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from the old John Adams' road: beginning at the house on Cochituate brook as the road northwest corner of Stephen's field to a tree which is a Thomas Kendall, so running the runs between said K. and the corner mark, then continuing to Sudbury line. Also one northeastly as the way of Thomas Kendall, so by road to Stephen Jennings' corner in Graves (so called), then to said road to lye on the east side rods wide." leading from Jona. Jackson's

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	Shil.	d.		Shil.	d.
John Bent . . .	03	02	John Haven . . .	01	08
David Stone . . .	02	02	Elkanah Haven . . .	01	08
Jonathan Rice . . .	05	03	James Coller . . .	01	11
Dea. David Rice . . .	02	08	Mr. Savil Simpson . . .	03	07
Thomas Drury . . .	03	06	Thomas Mellen . . .	03	03
Thomas Walker . . .	02	06	Simon Mellen . . .	03	09
Caleb Drury . . .	02	00	John Jaquish . . .	01	00
Thomas Stone . . .	00	10	Philip Pratt . . .	01	03
John How . . .	02	10	John Provender . . .	01	00
Samuel Stone . . .	01	04	Samuel Holland . . .	01	00
John Pratt . . .	02	04	Samuel Barton . . .	01	11
Joseph Pratt . . .	02	03	Benjamin Ball . . .	01	03
David Pratt . . .	02	03	Benjamin Nurse . . .	02	11
Jonathan Pratt . . .	01	04	Benjamin Bridges . . .	02	10
Jabesh Pratt . . .	00	09	James Travis . . .	01	02
Thomas Pratt . . .	02	01	Ebenezer Harrington . . .	00	10

1723. "Laid out a town highway from the county road leading from Sudbury to Marlborough, to a town highway which leads from John Shears to the meeting-house; beginning between lands of Thompson Woods and John Parmenter, each giving one-half of said land, then through said Parmenter's land, and Col. Buckminster's land, and Thompson Wood's land, and Robert Jennison's land, and Nathaniel Wilson's land, and Jona. Jackson's land, and Stearns' land, and Joshua Eaton's land to the other highway, all parties consenting."

"April 26, 1731. An highway laid out from James Clayes' house (north of Leander Barber's) as the way is now occupied as far as the lane goes, then to John Nurse's land, and so on the north side of said Nurse's orchard, so to the north side of his Norwest corner marked tree, thence as the road is now occupied by marked trees to Southborough line."

Nov. 27, 1732. "Relocation of road from the old John Adams' house over Cochituate brook and eastward: beginning at the house of John Pierce, so running easterly over Cochituate brook as the road is now occupied till it comes to the northwest corner of Stephen Jenning's cornfield, so straight over said field to a tree which is a bound between said Jenning's and Thomas Kendall, so running easterly on said Kendall's land as the line runs between said K. and said J. till it comes to said Jenning's east corner mark, then continuing to the road that leads from Rice's End to Sudbury line. Also an highway from the house of Ebenezer Stone northeasterly as the way is now used till it comes to the land of Thomas Kendall, so by marked trees through said Kendall's land to Stephen Jenning's corner mark, said mark standing on the Indian Graves (so called), then to Sudbury line as the way is now used—said road to lye on the east side of said marks—said road to be two rods wide."

"Mar. 25, 1734. The highway leading from Jona. Jackson's through Timothy Stearns' land to Joseph Maynard's, as it is now occupied, was accepted by the town."

These comprise the leading public highways, so far as the town records show, which were laid out up to 1735, when the second meeting-house was built.

INDUSTRIES. — The earliest corn and saw-mills have been described in Chapter I. Mechanical trades came with the first settlers. Thomas Eames was a mason and brickmaker; Isaac Learned, cooper, was here as early as 1679; John How, carpenter, 1689; Isaac Clark, carpenter, 1692; Caleb Bridges, bricklayer, 1693; Benjamin Bridges, blacksmith, 1693; the wife of Joseph Trumbull, weaver, 1693; Jeremiah Pike, spinning-wheel maker, 1696; Joseph Buckminster, tanner,

