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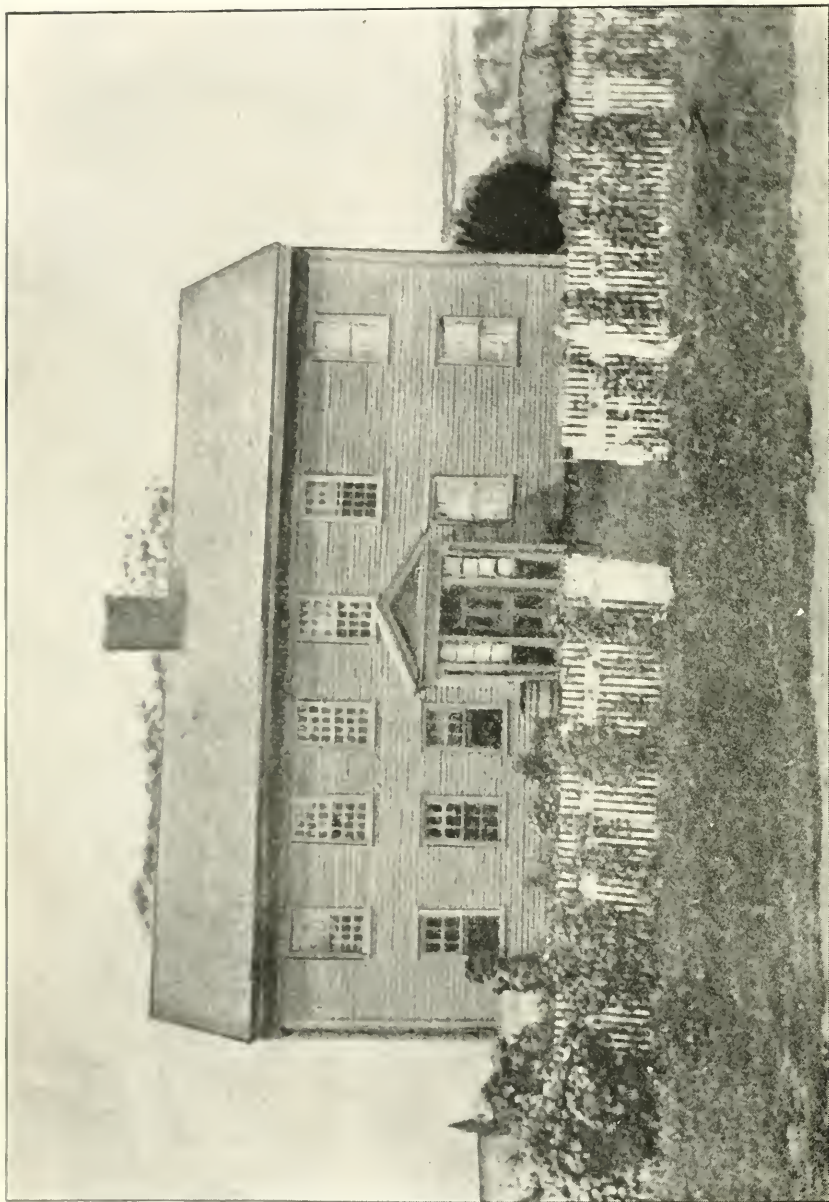


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GENEALOGY

OF THE

CORNELL FAMILY

BEING AN ACCOUNT OF THE

DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS CORNELL OF  
PORTSMOUTH, R. I.

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ERRATA.

- Page 5, line 20, for J. B. & M. Cornell read J. B. & J. M. Cornell.  
" 6, " 9, for Carmuwel read Cornuwel.  
" 19, " 27, for 28, read 26.  
" 20, " 6, for Mr. Hutchinson read Mrs. Hutchinson.  
" 25, " 11, omit d.  
" 44, " 16, for Witzie read Wiltzie; and line 4, for 7 read 27.  
" 46, " 28, after Brownell read or Susannah Linakin; and line 32, for Shieve read Shrieve.  
" 52, " 38, for Daniel read David Chase, b. April 7, 1744.  
" 54, " 13, for Abigal read Abigail; and line 24 and 25, omit Uriah.  
" 56, " 21, for May 13, 1782, read Jan. 17, 1768, m. March 10.  
" 62, " 3, after Brownell read or Susannah Linakin; and line 14, for Abraham read Abner.  
" 85, " 35, for Louisa Baily White read Sarah B. White.  
" 87, " 23, for Thomas read Flavius; and for Devel read Deuell.  
" 104, " 8, omit Mercy A. Potter, etc.  
" 108, " 2, for Pettigrew read Pettigrove.  
" 135, " 1, for Pettigrew read Pettigrove.  
" 150, " 32, omit m. Thomas Hicks, etc.  
" 156, " 24, read he was buried, etc., under No. 2026.  
" 188, " 30, for White read Waite.  
" 208, " 19, read Charlotte m. Charles Lentzman; and line 35, omit Ruth.  
" 211, " 7, for 16 read 10, and m. (2) Phebe Barton.  
" 224, " 21, for 23, read 25.  
" 233, " 22, for Nov. 13 read Nov. 15.  
" 253, " 35, for Nov. 13 read Nov. 15.  
" 286, " 3, for Gulielma read Guliema.  
" 308, " 32, for 1782 read 1783.  
" 333, " 37, for May 21 read May 20.  
" 336, " 11, for Harriett read Harriet; and line 31, for Mary C. Burr read Mary E. Howatt.  
" 337 " 9, for Allen read Allen Cornwell.  
" 349 " 28, for Mary C. Burr read Mary E. Howatt.  
" 350 " 2, for John Hewlett, etc., read John Howatt.  
" 351 " 4, for Augustaf read Augusta.



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## INTRODUCTORY.

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To write the history of one's family is not an easy task. The early records to which one must refer for their early history are distributed over different parts of the country. The records, too, are often very incomplete and unsatisfactory; the War of the Revolution did much to destroy them. Towns were sometimes burned and the records with them, and in other ways valuable papers were often lost. It may not generally be known, that when the British evacuated Newport, they carried off many of the records in a sloop which was wrecked in Hellgate, and sunk with its precious cargo. The sloop was subsequently raised by the American authorities, and the records returned to Newport, but they were allowed to soak in the salt water from which they were taken, and only a few years ago were they placed in the care of the Newport Historical Society for examination and assortment. Besides this, parish records are often very unsatisfactory: sometimes kept in a very slipshod incomplete way, sometimes not at all. The writer of this recently read of a certain pastor of a Presbyterian Church who testified in court, that he had been pastor of that congregation forty years, and during that time had kept no parish records: but that recently, being so often asked for marriage certificates to get pensions with, he had begun recently to record them. Besides this, officials in charge of public records, with some bright and shining exceptions, are not generally as polite and helpful as they might be. Worst of all, however, is it that letters of enquiry are so often unanswered. Some people, unfortunately, have not the courtesy to answer such correspondence, and use the stamp enclosed for reply for other purposes. In addition to all these difficulties, the descendants of Richard<sup>2</sup> are

largely identified with the parish of St. George's Church, Hempstead, L. I. But the first Rector of that parish, Rev. John Thomas, in charge from 1704 to 1724 (twenty years), kept no records of baptisms, marriages and funerals, giving as a reason that the vestry had furnished him with no Parish Register. Such an outrageous excuse needs no comments. It will be seen, however, how much all this will add to the difficulty of making a complete history of the family.

Till about 1800 the record of deeds was not obligatory. These were often kept in a trunk in the attic in old times, and sometimes the house would burn and the records with them. Hence another difficulty.

The Cornell genealogy is particularly difficult to write. The family is large, and although it has been claimed by some that they are all descended from our ancestor Thomas,<sup>1</sup> I am quite certain there are four distinct families besides our own, and a great variety of spelling exists among the different families, and even among members of the same family, not perhaps so much when they wrote their names, but when mentioned by others. It is much to be regretted that the family of Conelise should have changed their name to Cornel and Cornell, thereby making much confusion, and this has added much to the difficulty of giving the genealogy of our family especially in Dutchess County and Long Island. It is much to be regretted that the descendants of Thomas<sup>1</sup> had not kept to the spelling of *Cornell*, as their early ancestors seem to have done, probably to distinguish themselves from the Cornwalls or Cornwells of Connecticut. That would have unified the family. It would certainly much have aided the writer, and wherever the descendants of our Richard<sup>2</sup> (son of Thomas<sup>1</sup>) get the name of Cornwall and Comwell from, they do not get it from him, for in that most solemn document pertaining to him, *viz.*, his last will and testament, he signs his name Richard Cornell, a facsimile of his signature and others being given in this book.

I know it may be said we should restore the ancient spelling of the name. But to do so we must sign ourselves

Cornewayle or Cornewalle, which seem to have been about the earliest writing of it.

The connecting link between the Cornells of England and America unfortunately has not been found, though much effort has been made by many. Our ancestor, Thomas,<sup>1</sup> we infer from reasons subsequently given, was of Co. Essex, England. He was in Boston in 1638, probably much earlier. Then we hear of him in Rhode Island, where he had a grant of land from the town of Portsmouth, Feb. 4, 1646. Later he had a grant of about 700 acres from Governor Kieft in the present limits of Greater New York. But being driven from this by the Indians, he returned to his estate in Portsmouth where he lived and died, and was buried on his own land,\* and it is from this place, and in the house built on the ruins of the old homestead, that the writer pens this history. I desire to express my obligations to Dr. E. E. Cornwall of Brooklyn, who has recently written a history of the descendants of William Cornwall of Middletown, Conn. He has helped me much to distinguish between members of the different families though bearing the same name, enabling me to tell which were the descendants of our Thomas<sup>1</sup>, and which were of William Cornwall of Middletown, and this was often very difficult—sometimes, I may add, impossible; also for other information. My thanks are also due Governor Cornell, who put the valuable papers of his father, Hon. Ezra Cornell, at my disposition, and these papers were the result of much patient labor, as well as time and expense, in collecting facts pertaining to the Cornell family. I would also acknowledge the kind assistance and encouragement I have received from many others in my work. But chiefly would I acknowledge the kind help of Mr. C. B. Curtis of New York, who, even more than the writer, is the author of this book. His intelligence and patient labor, and natural talent for genealogy has removed difficulties and solved questions which to others seemed impossible. He has also corrected the

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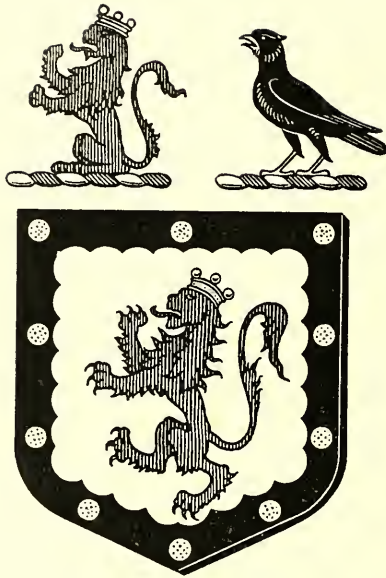
\* See *Quaker Records*.

errors of many who have written and published works on the subject. Though not a Cornell, or even married to a Cornell, he has done more to throw light on the History of the Cornell Family, than any one living. It may be said of the Cornell family that as a rule they are honest and industrious, and as a family free from intemperance, generally good citizens. Some from little or nothing financially have become millionaires. Few perhaps have attained any great distinction in life, and yet seven are mentioned in Appleton's Cyclopædia of Biography—soldier, statesman, philanthropist, medical authority, musical composer, and inventors. The religious status of the family has been a matter of interest to the writer. The emigrant Thomas was probably Puritan at first, then a follower of Roger Williams and Ann Hutchinson, drifting perhaps into Quakerism, which seems to have been the general religion of his descendants, except Richard,<sup>2</sup> who himself as well as his descendants seemed to have conformed at an early period to the Church of England; many of whom are now connected with the Episcopal Church. The Quakerism of the family has generally been abandoned for Congregationalism, Methodism, Presbyterianism, etc., a number also have left Quakerism to join the Baptist and Episcopal Church. Some however are still devout adherents of the Society of Friends. But three Roman Catholics of Cornell name and blood have come under my knowledge, one of these entered the priesthood of that church, but after a short experience he left it in disgust. The writer asks the indulgence of his readers for any errors, or omissions they may find in this work, assuring them that his task, though a pleasant one, has been very laborious. He will be very grateful to any who will notify him of inaccuracies they might discover, or information they may give. He may be addressed at his present home from which this book now goes forth.

JOHN CORNELL.

CORNELL HOMESTEAD,  
So. Portsmouth, R. I., Aug. 7, 1901.





Arms of Cornwall of Berrington, Co. Hereford. Argent, a lion rampant gules, ducally crowned or, within a bordure engrailed sable, charged with ten bezants. Crest, on dexter side, a lion rampant-sejant gules, ducally crowned or; Crest on sinister side, a cornish chough sable, beaked and membered gules, (*College of Arms, London*). Crests, a demi lion rampant gules, ducally crowned or; and a cornish chough proper. (*Burke's Peerage*). Crest, a lion sejant gules, ducally crowned or, and the escutcheon charged with his badge of Ulster, as Baronet. (*Fox Davies Armorial Families.*)

## NAME, COAT-OF-ARMS, AND ORIGIN OF THE FAMILY.

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The name Cornell in the different branches of the family, and even in the same branch, has been written in many different ways; among the direct descendants of the first of our line in America I have found the following variations: Cornwall, Cornwell, Cornewell, Cornhill, Cornill, Cornel and Cornell, Cornnel, Coornell. In the early records of Boston, Thomas<sup>1</sup> is called Cornhill, Cornehill, Cornewell, and Cornell. After he removed to Rhode Island he is Cornell. In the Dutch (N. Y.) Records he is called Coornell. Unfortunately his autograph has not come down to us (though it was certified in court that he made a will). His son Richard calls himself Cornell in his will, and signs himself *Richard Cornell*, also some of Thomas<sup>1</sup>' early descendants. The descendants of his son John generally adhere to the style Cornwell. Thomas of Rockaway was Cornwell and many of his descendants so remain, but his children, when the firm of Cornell, Alt-house & Co. (later J. B. & M. Cornell) was established in 1829, changed their spelling to Cornell.

In England different families having the same common origin, are known as Cornwall, Cornwell and Cornewell.\* In England they drop the *w* in the middle of a word often, as in Greenwich, Warwick, etc.

As before stated there are, besides our own, four different families bearing one or more of the above names:

I. Thomas Cornell or Cornwell of Gravesend, L. I. He married Elizabeth Fiscock, and has often been confused with our Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas;<sup>1</sup> he was from Hertfordshire in England, as the record of his marriage in the Reformed

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\* Cornell, a local pronunciation of Cornwall (M. A. Lower—*A Dictionary of the Family Names in the United Kingdom*, London, 1860).

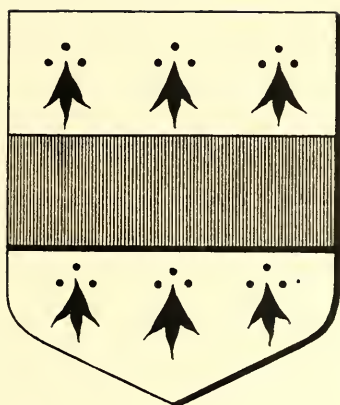
Dutch Church of New Amsterdam will show—"Nov. 2, 1642. Thomas Cornelis, j. m., uyt de Provincie van Hertfort, en Elisabeth Fiscock, j. d., van Pleymouth in Engelt." (*N. Y. Gen. Rec.*, VI., 35.)

Among the Baptisms in the same church appear Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Corenwell, Jan. 12, 1644; Sara, daughter of Thomas Corruwel, Feb. 21, 1646; Johannes, aged 3 years, and Maria, 10 weeks, children of Thomas Carmuwel, Aug. 14, 1650. (*Ib.*, V., 34, 87, 94.)

Thomas Cornwell, probably the same, appears among the first inhabitants and patentees of Gravesend, L. I., and often in the early records of that town. He had a dispute with Lady Moody about a piece of land in that settlement, which was decided in favor of Thomas. He died not later than Sept. 9, 1650, on which day his widow, Elizabeth, married John Morrice. It appears by the Gravesend records that Jan. 9, 1651, the estate of Thomas Cornwell was settled by the court, that he left a widow whom "ye said John Morrice had married," and four small children, *viz.*: Elizabeth, æ. about 7 years; Sarah, about 4 years; Johanna, about 3 years, and Marah, about half a year. The estate, "which might be about six hundred guilders," was intrusted to John Morrice, "he consenting to maintain the children, and to pay to them upon the day of her marriage, or when they shall come to be sixteen years of age, one hundred guilders, to be laid out upon cattle, and by him improved for the use of each daughter." Although the name *Johanna* appears in the place of *Johannes*, yet the ages of the children correspond exactly, and no doubt the church records and the town records refer to the same person.

It appears by the Connecticut Colonial Records that Aug. 1, 1639, Thomas Cornell was fined 30s. for unreasonable and immoderate drinking at the pinnace. In 1644 Stevenson and Mabbs attempted to kill Thomas Cornhil near the house of Wophertson at Flatlands, the adjoining town to Gravesend. The same year Thomas Cornel, a soldier from Hertfordshire, aged 24 years, was found guilty of desertion. These records probably refer to the same





Arms of Robert Cornhill, Sheriff of London, 1245.  
Ermine, a fesse gules. (*College of Arms, London*).



Thomas Cornel (see notes by Charles B. Curtis in the *N. E. Geneal. Register*, April, 1897, also for further information concerning this Thomas Cornell or Cornwell. Mr. Curtis also shows conclusively that this Thomas is not our Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).

