jan. 22, 1752
103. Elizabeth, b. Sept. 29, 1754
104. Nathaniel, b. Dec. 19, 1756
37. David, born in Stamford, Conn., 1708; he married Dec. 22, 1730, Mary Bouton, born about 1709, daughter of John Bouton and Mercy Hickock.
105. Mary, b. Sept. 5, 1731
106. Hannah, b. Feb. 4, 1733
107. David, b. Dec. 16, 1735
108. Gideon, b. Dec. 26, 1737
109. Mercy, b. Feb. 15, 1739
110. Daniel, b. Feb. 15, 1741
111. Abigail, b. May 14, 1743
112. Prudence, b. Feb. 12, 1751
40. Thomas, born probably in Stamford, Conn., 1719; he married Apr. 21, 1752, Mary Brown.
113. Mary, b. July 14, 1753
114. James, b. Nov. 21, 1754
115. William, b. Dec. 29, 1756
116. Thomas, b. Feb. 26, 1759
117. Elizabeth, b. Jan. 3, 1761
41. Jonathan, born Stamford, Conn., Nov. 5, 1720, and married May 6, 1752, Abigail Whiting who died Oct. 16, 1760. He married 2nd, Jan. 28, 1762, Eunice Bell.
- Children by 1st wife, Abigail:
118. Abigail, b. Aug. 21, 1753
119. Sarah, b. Apr. 22, 1755, d. Aug. 26, 1760
120. Chloe, b. Jan. 16, 1757
121. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 11, 1758
122. Jonathan, b. Aug. 17, 1760
- Josiah, born at Stamford, Conn., July 31, 1732; he married Nov. 22, 1759, Sarah Husted, born Nov. 22, 1736, daughter of Zebulon Husted and Abigail _____. He died Aug. 18, 1805.
123. Samuel, b. Aug. 30, 1760; m. Rachel Scofield
124. Enos, b. June 19, 1762; m. Sarah Waterbury
125. Hannah, b. July 3, 1763; m. Nathaniel Scofield
126. William, b. Nov. 24, 1766; m. Anna Crawford
127. Abigail, b. May 27, 1769; m. Feb. 16, 1789, Samuel Provost, son of Samuel Provost and Sarah Bishop
128. Mary, b. July 15, 1771; m. 1785, John Provost, son of Samuel Provost and Sarah Bishop. Mary d. May 27, 1842, John d. Jan. 15, 1853
- *129. Jared, b. Nov. 4, 1778; m. twice

75. Brig. General
 Revolutionary war. He died June 29, 1801; married May 15, 1758,
 Mary Maltby who was born 1733 and died Nov. 7, 1810.
130. William, b. Oct. 10, 1766
131. Molly, b. Jan. 1, 1769, d. Sept. 24, 1795, unm.
78. Isaac, born probably in Stamford, Conn., about 1728; married in
 Bedford, Thankful Scofield.
132. John, b. May 30, 1752
133. Peter, b. May 29, 1754
134. Sarah, b. Sept. 30, 1756
135. Sylvanus, b. May 17, 1758
136. David, b. Mar. 8, 1760
137. Susannah, b. Mar. 14, 1762
138. Elizabeth, b. Mar. 30, 1764
139. Catee, b. Mar. 12, 1766
140. Isaac, b. Mar. 2, 1769
141. Molly, b. July 24, 1771, twin
142. Hannah, b. July 24, 1771, twin
143. Squire, b. Sept. 1, 1774, d. Jan. 27, 1845; m. Betsey Jone
129. Jared, born Nov. 4, 1778, probably in Stamford, Conn., died in Pound
 Ridge, N. Y., 1812. He married 1st Mary St. John(?); 2nd, Sarah
 Wicks who was born in Huntington, L. I. After Jared's death, she
 married Thomas Potts as his 2nd wife.
 Children by 2nd wife, Sarah:
144. Phineas, b. Mar. 4, 1798
145. Elmira, b. Dec. 24, 1800
146. Samuel, b. Apr. 23, 1803
- *147. Ebenezer, b. Apr. 4, 1805
147. Ebenezer, born Apr. 4, 1805, possibly in Pound Ridge, N. Y.; marri
 Caroline Smith, daughter of Charles Smith. He died May 7, 1881, i
 Pound Ridge, N. Y.
148. Aaron T.; m. Lavina Youngs Sarles
149. George P.
150. Ebenezer B.
151. Sarah E.; m. Isaac Williams
152. William S.
153. Jared W.
154. son, d. infancy
155. John O'Gilvia, b. Nov. 11, 1846; m. Minerva Sarles
156. Charles P.
157. Caroline E.; m. 1st Henry Lockwood; 2nd, William Knap