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Thomas Drury	03	06	Thomas Mellen	03	03
Thomas Walker	02	06	Simon Mellen	03	09
Caleb Drury	02	00	John Jaquish	01	00
Thomas Stone	00	10	Philip Pratt	01	03
John How	02	10	John Provender	01	00
Samuel Stone	01	04	Samuel Holland	01	00
John Pratt	02	04	Samuel Barton	01	11
Joseph Pratt	02	03	Benjamin Ball	01	03
David Pratt	02	03	Benjamin Nurse	02	11
Jonathan Pratt	01	04	Benjamin Bridges	02	10
Jabesh Pratt	00	09	James Travis	01	02
Thomas Pratt	02	01	Ebenezer Harrington	00	10
Daniel Pratt	00	09	Peter Clayes	02	04
John Gleason	02	05	James Clayes	02	02
Thomas Gleason	01	07	John Nurse	01	04
Isaac Gleason	01	07	Jonathan Provender	00	09
Zachariah Paddelford	01	04	Caleb Bridges	01	09
John Eames	03	01	Daniel Elliott	01	07
John Eames, Jr.	00	11	Daniel Elliott, Jr.	00	11
John Death	03	03	Jonathan Rugg	01	07
Samuel Eames	02	01	John Singletary	01	00
Nathaniel Eames	03	02	Samuel Lamb	01	03
Nathaniel Haven	02	05	Jonathan Cutler	00	09
John Whitney	02	05	John Death, Jr.	00	03
Moses Haven	01	08	Ebenezer Pratt	00	03

	Shil.	d.		Shil.	d.
Isaac Learned, Sen.	03	02	Samuel Winch	02	03
John Adams	01	11	David Winch	00	09
Nathan Haven	00	09	Michael Pike	01	03
			Jeremiah Pike	02	00
Capt. Joseph Buckminster	04	04	William Pike	01	02
Dea. Daniel Stone	02	02	James Pike	01	03
Nathaniel Stone	04	06	John Jones	00	09
John Stone	02	06	Abraham Belknap	01	11
Joseph Gibbs	03	00	Edward Wright	01	02
Thomas Frost	02	00	John Town	03	00
Samuel Frost	01	03	Israel Town	00	10
Isaac Clark	03	02	Ephraim Town	00	09
John Gibbs	01	02	John Bruce	01	04
Samuel Gibbs	00	00	Ichabod Hemenway	01	09
Joseph Sever	01	09	Amos Waite	01	01
Isaac Heath	01	02	Daniel Mixer	02	01
Jonas Eaton	01	05	Benjamin Willard	01	03
George Walkup	02	07	Benjamin Provender	00	09
Joseph Wetherbee	02	04	Philip Gleason	00	09
Jonathan Lamb	01	08	Caleb Johnson	00	10
John Shears	01	11	Nathaniel Wilson	01	08
Thompson Wood	01	02	Nathaniel Wilson, Jr.	00	09
Benjamin Neland	01	02	Thomas Frost, Jr.	01	03
Abial Lamb	02	02	Dea. Joshua Hemenway	02	00
Samuel Frisell	01	00	Samuel How	02	00
Joseph Parker	00	10	Matthew Gibbs	01	03
John Wood	01	03	John Frost	00	09

TABLE showing the relative valuation of the four neighboring towns by their proportions of the Province Tax, in the years specified. Marlborough then included Southborough, Westborough and Northborough; Sudbury included Wayland; Sherborn included Holliston.

	1700	1703	1704	1708	1710	1717
Marlborough	£54	£123.5	£246.10	£250.10	£250.10	£138.4
Sudbury	76.1	124	248	251	251	112.9
Sherborn	33	69.10	139	139	114.8	59.15
Framingham	9	42.5	80	90	114.11	72.18

CHAPTER V.

DARK DAYS—DUTIES OF TOWN OFFICERS—EMIGRATIONS—BILLS OF CREDIT—HOW COL. BUCKMINSTER DISPOSED OF THE COMMON AND RESERVED LANDS—MEETING-HOUSE LAND—THE NECK—THE SIX HUNDRED ACRES ON NOBSCOT—FATHER RALLE'S WAR—THE SECOND MEETING-HOUSE—ATTEMPTED DIVISION OF THE TOWN—REV. MR. SWIFT—NEW FRAMINGHAM—REV. MATTHEW BRIDGE—ORGANIZATION OF THE SECOND CHURCH—REV. SOLOMON REED—OLD FRENCH AND INDIAN WAR—GREAT SICKNESS—LAST FRENCH AND INDIAN WAR—BRINLEY FARM—TEMPERANCE—COLORED INHABITANTS—INDUSTRIES—TAVERNS—HIGHWAYS—POPULATION. 1710-1763.

THIS chapter covers what may be termed "The Dark Days" of our town's life. As stated in an earlier chapter, Framingham lands were taken up by families and clusters of families, each with ties of its own, and with no previously formed and common associations to bind them together as a community. There were no less than six independent centres of interest and influence, to be drawn together and harmonized, in order that the new town might become, in the true and best sense, one body.