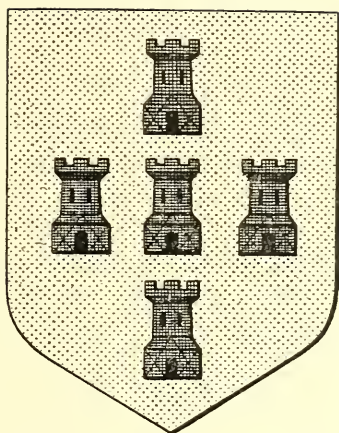
II. William Cornwall came to Massachusetts about 1634. He and his first wife Joan ——— were members, 1635, of Rev. John Eliot's church at Roxbury. 1636 he went with the "Great Removal" to Connecticut. 1637 was one of the thirty-seven soldiers from Hartford in the expedition against the Pequod Indians. 1638 he was at Saybrook. 1639 was back in Hartford and had a house and lot of 8 acres there, "No. 54, West of South St., South from the lane" (near the north end of the present village square). In the earliest record of his land at Hartford, dated Feb., 1639, he is mentioned as "William Cornwell, Sergeant-at-Arms." He lived in Hartford till 1651, was a member of the church there, and probably all his children by his second wife, Mary ———, were born there; but he did not reside all of that period in the village, for a document dated 1648 speaks of him as "at present resident in Hocanum, in the bound of Hartford." 1651 he removed with the first settlers to Middletown. His house lot there was "near ye landing place by ye springe" (present corner Main and Washington Sts.) His land at Middletown, on both sides of the Connecticut River, was first recorded Feb. 30, 1657, total amount 903 acres. He was representative from Middletown 1654, '57, '64, '65. 1664 he was constable at Middletown. 1666 he received a grant of land in East Hartford for his services in the Pequod War. His town privileges, right of common, etc., in Hartford, he held by the "courtise of the town." 1667 the General Court at Hartford "freed William Cornwell's head from the paying of rates." July 10, 1668, he joined the recently organized church at Middletown. 1670 he was assessed at Middletown on £160, which was one of the largest assessments on the list of 52 householders. April 2, 1674, he made his will, in which he speaks of himself as "being well stricken in years (though through mercy, in as perfect

use of my understanding as ordinary men are of my years), expecting my change to be very near." He divides his property among his eight children: John, William, Samuel, Jacob, Thomas, Sarah, Hester Willcox and Elizabeth Hall, and makes careful provision for his "loving wife Mary Cornwall," both during her widowhood, and in the possible event of her marrying again and being in need. He requests his "loving brothers and friends Deac. Stocking and to Deac. Hall" to oversee and execute the will to which he signs his name. He died at Middletown, Feb. 21, 1678. Estate £231. From what part of England William Cornwall came is not known. The name in early documents is variously written: Cornwell, Cornwall, Cornell, Cornel, Cornil, Cornol, Corniel, Cornwayle (see Family of William Cornwall by Edward E. Cornwall, M.D., *N. E. Hist. and Geneal. Register*, Jan., 1895).

III. Gelyem or Guilliame Cornelise, the common ancestor of the Flatbush, Kings Co., family of Cornells, emigrated to this country at an early period (was probably a Huguenot), settled at Flatbush, and died prior to July, 1666. Aug. 9, 1658, he procured from Director Stuyvesant a patent for a plantation in Midwort (Flatbush), as per p. 591, vol. 2, of O'Callaghan's N. Y. 1661 he and his son Peter Geliamse, "bought of Jane Evertse Bont a wery in Flushing on west side of the highway, 600 rods in length and 48 rods and 8 feet in width, containing 48 morgens and 480 rods, also 2 pieces of salt medow of 5 morgens, and 2 pieces of plain land of 5 morgens, 2 houses and building plots on the west side of the highway of 16 rods in length and 12 rods in bredth, with 2 houses and barns thereon, etc." The name of his descendants for more than a century was Cornele, with the accent on the *e* (from Cornelise or Cornelis), and but lately changed to Cornell. What Guilliame's proper surname was (if he had any), has not been ascertained, but from his name it is evident he was a Frenchman. His descendants reside in Bucks Co., Pa., Eastern New Jersey, and Kings Co., also on the Hudson River.\*

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\* *Early Settlers of Kings Co., Long Island, N. Y.*, by Teunis E. Bergen, etc.



Arms of Cornell : Or ; five towers embattled sable, in cross. (*College of Arms, London.*) No. 2, Or, five towers, tripple towered, in saltire gules. No. 3, Or, five castles in cross sable. Cornwall, No. 9. Or, five castles in saltire sable : Another in cross. (*Burke's General Armory*).



Gelyem Cornelise has been erroneously described as the ancestor of our family.

IV. John Cornell, an officer in the British Army, was with his regiment stationed for a time in the city of Dublin, Ireland. While there a son, William, was born to him. When this son was two years old John Cornell came to America to take part in the war between the British and French. He fell at the storming of Fort Ticonderoga under Abercrombie. He held a captain's commission at time of his death. His wife and son remained in Dublin until the latter was fifteen, when they came to America and settled in New York City. They supported themselves by manufacturing and selling lace. William Cornell was born in Dublin, Oct. 19, 1750, and came to America 1765. He was married to Hannah Finch in the State of Connecticut, Nov. 5, 1774. Hannah Finch was born May 28, 1751. Soon after his marriage he settled in Delaware Co., N. Y. He purchased a tract of wild land eight miles from the village of Delhi, on the Delaware River, and lived upon it until he was driven away by the British and Indians, during the Revolutionary War. He was taken prisoner with three of his neighbors by the Indians. They were marched down the river some fifteen miles and camped for the night. Their hands were bound fast upon their backs. They were guarded by one Indian while the others slept. The sentinel also fell asleep. William Cornell perceiving the opportunity, was able to untie his hands and release his fellow-prisoners. They armed themselves with the Indian tomahawks, and slew the whole band except one who escaped. Mr. Cornell and his family fled to Scolarie fort, in the Mohawk Valley. The fort was besieged a long time by the Indians, but they were not able to take it. During his stay in the fort he joined the United States forces. He held two commissions, one as ensign in the company of Capt. John McMicken, belonging to the Fifth Tryon Co. Regiment of New York State Militia, which regiment was commanded by Col. John Harper; the other as a lieutenant in a company of Rangers commanded by Capt. Hager. During his service he was once taken prisoner by the

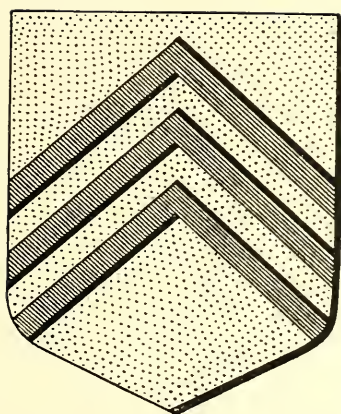
British, and being a fair writer was employed by them as clerk and book-keeper. As he sat writing, guarded by the enemy, he complained that his ink was too thick, and asked an officer to put some water in it. The officer gruffly ordered him, with an oath, to water his own ink. Cornell with the inkstand in his hand (hatless) walked down to the brink of the Mohawk River, near at hand, and seeing he was not observed by the enemy, threw away the inkstand, and leaping into the river was soon out of sight and hearing. Nearly the whole night he waded or swam down the river, and just as day appeared, he arrived safely at the fort. At the close of the Revolutionary War, he went back to his farm, and in 1790 he purchased 1,000 acres of land, nine miles down the river from Delhi village. He moved on this tract of land 1791, and after selling portions of it at different times, he finally sold the remainder and removed with some of his family to the Genesee country about 1816. The children of William and Hannah (Finch) Cornell, were:

John, b. Oct. 19, 1775.	William, b. March 1, 1787.
Anna, b. March 4, 1777.	Hannah, b. April 29, 1790.
Rebecca, b. June 7, 1778.	Abigail, b. Oct. 20, 1792.
Samuel, b. May 25, 1780.	Elizabeth, b. July 14, 1794.
Mary Mead, b. Aug. 28, 1784.	Phebe, b. Dec. 18, 1796.

William Cornell died in the town of Jerusalem, Yates Co., N. Y., June 11, 1825, in his 75th year. The following notice appeared in the *Yates Republican*, June 14, 1825: "Another Revolutionary Patriot gone—Died on the 11th instant at his residence in Jerusalem, Yates Co., Mr. William Cornwell in the 75th year of his age. In early life he took an active part in the Revolutionary struggle of our country. He was twice taken prisoner by the savages, and present at the fall of General Herkimer at the battle of Oriskany, where he was wounded while in the discharge of his duty as lieutenant in a company of Rangers, commanded by Capt. Hager. The deceased has left a large circle of connections, friends and acquaintances to lament his loss."

Hannah Finch Cornell d. May 3, 1837, in her 86th year. William Cornell's son William spelled his name Cornwell,





Arms of Cornhill, Cornill or Cornell of Co. Warwick ;  
Or, three chevronel's vert. (*College of Arms, London*).



as do his descendants. The rest of the family spell their name Cornell.

The English origin of our family has not yet been traced, though considerable efforts have been made by the late Hon. Ezra Cornell and others, but without success so far. Parish churches in England have sometimes burned down and their records with them. The writer visited one in Essex where this had been the case. Possibly all traces of our Thomas' may have been destroyed. Yet we may hope the connecting link will yet be found.

Scharf, in his *History of Westchester Co., N. Y.*, gives the following concerning this family:

“The early English name was written Cornewell, and two generations before Thomas of Cornell's Neck ‘Richard Cornewell Citizen and Skynner of London’—as it stands written in his will—who died in 1585, left a portion of the wealth he had made in hides to found and endow ‘a free grammar schole in New Woodstock, the town where I was born,’ and the school stands there yet near the handsome church of Woodstock, in Oxfordshire. Some of the English branches of the family still write the name Cornewell, *Burke's Landed Gentry* of Great Britain gives two branches, the senior one writing Cornwall and the other Cornwall, *Burke's Peerage and Baronetage* adds a third branch, a family of Baronets in Hereford, who retain Cornwall, and Burke traces the lineage of the whole family up through the Barons of Burford to Richard de Cornewall, son of Richard Earl of Cornwall, second son of King John, younger brother of Richard Cœur de Lion.”

But as this Richard Cornwall of London left no sons, only daughters, we cannot trace our family to him.

The name appears in English records at very early periods, in 1459 John Cornwall, squire of Bedford, was excluded from act of Parliament attainting many. 1311 Jocus de Cornewayle was noncupator for John de Somerlegh returned to Parliament from Chichester, and there are many other mentions of the name in English history. Dr. E. E. Cornwall of Brooklyn, who has given much attention to heraldry, computes that there are over twenty coat-of-

arms pertaining to the various names and branches of the family, but that these are variations of five principal groups. In the visitation of Essex, 1552 (*Harleian Society Publications*, XIII., 6), we read as follows:

CORNWALL ARMS: Quarterly 1 and 4 *argent*, a lion rampant *gules*, crowned *or*, a bordure *sable* charged with ten *bezants* [Cornwall]; 2 and 3 barry of six *argent* and *gules*, a canton *ermine* [ ]; crest a Cornish chough, *sable*. A crescent for difference [Cornwall].

“John Cornewall of Haverell in the Counte of Essex equyer maryd daughter and hath issue Thom Cornewall son and heyre Will'm 2 son, Edward 3 son.

Thom Cornewall son and heyre of John weded Jane daughter of and hath issue John Cornewall son and heyre. Humfrey 2 son Mary . . . John son and heyre of and had issue Gyles and Mary wch dyed with out issue.

After the said John maryd to his 2 wyf daughter of Stubbs relicta Verney and hath issue by her Jane Cornewall and so dyed sens issue male\* Humfrey Cornwell 2 son and hyre to Thom Cornewell after the dysseace of his brother John weded Mary daughter of Will'm Manoke of Stike Gyfford by Mayland in the Countie of Suff gent and hath issue by her Thom son and hyre George 2 son Francis 3 son Jane, Margaret, Elizabeth and Frances.'

In the visitation of Hertfordshire, 1634 (*Harleian Soc. Pub.*, XXXII.), we have:

Briggs of Rickmansworth. The arms are entered in the booke of Certificates in the Office.†

Richard Briggs of Halifax, Co. York, mar. had Daniel Briggs of London, merchant, mar. 1, Mary dau. of Croftes; mar. 2, Rebecca, dau. of Humfrey Steele; had

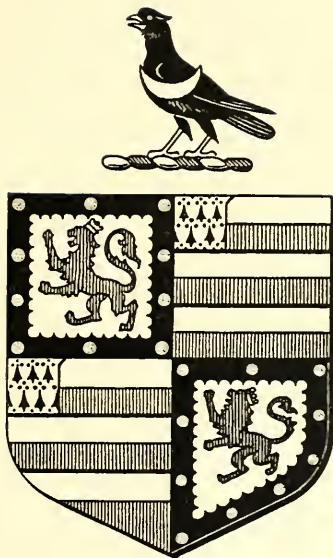
\* The records of the Parish of Ardley or Yardley in Hertfordshire, contain the following entries:

“1552, June 19, John Cornewell gentleman and Jane Varney” married.  
1561, April 12, John Cornewell gent'n buried.

Thomas Cornewell owned the Manor of Fairsted in Essex, which at the time of his decease, May 1, 1550, was valued at £10.10 per annum. His grand-daughter, June 6, 1544 [query, was she daughter of Humfrey], married George Chauncey of Ardley, Herts., to whom she brought the Manor of Fairsted, divides lands in Stebbing, Co. Essex, and considerable personal estate. She died July 25, 1582, and was buried in the chancel of the parish church, Stebbing.

King Henry VIII. granted Priors or Friars Hall, Stebbing, to Thomas Cornewall, Oct. 25, 1548. Thomas had license to vest it in trustees for the use of himself and wife with remission to Humfrey Cornewall and Mary, his wife.

† The College of Herald's gives their arms as follows: Crest, 3 es-cuchens *gules*, each charged with a band *vair*. Granted to Daniel Briggs March 2, 1625.



Cornwall: quarterly 1 and 4 argent, a lion rampant gules, ducally crowned or, within a bordure engrailed sable charged with ten bezants: 2 and 3 barry of six, argent and gules, a canton ermine; Crest, a cornish chough sable, a crescent for difference. (*Visitation of Essex 1552, Harleian Soc. Pub. XIII:6*).



William Briggs of Rickmansworth, Co. Hertf., son and heyre, mar. Sarah, dau. of Sir John Gore of London, Alderman; had John Briggs, eldest son, 2 William, 3 Gore, Hester, Martha.

We have here a record of Cornwalls living about the proper time for our purpose, and having estates in both the original Counties of Essex and Hertfordshire. Among the names borne by members of the family are Thomas, William, John, Edward, George and Elizabeth, all of which names are found among the children and grandchildren of Thomas of Rhode Island.\* We have also a family of Briggs living, and having estates in Hertfordshire with same names, Rebecca, John and William, that were borne by the wife of Thomas Cornell and her family in America. I am informed that the wills of some of the Hertfordshire Cornewells are to be found in Doctors Commons, and perhaps an examination of these, and of the parish registers, may bring to light the missing link and establish the ancestry of Thomas Cornell and his wife Rebecca Briggs.

The tradition prevails in England that all the Cornwells or Cornwalls are descended from the Earls of Cornwall. Whether this belief be well or ill founded, there are good reasons for supposing that the Cornwells of Essex and Hertfordshire have that origin.

The first Earldom of Cornwall was conferred by King John on his son Richard in 1266. The title became extinct in 1300, when Edward, son of Richard and second Earl of Cornwall died without legitimate male issue. But he left an illegitimate son, Richard,† ancestor of the Cornwalls.

Barons of Burford. King John granted to his son, the Earl of Cornwall, the Castle and Manor of Berkhamstead, in Hertfordshire, formerly belonging to the Kings of Mercier. Richard made the castle his residence, and there

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\* QUERY: Might not Thomas of Rhode Island be a grandson of Humfrey.

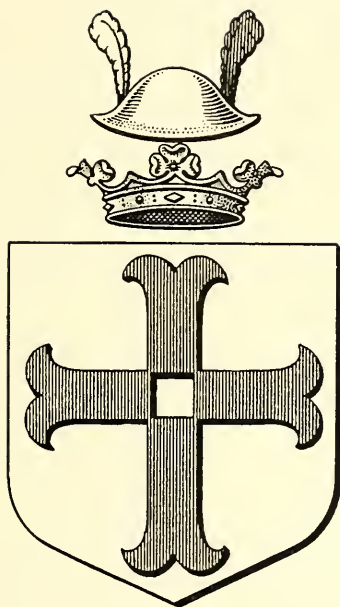
† Burke gives two conflicting stories concerning this Richard. By one account he was an illegitimate son of Beatrix, niece of Conrad, Elector of Cologne, King of the Romans (*Peerage*, 18). The other account is that Beatrix was the lawful wife, and Richard the son was by a mother not named (*Royal Families*, XCIII.).

he died in 1272. When the title of Earl of Cornwall became extinct, the manor and castle reverted to the crown. In 1336 King Edward IV. advanced his eldest son Edward, the Black Prince, to the title of Duke of Cornwall, and bestowed on him the Castle and Manor of Berkhamstead, to hold to him and his heirs, and to the eldest sons of the Kings of England. Under that grant they are now held by the Duke of Cornwall, which is one of the titles of the Prince of Wales. The castle is at the present time in ruins, and the estate is divided in small holdings, and rented to a number of occupants.

Sir John Cornwall, gent., and son of King John, married Elizabeth of Lancaster, daughter of John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, and sister of King Edward IV. Sir John won distinction at the battle of Agincourt, where he took prisoner Louis de Borbon, Comte de Vandome, for which service he was created Baron Fanhope. He died in 1443. His descent through the Barons of Burford are numerous in England, and are now represented by George Cornewall Legh, of High Leigh, Co. Chester, by Rev. Sir George Henry Cornewall, of Moccas Court, Co. Hereford, fifth and present baronet, by the Cornwalls of Berrington. There can be no doubt that the Essex family whose lineage is given above as found in the visitation of 1552, is descended from the Earls of Cornewall, and the arms clearly indicate royal descent in two lines. The Quarterings 1 and 4, the arms of the Plantagenets, were borne by the fourth Earl of Cornwall, and are still quartered by the Prince of Wales as Duke of Cornwall. The quarterings 2 and 3 are derived from the Earl of Kent, son of Edward II., and grandfather of "The Fair Maid of Kent." She became the wife of her cousin "The Black Prince," who by this marriage was entitled to quarter her arms. Among the descendants of the Earl of Kent are the noble families of Norfolk, Suffolk, Stamford, Wilton, Grey of Codnor, etc.