WATERBURY DESCENDANTS - SUPPLEMENTAL LISTS

(see No. 9)

1. Rachel Parcett Waterbury, b. 1639, at Stamford, Conn.; m. Dec. 3, 1659, John Holmes, Sr., b. 1639
2. Capt. Jonathan Holmes, b. 1674, d. at Bedford before Dec. 5, 1742; m. Dorothy Roberts, b. 1681, the dau. of Zachariah Roberts and Mary Lawrence
3. Rachel Holmes, b. July 8, 1708, at Bedford, d. there on Nov. 24, 1789; m. John Westcott (III), b. 1704, at Bedford, d. there in 1780.
4. Mary Westcott, b. 1739, at Bedford, d. there after 1820; m. Capt. Eli Seely, Sr., b. 1736, at Bedford, d. there between 1805-10.
5. Prudence Ann Seely, b. Mar. 8, 1782, at Bedford, d. there Jan. 6, 1833; m. Isaac P. Reynolds, b. June 6, 1773, at Greenwich, Conn., d. June 5, 1850, at Bedford.
6. Joseph Reynolds; m. Amanda A. Miller (see Miller Descendants II, No. 1)

(For other information relating to this family, see Descendant families of Ambler I, No. 6; Holmes I, No. 4; Pennoyer III, No. 4; Seely I, No. 2; Slawson I, No. 4; and Westcott I, No. 4.)

(see No. 30)

1. David Waterbury, Jr., b. Nov. 9, 1701, at Stamford, Conn.; m. Jan. 11, 1721, Mary Sturges.
2. Abigail Waterbury, b. May 14, 1743, at Stamford, Conn., d. Jan. 10, 1805, at Bedford. She m. 1st Capt. Hezekiah Gray and after his death m. 2nd, in 1778, Samuel Barrett (III), b. Apr. 10, 1755, at Bedford, d. there Dec. 10, 1844.
3. Joseph Barrett; m. Deborah St. John (see Clark Descendants III, No. 1).

(For other information relating to this family, see Descendant families of Clark III, No. 1; Holmes III, No. 4; Pennoyer I, No. 6; and Weed I, No. 4.)

(see No. 9)

1. Rachel Parcett Waterbury, b. 1639, at Stamford, Conn.; m. Dec. 3, 1659, John Holmes Sr., b. 1639
2. Richard Holmes, b. 1676, d. 1710; m. 1695, Mary Miller (see Miller family No. 8)

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3. Richard Holmes Jr., b. 1694, d. 1742-1751; m. _____
4. Peter Holmes, d. 1799; m. Mary Holmes.
5. Abijah Holmes, b. 1757, d. Dec. 27, 1841 (see Holmes family 189).
6. John Holmes, b. June 12, 1762, d. July 16, 1853; m. Ruth Clason b. Feb. 22, 1789, d. Sept. 4, 1869.
7. John Clason Holmes, b. Sept. 22, 1825, d. Dec. 26, 1894, at Bedford; m. 2nd, Marietta Lounsbury Robertson, b. Jan. 9, 1840, d. Jan. 24, 1936.
8. John Robertson Holmes, b. Aug. 2, 1869, d. July 27, 1943; m. Elizabeth Seaman Clark, b. May 8, 1874, d. Jan. 5, 1957.

(For other information relating to this family, see Descendant famil of Ambler II, No. 7; Clark XVII, No. 1; Holmes IV, No. 3; Miller No. 4; Slawson III, No. 5).