The Stone families, influential from numbers, from large landed estates, and social position, as well as control of the principal water-power, stood aloof from both civil and ecclesiastical affairs, as appears by the following vote on the town records: "Voted, in town meeting, that Joshua Hemenway and Thomas Mellen should go, and entreat the Stones to join with us."

There were disaffections in the church, which led to the calling of ecclesiastical councils; to the withdrawal of a considerable number of members, who joined the church in Hopkinton; and ultimately to the formation of a second Congregational church.

There were sectional jealousies, which cropped out and burned fiercely when the project of building a new meeting-house was brought forward.

But the main source of frictions and antagonisms was the cupidity of the principal lessee of the Danforth lands. Indeed this last was probably the real cause of the dissensions in the church, and the quarrel about the new meeting-house site.

The consistency and truth of history require that these things be told; otherwise the cotemporaneous and subsequent annals of the town and church are an inexplicable mystery. But the writer will be fortunate, if he shall succeed in giving the facts in the case, so as to do injustice to no individual or party, and yet furnish a true and finished picture of the times.

DUTIES OF TOWN OFFICERS. — The moderator of a town meeting, in addition to his duty of presiding, was required to keep minutes of the action and votes of said meeting, and report the same to the town clerk, who copied the minutes into the town book. The selectmen had the whole charge "to order the prudentials of the town;" generally acted as assessors; often as town treasurer. The constables were required to warn town meetings, keep order, and collect the taxes. And they were held responsible for the full amount of each man's rates, in their several wards, and their property was liable to be distrained for any delinquency in collections. At least one such officer was committed to prison, and kept there a long time, for such delinquency. And when chosen by the town, a constable must serve, or pay a fine of five pounds, unless the town could be induced to excuse him, which was not often done. The inhabitants were called together in town meeting "to give in the invoice of their polls and all other ratable estates unto the selectmen." Town meetings were commonly warned by posting up a notice in the public meeting-house; but on special occasions, by the constables going from house to house.

EMIGRATIONS. — The same spirit of adventure, and hope to better their condition, which brought families upon our soil, led them to seek new homes where new towns were projected. In 1713, the following names are found among the grantees of Oxford: John Town, and his sons Ephraim and Israel; Daniel Elliot, and his sons Daniel and Ebenezer; Isaac, Jr., and Ebenezer Larned; Thomas Gleason, Benjamin Nealand, Abial Lamb, Jr., Samuel Barton, Hezekiah Stone. John Town, Abial Lamb and Samuel Barton, were dismissed from our church, to found a church at Oxford, 1721.

At the incorporation of Hopkinton, or soon after, Joseph Haven, John Hood, James Coller, Nathaniel Pike, Henry Mellen, Samuel Streeter, John Butler, James Wilson, John How, and others, removed thither.

Before 1720, John Singletary and Dr. John Page had removed to Sutton.

Joseph Stevens, Moses How, William Brintnall, David Bent, — Stone, — Rice, settled at Rutland.

Capt. Benjamin Willard and his son Joseph, and Thomas Drury, Jr., left Framingham and settled in Grafton.

Isaac Stone, Edward Goddard, Jr., Daniel Drury and others removed to Shewsbury.

"The records of Templeton, in 1735, present among the first proprietors of the township, the names of John and Henry Eames, John Provender, and Isaac Learned; and others soon followed from the families of Lamb and Shattuck, and others." [Barry.]

Isaac Gleason, Jr., David Stone and others went to Nichewaug, now Petersham.

The Haven, Goddard and Drury families sent their children to settle Athol.

Our families are also well represented in the early settlers at Westmoreland, Marlborough, and Fitzwilliam, N. H.

About the close of the Revolutionary War, Robert Eames, Nathaniel Hemenway, Joseph and Uriah Jennings, Luther Clayes, Richard Sanger, Joseph and Needham Maynard, and others, settled at Whites-town, N. Y., near Utica.

Ezekiel and Thomas Williams, tanners and curriers, removed to New Hartford, N. Y.