In Bolton's *History of Westchester Co.* an extensive pedigree of the Cornell family is given, which is quite valuable so far as concerns the branch in that county, but as to other branches it abounds in serious errors. Bolton





Arms of Cornall of Illia in Ireland. Argent, a cross moline gules, square-pierced. Crest, above a ducal coronet, a steel hat proper, issuing from the dexter side a feather argent, another from the sinister side gules. (*College of Arms, London*).



does not mention the first Thomas, but makes the line begin with his son, Richard of Rockaway.\*

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\* Some of the following notes may be suggestive, and perhaps helpful to those who wish to trace the English ancestry of the family:

William Bray of Upperton, Herts., married a daughter of Richard Cornwall of Buckland, living 1634.

A copy of a pedigree furnished by the Herald's College gives Robert Cornwall of Buckland, Herts., had Johannes, m. Anne, dau. of William Barrington, John, George, Richard, and eight daughters. Thomas and Ann had John, living in 1634, and Richard, 2d son, m. Mary, dau. of George Bray; m. (2), Margery, dau. of Hervey of Wallington, Herts., and had Richard, living in 1634, age about 9 years, and John.

Thomas Fabian of London, living 1634, m. Elizabeth, dau. of Richard Cornell of Haverell, Essex.

John Cornewell of Radwinter, Essex, will 24 March, 1573, proved 18 May. Children: William, John, Arthur, Maximillian, Edward, Elizabeth, Agnes, etc.

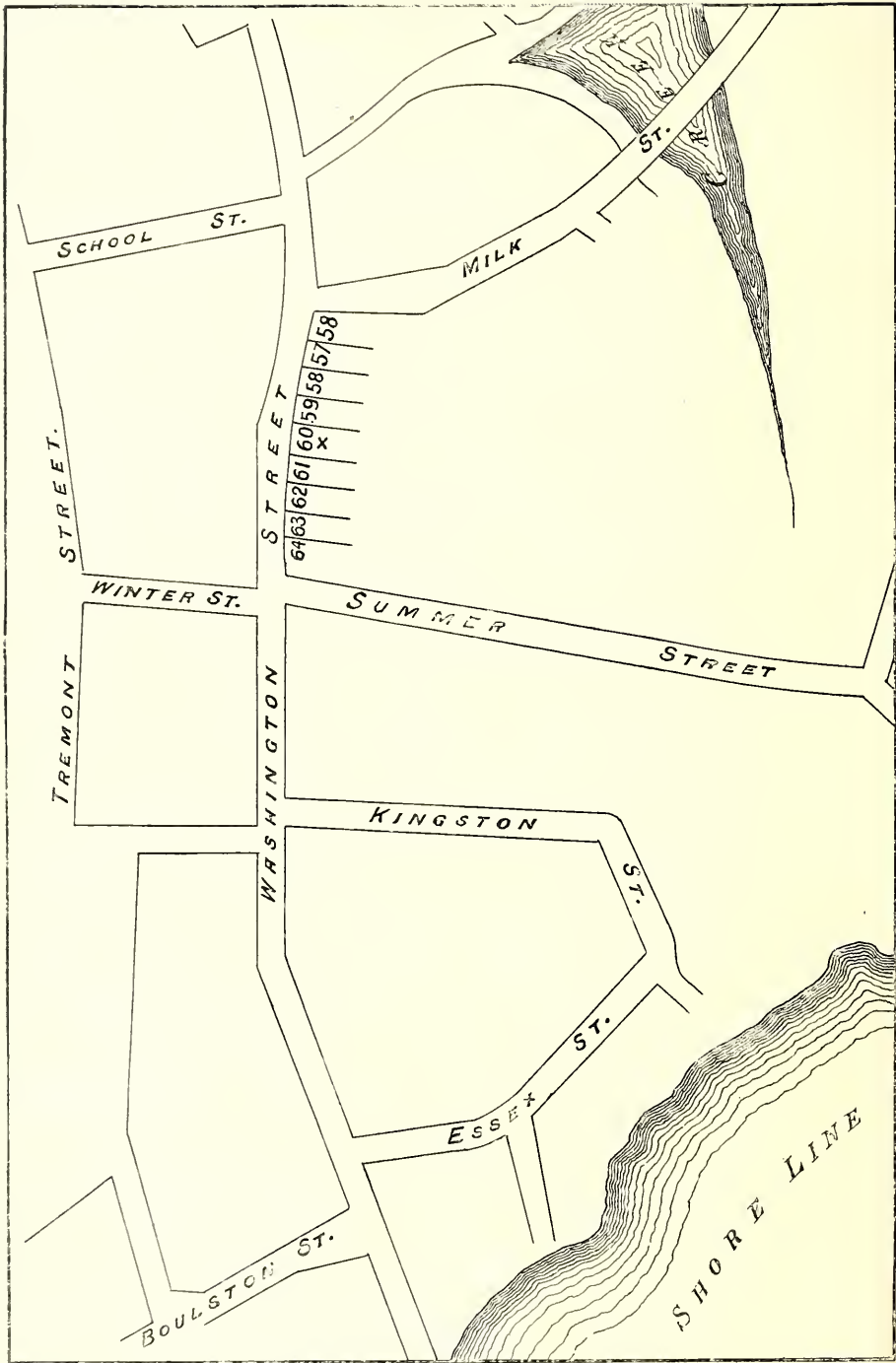
Joseph Cornewall of Gosford, Essex, yeoman, died 1652, widow Margaret; children, Edward, Joseph, Bertha, John. John Cornell of Little Walden, Essex, died 1652, widow Joan, no children. Brothers, Thomas, Jeffrey.

Thomas Cornell, the elder, of Reynham, Essex, wife Eleanor; children, Bennet, William.

Richard Cornell of Bumstead, at the Tower, Essex; carpenter, will June 22, 1631, proved Sept. 5. Children, Daniel, Samuel, Thomas; wife Mary. *N. E. Cen. Register*, 53, 433.







MAP SHOWING LOCATION OF  
 THOMAS CORNELL'S HOUSE X N°60.

# THOMAS CORNELL

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THOMAS CORNELL, b. about 1595, in Co. Essex, England;\* m. Rebecca Briggs (sister of John Briggs); d. about 1655; she was b. 1600; d. Feb. 8, 1673, aged about 73 years. Children:

- 2 Thomas, d. May 23, 1673; m. (1) ———; (2) Sarah Earle.
- 3 Sarah, m. (1) Sept. 1, 1643, Thomas Willett; (2) Nov. 3, 1647, Charles Bridges; (3) John Lawrence, Jr., marriage license Nov. 20, 1682.
- 4 Rebecca, buried Feb. 5, 1713; aged 91 (Onderdonck says aged 93); m. Dec. 9, 1647, George Woolsey.
- 5 Ann, m. Thomas Kent.
- 6 Richard, d. 1694; m. Elizabeth ———.
- 7 John, d. 1704; m. Mary Russell. Lived at Cow Neck, L. I.
- 8 Joshua. His mother conveyed to him, Oct. 21, 1664, land in Plymouth, Mass., which he conveyed, Nov. 21, 1664, to Samuel Cornell. No further account of him.
- 9 Elizabeth, m. Christopher Almy of Newport, R. I., 1661.
- 10 Samuel, d. 1715 (will proved).

Thomas Cornell came to America about 1638, with his wife and most, if not all, of his children. He is first found in Boston, where by a vote of the Town Meeting, Aug. 20, 1638, he is permitted to buy "William Baulstone's house, yard, and garden, backside of Mr. Coddington, and to become an inhabitant." This property was situated in Washington Street, between Summer and Milk Streets (see map). He sold it in 1643 to Edward Tyng, who had a warehouse, and brew house, and constructed a dial there. Sept. 6, 1638, "Thomas Cornhill was licensed upon tryal to keepe an inn in the room of Will Baulstone till the next General Court." June 4, 1639, he "was fined £30 for several offences selling wine without license and

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\* He was from Essex, as his daughter Sarah is so described in her marriage record.

bearre at 2*d.* a quart.\*" Two days later he was abated £10 of his fine, and allowed a month "to sell off his ware which is upon his hand, and then to cease from keeping intertainment, and the town to furnish another."

The Antinomians were great disturbers of the religious peace of the people of Boston, and in 1637 Ann Hutchinson and her adherents were expelled from the Colony. Among them we do not find the name of Thomas Cornell, whose vocation as an innkeeper perhaps saved him from doctrinal errors, but among the obnoxious ones were his neighbors, Baulstone and Coddington, and his brother-in-law John Briggs. By the advice of Roger Williams, then settled at Providence, the exiles purchased, March 28, 1638, from the Indians Canonicus and Miantonomi, the island on which Newport now stands, and on the north end of that island they began a settlement to which they gave the name of Portsmouth. Thomas Cornell arrived two years later and was admitted freeman of Portsmouth, Aug. 6, 1640. Feb. 4, 1641, "a piece of meadow," was granted him to be fenced in at his own cost. The same year he was made constable, and the following year ensign (name spelt Cornill). At the same time Richard Morris was elected captain, and Mr. Baulstone lieutenant. Some suppose this last office to have been held by his son Thomas,<sup>2</sup> as the father may have been in New Amsterdam at that time.

In the autumn, 1642, he went to New Amsterdam, and it has been supposed that Roger Williams and John Throckmorton went with him, and for this reason: the fugitives from Boston, who joined Roger Williams, had formed a sort of colony in Rhode Island, but it was only a self-created government, or squatter sovereignty that they had, and it was thought best by them in 1642, that Roger Williams should go to England and obtain a royal charter for his colony. He could not sail

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\* General Court held at Newtowne, 2.9 m. in 1637. "It shall not be lawful for any person that shall keepe any such inn or common victualling house to sell or have in their houses any wine or strong waters, nor any beare or other drinke other than such as may and shall be souled for 1*d.* the quart at the most." This law was repealed May 23, 1639. Thomas Litchford's note book contains a copy of the petition of Thomas Cornell, setting forth that in the winter time, he had much loss by his small beare which he was at cost to preserve from the frost by fire, that he was ignorant of the law, is sorry for his offenses, and that he hath not been heretofore accustomed to such housekeeping, wherefore he prays for a remission of his fine.



from Boston (which would be the nearest port) because he was banished from Massachusetts, so he went to New Amsterdam for that purpose, as the Dutch were more tolerant. There was not (as to-day) many steamers departing every week for England from that port, and he did not embark until June, 1643. We know, moreover, that he went to England then, and obtained a charter for his colony and returned. Roger Williams, Throckmorton and Cornell seem to have been much associated together and friends, and this has led to the supposition that they may have come from England in the same ship; at any rate, we know that Roger Williams and Throckmorton did.\* About a year after Thomas Cornell's arrival in New Amsterdam, Governor Winthrop reports "Mr. Throckmorton and Mr. Cornell" established, with buildings, etc., on neighboring plantations under the Dutch.† On Oct. 2, 1642, the local Dutch government granted him permission with his associates (thirty-five families), to settle "within the limits of the jurisdiction of their High Mightinesses to reside there in peace" (this was about eleven miles from New Amsterdam). After this general license to settle, Cornell and Throckmorton made examination of the territory, procured a survey and map, and on July 6, 1643. Gov. Kieft granted to John Throckmorton, for himself and his associates, a tract of land in what is now the town of Westchester‡ (see map). A serious Indian war, though of short duration, was caused by Gov. Keift's unwise attack upon two neighboring camps of Indians on the night between Feb. 25 and 28, 1643, and in retaliation the Indians, within the following month or two destroyed many of the white settlers outside of the city; and many others, who escaped fled panic stricken to New Amsterdam.§ Roger Williams says: "Mine eyes saw the flames of these townes, the flights and hurrying of men, women and children, and the present removal

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\* "1630, Feb. 5—The ship Lyon, Mr. Pierce Master, arrived at Nantasket. She brought Mr. Williams (a Godly Minister) with his wife, Mr. Throckmorton . . . and others with their wives and children, about 20 persons. She set sail from Bristol Dec. 1. She had a very tempestuous voyage." *History of New England, 1636-1649*, by John Winthrop, Esq., 1st Gov. of Mass. Bay, by James Savage, I., 109.

† *History of New England*, II., 163.

‡ *O'Callaghan's Albany Records; Adam and Ann Mott*, by Thos. C. Cornell.

§ See *O'Callaghan and Winthrop and Thomas C. Cornell*.

of all that could to Holland.\* Gov. Winthrop says: "By the mediation of Mr. Williams who was then there to go in a Dutch ship to England, the Indians were pacified and peace re-established between the Dutch and them." Cornell and Throckmorton who were probably in New Amsterdam City limits at that time escaped, but Mrs Hutchinson whose residence was near Throckmorton's was killed. For, says Gov. Winthrop of this event, under date of Sept., 1643, "The Indians set upon the English who dwelt under the Dutch. They came to Mrs. Hutchinson in way of friendly neighborhood as they had been accustomed to, and taking their opportunity they killed her and Mr. Collins her son-in-law, and all of her family and such of Mr. Throckmorton's and Mr. Cornell's families as were at home, in all sixteen, and put their cattle into their barns and burned them;" he also adds, "These people had cast off ordinances and churches, and now at last their own people, and for larger accommodation had subjected themselves to the Dutch, and dwelt scatteringly near a mile asunder." Some that escaped the Indian attack went back to Rhode Island.† Thomas Cornell it appears during these troublous times, returned to Portsmouth, R. I., and secured a grant of land from that town, Aug. 29, 1644, in company with Mr. Brenton and Mr. Baulstone, "Butting on Mr. Porter's round Meadow," and on Feb. 4, 1646, a grant of 100 acres‡ was made to Thomas Cornell by the town of Portsmouth "on the south side of the Wading River and so as to run from the river towards the land that was laid out to Edward Hutchinson" (a son of Ann Hutchinson). This may be considered the original Homestead of the Cornell family. Previous grants were made to him in company with other parties and as we will see the grant of Cornell's Neck was later. This land or the part on which the house and burial plot are situated has never been out of the family. In Sept., 1894, Rev. John Cornell (the writer of this), purchased from Mrs. Ellen Grinnell (Cornell) Smith and others about 80 acres of this grant, and in 1900, 45 acres more; a house has been erected in colonial style on the site of the one that was destroyed by fire, Dec. 21, 1889, and somewhat on its old plan,

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\* *R. I. Hist. Coll.*, III., 156, *Winthrop, New England*, II., 117.

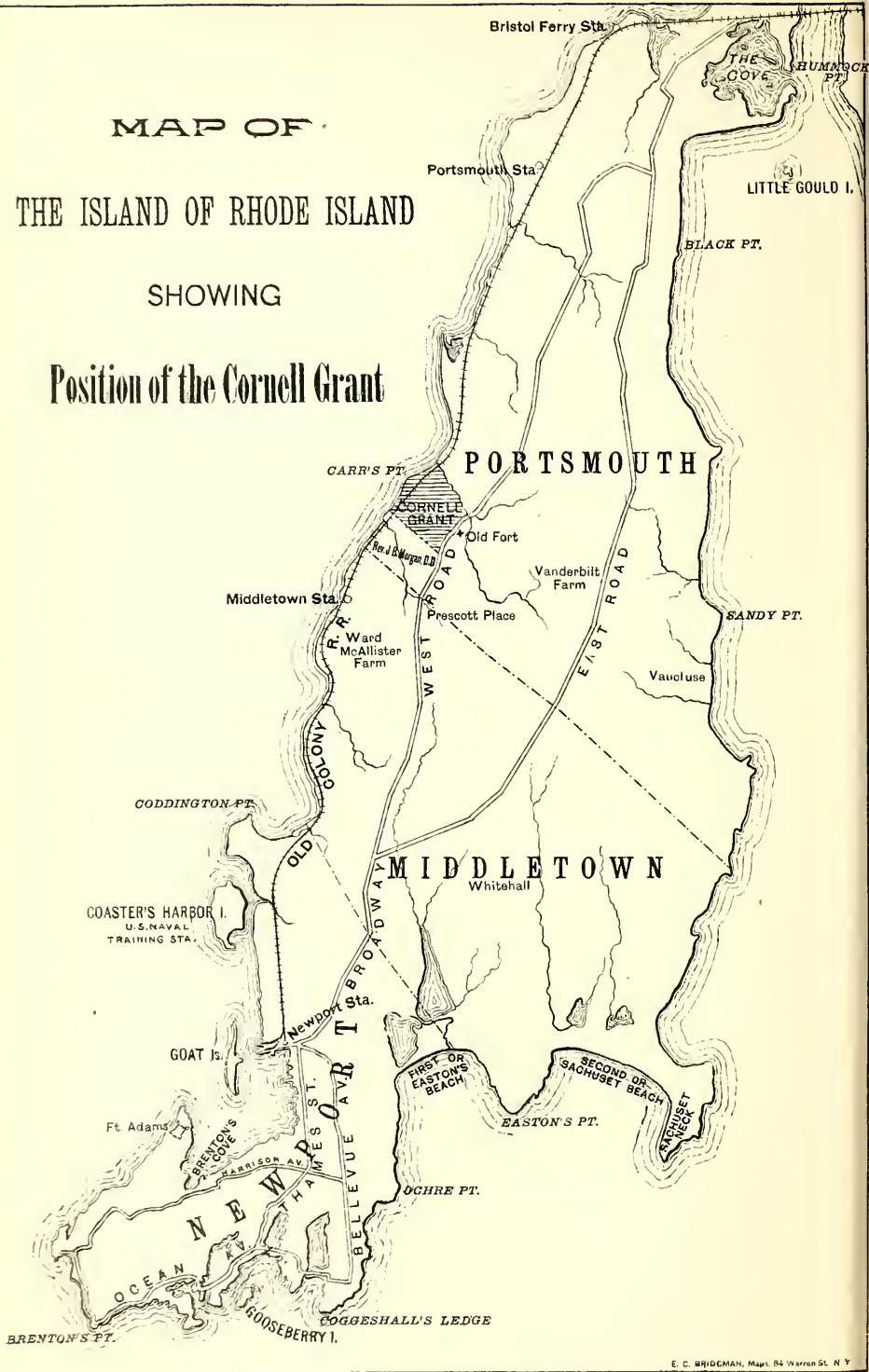
† *Winthrop, New England*, II., p. 163.

‡ It was found to be nearly double that when surveyed.