BILLS OF CREDIT. — In 1720-1, the General Court, to meet public charges, authorized the Province treasurer to issue bills of credit, which were to be distributed by loan at five per cent per annum, to the different towns, in a specified proportion, *i. e.*, according to each town's proportion to the last Province Tax, one-fifth part of which sum loaned was to be refunded each year. The first emission of bills, under this act, was to the amount of £50,000. The share of Framingham was £315.10. At a town meeting, Oct. 3, 1721, it was "voted, that the town will take the sum of money allotted to them by the General Court, for the use of the town." And Col. Buckminster, Lieut. Isaac Clark and Lieut. Thomas Drury were chosen Trustees, to manage the loan, who were to receive one per cent for their trouble. Nov. 13, "voted, that the said bills be lett out upon good personal security from year to year, not under 6 per cent, per annum; and that not more than £10 nor less than £5 be lett to one man, and that none hereof be lett out of town, provided enough of the inhabitants appear to take the whole."

Nov. 1, 1722, the town "voted, that the interest money coming due, for the loaned bills, be disposed of to pay town debts." A similar vote was passed the next year. In 1725, £8. 6. 9 of the interest was used to pay the salary of James Stone, the schoolmaster.

In 1727-8, the General Court authorized a new emission of £60,000,

EDMANDS (see Edmonds, Edmunds), A. A. E. [—], w. of Joel, Apr. 4, 1818. G.R.2.

EDMONDS (see Edmands, Edmunds), Anne, d. of Jonathan and Prudence, Dec. 19, 1761.
Huldah, d. of Jonathan and Huldah, Mar. 7, 1767.
Jonathan, s. of Jona[than] and Hannah, Mar. 6, 1777.
Prudence, d. of Jonathan and Prudence, July 28, 1760.

EDMUNDS (see Edmands, Edmonds), Elisabeth, d. of David and Hannah, July 10, 1730.

Eliz[abe]th, d. of Josi[ah], bp. Oct. 2, 1774. C.R.I.
Ephraim Ward, s. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, Mar. 15, 1808.
Gardner, s. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, Feb. 4, 1812.
Hannah, d. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, Aug. 22, 1815.
Joel, s. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, Nov. 27, 1813.
John, s. of Sam[ue]ll, bp. Nov. 30, 1766. C.R.I.
John, s. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, Feb. 1, 1820.
Josiah, s. of Sarah, bp. July 10, 1756. C.R.I.
Lucy Ellen, d. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, Mar. 15, 1830.
(Lucy E. Edmands, w. of Harrison W. Latham, —, 1829. G.R.2.)

Philip Doddridge, s. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, Feb. 20, 1817. [Twin.]

Sarah, d. of Sam[ue]ll, bp. Nov. 30, 1766. C.R.I.
Susan, d. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, May 21, 1809.
Thomas Scott, s. of Jona[than] Jr. and Lucy, Feb. 20, 1817. [Twin.]

EDWARDS, Alexander, s. of Alexander and Ann, Oct. 18, 1813.

Benjamin, s. of Alexander and Ann, Mar. 24, 1812.

ELEOT (see Eliot), Hannah, d. of Daniell and Sarah, Nov. 4, 1709.
Peter, s. of Daniell and Hannah, Nov. 25, 1704.

ELIOT (see Eleot), Daniell, s. of Daniel and Han[n]ah, Aug. 17, 1687.

Ebenezer, s. of Daniell and Han[n]ah, Mar. 3, 1693.
James, s. of Daniel and Han[n]ah, Apr. 2, 1697.
John, s. of Daniel and Han[n]ah, May 4, 1695.
Jonnathan, s. of Daniel and Hannah, Aug. 16, 1701.
Nathaniell, s. of Daniel and Han[n]ah, Aug. 10, 1699.

ELLIS, Abby S. [—], w. of Seth H., —, 1832. G.R.5.
Charles W., —, 1819. G.R.2.

Hannah Eliza, d. of Silas C. and Julia A. of Boston, Mar. 20, 1848.

Mary E. [—], w. of Charles W., —, 1822. G.R.2.

Nancy E. [—], w. of Seth H., —, 1831. G.R.5.
Seth H., —, 1828. G.R.5.

EMES (see Eames, Eamms, Eams, Emmes, Emms), Abel, s. of Nathaniel Jr. and Cata, May 23, 1778.

Alexander, s. of Nath[anie]l Jr. and Cata, July 5, 1774.

Anne, d. of Nathaniel Jr. and Cata, Feb. 5, 1772.

B[e]ttey, d. of Jesse and Bettey, May 1, 1766.

Jesse, s. of Jesse and Bette, June 5, 1764.

Jonathan, s. of Nathan Jr., bp. July —, 1793. C.R.I.

Lovell, s. of Nathaniel and Cata, Feb. 7, 1785.

Luse, d. of Timothy and Sarah, May 7, 1758.