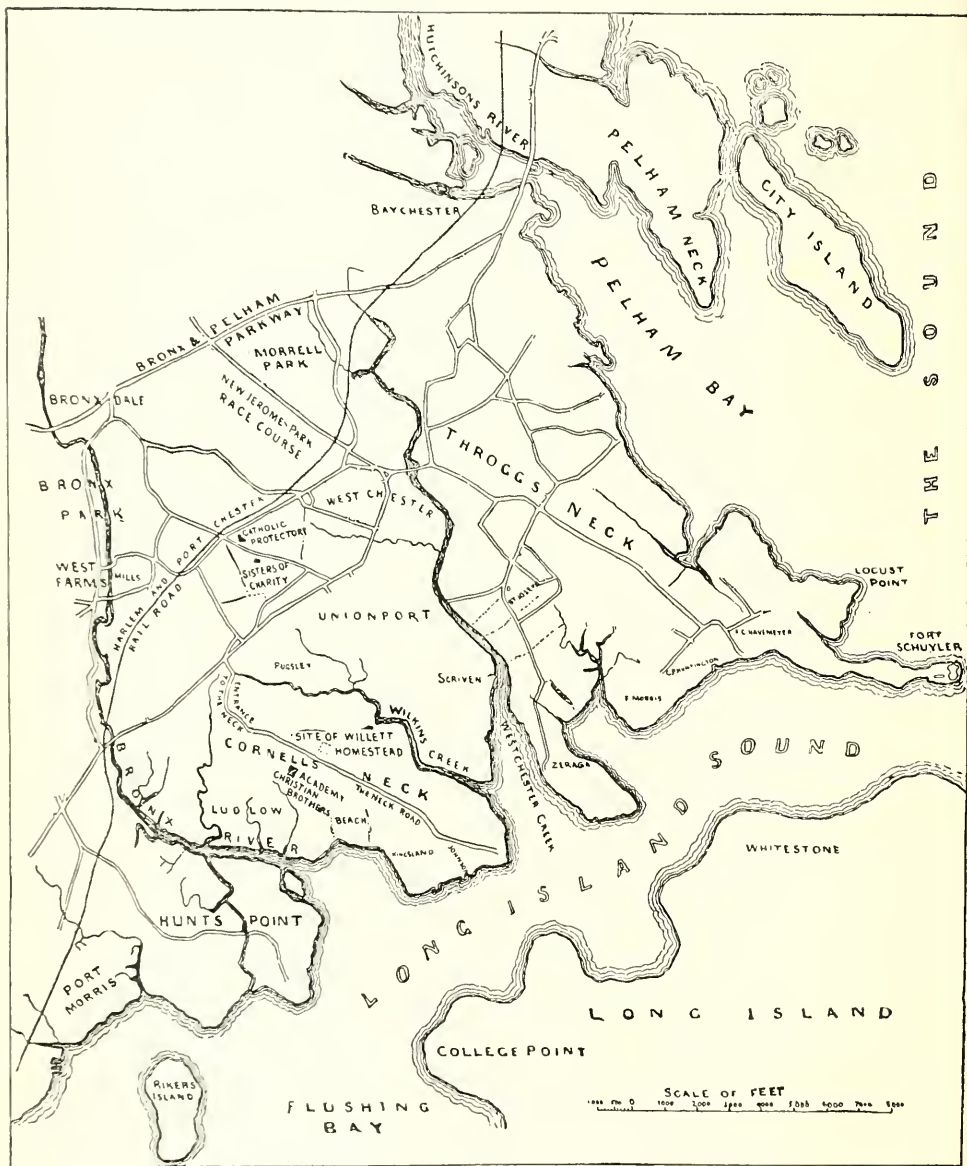


MAP OF  
THE ISLAND OF RHODE ISLAND

SHOWING  
Position of the Cornell Grant







"MAP OF CORNELL'S NECK, AND SOME OF ITS SURROUNDINGS, IN 1890."

that is, the plan which it is understood to have had before it was modernized about 50 years before its destruction.

After the restoration of peace in New Netherland, brought about by the mediation of Roger Williams,\* Thomas Cornell returned to the Dutch Colony, but not, it seems, to restore and rebuild what had been destroyed of his property on Throgg's Neck. But he asked for a tract adjacent, fronting on the south and west of that of Throckmorton, from which it was separated on the shore by the mouth of Westchester Creek, and extending thence about two miles on the Long Island Sound to the Bronx River and extending back two miles or more from the sound to the westerly edge of the present village of Westchester, formerly and even now known as Cornell's Neck; this estate was granted by Governor William Kieft to Thomas Cornell by patent, dated July 25, 1646 (see appendix and map.) This was only the third private grant of land of which there is any record in Westchester Co. Jonas Bronck in 1637, and Throckmorton in 1642, being previous, and possibly Adrian Van der Donk in 1646, and this grant of Cornell's Neck was four years after Thomas Cornell's first settlement in Westchester Co., in 1642. Thus he was there four years prior to Adrian Van der Donk at Yonkers, in 1646. Thirty-five years before Col. Stephanus Van Cortland, in 1677, obtained from Governor Andros permission to make his first purchase of lands from the Indians in Westchester Co., nearly forty years earlier than the first acquisition of Westchester lands by Frederick Phillipse within the present towns of Greenburgh and Mt. Pleasant in 1681, and thirty years before his first interest in Yonkers, 1672, and fifteen years before the great-grand-father of the illustrious George Washington first settled in Virginia in 1657.†

Cornell's Neck was within the limits of Greater New York. After the death of Mr. Cornell, Thomas Pell set up a counter claim to the land, and litigation ensued between him and Sarah Bridges, in the course of which it appeared in evidence that Thomas Cornell had been at considerable charge in building, manuring and planting, that he was after several years driven off by the barbarous violence of the Indians, who burned his

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\* *Winthrop*, II., 117.

† *Some of the Beginning of Westchester Co.*, by Ex-Gov. A. B. Cornell; *Adam and Ann Mott*, by Thomas C. Cornell.

house and destroyed his cattle, that the widow Cornell, sole executrix of the last will and testament of her husband (although neither the will nor a copy was produced), conveyed the land to Sarah Bridges and her sister. The litigation established the validity of the Cornell title and Sarah Bridges was put in possession of the land. A new patent was issued April 15, 1667, for "Cornell's Neck," setting forth the fact that Thomas Cornell's interest devolved long since on Sarah Bridges, one of the daughters of Thomas Cornell, deceased, and that said Sarah had conveyed her interest by deed to William Willett, her eldest son, to whom the new patent was issued (see appendix). The history of this grant and of the litigation respecting it is given at length with the documents in *Bolton's History of Westchester Co.* Thus we infer that after several years residence at "Cornell's Neck," perhaps nine years, Thomas Cornell was again driven by the Indians from his property in New Netherland, and returned to his homestead at Portsmouth, where he lived, and died, and was buried. For we find a record of him as serving on a coroner's jury in 1653, and in 1654 Thomas Cornell was one of the commissioners of "ye foure-towns upon ye re-uniting of ye Colonie of Providence Plantations." He probably died the following year.

An old memorandum made by Stephen B. Cornell of Portsmouth about the beginning of the last century, and still preserved in the family, states that Thomas Cornell, by will dated Dec. 5, 1651, gave to his wife Rebecca all his real estate; also that Rebecca, by will dated Sept. 2, 1664, gave to her son Thomas all her land lying on the west side of Rhode Island, and lying between the farms of Thomas Hazard and John Coggeshall. Neither of these wills is known to be now in existence, nor any copy of them. The records of the Society of Friends at Portsmouth, R. I., have numerous entries respecting Thomas and Rebecca Cornell and their descendants.

As some of the preceding statements with regard to Thomas' two residences in New Amsterdam have been questioned, it has seemed best to give here a letter written by Roger Williams which may be considered authority and throw some light on the subject.

Letter of Roger Williams to the General Court of Massachusetts, Oct. 5, '1654. Published recently in the *Newport Daily News*:



"In one of Roger Williams' letters to the General Court of Massachusetts, Oct. 5, 1654, he says, referring to past events:

'Not having liberty of taking ship in your jurisdiction I was forced to repair unto the Dutch, when mine eyes did see the first breaking forth of that Indian war, which the Dutch began, upon the slaughter of some Dutch by the Indians; and they questioned not to finish it in a few days, insomuch that the name of peace, which some offered to mediate, was foolish and odious to them. But before we weighed anchor their boundaries were flames. Dutch and English were slain. Mine eyes saw their flames at the town, and the flights and hurries of men, women and children, the present removal of all that could for Holland; and after vast expenses and mutual slaughter of Dutch, English and Indians about four years, the Dutch were forced, to save their plantations from ruin, to make up a most unworthy and dishonorable peace with the Indians.'

It was in this war, in September, 1643, that Ann Hutchinson and 16 of her family were murdered by the Sewanoy Indians. Her daughter Susan, then eight years old, was carried into captivity, and four years afterwards was redeemed by the Dutch and returned to Rhode Island. The place where Mrs. Hutchinson was killed was long after known at Manhattan as 'Ann Hook's Neck,' since known as Pelham Manor. Near by, at that time, there was a more numerous settlement of Rhode Islanders. John Throckmorton, who had been found worthy of excommunication with Roger Williams from the Salem Church, and who had accompanied Williams to Providence, had obtained a grant of half a league of land at what is now known as 'Throg's Neck,' and he, with *Thomas Cornell* from Rhode Island, John Updike, afterwards changed to 'Opdyke,' and others, sought to establish a colony in the same neighborhood, but they were driven off by the Indians and went to Long Island, from whence some of them, seeing Mrs. Hutchinson's house on fire, crossed over in a boat to make an effort for her rescue. They succeeded in rescuing some persons, not of the Hutchinson family, but at the expense of the lives of two of their number. Throckmorton returned to Rhode Island; Opdyke went to New Jersey; while Cornell remained in New York, and the descendants of each of these persons have among them names which have attained to an enviable distinction."

1657, Dec. 10, Rebecca Cornell, widow, was granted 10 acres in lieu of 10 acres granted her husband. 1659, Rebecca Cornell deeded these 10 acres to her son and daughter Kent. 1661, April 30, Rebecca Cornell, widow and executrix of Thomas Cornell, sold Richard Hart for £30, two parcels of land containing 8 acres with house, fruit trees, etc. Confirmed by her son Thomas, 1663. 1663, Oct. 25, Rebecca conveys to her son Joshua one-sixth of a share of land at Coshena and Acookset (part of Dartmouth) in Plymouth Jurisdiction. This he conveyed Nov. 21, 1664, to his brother Samuel; also 20 acres of land he bought of William Earle. July 27, she deeded to

eldest son Thomas, all her housing, orchard, land and fencing in Portsmouth. At her death she held Thomas' bond for £100. 1669, she conveys to son Samuel land in Dartmouth, one-sixth of a share\* (see No. 10). 1773, Feb. 8, Friend's Records state "Rebecca Cornell, widow, was killed strangely at Portsmouth in her own dwelling house, was twice viewed by the Coroner's Inquest, digged up and buried again by her husband's grave in their own land." May 23, her son Thomas was charged with murder, and after a trial that now reads like a farce, was convicted and executed. Among the witnesses of this trial were John Briggs (brother of Rebecca), Mary, wife of John Cornell (her son), Thomas, Stephen, Edward and John, sons of Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Rebecca Woolsey (her daughter), etc. It appears that the old lady having been sitting by the fire smoking a pipe, a coal had fallen from the fire or her pipe, and that she was burned to death. But on the strength of a vision which her brother John Briggs had, in which she appeared to him after her death and said: "See how I was burned with fire." It was inferred she was set fire to, and that her son who was last with her did it, and principally on this evidence Thomas Cornell was tried, convicted and hung for her murder. Durfee in his *Legal Tracts of Rhode Island*, comments on the strangeness of this trial and the injustice of the execution. The writer of this remarked to a leading lawyer of Newport (who knows much of the history of Rhode Island), that there seemed very little evidence to convict this Thomas Cornell, the lawyer's answer was simply: "There was no evidence." (For further particulars concerning him, see *Austin's Genealogical Dictionary of Rhode Island*, *Bolton's Westchester Co., History of the Mott Family*, etc.)

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\* It appears Rebecca had three-sixths ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of a share; she conveyed to Samuel, one-sixth, to Joshua, one-sixth, and perhaps one-sixth to John who had lived in Dartmouth. Thomas she gave land in Portsmouth; Richard, her other son, had gone to Long Island 1656, and had probably received his patrimony.

## THOMAS CORNELL.

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THOMAS,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. May 23, 1673; m. (1) ———; (2) Sarah Earle; she m. David Lake. Children:\*

By first wife:

11 Thomas, b. 1657; d. about 1714; m. Susannah Lawton.

12 Edward, d. 1708; m. Mary ———, of Long Island.

13 Stephen, b. 1656, Portsmouth; admitted freeman, 1688; d. 1673, witness at his fathers trial; m. Hannah Moshier.

14 John, m. Hannah Smith(?), of Hempstead.

By second wife:

15 Daughter.

16 Daughter.

17 Innocent, m. Richard Borden; he was b. Oct. 24, 1671; d. July 12, 1732; son of John and Mary (Earle) Borden; perhaps named as a protest against father's unjust execution.

1655, March, 17, Portsmouth; he is called Thomas Cornell, Jr., was chosen with three others to prize land and buildings of John Wood, deceased. 1657, Dec. 10, had a grant of 10 acres. 1663, Aug. 24, He, eldest son of Thomas Cornell, confirmed a deed his mother had made two years previously to Richard Hart. 1664-72, several times Deputy to the General Assembly of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations. 1670, May 4, he and three others appointed to audit colonies' accounts 1671, June 7, his bill to Assembly for further encouragement of a troop of horse was referred to next Assembly (and there is no further record of the bill); At the same meeting ordered that Thomas Cornell be desired to be a messenger from this court to carry a letter to the Governor of Plymouth, and that he be supplied with twenty shillings in silver by the treasurer, Mr. John Coggeshall, towards bearing his charge. 1672, April 2,

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\* It appears from records that Thomas left four sons by 1st wife, and three children (daughters), by 2d wife.

“Voted that some persons be employed by this Assembly to goe over to Narragansett and take a view of such places there or thereabouts that are fit for plantations and make inquirie of English and Indians who are the owners of, or who ‘laie claime’ to such lands and signify unto them that the colony doeth intend such lands shall be improved by peoplinge the same, and that the persons doe make return of what they doe therein to the next General Assembly.” On this committee Thomas Cornell was appointed for Portsmouth.\* 1673, May 23, was executed for the murder of his mother, concerning the injustice of this, and the lack of any proper evidence to convict him (see previous remarks concerning the death of Rebecca). 1674, March 7, “Ordered by the Assembly, whereas, Thomas Cornell of Portsmouth, who was lately executed for murthering his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Cornell, whereupon according to law, this court of Tryalls have made seizure of his estate. This Assembly (in consideration of the matter, and for the supply of the wife and children of the said Thomas), doe see cause to release the said seizure and empowere the council of the towne of Portsmouth to take care and order that the estate of the said Thomas be soe secured and improved that just debts and other charges be first paid and discharged, and that then his wife and children be supplied and relieved and to that end to order and appoint an executor or executors for the true performance thereof, and that this said Towne Council doe make a will according to law, divide the estate to this wife and children of the said Thomas.” July 4, a writing was presented to the court of Plymouth by William Earle, of Dartmouth, which was by some termed the will of Thomas Cornell of Rhode Island, late deceased, in which is mentioned the disposal of some estate in our colony. The court deferred accepting it for the present and appointed William Earle, and John Cornell, brother of the deceased, to take care of the estate that it be not squandered. Oct. 29, the court ordered that such part of estate as deceased left in Plymouth colony, should be divided as follows: to widow and three children he had by her, one-half; to four eldest children of said Cornell, the other half, which they were to have in land, being sons. The right of widow Sarah for life, in the lands, was to be paid her out of the personal, if she

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\* *Records of the Colony of Rhode Island*, Vol. 11., pp. 442, 486.

require it. Inventory, £77, 19s., 6d., of real and personal estate in Darthmouth, *viz.*: 8 mares, 4 geldings, 2 two years, 3 colts, 4 heifers, 4 steers, 5 yearlings, house and land, £41, gun, pair of old wheels, scythe, pair of bandoleers, &c.\* 1679, Jan. 4, differences having arisen between Thomas Cornell, eldest son of Thomas Cornell, deceased, and David Lake of Nunaquaquit (a neck in New Plymouth), now husband to Sarah, late widow to Thomas Cornell of Portsmouth, concerning right of dower belonging to said Sarah in estate of late husband, and more especially in farm said Thomas Cornell possesseth, the said differences being in a friendly manner compromised a full discharge is now given by said Lake except a bill of £20.

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\* An inventory of his estate in Portsmouth was made by John Albro and John Sanford, amounting to £452.18.5. Inventory, 22 acres land, 100 sheep, cattle, horses, &c.

## SARAH CORNELL.

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SARAH,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m.\* (1) Thomas Willett of Bristol, England, Sept. 1, 1643, in New Amsterdam; d. about 1645; m. (2) Charles Bridges, Nov. 3, 1647 (corrupted into Carel Ver Brugge by the Dutch); he d. Aug. 5, 1682; m. (3) John Lawrence, Jr., eldest son of John and Susannah Lawrence; marriage license, Nov. 20, 1682; he was b. about 1644; d. about 1697. Children (*Willett*):

William, bap. June 27, 1644; d. 1701; unmarried.

Gov. Kieft was one of the sponsors at his baptism.

Thomas, bap. Nov. 26, 1645; m. Helena Stoothoff; d. 1722.

Elizabeth(?), m. Robert Beachman.†

The names of their children if any, are not known, but it is on record that "John Lawrence Esq., of his Majesty's Council having a son *non compos mentis* married and has an estate at Jamaica in Queens Co., his wife lately deceased, is appointed guardian to his son's personal estate by Gov. Benjamin Fletcher, as late as 1712, he was still living and insane." (See *The Thomas Book*, by Rev. Lawrence B. Thomas, D. D.)

1647, Aug. 11, John Dolling one of her admirers, evidently not an acceptable one, was ordered by the local court "not to visit nor trouble Sarah Willett." This was about the time of her marriage to Charles Bridges. 1650, Sponsor for Samuel Woolsey, and 1662, for Elizabeth Cornell, daughter of Richard.<sup>2</sup> 1664, Charles Bridges and Sarah, his wife, enter a complaint against William Newman and Thomas Senequam, an Indian. The case seems to have been decided in their favor, for on the 27 March, 1665, the constable of Westchester was required by Gov. Nicholls "to deliver unto Mr. Bridges and his wife or

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\* The marriage record of the Dutch Church of New Amsterdam, the only church in the city in 1643, translated into English, reads: "On the 1st day of September, 1643, were married Thomas Willett, previously unmarried, of Bristol, England, and Sarah Cornell, not before married, of Essex, England. (See *History of the Mott Family*, by Thomas C. Cornell.)