Mary, d. of Joseph, bp. July 17, 1748. C.R.I.

Matthew Bridge, s. of John, bp. Aug. —, 1785. C.R.I.

Nath[a]n[ie]l Green, s. of Joh—n, bp. Apr. —, 1782. C.R.I.

Patty, d. of Nathan Jr., bp. Aug. —, 1790. C.R.I.

Rachel, d. of Nathaniel (Nathaniel Jr., C.R.I.) and Cata, May 30, 1780.

Sally, d. of John, bp. Sept. —, 1787. C.R.I.

Stephen, s. of Nathaniel (Nathaniel Jr., C.R.I.) and Cata, July 6, 1782.

Thaddeus, s. of Jos—, bp. Nov. 30, 1746. C.R.I.

William, s. of Alexander, bp. Nov. —, 1814. C.R.I.

Zedekiah, s. of Nath[anie]l Jr. and Cata, Feb. 13, 1776.

EMMES (see Eames, Eamms, Eams, Emes, Emms), Abigale, d. of John and Joannah, Nov. 15, 1736.

Alexsander, s. of Nathaniel and Rachal, Oct. 5, 1748.

Benjamin, s. of John and Joannah, July 9, 1733.

Benjamin, s. of Nathaniel and Rachal, Sept. 15, 1737.

Ebene[ze]r, s. of Samuel and Sebellah, Sept. 1, 1744.

Ebenez[e]r, s. of Samuel and Eunice, Apr. 26, 1756.

Elesabeth, d. of David and Elesabeth, Jan. 5, 1745.

Eunice, d. of Samuel and Eunice, Feb. 21, 1753.

Eunice, d. of Samuel and Eunice, June 6, 1754.

Eunice, d. of Samuel and Eunice, Sept. 9, 1758.

Ezra, s. of Jesse and Bette, May 5, 1768.

Jesse, s. of Henry and Ruth, July 14, 1739.

- EATON, Jonas and Lois Goodnow of Sudbury, May 7, 1761. In Sudbury.*
 Joseph and Nabby Taylor of Southboro, int. Dec. 19, 1808.
 Levi and Sukey Howe, May 16, 1805.*
 Levi and Eliza Buckminster, May 19, 1825.
 Lidia and Matthias Clark, Oct. 17, 1729.*
 Lois and Jona[than] Maynard, May 30, 1784.*
 Lucy and Obadiah Perry of Sherborn, Mar. 23, 1803.*
 Luther and Polly Drury, Dec. —, 1789.*
 Luther and Mary Newton, Nov. 24, 1828.
 Lydia and Lawson Nurse, Jan. 1, 1799.*
 Lydia and Eli M. Richardson, Esq., int. Dec. 6, 1846.
 Martha of Ashby and Abner Wheeler, Esq., int. Oct. 8, 1837.
 Mary and Dr. Nathan Rice, Sept. 29, 1796.*
 Mary and Luther Stone, June 14, 1810.
 Mary and Stephen Rice, Nov. 21, 1813.
 Mary and Luther Gleason Jr. of East Sudbury, Apr. 6, 1831.
 Mehitable and Francis B. Walker, June 28, 1826.
 Nancy and Arthur Bowen of Sudbury, Apr. 30, 1840.
 Nathan and Asenath Fisk, Nov. 18, 1794.*
 Noah Jr and May Tilton of Sudbury, Feb. 14, 1771. In Sudbury.*
 Noah and Martha Abbot, June 12, 1804.*
 Olive and Reuben Winch, Sept. 26, 1794.*
 Rebeccah and James Brown, Oct. 18, 1733.*
 Reuben and Elizabeth Hunt of Sudbury, Apr. 16, 1794. In Sudbury.*
 S. Georgiana, d. of (Dea., c.R.2.) Eben and Sally, a. 19 y., and John W. Otis of Lancaster, Wis., a. 25 y., July 18, 1849.
 Sally and Elisha Hunt of Sudbury, Apr. —, 1794.*
 Sally and Samuel Witt Jr. of Marlboro, Dec. 3, 1818.
 Silas and Polly Nichols, Feb. —, 1782.*
 Silas (Jr., int.) and Nancy Stone, Mar. 5, 1812.
 William and Ann Nurse, Dec. 2, 1824.
- EATTON** (see Eaton), John and Rachel Right of Stoneham, Apr. 27, 1732. In Stoneham.*
 Noah and Hannah Vinton of Stoneham, July 29, 1730. In Stoneham.*
- EDGELL**, Elizabeth and Isaac How, Oct. 16, 1739.*
 Hitty and William Bond of Watertown, Sept. —, 1786.*

* Intention not recorded.