† In 1668, Sarah Bridges and Richard Cornell, executors of Beachman, who may have married Elizabeth, daughter of Sarah.

their assigns, the goods that lye attached in your hands as of right belonging to them." 1665, they sue Thomas Pell of Onkway, Conn., who laid claim to Cornell's Neck, on the ground that the land was under the government of Connecticut, that the Dutch occupation was never legal, and that he had bought the land of the natives in 1654, and paid for it. The case was decided in their favor, *viz.*: "that the land in question doeth of right belong to the plaintiff and that the defendant shall pay the costs and charges of suit, and six pence damage." Sarah Cornell *alias* Bridges, conveyed her interest to William Willett her eldest son, who obtains a patent therefore April 15, 1667, from Gov. Richard Nicholls\* (see Appendix.) From this lawsuit it appeared a grant and patent from the Dutch Governor Kieft to Thomas Cornell, deceased, father of Sarah, was produced and read in court; that Thomas Cornell was in lawful possession of this estate for some years; that he was at considerable charges in building and other improvements; that he was driven off his lands by the barbarous violence of the Indians who burned his house and goods and destroyed his cattle; that Thomas Cornell's widow was left sole executrix of her deceased husband's last will and testament, and so had power to convey the premises. Neither the will nor a copy of it was produced, but it was allowed as there were no exceptions made against it; that widow Cornell had conveyed the said neck of land to Sarah Bridges and her sister; that there was likewise an act from the Dutch Gov. Stuyvesant produced, where he buys the same lands of the Indians again (although alleged to be bought long before), and confirms it to Thomas Cornell.† 1668, Sarah Bridges and Richard Cornell executors of Beachman, who may have married Elizabeth a daughter of Sarah. 1673, Sarah and Rebecca make their brother Richard, attorney, to collect moneys under their mother's will. 1682, Charles and Sarah Bridges' joint will proved as to Charles, Aug. 28, to our son Thomas Willett, half of certain lands; John Lawrence witness on probate.‡

It may be well to mention here, that Cornell's Neck, which was a grant to Thomas<sup>1</sup> from Gov. Kieft, July 21, 1646, was

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\* *Albany Book of Patents*, Vol. II., p. 65.

† See *Bolton's History of Westchester Co.*

‡ See *Mott Family*.

occupied for a number of years by him, but that being driven away by the Indians he returned to Portsmouth, Rhode Island, where he had a grant from that town of over one hundred acres, Feb. 4, 1646, and here he lived and died and was buried in the family cemetery as before mentioned. He seems to have left all his landed estate to his wife, Rebecca. She gave Cornell's Neck to her daughters, Sarah and Rebecca, and the latter conveyed her interest in it to her sister, Sarah, who thus became the second whole owner of the property. She seems never to have occupied the place, but have preferred the security of city life in New Amsterdam, and Flushing was probably the summer residence of her first husband, Thomas Willett, also of her third husband, John Lawrence. After the law suit she conveyed Cornell's Neck to her eldest son, William Willett, who occupied this place, but died unmarried; his nephew, Col. Thomas Willett, was his successor as owner of the estate. The Willetts were a family of considerable prominence in the early history of the colony and filled many political and military offices. Cornell's Neck remained in the possession of the Willett family for over one hundred years. It was however afterwards divided, and in the absence of male heirs, passed out of the family and Cornell's Neck is now owned by the families of Ludlow and Beach, some Roman Catholic institutions, and others.

Charles Bridges (Sarah Cornell's second husband), was English Secretary for the Province under Gov. Stuyvesant, in 1652; was in the Governor's council, Military Commissary, in 1660; patentee of Flushing and of Gravesend; lived in Pearl Street, New York; estate £400. (*N. Y. Genealogical Record and Mott Family History.*)

His wife carried on a small trade in merchandise adjoining the City Hall, Wall Street, head of Broad; and had a house on State Street.



## REBECCA CORNELL.

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REBECCA,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

buried Feb. 5, 1713, aged 91 (*Onderdonck's Mss.* says aged 93); m: Dec. 9, 1647, in New Amsterdam, George Woolsey of Bristol, England; he was b. Oct. 27, 1610; d. Aug. 17, 1698; son of Rev. Benjamin Woolsey of Yarmouth, England. Children (*Woolsey*):

Sarah, bap. Aug. 7, 1650; m. William Hallett of Newtown, L. I.

Captain George, bap. Oct. 10, 1652, in New Amsterdam; d. Jan. 19, 1740; m. Hannah ———.

When twelve years old he moved with his father to Jamaica, L. I., and there spent his early life under the Duke of York and the long line of English Governors. He won the title of captain in the Queens County Militia, and kept it through life. His name often occurs in the town records in ways that show he was of ability and consequence. He spent the closing years of his life with his son Rev. Benjamin Woolsey, a congregational minister, who lived at Dosoris, and there he was buried in the family cemetery on the place, being the first one of the many Woolseys there laid at rest. He was the great-great-great-grandfather of President Woolsey of Yale College.

Thomas, m. Ruth ———; moved to Bedford, Westchester Co., N. Y.

Rebecca, bap. Jan. 16, 1661; m. ——— Wiggins.

John, bap. Jan. 16, 1661; m. Abigail ———.

Mary, bap. March 9, 1664.

William, bap. June 30, 1678, "of reasonable age."

Her mother conveyed to her and her sister Sarah, Cornell's Neck.

1651, she was sponsor for Adam Mott, and 1662, her husband was sponsor for Elizabeth, daughter of Richard.<sup>2</sup> 1673, witness

on trial of her brother Thomas,<sup>2</sup> was marked by small-pox; same day gave brother Richard power of attorney to collect legacies under her mother's will.

George Woolsey came from England to America 1623-4, as a boy of 13; was a partner of Isaac Allerton of Plymouth, and apparently his representative in New York; was Town Clerk of Jamaica, L. I. His descendants are numerous, some of them have become distinguished not only in the army and navy, but also as prominent divines. Theodore Dwight Woolsey, descendant of Rebecca in the fifth generation, was president of Yale College for a quarter of a century, 1846-1871.

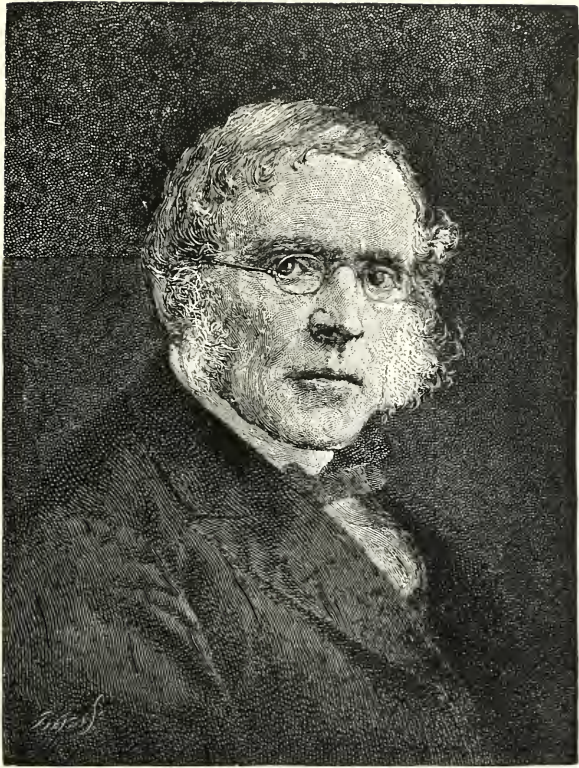
The name is written Wolsy, Wolsi, Wiltsie, Wiltze, Wollsey (*Austin's Genealogical Dictionary, Adam and Anne Mott Descendants, Family Record*).

**6**

RICHARD. See page 143.

**7**

JOHN. See page 267.



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## ELIZABETH CORNELL.

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ELIZABETH,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Christopher Almy of Portsmouth, R. I., son of William<sup>1</sup> and Andry ———, July 9, 1661; d. 1708; he was b. 1632; d. Jan. 30, 1713. Children (*Almy*):

Sarah, b. April 7, 1662; d. 1708; m. (1) Richard Cadman; (2) Jonathan Merehew or Mayhew.

Elizabeth, b. Sept. 29, 1663; d. 1712; m. (1) John Morris; (2) John Leonard.

William, b. Oct. 27, 1665; d. July 6, 1747; m. (1) Deborah Cook; (2) Hope Borden.

Ann, b. Nov. 29, 1667; m. (1) Richard Durfee; (2) Benjamin Jefferson.

Christopher, b. Dec. 29, 1669; m. (1) April 16, 1690, Joanna Slocum; (2) Mary ———.

Rebecca, b. Jan. 26, 1671; d. 1708; m. April 28, 1692, John Townsend.

John, b. April, 1673; d. 1673.

1667, Christopher Almy and several others bought lands of the Indians at Monmouth, N. J., where he lived several years and returned to Rhode Island before 1680. 1680, March 5, he and several others bought Pocasset (Tiverton) lands for £1,100, he having  $3\frac{3}{4}$  shares out of 30 shares; the purchase was made of Gov. Josiah Winslow, etc. 1690, he was deputy, also Assistant (or Colonial Senator). Feb. 27, he was elected governor, but refused to serve for reasons satisfactory to Assembly (this was the first election for governor since the deposition of Andros). 1693, Aug. 24, was sent from Rhode Island to England to present their grievances to Queen Mary, and on Oct. 28, same year, the Assembly allowed him £135, 10s., 8d for his expenses in England.

Will dated 1708, Sept. 4; codicil, 1711, Sept. 17; proved, 1713, Feb. 9; executor, son (or grandson probably) Job. Mentions surviving children and grandchildren, one of whom gets 10s. for a bible; some get £10, others £20, and others £40. His wife Elizabeth is left negro man Cumbo, and woman

Margaret for life, and one year after wife's death said negroes to be free, and then to have a bed, cow, and use of 20 acres in Pocasset for their lives. To wife two cows, horses, and best feather bed, and to her for life the housing and land in Rhode Island, half the fruit of orchard, and all household goods. (For further particulars see *Austin's Genealogical Dictionary of Rhode Island*, from which most of the above is taken.)

**10**

SAMUEL. See page 353.

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Thomas Cornell

Deborah Cornell

personally before me appeared  
Thomas Cornell & Deborah Cornell  
Cornell & acknowledged the  
contents contained in the  
act & deed as their own

Witness this 23rd day of Nov 1796

Witnessed & attested in presence of  
me this 23rd day of Nov 1796 in the Book of  
Deeds belonging to the County  
of York in the presence of John Anthony  
Treasurer



## DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS<sup>2</sup> (2).

### 11

THOMAS,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas<sup>2</sup> (2), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1653; d. Oct. 14, 1714, aged 61; m. Susannah Lawton.  
Children:

- 18 Thomas, b. Nov. 30, 1674; d. 18.4, 1728, aged 53 years, 6 months, 18 days; m. Martha Freeborn.
- 19 George, b. 1676; d. 11.3, 1752, aged 76, at Newport; m. (1) Philadelphia Eastes (or Eustis); (2) Deliverance Clark; (3) Abigail Sisson.
- 20 Elizabeth, b. 1690; d. Feb. 19, 1750; m. (supposed) Samuel Cranston.\*

1673, witness at his father's trial. 1678, March 24, Thomas of Portsmouth conveys to George Lawton land in Dartmouth. 1679, settled with Lake his mother's dower. 1681, Thomas, eldest brother of Edward of Hempstead, conveys deed to Gatchell. 1683, May 2, at the General Assembly held for the Colony of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations at Newport (Major Peleg Sanford, governor), Thomas Cornell was Deputy from Portsmouth. 1687, Dec. 13, "At a General Quarter Sessions and Inferior Court of Common Pleas holden in his majesty's name at Newport, R. I., King's Province, etc., Thomas Cornell and four others refused to take the oath in court when called thereto, all being returned by the sheriff to serve on the grand jury, fined 6 shillings and 8 pence." 1688, Thomas and wife, Susannah, convey to R. Cadman (who m. Sarah Almy, daughter of Christopher, No. 9), land in Dartmouth joining Samuel and Stephen Cornell. Samuel of Dartmouth, and "my cousin (nephew) Thomas of Rhode Island," settled boundry disputes. 1696, Thomas and Susannah convey to son George "two parsells of land" in Portsmouth, one being 28 acres called the Surkit, or Circuit, the other 12 acres joining the ocean. May 5, at the General Assembly for the Colony of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, held at Newport (Mr. Walter Clark, governor), Thomas Cornell, Jr., admitted freeman of the colony by vote of the Assembly.\*

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\* *Records of the Colony of Rhode Island*, Vol. III., p. 121, 311.

1699, Samuel of Dartmouth, will, appoints executors Thomas Cornell of Portsmouth, and "my cousin George Cadman of Dartmouth." 1704, May 2, at the General Assembly held for the Colony of Rhode Island, etc. (Major Samuel Cranston, governor), "Mr. Thomas Cornehill, Jr.," was Deputy. 1704, March 5, gives deed to Thomas Olney and others for 36 acres on or near Linten's Plaine in the precincts of Newport. The original deed was one of the records of Newport which was sunk in Hellgate, a copy of it is here given. 1705, May 2, at a General Assembly and election held at Newport (Samuel Cranston, governor), Thomas Cornell, Jr., was chosen justice-of-the-peace for Portsmouth.\* 1706, May, at the General Assembly for the Colony of Rhode Island, etc. (Col. Samuel Cranston, governor), Thomas Cornell, Jr., was Assistant.† 1726, Governor Thomas Cranston's will gives to two sons of my deceased son Samuel, *viz.*: Samuel and Thomas, 300 acres in East Greenwich. They having had estate bequeathed to them by their grandfather Thomas Cornell.

### 13

STEPHEN,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas<sup>2</sup> (2), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1686; m. Hannah Mosher.‡ Children:

- 21 William, d. 1755; m. Mehitable Fish.
- 22 Stephen, d. about 1765; m. Ruth Pierce, June 10, 1719.
- 23 Edward (supposed son), d. 1754; m. Susannah Wilcox.
- 24 John (supposed son), d. 1762; m. Sarah Sherman, April 17, 1774.
- 25 Richard (supposed son), b. Jan. 28, 1701-2; d. 1761; m. Content Brownell, May 11, 1732.
- 26 Elizabeth, m. (1) Richard<sup>2</sup> Sisson, son of Geo.<sup>2</sup> Sisson, Richard;<sup>1</sup> (2) Peleg Tripp, 1.2, 1712.

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\* *Records of the Colony of Rhode Island*, Vol. III., p. 523.

† Colonial Senators were so called till 1842.

‡ See deed of Hugh Mosher, 1707, to his daughter Hannah Cornell, wife of Stephen Cornell (*Proprietary Records of Dartmouth, Mass.*). This was the Hugh Mosher who m. Rebecca Handel. In a deed dated May 28, 1713, to his daughter Rebecca, wife of John Kirby of Dartmouth, giving the latter land "joining that of my daughter Hannah Cornell."

To all Persons to whom this present Indenture shall come bearing date this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March in the year of our LORD one thousand seven hundred and four or five, I Thomas Cornell of Newport in the Colony of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Merchant Greeting, Know ye that I the said Thomas Cornell for and in consideration of twenty eight acres of Land and eighty pounds of current silver money of New England unto me well and truly delivered by Thomas Olney of Providence in the Colony aforesaid and Henry Tew and William Weeden both of said Newport and Colony aforesaid Yeomen they being the Assignes of William Weeden Phillip Smith and Richard Bailey which were the Executors of the last Will and Testament of m<sup>r</sup> John Clark of Newport in the Colony aforesaid, This day decated, Bearing date the twentieth day of April 1676, the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge and thereto and therewith do come and sell to be fully satisfied contented and paid by me or my Heires, in so much, bargained and exchanged, and by these presents for me, my Heires, Executors and Administrators do fully, clearly and absolutely grant, alien, interch, bargain, exchange and continue unto the said Thomas Olney Henry Tew and William Weeden and their Successors and assigns for ever thirty six acres of Land be it more or be it less lying on and near a place called Lintens plain in the precincts of said Newport and Colony aforesaid bounded Easterly on a highway, Southerly and part Westerly on Lands in the possession of John Green, Westerly and part Northernly on Land in the possession of Clement Peckham, Northernly partly on Land in the possession of William Roberts and partly on a highway, Together with all and singular Rights, Liberties, Priviledges and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said parcel of Land belonging or in any wise appertaining; To have and to hold the said parcel of Land with and singular the premises above by these presents granted unto them the said Thomas Olney Henry Tew and William Weeden their Successors and assigns for ever, to the only proper use and behoofe of them, the said Thomas Olney Henry Tew and William Weeden and their Successors and assigns for ever, Faithfully to distribute and dispose of the Profits according to m<sup>r</sup> John Clark Will, And I the said Thomas Cornell for me, my Heires, Executors and Administrators do hereby covenant and promise and with the said Thomas Olney Henry Tew and William Weeden and their Successors and assigns for ever, that I lawfully own of the said Land and all and singular the premises above by these presents granted, and that the said Land and every part and parcel thereof now is, and at all times hereafter shall be and remaine unto the said Thomas Olney Henry Tew and William Weeden and their Successors and assigns clearly acquitted, discharged and discharged of and from all manner of former bargains, Sales, gifts, grants, leases, Limitures, dowers or thirds, Heires, duties, tithes, trouble, manner, and from all dowers and thirds from any other person or persons, had, made, suffered or done, or to be had, made, suffered or done, but that the said Thomas Olney Henry Tew and William Weeden and their Successors and assigns and every of them shall and may at all times hereafter using to the true intent and meaning of these presents quietly and peaceably have, use, possess and enjoy the said Land and all and singular the premises hereby granted without any Lawfull let, trouble, Hindrance or disturbance of me the said Thomas Cornell, my Heires, or any other person or persons claiming by from or under me, by any way or means whatsoever And I the said Thomas Cornell the said Land and every part and parcel thereof, and all and singular the premises above by these presents bargained and exchanged unto them the said Thomas Olney Henry Tew and William Weeden and their Successors and assigns for ever, against me, my Heires and assigns for ever and to all intents and purposes as aforesaid, of will Warrant and for ever defend by these presents: In Witnes whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the day and year above written.

Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence

off Nath<sup>l</sup> Corns

Thomas Cornell

Witness my hand and seal this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March 1676

Sam<sup>l</sup> Corns

Witness my hand and seal this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March 1676



27 James, m. Abigail Tripp,\* 9 mo./20, 1784.

1673, Witness at the trial of his father Thomas.<sup>2</sup> 1686, free-man. 1688, grand juror, Portsmouth. 1716, Stephen and wife Hannah to son William, and in 1755 William to son Caleb, deed of the former homestead of his father, Stephen, deceased, in Dartmouth. 1723, John Cornell buys from William Cornell land in Dartmouth. 1726, division, and 1724 William and John Cornell, C. Gifford and J. Duval, division. These three deeds suggest that William and John were brothers; Gifford and Duval were brothers-in-law, and that their father had died. In that case Stephen had two daughters not found. Stephen Cornell witness of Mial Pierce's will, dated 1764, was his brother-in-law. The will of Samuel (10), date 1699, names three children only, but it was not proved till 1715, in which interval he may have married again and had other children, and some authorities place this Stephen as son of Samuel. But I find no records warranting me to place Stephen otherwise than son of Thomas.<sup>2</sup>

#### 14

JOHN,<sup>3</sup> of Thomas<sup>2</sup> (2), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
m. Hannah ———.† Children:

28 John, m. (probably) Elizabeth Wiltzie; b. about 1690.

29 Elizabeth, m. Joseph Dean of Jamaica, June 21, 1711.

Joseph Dean m. Patience Oakly, June 21, 1717.

30 William.

31 Edward, b. about 1695; d. 1782.

1673, witness in his father's trial. 1680, among the rate payers of Hempstead were John Cornwell, 50 acres, £40, and Edward Cornwell, £60. 1684, Hannah, wife of John Cornwell, sued by Winefred Thorne for defamation of character, non

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\* James Cornell, son of Stephen and Hannah, his wife, of Dartmouth, in the Co. of Bristol in ye Province of Massachusetts Bay, in New England, and Abigail Tripp, daughter of Joseph Tripp and Elizabeth, his wife, of Dartmouth, m. 20 day, 9 mo., 1784 (*Quaker Records*).

† *Census Queens Co.*, 1698, John Cornwell, (wife) Hannah. Children: John, Elizabeth, William, Edward. Jeremiah Smith's will, 1725, names his eldest daughter Hannah, who d. leaving daughters Elizabeth and Ann, also his second daughter Elizabeth Cornell, who had daughters Elizabeth and Hannah. It does not clearly appear who these were, for it is hardly probable that the father of John Cornell's wife was living in 1725 (see Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> also No. 28.)

suit. 1689, Richard Cornell of Rockaway, and wife Elizabeth, convey to "John Cornell, our cousin (nephew), living in Success," 50 acres near Success; part east on road from Hempstead great plains—supposed land of his (John's) brother, Edward. 1701, he buys from Daniel Whitehead 60 acres east of the path from Hempstead to Madnams (Great) Neck. 1705, survey of 100 acres south of the plains for John of Success. 1715-26, John Cornwell, vestryman of St. George's Church, Hempstead, also John Cornwell, Jr. 1738-42, John and John, Jr., petition for charter of the church. (This is doubtful, as the family of this John does not much figure in the church records.)

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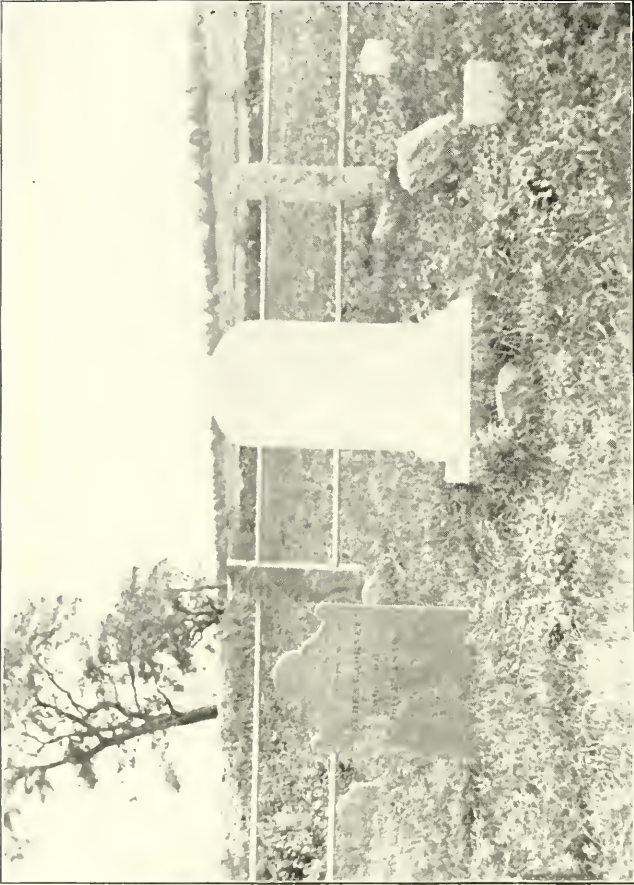
THOMAS,<sup>4</sup> of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (11), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 30, 1674; d. 18.4, 1728, age 53 years, 6 months, 18 days; m. Martha Freeborn, daughter of Gideon and Sarah (Brownell); b. Aug. 8, 1671; d. Nov. 15, 1748. Children:

- 32 Thomas, b. 3.2, 1697-8; d. 25.8, 1713.
- 33 Susannah, b. 22.5, 1702; m. John Bennett of Jonathan, Feb. 6, 1722.
- 34 Gideon, b. 2.1, 1704-5; d. 12.1, 1705.
- 35 William, b. 26.5, 1705; m. Hannah Thurston, July 18, 1723.
- 36 George, b. Dec. 11, 1707; m. Elizabeth Thurston, Jan. 16, 1728.
- 37 Gideon, b. July 5, 1710; d. 1766; m. Rebecca Vaughan, Feb. 22, 1732.
- 38 Sarah, b. 20.12, 1712-3; d. 16.8, 1722.

1715, overseer of will of father-in-law. 1715-27, Deputy to General Assembly of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations. He left a considerable estate in the island of Jamaica to his son Gideon, also 15,000 Spanish mill dollars. Will of wife Martha, dated 23.2, 1748, on original Portsmouth records, names sons William, George, Gideon; daughters Hannah, wife of William, Elizabeth, wife of son George; granddaughters, Elizabeth Scott, Hannah Cornell, Abigail Cornell, Elizabeth Cornell; grandsons Thomas Cornell, son of William, William, son of William, Walter, Thomas, son of George, Latham, Gideon, Edward, Matthew; great-great-granddaughters, Susannah Cornell, Susannah Scott, Sarah Cornell daughter of Thomas, son of son William. Sons William and Gideon were executors.





BURIAL PLOT OF THE CORNELL HOMESTEAD.

(Portsmouth, R. I.)



## 19

GEORGE,<sup>4</sup> of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (11), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1676; d. 11.3, 1752, age about 76, at Newport; m. (1) Philadelphia Eastis (or Eustis), of Salem, Mass., 19.1, 1695-6; m. (2) Deliverance Clark, daughter of Gov. Walter<sup>2</sup> Clark and Hannah (Scott), (Jeremy<sup>1</sup> Clark), 18.11, 1669, at Friends' meeting, Newport; she was b. Jan. 14, 1678; d. Oct. 8, 1732, age about 54; m. (3) Abigail Sisson, daughter of John, both of Portsmouth, at the house of said George in Portsmouth, March. 8, 1733. Children:

By first wife:

39 Ruth, b. 12.12, 1697; m. Joseph Brownell, Jan. 5, 1717.

By second wife:

40 Walter, b. 24.10, 1700; d. July 4, 1777; m. Mary Nicholls, 19.2, 1726.

41 Philadelphia, b. 23.9, 1702; m. Thomas Cook, May 30, 1722.

42 George, b. May 25, 1705, at his father's house in Portsmouth; d. 1781; m. Rebeca Hicks, March 18, 1739.

43 Thomas, b. 6.7, 1707; m. Dinah ———.

44 Richard, b. June 14, 1709; m. Mary Martin, Dec. 10, 1730.

45 Job, b. 6.12, 1710.

46 Susannah, b. 21.3, 1712; m. William Brightman, Dec. 21, 1738.

47 Sarah, b. 20.11, 1712-3.

48 Clark, b. July 23, 1714; m. Priscilla Lawton, Oct. 2, 1735.

49 Joseph, b. 19.1, 1716; d. Sept. 12, 1732.

50 Benjamin, b. 28.4, 1720; d. Sept. 24, 1732.

By third wife:

51 Benjamin, b. Dec. 15, 1733; m. Elizabeth Bennett, Feb. 2, 1754.

52 Deliverance, b. Jan. 25, 1738; d. May 21, 1740.\*

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\* Buried in the Cornell burial ground, and hers is the oldest legible monument there.

- 53 Sarah, b. June 7, 1742; m. John Manchester, July 22, 1770.  
 54 Job, b. Feb. 28, 1747-8.

Among the witnesses at the marriage of George and Deliverance were: Thomas Cornwell, Susannah Cornwell, Martha Cornwell, and Elizabeth Cornwell.

1696, April 9, Thomas (11) and Susannah, convey to son George, two parcels of land. May 5, admitted freeman of the colony, by vote of the Assembly. 1707-1716, many times Assistant in the Colony of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations. 1709-1731, many times Deputy for Portsmouth to the Assembly of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations. 1715, July 5, George and Deliverance to Loan Commissioners, mortgage of £5,000, land bounded north and east by Wading River, east by Capt. George Lawton, south by highway, west by said George Cornell. 1719, bond of Tucker to him, £337.10. 1752, May 29, administration granted to Abigail and Walter Cornell. 1753, March 30, Abigail, wife of George, conveys to Walter of Portsmouth, and his brother George of Middletown, and Clark Cornell, all her dower in estate of her late husband George, for £4,000. 1754, March 26, Abigail Cornell to Walter Cornell of Portsmouth, about 60 acres of land in Portsmouth, for £6,000 colonial money, bounded westerly by land of Samuel Albro, north partly by a highway and partly by land of Francis Brayton, east by a small lot containing 1½ acres, half which was laid out to the farm called circuit, and south by land of Abraham Anthony, and also the said lot or piece of land situate and lying in Portsmouth aforesaid, containing by estimation, 1½ acres.

## 20

ELIZABETH,<sup>4</sup> of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (11), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1699; d. Feb. 19, 1750; m. at Jamestown, R. I., (supposed)  
 Samuel<sup>3</sup> Cranston,\* of Samuel<sup>2</sup> and Mary (Hart), John.<sup>1</sup>  
 Children (*Cranston*):

Charles, b. Jan. 17, 1708.

Thomas, b. Oct. 20, 1710.

Mary, b. Jan. 20, 1712.

Elizabeth, b. Jan. 17, 1714.

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\* See *Rhode Island Vital Statistic Records*.

## 21

WILLIAM,<sup>4</sup> of Stephen<sup>3</sup> (13), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1775; m. Mehitabel Fish, daughter of Thomas Fish; she  
was b. July 22, 1684. Children:

- 55 Benjamin, b. Nov. 13, 1711; d. 1764; m. Sarah——.
- 56 George, b. Dec. 25, 1713; may possibly have m.  
Mary Eddy and have been the father of Eben-  
ezer, who m. Peace Macomber.
- 57 Caleb, b. March 24, 1716; m. Dele Gifford; d. 1756.
- 58 Rebecca, b. March 9, 1718; m. Recompence<sup>4</sup> Kirby  
(son of Robert,<sup>3</sup> Richard, Jr.,<sup>2</sup> Richard<sup>1</sup>), 12.16,  
1730.
- 59 Joseph, b. Dec. 8, 1720; d. about 1801; m. (1)  
Deborah Allen, 4.29, 1743; (2) Mary ——.
- 60 Daniel, b. Sept. 17, 1727; d. 30.5, 1799; m. Eliza-  
beth Allen, 5.10, 1744.
- 61 Alse or Alice, b. March 14, 1726; d. 1811; m. Peleg  
Gifford, Feb. 19, 1740; he was b. Dec. 1, 1719,  
son of Jeremiah and Mary Gifford of Dartmouth,  
Mass.
- 62 Mary, b. June 8, 1728; m. Isaac Gifford (brother to  
Peleg Gifford); he d. 1812, and with his wife is  
buried in Friends' yard, Acookset.

1723, William and John Cornell, division. 1724, William  
and John Cornell, Gifford and J. Duval, division. 1726, Wil-  
liam and John Cornell, division. 1728, William and John  
Cornell to Tripp. 1732, William to Tripp—William to James.  
1742, William to Wilbour. 1747, William to son Benjamin; to  
son Joseph. 1755, William to son Caleb deed of the homestead  
farm of his father Stephen (Dartmouth). 1773, Thomas Fish,  
Dartmouth, will April 4, 1773, gives to daughter Mehitabel  
Cornell, wife of William, £20.

## 22

STEPHEN,<sup>4</sup> of Stephen<sup>3</sup> (13), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. about 1765; m. Ruth Pierce, of Swansea, daughter of  
John<sup>3</sup> and Patience, (Ephraim<sup>2</sup>, Michel<sup>1</sup>) Pierce, June 18, 1719.  
Children:

- 63 Israel, b. about 1720; d. about 1785; m. Susannah Baker, Nov. 27, 1742.
- 64 Elisha, b. 1722; d. about 1806, age 84; m. (1) Hannah Baker, Feb. 21, 1743-4; m. (2) Betty Lewis; m. (3) Abigail Lewis, Nov. 9, 1766; m. (4) Martha Baker, Oct. 29, 1775; m. (5) Patience Reynolds, Aug. 3, 1785.
- 65 Stephen, b. about 1730; d. about 1804 (will); m. Sarah Buffington, Nov. 14, 1751.
- 66 Gideon, b. Oct. 25, 1728; d. Dec. 25, 1817; m. Hepzibah Lewis, July 18, 1757.
- 67 Elijah, m. Sarah Miller, Dec. 4, 1769.
- 68 Ruth (twin of above).
- 69 Mary, m. June 19, 1746, James<sup>4</sup> Mason (Elisha,<sup>\*</sup> Pelatiah,<sup>2</sup> Sampson<sup>1</sup>); d. Nov. 1, 1772, age 48.

1750, John Pierce will Swansea, names daughter Ruth in will. 1753, Stephen of Swansea to Wassen. 1759, Stephen, Jr., of Swansea to Lee. 1783, Gideon and Elisha of Swansea to Lewis. 1794, Stephen to Gideon. 1767, Oct. 27, Stephen of Swansea, will dated; proved April 25, 1768; children as above; grand-children, Joseph Cornell and Penelope Cornell; executor, son Elijah; gives 6 square rods southeast corner of his homestead farm for burying place for his children and grand-children, and their heirs forever. 1739, Stephen of Swansea to Jane Chase widow. 1791, Ezra Cornell, yeoman, Benjamin Chase and wife Sarah of Swansea to Pierce, £14, deed one-third of six acres at Somerset, being land bequeathed by Elder John Pierce to his three daughters, Ruth, Jael and Mary.

### 23

- EDWARD,<sup>4</sup> supposed son of Stephen<sup>3</sup> (13), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> d. 1754; m. Susannah Wilcox; she m. 2d Thomas Cook,<sup>\*</sup> Aug. 5, 1729. Children:
- 70 Walter, b. Oct. 29, 1730; m. Ruth, daughter of Jedediah and Kesiah Wood, 3.6, 1755.
- 71 Daniel, deeds 1774-1792.
- 72 David, deeds 1780-96.

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<sup>\*</sup> Thomas Cook m. 10.5, 1756, of Tiverton, R. I., Susannah Wilcox. See *Friend's Records*.

He and his family were Quakers.\* 1736, Edward and wife Susannah, and Elizabeth Huddleston, widow of William, to his brother Stephen Wilcox. 1737, Gardian of John Wilcox, son of Stephen, 14 years of age.† 1742, Edward Cornwell to James Cornwell; 1742, to Kirby; 1751, to White. 1754, will dated and proved of Dartmouth yeoman, wife Susannah; sons Walter and Daniel take all my housing and lands. But if son David returns from sea, he is to share with them; to Daniel Wilcox, son of Stephen (and nephew of Edward), a silver spoon; to David Cornell, son of Peleg, a silver spoon.‡ 1754, Daniel to Case. 1761, Daniel conveys to Walter one-half the Homestead of his late father Edward. 1754, Daniel to Zebulon Cornell; Daniel of Westport to Haviland. 1761, Walter to Wait. 1799, Walter to Russell. 1780, Daniel to Chase. 1784, to Macumber.

## 24

JOHN,<sup>4</sup> supposed son of Stephen<sup>3</sup> (13), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> d. Sept., 1762; m. Sarah Shearman, April 17, 1724, in Little Compton. Children:

- 73 Job, b. Jan. 10, 1724-5; d. before 1762 (date of his father's will); m. Mary Davis, 4.5, 1751.
- 74 Isaac, b. June, 1728; m. Prisilla Mosher, daughter of Benjamin and Abigail, 5.6, 1752. 1776, deed to son David. Deed 1779-82.
- 75 Jesse, b. March 23, 1732; m. Zilpha Tripp, May 1, 1788.

1741, John to Hix, John is placed as son of Stephen because he fits that place and no other is found for him. 1762, will John of Dartmouth, dated 1755, son Job being dead I give to his two sons Job and John, eight parts of my Homestead, daughter-in-law Mary to have use of same; son Isaac.

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\* At a monthly meeting, 28 of 4 m., 1746, "Edward Cornell hath signified his desire to come under the care of Friends." See *Dartmouth Records*.

† See *Austin's Genealogical Dictionary*, p. 425.

‡ Daniel was a nephew; could David<sup>5</sup> Cornell (Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>) also be a nephew, if so, Edward should be the son of Peleg.

**25**

RICHARD,<sup>4</sup> supposed son of Stephen<sup>3</sup> (13), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Jan. 28, 1701-2; d. 1761; m. Content Brownell, May 11, 1732.  
 Children:

- 76 General Ezekiel, b. March 7, 1733; m. Rachel Wood, March 25, 1760.
- 77 Philip, b. Oct. 5, 1735; d. Oct. 27, 1765; m. Lillis Thomas.
- 78 Patience, b. Jan. 14, 1746; m. Thomas Tripp.\*
- 79 Richard, b. March 4, 1742; m. Alice Anthony, Sept. 15, 1763.
- 80 Gideon, b. Dec. 1, 1745; d. 1830 in Foster; m. (1) Prudence Winslow; m. (2) widow Thornton.

**28**

JOHN,<sup>4</sup> of John<sup>3</sup> (14), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. about 1690; m.(?) Elizabeth Witzie.

1698, in census of Queens Co. 1710, John Cornwell, Jr., and Jeremiah Smith of Hempstead, from William Stile, eight acres northwest of Hannah.† 1723, Edward (No. 31) and John Cornell protest against dividing the town. 1726, John and wife Elizabeth of Hempstead, their X mark deed to Sneden, £100, six acres at Tanner's Pond in ye North Woods. 1730, John and others protest against a gate on the road from Tanner's Pond to the Great Plains.

**31**

EDWARD,<sup>4</sup> of John<sup>3</sup> (14), Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. about 1695; d. 1782; m. ———. Children:

- 81 William, bap. 1730; d. 1789; m. (1) Hannah ———; m. (2) Ruth ———.
- 82 Benjamin, d. 1784; m. Mary Gibson, Dec. 24, 1780.

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\* See deeds Thomas and Patience Tripp, 1819.

† Perhaps this John, Jr., is John (No. 14) and called Jr., to distinguish him from John of Cow Neck (John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>); *e. g.*, we find a deed of John Cornell, Jr., son of William, 1734. 1759, John conveys to Charles Cornell (brother) of Hempstead, seventy acres joining the above, also six acres joining Benjamin Cornell.

- 83 John, b. about 1710; m. Hannah Thorne.  
 84 Daniel, d. 1761; m. Mary ——.  
 85 Hannah; m. Henry Abrams (supposed).  
 86 Elizabeth, m. John Lambertson, Oct. 4, 1756.  
     Elizabeth Lambertson, m. Cornelius Miller, June  
     27, 1761. Was she the same Elizabeth (see will).  
 87 Judah, m. 1774, William Miller; perhaps his second  
     wife was Mary,<sup>6</sup> of Richard,<sup>5</sup> Caleb,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup>  
     John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas.<sup>1</sup>

1698, in census of Queens Co., 1723, protests against dividing the town. 1761, June 5, bap. at St. George's Church, Hempstead, William Cornell (adult), Hannah Cornell (adult), Elizabeth, Katherine, Melanthon, children of William and Hannah Cornell; Stephen, Abigail, William, Nance, children of John and Hannah Cornell; Nelson Cornell, (child); John, Caleb, Mary, children of Daniel\* (deceased) and Mary Cornell; James, son of Elizabeth Lambertson. (*N. Y. Genealogical and Biographical Record*, XI., 48.)

1780-1782, Edward Cornell of Hempstead, will to son William the house and land east of the bank where he lived; to William and Benjamin all my lands west of the bank; to William, salt meadow at Hungary Harbor; to Benjamin and William lands on the plains and a patent right, Benjamin to pay John £100, William to pay £100 to my son Daniel's children viz.: John, Caleb, Nelson and Mary; to daughter Hannah Abrams, £25; to daughter Elizabeth Lambertson, £25, but if she dies before him, then to her son James, bap. 1761; to granddaughter Elizabeth, daughter of William, £10; to grandson Lamkiel, £10; to my four grandchildren, Edward, son of John, Margaret Watts, Edmund Abrams, Margaret Abrams, various legacies; executors, son Benjamin and William, both qualified.

### 35

WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>4</sup> (18), Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 26.5, 1705; m. (1) Hannah Thurston, July 18, 1723, daughter of Samuel<sup>2</sup> and Abigail (Clark), Edward,<sup>1</sup> of Newport, at the

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\* QUERY: Were William, John and Daniel brothers, and did these baptisms follow some calamity common to them all *e. g.*, the death of Daniel and John Lambertson.

Newport Meeting House; she was b. Dec. 17, 1701; d. 23.9, 1753, aged 51; m. (2) (supposed) Freeloze Dring of Middletown, March 27, 1754. Children:

- 88 Sarah, b. 26.2, 1724; d. 10.7, 1730.
- 89 Thomas, b. Jan. 13, 1725-26; m. Rachel Allen.
- 90 Abigail, b. 11.5, 1728; d. 4.7, 1730.
- 91 Hannah, b. 22.9, 1730; m. Thomas<sup>6</sup> Coggeshall, July 4, 1750, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup> and Mary Freeborn, (Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John.<sup>1</sup>) Children: John, Joshua and William. (See Appendix, Coggeshall Lineage.)
- 92 Abigail, b. 2.12, 1732.
- 93 Sarah, b. 10.7, 1736.
- 94 Elizabeth, b. 17.3, 1740; m. Dec. 27, 1759, Peleg Allen; d. Jan. 3, 1804.
- 95 Susannah, b. 29.5, 1742.
- 96 William, b. Oct. 23, 1744.

### 36

GEORGE,<sup>5</sup> of Thomas<sup>4</sup> (18), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Dec. 11, 1707; m. Elizabeth Thurston, daughter of Samuel<sup>2</sup> and Abigail (Clark), Edward,<sup>1</sup> January 16, 1728; she was b. Dec. 22, 1708 (sister of Hannah). Children:

- 97 Walter, b. 11.8, 1729; m. Sarah Anthony.
- 98 Thomas, b. 22.7, 1731; m. Jennie Foster.
- 99 Latham, b. Oct. 22, 1733; d. 5.3, 1734.
- 100 Latham, b. 2.2, 1735; lost a sea.
- 101 Gideon, b. Dec. 6, 1737; d. May 30, 1801; m. Susannah Brownell.
- 102 Edward, b. Oct. 7, 1740; m. at Bristol, R. I., Elizabeth Coggeshall of Middletown, Nov. 2, 1762.
- 103 Matthew, b. Nov. 11, 1745; d. March 4, 1807; m. Elizabeth Shieve about 1774.

George and Elizabeth were married at Newport Friend's Meeting House. 1729, he was freeman of Portsmouth.

### 37

GIDEON,<sup>5</sup> of Thomas<sup>4</sup> (18), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. July 5, 1710; d. 1766; m. Rebecca Vaughan, Feb. 22, 1732, at Newport. Children:



- 104 Gideon, b. Oct. 10, 1740; freeman, Newport, 1759; or may have d. aged 9 mos.\* (See letter of sister.)
- 105 Rebecca, b. Feb. 17, 1755; m. Col. Clement Biddle, 1774.

1731, freeman of Portsmouth; 1732, Deputy; 1740-46, Assistant. 1754, Gideon of Newport, sale on execution of land in Freetown. 1746, one of a committee to run boundary line between Massachusetts and Rhode Island. Died at Kingston, in the Island of Jamaica.

## 40

WALTER,<sup>5</sup> of George<sup>4</sup> (19), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 24.10, 1700; d. July 4, 1777; m. Mary Nicholls, 19.2, 1726,  
daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth of Newport. Children:

- 106 George, b. 21.5, 1729; m. Rebecca Preston, June 29, 1753.
- 107 Hannah, b. April 25, 1733; m. (supposed) Charles Dunbar, Sept. 2, 1766.
- 108 Mary, b. Dec. 25, 1734; m. Joshua Peckham, Sept. 2, 1766, or Joseph Reid, 1754.
- 109 Jonathan, b. 5.6, 1736; d. 1809; m. Phebe Brownell, Oct. 23, 1760.
- 110 Job, b. May 5, 1739; m. Hannah ———.
- 111 Walter, b. April 3, 1742; d. before 1805; m. Elizabeth Mott, 13.10, 1770.

Walter and Mary were married at Newport Friend's Meeting House. 1754, mortgage to Loan Co. £192, part of the farm called the Circuit (see George 19). 1758, Deputy for Portsmouth. 1777, Walter Cornell of Portsmouth, yeoman, deceased; inventory £236.17.

## 42

GEORGE,<sup>5†</sup> of George<sup>4</sup> (19), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. May 25, 1705; m. Rebecca Hicks, March 18, 1739; she was  
b. in Tiverton, July 25, 1705. Children:

- 112 Hannah, b. Dec. 23, 1739; m. Samuel Tew.

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\* QUERY: Who was Gideon m. Susannah Lenicon, 1763, and Gideon m. Rebecca Hunt, and Gideon m. Rebecca Childs.

† QUERY: Did he marry 1776, Sarah Flanagan.

- 113 Deliverance, b. July 3, 1742; m. Solomon Littlefield (supposed), Jan. 20, 1768.
- 114 Robert, b. April 5, 1745; d. Oct. 25, 1799; m. (1) Hannah Weaver; m. (2) Ruth Brown.
- 115 Ruth, b. June 20, 1747; m. John Bull; d. Sept. 15, 1799.
- 116 Benjamin, b. Sept. 5, 1751; d. 1837; m. Martha Elizabeth Wilbur.
- 117 Patience, b. Feb. 24, 1754; m. Robert Wilcox, May 24, 1787.
- 118 Samuel, b. Feb. 24, 1754; d. May 15, 1834; m. Ruth Stoddard.
- 119 Patience, b. Nov. 12, 1756.
- 120 Oliver, b. March 29, 1760; d. June 10, 1797, Newport; m. Hannah Brownell Cornell, Feb. 17, 1793.

1733, freeman of Portsmouth. 1740, Samuel and George Cornell to George, Jr., bond. 1781, Inventory, £223.16.

### 43

THOMAS,<sup>5</sup> of George<sup>4</sup> (19), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 6.7, 1707; m. Dinah ———; she was b. 1707; d. 1808.\*  
 Child:

- 121 Mary, b. 1730; m. Joseph Reade, Dec. 5, 1754; d. 1816.

Mrs. Dinah Cornell lived to the great age of one hundred and one years, dying in Troy (Fall River). Her daughter Mary was married to Joseph Reade in Newport, by the Rev. Nicolas Eyres; they lived in the house afterwards occupied by Enoch French; it was situated on the bank of Taunton River, and was finally torn down some twenty years since. I would be grateful to anyone who could send me additional facts regarding this Thomas Cornell or his wife. He was possibly born in the old Cornell homestead for George Cornell lived there some years. (See *American Ancestry* by Anna Richmond Warner French.)

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\* He is supposed to have m. for his first wife Alice, widow of Ephraim Thomas, Dec. 2, 1726.

## 44

RICHARD,<sup>5</sup> of George<sup>4</sup> (19), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. June 14, 1709; m. at Newport, Mary Martin of Portsmouth,  
 Dec. 10, 1730, daughter of Joseph and Mary. Children:

- 122 Philadelphia, b. Sept. 22, 1731; m. Robert Nichols,  
 Nov. 27, 1751, at East Greenwich.
- 123 Deliverence, b. June 18, 1733; m. Benjamin Hale,  
 Aug. 10, 1749.
- 124 Elizabeth, b. Nov. 30, 1734; m. Thomas Longford,  
 Nov. 29, 1753.
- 125 Joseph, b. April 16, 1737; d. before 1812; m. (1)  
 Sarah Potter, Dec. 27, 1765; m. (2) Ruth Baker.
- 126 Mary, b. May 7, 1739; m. Daniel Vaughan, July  
 27, 1766.
- 127 Sarah, b. July 12, 1740; m. Aaron Vaughan, Dec.  
 9, 1764.
- 128 Abigal, b. July 6, 1744.
- 129 Ruth, b. Sept. 9, 1748.

1745, Richard Cornell, freeman of Portsmouth. Richard moved to East Greenwich and bought land two and one-half miles west of the village, in 1749, also two other pieces of land before close of eighteenth century.

## 48

CLARK,<sup>5</sup> of George<sup>4</sup> (19), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. July 23, 1714; m. Priscilla Lawton, daughter of Robert of  
 Newport, Oct. 2, 1735. Children:

- 130 Naomi, b. June 30, 1731; m. at Portsmouth, Elisha  
 Coggeshall, June 30, 1755.
- 131 George T., b. Sept. 26, 1734; d. Nov. 29 or Dec. 3,  
 1799, at Newport; m. (supposed) Elizabeth  
 Cranston, Aug. 10, 1756.
- 132 Elizabeth, b. May 11, 1739; m. George Brownell,  
 Dec. 8, 1768.
- 133 Prissilly, b. Feb. 6, 1748.
- 134 Clark, b. Feb. 2, 1751; m. Patience Pennington,  
 July 10, 1787.

1745, Clark Cornell, freeman of Portsmouth.

**51**

BENJAMIN,<sup>6</sup> of George<sup>4</sup> (19), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 15, 1733; m. Elizabeth Bennett, Feb. 2, 1754. Children:

135 Ann, b. Sept. 18, 1754.

136 Abigal, b. March 16, 1756; m. (supposed) Gideon Anthony, Dec. 9, 1779.

137 Ruth, b. Dec. 3, 1757; d. April 5, 1836; m. John Miller, eldest son of John and Elizabeth (Bull) Miller; she was a woman of great beauty and accomplishment; was left a widow, 1799, and in 1810, left Rhode Island, for Troy, and Johnsonville, Renssalaer Co., N. Y., where she died; they had six children.

138 Prudence, b. Jan. 2, 1760.

1751, Benjamin Cornell, freeman of Portsmouth, ensign in Capt. Wing Spooner's Company, Nov. 21, 1776; captain, 1776.

**55**

BENJAMIN,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>4</sup> (21), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Nov. 13, 1711; d. 1764; m. Sarah ———. Children:

139 Timothy.

140 James.

1747, had deed from his father. 1763, Benjamin of Dartmouth will, proved 1764, wife Sarah, children, Timothy and James; devises his homestead farm to two sons.

**57**

CALEB,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>4</sup> (21), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. March 24, 1716; d. 1756; m. Dele Gifford; d. Oct. 12, 1744, daughter of Jonathan. Children:

141 Gideon, b. Feb. 5, 1746; d. June 21, 1825, in Foster; m. Elizabeth Tucker.

142 Goved, b. May 27, 1748; m. Elizabeth Almy, March 30, 1777; she d. Jan. 27, 1844; settled at Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y., about 1810; had

no children; left will, property to a nephew Goved who had son Jerathmel, at Lansingburg, Supervisor and Sheriff.

- 143 Joseph.
- 144 William.
- 145 Jerathmel (see No. 310.)
- 146 Else, m. Adam Case (see No. 311).

1756, Caleb of Dartmouth, will dated and proved; to wife Dele, all my real estate. Executors, brothers Joseph and Daniel. William, Joseph, Gideon and Goved Cornell to Slocum. 1755, William to Caleb the farm homestead of his father Stephen, deceased. 1779, Caleb to Gideon and Goved. 1790, Goved to Jerathmel. 1789, Gideon to Goved of Westport. 1790, Gideon and Goved, division of land given them by will of their father Caleb. 1790, Goved to Jerathmel, etc. 1798, Goved of Westport, to Joseph Cornell, land formerly of their father Caleb. 1828-30, William of Hoosac, deed land in Westport.

## 59

JOSEPH,<sup>5</sup> of William<sup>4</sup> (21), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 8, 1720; d. about 1801; m. (1) Deborah Allen, daughter of John,<sup>4</sup> Joseph,<sup>3</sup> Ralph,<sup>2</sup> George<sup>1</sup> Allen, 4.29, 1743; m. (2) Mary ———. Children:

- 147 John, b. June 18, 1746.
- 148 Elizabeth. m. ——— Wood.

1767, deed of Joseph to Wood. 1778, Joseph to Allen, land given him by his father. 1801, Joseph of Dartmouth, will proved, date 1793; advanced in years, son John, daughter Elizabeth Wood. Executor, my cousin Perry Macomber.

## 60

DANIEL,<sup>5</sup> of William<sup>4</sup> (21), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Sept. 17, 1723; d. 30.5, 1799; m. (1) Elizabeth Allen (daughter of James and Mary Allen), 5.10, 1744; she was b. 25.4, 1722; d. April 10, 1767; m. (2) Mary ——— about 1769. Children:

By first wife:

- 149 Rebecoa, b. Dec. 10-27, 1744; m. Daniel Smith  
April 20, 1764.  
150 Zebulon, b. Nov. 25, 1751; d. 3.31, 1834; m. Ruth  
Allen, Oct. 10, 1771.  
151 James, b. March 13, 1753; d. April 8, 1828; m. (1)  
Thankful Briggs, Oct. 19, 1775; m. (2) Mehitable  
Austin.  
152 Mary Jane, b. Jan. 16, 1755; m. Giles Wing.  
153 Content, b. Oct. 3, 1757; m. James Starbuck.  
154 Paul, b. 9.17, 1759; m. (1) Elizabeth Soule; m. (2)  
Abigail Rowley, Nov. 30, 1805.  
155 Thomas, b. March 13, 1761; d. 1828; m. Mary  
Briggs.  
156 Abigail, b. March 15, 1763; m. Levi Tripp.  
157 Joseph, b. 28.11, 1764; d. 21.1, 1765.

By second wife:

- 158 Benjamin, b. June 27, 1770; m. Phebe Kenyon.  
159 Elizabeth, b. June 6, 1772; m. Stephen Baker.  
160 John, b. June 19, 1773.  
161 Daniel, b. April 3, 1775.

He was a Quaker preacher. 1774, deed of Daniel to Zebulon and Zebulon to White. 1804, James, Thomas and wife Mary, all of Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y., to Anthony. Paul and Zebulon settled at White Creek, and James and Thomas at Easton, all in Washington Co., N. Y; all farmers and all Hixite Quakers.

### 63

ISRAEL,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>4</sup> (22), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. about 1720; d. about 1785; m. Susannah Baker, Nov. 27,  
1742. Children:

- 162 Amos, d. 1805; m. Chloe Chace.  
163 William, d. 1813; m. Else Alice Grinnell, Aug. 15,  
1770.  
164 Elizabeth, m. Simon Chace, 10 children; Elizabeth  
of Rehaboth, m. Moses Chace.  
165 Rebecca, m. John Mosher.  
166 Susannah, m. Daniel Chace, April 27, 1770.