- EDGELL**, Mehitable and Levi F. Whitmore, May 8, 1817.
 Moses, Lieut., and Sophia Adams Angier of Natick, int. Aug. 30, 1817.
 Nancy and Luther Horn, Sept. 28, 1815.
 Rebecca and Isaac How, Aug. 5, 1749.*
- EDMONDS** (see Edmunds), Amos and Esther Hide of Newton, Apr. 13, 1773. In Newton.*
 Jonathan and Huldah Hide of Newton, Oct. 31, 1765. In Newton.*
- EDMUNDS** (see Edmunds), Anne and Abraham How, Dec. —, 1785.*
 · Hannah and Ezekiel Rice Jr., Sept. 19, 1751.*
 · Huldah and Samuel Rice, Nov. —, 1788.*
 · Joel and Abigail A. E. Childs, Apr. 4, 1838.
 · Jonathan Jr. and Hannah Ward of Newton, June 13, 1776. In Newton.*
 · Jonathan Jr. and Lucy Nurse, May 7, 1807.
 · Philip D. of Lowell, and Susan H. Willis, May 3, 1840.
 · Susan and Josiah P. Brackett, Oct. 4, 1837.
 · Thomas S. of Lowell, and Harriet S. Willis, May 3, 1840.
- EDWARDS**, Alexander and Anne Haven, Apr. 21, 1811.
 Alexander and Mary B. Batchelor of Grafton, int. Feb. 6, 1848.
 Jonathan J. and Rowena Sabins of Millbury, int. Sept. 30, 1832.
 Mary and Abel Adams of Mason, N. H., Nov. 12, 1818.
- ✓ **ELIOT**, Daniel Jr. and Sarah Provender, Feb. 3, 1707-8.*
- ELLENWOOD**, Adaline and W[illia]m S. Leach, Sept. 4, 1839.
- ✓ **ELLIS**, Betsey of Dedham, and Daniel Haven, Jan. 13, 1762. In Dedham.*
 Eunice of Walpole, and John Belknap, int. Oct. 11, 1846.
 ✓ Lucretia and Thomas Washburn (Jr., int.), Apr. 1, 1824.
 ✓ Nancy of Hopkinton, and Solon Fay, int. Mar. 16, 1828.
 Silas C., s. of Seth and Hannah, a. 22 y., and Julia Reed, d. of Daniel and Mary, a. 19 y., Dec. 19, 1847.
- ELLWOOD**, David M. of New York, N. Y., and Candace H. Bigelow, Nov. 17, 1842. In Unionville.

* Intention not recorded.

Moses, b. June 1, 1762; fifer in his f.'s co. of Minute Men Apr. 19, '75; also in several expeditions; d. May 10, 1784; *Aaron Pike*, b. Dec. 13, 1766 3; *Mehitable*, b. Feb. 13, 1770, m. Sept., 1786, Col. William Bond of Wat.; rem. 1808 to Surry, N. H.; then to Gilsum, N. H., where Mr. B. d. Mar. 28, 1819; she d. Brimfield, Jan. 31, 1849.

3. *Aaron Pike*, s. of Capt. Simon 2, recd. fr. his f. the Samuel Hills place; selectman; d. Sept. 28, 1816. He m. Nelly Trowbridge, dau. of Col. John, d. Oct. 21, 1840. Chil. *Moses*, b. Aug. 13, 1792 4; *Nancy*, b. Aug. 23, 1794, m. Luther Horne; *Mehitable*, b. Aug. 1796, m. Levi Whitmore.

4. *Moses*, s. of Aaron P. 3, l. on his f.'s farm, which he sold to Luther Horne and went to live with his g.f. Capt. Simon, who gave him his est., where he spent his days. He d. Feb. 8, 1875, at the ripe age of 82 years. He m. Sept., 1817, Sophia A. Angier, dau. of Dr. John. She d. Mar. 5, 1880, a. 84, 9, s. p. [see his Biography, ante, pp. 431-42.]

EDMUNDS, EDMANDS, 1. Walter; "apprenticed in Eng. to the distilling of strong liquors"; of Concord 1639; Charlestown 1652; w. Dorothy. Their s. John 2 was b. Conc. July 2, 1640, l. Chas., m. Hannah Dady. Their s. John 3 was b. Aug. 27, 1671, l. Chas., heelmaker; m. Sarah Blany. They had Jonathan 4, bap. Feb. 20, 1703-4, adm. to Chas. Ch. 1727; of Camb. 1730; of Newton, 1739; bo't, then of Fram. June 8, 1748, for 3,300 pounds old tenor, 100 a. of Ebenezer Winchester, being part of the original George Walkup farm; the deed was confirmed to him 1759, by the heirs of Governor Danforth. He m. Jan. 6, 1727-8, Hannah Gates, dau. of Amos of Brookline. Chil. *Jonathan*, b. Apr. 20, 1728 5; *Hannah*; *Sarah*, b. 1731, cov. in Fram. Ch. 1756, dis. to E. Sud. 1761, per. m. — Moore; *Samuel*, b. June 29, 1735 6; *Amos*; *John*; *Aaron*; *Esther*; *Esther*; *Amos*, b. Apr. 27, 1744, m., then of Fram., Sept. 13, 1773, Esther Hide of Newton; *Ann*; *Abigail*.

5. *Jonathan*, s. of Jona. 4, was in Chas. 1755; l. in Fram. on his f.'s farm, d. Jan. 8, 1816. He m. (1) Prudence —, d. Feb. 24, 1764; (2) Oct. 31, 1765, Huldah Hide of Newton, adm. to Fram. Ch. 1769, d. 1775; (3) June 13, 1776, Hannah Ward of Newton, adm. to Fram. Ch. 1788, d. Dec. 26, 1812, a. 71. Chil. *Prudence*, b. July 28, 1760, d. y.; *Anna*, b. Dec. 19, 1761, adm. to Ch. 1783, m. (1) Sept. 1785, Abner How; (2) Timothy Rand; *Huldah*, b. Mar. 7, 1767, m. Nov., 1788, Samuel Rice and d. 1838; *Prudence*, bap. Oct. 17, 1772; *Elizabeth*, bap. Oct. 2, 1774; *Jonathan*, b. Mar. 6, 1777 7.

6. *Samuel*, s. of Jonathan 4, l. where Dea. Joel Edmands now does; adm. to Fram. Ch. Nov. 16, 1766, dis. to 2d Brookfield Ch. Mar. 8, 1772. He rem. to Brookfield North Parish in 1768, and was the founder of an influential family there. He m. Keziah Bruce dau. of John. Chil. *Sarah*; *John*, both b. in Fram. and bap. Nov. 30, 1766; and 6 more b. Brookfield.

7. *Jonathan*, s. of Jona. 5, d. Jan. 21, 1830. He m. May 7, 1807, Lucy Nurse, dau. of John, d. Jan. 7, 1838. Chil. *Ephraim Ward*, b. Mar. 15, 1803, m. Lucy Latham; *Susan*, b. May 21, 1809, m. Josiah P. Brackett; *Gardner*, b. Feb. 4, 1812, l. Boston, d. Mar. 22, 1886; he m. Mary Ann Twitchell, sis. of Calvin; *Joel*, b. Nov. 27, 1813, l. on f.'s place; deacon of Bap. Ch.; selectman; m. Apr. 4, 1838, Abigail A. E. Childs, who d. Aug. 11, 1884, s. p.; *Hannah*, b. Aug. 22, 1815, d. July 4, 1817; *Phillip D.* and *Thomas S.*, b. Feb. 20, 1817, sett. Chelmsford, m. May 3, 1840, twin sisters, Susan H. and Harriet S. Willis of Sax.; *John*, b. Feb. 1, 1820, grad. Y. C. 1847; librarian, Phila.; *Lucy Ellen*, b. Mar. 15, 1830, m. Harrison Latham, and l. Dorch.

EDMANDS, David, fr. Marl., was in Fram. 1728-52; w. Hannah Hinkson of Lynn? Chil. *Abigail*, b. Marl. 1720; *Hannah*, b. M. 1722, m. Sept. 19, 1751, Ezekiel Rice, Jr.; *Elizabeth*, b. Fram. July 10, 1730.

EDMANDS, Mary, fr. Sutton, per. dau. of David, was in Fram. 1751-60.

EDWARDS, Capt. Benjamin, (s. of Benj. of Boston,) of Woburn, buys, June 7, 1772, of Benj. Edgell, 200 a. with two dw. hos., two barns, etc., on Mellen's Neck, being the central part of the old Mellen farm; he also bo't Feb. 27, 1784, the James Mellen homestead, 65 a., on W. side of road and N. of Jos. A. Merriam's; he also bo't other homesteads in Fram. He l. in the old Thomas Mellen ho., afterwards Dr. Timothy Merriam's, now B. T. Manson's; was a leading man in town during the Rev. war; d. 1802. He m. Mary Bent of Sud. Chil. *Mary*, b. Mar. 27, 1778, m. (1) Abel Adams; (2) Eph. Parkhurst; *Benjamin*, b. 1780, d. a. 10; *Bathsheba*, b. 1782, d. y.; *Alexander*, b. 1784 2; *Jonathan*, b. 1788, d. July 3, 1818.

2. *Alexander*, s. of Capt. Benjamin, d. Aug. 23, 1813. He m. Apr. 21, 1811, Ann Haven, dau. of Ezra, d. Apr. 3, 1814. Chil. *Benjamin A.*, b. Mar. 24, 1812; fitted for coll. at Fram. Acad.; grad. B. U. 1841; Bap. min. at Grafton, Wat., Holl., Sharon, and Bolton; d. at Bolton Feb. 28, 1879; *Alexander*, b. Oct. 18, 1813; l. on the Abner Mellen place; rem. to Me.; w. Mary B. —; chil. Rollin A., b. May 10, 1850; Willie Benjamin, b. Nov. 15, 1851; Annie Haven, b. Jan. 28, 1855; Charles, b. Feb. 28, 1857.

EDWARDS, Jona. J. Taxed at Sax. 1834-36.

ELIOTT, 1. Daniel, came with the Clayes and Nurse families from Salem Village, and located at Salem End, 1693; took Samuel Barton's lease, and l. awhile on the J. H. Temple place; rem. 1713 to Oxford. He m. Hannah Clayes, dau. of Peter. Chil. *Daniel*, b. Aug. 17, 1687 2; *son*, b. Apr. 26, 1689, d. July 16, 1691; *Ebenezer*, b. Mar. 3, 1693; *John*, b. May 16, 1695; *James*, b. Apr. 2, 1697; *Nathaniel*, b. Aug. 10, 1699; *Jonathan*, b. Aug. 16, 1701; *Peter*, b. Nov. 25, 1704.

2. *Daniel*, s. of Daniel, l. Fram.; rem. to Oxford 1713; m. Feb. 3, 1707-8, Sarah Provender. Child, *Hannah*, b. Nov. 4, 1709; no others recorded.

ELLIS, —; saddler; was in Fram. 1800.

ELLIS, Charles. Taxed on real est. 1860.

ELLIS, Seth, b. Dedham; appointed railroad engineer Dec., 1834, and put in charge of the "Comet" engine on the B. and W. railroad; d. (then a widower) at Sax., Aug. 12, 1861, a. 61.

ELLIS, Seth H., s. of Seth, b. Rox. Oct. 25, 1832; l. Sax. He m. (1) Nancy E. Reed, dau. of Daniel, d. July 4, 1863, a. 32; (2) Abby —. Chil. *Mary*, b. 1851, m. Frederick N. Easter; *Julia M.*, b. 1852; *Henrietta*, b. Nov. 8, 1854; *Seth II.*, b. 1856; *Nancy H.*, b. May 29, 1858; *Frederick*; *Sophonra L.*, b. July 27, 1862, d. y.; *Lulie F.*

ELLIS, Silas C., l. Sax.; m. Julia Reed, dau. of Daniel, d. Aug. 16, 1848, a. 19. Child, *Hannah Eliza*, b. Mar. 20, 1848.

ELLIS, Oliver, d. in Fram. Apr. 13, 1884, a. 57 y. 6 m. 23 d.

ELLSWORTH, William, w. Catherine. Child, *James*, b. Apr. 21, 1851.

EMERSON, Jerome O., b. Swansey, N. H.; m. (1) Feb. 27, 1851, Charlotte A. Conant, wid. of Elijah, d. May 31, 1873, a. 53; (2) Betsey M. Porter, wid. of Joseph. Chil. *George O.*, b. Jan. 24, 1855, d. Aug. 11, 1857; *George O.*, b. July 1, 1857, m. Sophia Hemenway.

ENTWISTLE, John, fr. Manchester, Eng., l. Sax., d. July 6, 1847, a. 37. He m. (1) Ann Hewitt; (2) 1842, Mary Ann Bodman, b. Wiltshire, Eng., dau. of James; she m. (2) Thomas D. Beck. Chil. *Mary Ann*, m. Henry Culverhouse; *Henry*, m. (1) Nov. 17, 1859, Georgianna Phillips; (2) Nancy Green; *Hannah*, m. Augustus