1772, gives deed to Cummings. 1785, Israel of Dartmouth, will, children William, Amos, Elizabeth Chace, Susannah Chace. Moved from Rhode Island to Cheshire, Berkshire Co., Mass., thence to Rupert, Vt., 1806.

## 64

ELISHA,<sup>5</sup> of Stephen<sup>4</sup> (22), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1720; d. about 1806; m. (1) Hannah Baker, Feb. 21, 1743-4;\* m. (2) Betty Lewis, April 13, 1752; she d. Dec. 28, 1765; m. (3) Abigail Lewis, Nov. 9, 1766; she d. Dec. 21, 1769, age 35 lacking one day; m. (4) Martha Baker, Oct. 29, 1775; m. (5) Patience Reynolds (widow of Bennett?), Aug. 3, 1785. Children:

By first wife:

- 167 Penelope, b. April 12, 1745; m. David Hill, 1770; d. 1772.  
 168 Rev. Joseph, b. Feb. 2 or 10, 1746-7, at Swansea; d. July 26, 1826, at Galway, N. Y.; m. Mary Mason, Oct. 8, 1769.

By second wife:

- 169 Mary, b. 1752; m. ——— Wheaton.  
 170 Elisha, b. April 2, 1754.  
 171 Elisha, b. Feb. 5, 1755; m. (1) Hopestill Pierce; m. (2) Rachel Sutton.  
 172 Phebe, b. August 5, 1757.  
 173 Elizabeth, b. July 3, 1759; m. Moses Chace, Nov. 4, 1787.  
 174 Asa, b. Feb. 13, 1764; d. 1817, in Swansea; m. Martha Mason, Nov. 30, 1786.  
 175 Reuben, b. Dec. 15, 1765.

By third wife:

- 176 Abigail, b. Oct. 5, 1769.

By fourth wife:

- 177 Hannah.

1783, deed to Street. 1783 and 1794, Elisha and Gideon to Lewis. 1806, will Elisha of Swansea, wife Patience, children

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\* Rehoboth records give marriage intentions of Elisha Cornell and H. Baker, Dec. 17, 1743, which seems to give assurance they were not married at that time.

Joseph, Elisha, Reuben, Asa, Mary Wheaton, Elizabeth Chace, Hannah. He was a farmer and tanner in Swansea; was son of Stephen who gave his farm of 100 acres to son Elisha.

**65**

STEPHEN,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>4</sup> (22), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. about 1730; d. about 1804; m. Sarah Buffington, (William,<sup>3</sup>  
Benjamin,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), Nov. 14, 1751; she was b. March 1,  
1735. Children:

- 178 Stephen, b. 1770; d. 1809; m. Hannah Simmons.
- 179 James, b. 1782; d. 1847; m. (1) Rebecca Richmond;  
m. (2) Submit Pierce or Bosworth.
- 180 William, M. D., b. about 1750; d. about 1815; m.  
(1) Abigail Briggs; m. (2) Mrs. Blackburn.
- 181 Sarah, m. William Paul, Jr., Feb. 7, 1777, Dighton.
- 182 Susannah, m. Aaron Chase, May 20, 1784.
- 183 Olive, m. Aaron Pool, July 31, 1785; residence at  
Dartmouth.
- 184 Phebe, b. Aug. 25, 1762; d. Jan. 21, 1822; m. Amos  
Kilton, Jan. 14, 1783.
- 185 Melissa, m. Micah Chace, Dec. 29, 1803.
- 186 Martha or Patty, b. Feb. 24, 1772; m. as sixth wife  
Peleg Pierce, Sept. 26, 1810; d. Feb. 24, 1823;  
residence, Rehoboth, Mass.; m. (2) Uriah ——.
- 187 Uriah.
- 188 A son, d. an infant.
- 189 Hannah.

1804, April 7, will dated, proved Nov. 1, 1814, Stephen, Swansea, yeoman, mentions daughters Sarah, Susannah, Pebe, Melisce and Martha, sons Stephen and William; wife Sarah, executrix. (*Bristol Co. Records*, 49-523.)

**66**

GIDEON,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>4</sup> (22), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Oct. 25, 1728; d. Dec. 25, 1817; m. Hepzibah Lewis, July 18,  
1757; she was b. June 14, 1733; d. July 16, 1814, age 80.  
Children:



- 190 Parthenia, b. Jan. 6, 1758; m. John Munro of Rehoboth, Nov. 14, or Aug. 5, 1752; d. Nov. 6 or 8, 1834; he d. Feb. 18, 1829; had five sons and four daughters of whom Cornell Munro m. Eunice Cornell (423); Munro was member of the Legislature, Quaker, etc.
- 191 Gideon, b. Sept. 11, 1760; d. Aug. 22, 1808; m. Naomi Jones, July 10, 1784.
- 192 William, b. June 16, 1762; d. Oct. 16, 1810; m. Huldah Kinney, Dec. 5, 1793.
- 193 Nancy, b. Jan. 27, 1768; d. April 21, 1799; unmarried, in Plainfield.
- 194 Hepzibah, b. April 10, 1774; d. April 30, 1847; unmarried.

1779, bought a farm in Plainfield and moved there; was a cooper and farmer. 1759 and 1779, deed to Tripp. 1763, Gideon of Warren. 1794, of Plainfield; Hepzibah, wife of Gideon. 1774, division.

## 67

ELIJAH,<sup>5</sup> of Stephen<sup>4</sup> (22), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
m. Sarah Miller, Dec. 4, 1769, daughter of Benjamin and Mehitabel; she was b. Jan. 19, 1746, in Warren, Rhode Island; she m. (2) Benjamin Chase, Aug. 11, 1777. Children:

- 195 . Ezra, m. Elizabeth Hassal, daughter of John.
- 196 Elijah, b. Oct. 17, 1771; d. March 27, 1862; m. Eunice Barnard, 1805.

1792, Elijah of Swansea to Stead, land in Somerset. 1805, deed to Chase; Elijah of Swansea, potter. He was also a farmer and owned 100 acres in De Ruyter, which he sold and moved to Ithaca and carried on the pottery business there.

## 73

JOB,<sup>4</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (24), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Jan. 10, 1724-5; d. before his father, 1762; m. Mary Davis, 45, 1751, daughter of John and Abigail of Dartmouth (see *Friend's Records*). Children:

- 197 Job, had son Henry living at Clyde, Wayne Co., N. Y..
- 198 John (supposed), m. Meribah Mosher, Sept. 20, 1781; intention pub. 8.18, 1781.
- 199 Lydia, went to Galway, N. Y.

He was a Quaker. 1783, Job and John, division. 1788, John to Job, Westport deed. 1791, Job to John Howland, Westport (some of this is doubtful; see will of John).

## 75

JESSE,<sup>5</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (24), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. March 23, 1732; m. Zilpha Tripp, May 1, 1788, at Dartmouth. Children:

- 200 Isaac, b. July 27, 1788; m. Abigal King.  
1782, Deed to Isaac.

## 76

GENERAL EZEKIEL,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (25), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 27, 1733; m. Rachel Wood of Little Compton, March 25, 1760. Children:

- 201 Ezra, b. May 22, 1762, in Dartmouth.
- 202 Rhoda, b. May 13, 1782, in Scituate; m. May 13, 1782, Caleb Aldrich.

1763, Ezekiel and Content (widow of Richard), deed; Ezekiel, Rachel and Content, to Jane Gifford. Nov. 24, signed by Ezekiel and wife, Rachel. Ezekiel Cornell of Dartmouth, gent., for and in consideration of \$950, etc., paid by Peleg Cornell, husbandman, and son, to Jonathan Cornell conveys "land and housing bought of Christopher Cadman, except that land already sold to my honored mother, Content Cornell."

He was born in Scituate, was a mechanic who educated himself, and established a library in his native town. In 1775 he was appointed lieutenant-colonel of Hitchcocks regiment; was present at the siege of Boston, and was made deputy-adjutant-general, Oct. 1, 1776, and subsequently brigadier-general and commander of the brigade of State troops which

were in service three years and three months, and were disbanded March 16, 1780. This force was of great service in protecting the State during the British occupation. He took part in the Battle of Rhode Island which was fought near the old Cornell homestead. He was a delegate from Rhode Island to the Continental Congress in 1770-3, and chairman of military committee. At the close of his term he returned to his farm in Scituate. (*Appleton's Encyclopædia of Biography.*)

His regiment was ordered to Roxbury when he was lieutenant-colonel and took part in the battle of Bunker Hill. A Lieut. Cornell, nicknamed "Old Snarl," a faithful vigilant officer was in the regiment. (*Life of Captain Olney of Rhode Island*). It is a singular fact that when Colonel, he invaded Long Island and took possession of St. George's Church, Hempstead, which his cousin William<sup>3</sup> Cornell (Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>) and others of the family were instrumental in establishing and sustaining; of this Judge Thomas Jones, who was a member of of the parish, says in his *History of New York during the Revolutionary War*: "Col. Cornell of the Rhode Island line of the Continental Army with one thousand men established his headquarters at Hempstead, seeking out Tories. He converted the Episcopal Church into a store house, forbid the parson to pray for the King or any of the Royal Family and made use of the communion table as a convenience for his Yankees to eat upon." How long Col. Cornell remained here is not known but probably not long for in Aug. 1776, the British troops landed upon Long Island and the Seventeenth Light Dragoons took up their quarters here. (*History of St. George's Church, Hempstead.*)

## 77

PHILIP,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (25), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 5, 1735; d. Oct. 27, 1765; m. Lillis Thomas, daughter of Simeon and Hannah Thomas. Children:

- 203 Nathaniel, b. Jan. 1, 1759, Scituate.
- 204 Oliver, b. April 16, 1760.
- 205 Patience, b. Nov. 18, 1761; deeds at Westport.
- 206 Seabury, b. March 31, 1770; m. Abigail Mason; was a blacksmith at Swansea. Children: Olive and Isaac.

- 207 Philip, b. Oct. 1, 1764. Philip, brother of Seabury the blacksmith, moved to North Britain, N. Y.; was a witness on the marriage contract of Elijah and Eunice, (195).

1797, Nathaniel of Scituate, Oliver of Gloucester, Philip and Patience of Westport to Seabury of Somerset.

## 79

- RICHARD,<sup>6</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (25), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. March 4, 1742; m. Alice Anthony, Sept. 15, 1763. Children:
- 208 Content, b. Sept. 23, 1764.  
 209 Richard, b. Oct. 10, 1766.  
 210 Mary, b. March 20, 1769.  
 211 James, b. June 4, 1770.

## 80

- GIDEON,<sup>6</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (25), Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 1, 1745; d. Nov., 1830, in Foster; m. (1) Prudence Winslow; m. (2) widow Thornton. Children:

By first wife:

- 212 Esther, b. Aug. 17, 1770.  
 213 Gideon, b. Sept. 27, 1771; d. Sept. 16, 1845, unmarried.  
 214 Thomas, b. May 13, 1773; d. in West Indies.  
 215 John, b. Sept. 5, 1774.  
 216 Alfred, b. July 28, 1776; d. Sept. 3, 1860; m. Nancy Caldwell, Jan. 13, 1802.  
 217 Windsor, b. May 2, 1778.

By second wife:

- 218 Daniel A., m. Mary Cauldwell.  
 219 Stephen, m. Mary Hopkins.  
 220 George.  
 221 Daniel Niles, m. Maria Cornell (338).

1776, Oct. 1, Gideon Cornell, First Lieutenant of Scituate Hunters (Joseph Kimball, Captain). 1777, Gideon Cornell, Captain of Scituate Hunters.

## 81

WILLIAM,<sup>5</sup> of Edward<sup>4</sup> (31), John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 bap. 1730; d. 1789; m. (1) Hannah; m. (2) Ruth. Children:

- 222 William, m. Mary ———.  
 223 Moses, b. Feb. 1784; d. Dec. 1831, age 47; m.  
 Phebe Culver.  
 224 Melanthon, bap. June 5, 1761.  
 225 Elizabeth, bap. June 5, 1761; mentioned in grand-  
 father's will.  
 226 Phebe, m. R. Brower, July 18, 1790.  
 227 Catherine, bap. June 5, 1761.

1761, June 5, William and Hannah baptized, also their children Elizabeth, Catherine, Melanthon (see 31). 1781, Devisee and executor of his father. (Query, see William,<sup>5</sup> Charles,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas.<sup>1</sup>) 1786, William Cornwell, son of late Edward of South Hempstead, will wife Ruth, children Phebe, Catherine, William, Moses, Melanthon; executor Benjamin Hicks; William Cornwell and wife Mary their X mark to Moses Cornwell, deed. 1805, fifty acres south of road from Hempstead to Bellport. 1819, same to William in South Hempstead.

## 82

BENJAMIN,<sup>5</sup> of Edward<sup>4</sup> (31), John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 d. 1784; m. (1) Mary Gibson, Dec. 24, 1780 (both of Jamaica);  
 m. (2) Deborah Dean and settled at Success. Children:

- 228 Mary, m. Obediah Cornell.  
 229 Sarah, m. Uriah Mitchell.  
 230 Hannah, unmarried.

1783, Sept. 21, Benjamin of Hempstead, will proved March 2, 1784, names wife Mary who is pregnant; children Mary and Sarah both minors; executors Martin Van Nostrand, Joseph Skidmore; witness John Cornell of Hempstead; Caleb Cornell, (grandson of Edward). 1784, Oct. 14, Mary Cornwell (widow of Benjamin), to Martin Van Nostrand, mortgage \$200, 50 acres on road from Rockaway to Jamaica; witness John Cornell (83). 1770-80, son devisee and Executor of Edward

(31), takes land on west side of the Brooklands on the Plains. He is to pay his brother John £100.\*

### 83

JOHN,<sup>5</sup> of Edward<sup>4</sup> (31), (supposed) John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. about 1710; m. Hannah Thorne of Flushing, at St.  
George's Church. Children:

- 231 Edward (mentioned in his grandfather's will), m.  
Jane Ammerman.
- 232 Elizabeth, bap. Feb. 27, 1753.
- 233 Stephen, bap. June 1, 1761.
- 234 Abigal.
- 235 William.
- 236 Nance.

The records of St. George's Church, Hempstead, give the following baptisms all the same day: June 5, 1761, William Cornell (81), adult; Hannah Cornell (81), adult; Elizabeth, Katharine, Melanthon, all of William and Hannah Cornell. Stephen, Abigal, William, Nance, all of John (83) and Hannah Cornell; Nelson Cornell, child of Daniel; John, Caleb, Mary, children of Daniel (84), deceased, and Mary Cornell, also June 11, 1761, Margaret Cornell, adult. Feb. 1, 1762, Hannah Cornell, adult. I suspect that these parents, William, John and Daniel, were brothers and children of Edward and that these baptisms on the same day point to some common calamity (perhaps the death of Daniel), and I can find no other persons to fit the case.

### 84

DANIEL,<sup>5</sup> of Edward<sup>4</sup> (31), John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1761; m. Mary ———. Children:  
237 Nelson, m. Mary ———.  
238 John.

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\* One of my correspondents gives Benjamin, Deborah Dean as a wife, that they settled at Success and had the following children: Samuel, m. Margaret Smith; Benjamin, m. Margaret Abram; Ann, m. Samuel Thorne; Elizabeth, m. Stephen Cornell; George, m. Amy Hicks; John and Joseph. Should be glad if any of the family could throw any light on this subject.

239 Caleb. (Did he marry widow Phebe Hughes, Hempstead, 21.5, 1743.)

240 Mary.

1770, Edward Cornell (31) will names my son Daniel's children *vis.*: John, Caleb, Nelson, Mary. 1761, baptized at St. George's Church, Hempstead (see 83) Nelson Cornell, child, also John, Caleb and Mary, children of Daniel and Mary Cornell. 1824, Nelson Cornwell and wife Mary to Sherwood 52 acres in Hempstead on road from Waters' grist mill to Lambertson's grist mill.

### 85

HANNAH,<sup>5</sup> of Edward<sup>4</sup> (31), John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
m. Henry Abrams (supposed). Children (*Abrams*):

Margaret, m. Benjamin Cornell.

Elizabeth, m. Elijah Cornell.

Henry Abrams' will 1791, mentions wife Hannah and child Elizabeth, wife of Elijah Cornell and Margaret, wife of Benjamin Cornell.

### 89

THOMAS,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (35), Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 13, 1725-6; m. Rachel Allen, Oct, 16, 1746, at Middleton. Children:

241 Sarah, b. July 10, 1747.

242 Elizabeth, b. Nov. 21, 1749; m.(?) June 15, 1766,  
Alex Briggs, or James Anthony, 1768.

### 97

WALTER,<sup>6</sup> of George<sup>5</sup> (36), Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 11.8, 1729; d. at Portsmouth, 21.3, 1813; m. Sarah Anthony, daughter of Abraham, April 4, 1753. Children:

243 Thurston, m. (1) Ann Anthony; m. (2) Mary Perry, Feb. 1782.

244 Elizabeth, m. Robert N. Hix at Tiverton, Aug. 3, 1797. Had one child who died in infancy.

**101**

GIDEON,<sup>6</sup> of George<sup>5</sup> (36), Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 6, 1737; d. May 30, 1801; m. Susannah Brownell; she  
 d. April 4, 1825, age 82. Children:

- 245 Edward, b. 1765; d. 1857, at Butternuts, Otsego  
 Co., N. Y.; m. Elizabeth Hoxie.
- 246 William, b. Oct. 29, 1766; d. 1864-5; m. (1) Con-  
 tent Davis; m. (2) Rhoda Tenny, 1839.
- 247 Millicent, b. Oct. 19, 1768; d. April 19, 1791; m.  
 Philip Allen.
- 248 Susannah, b. Dec., 1770; m. Jonathan Mooney or  
 Mowry; d. Sept. 4, 1824, at Union Village,  
 Washington Co., N. Y.
- 249 Sarah, b. Sept. 23, 1774; d. May 28, 1802; m. Abra-  
 ham Briggs.
- 250 Gideon, b. Oct. 17, 1776; d. Aug. 13, 1834; m.  
 (1) Hannah Russell; (2) Harriet Sarchet, 1834.
- 251 Wanton, b. Sept. 23, 1778; d. March 26, 1871, at  
 Milton, Saratoga Co., N. Y.
- 252 Latham, b. 1781; d. April 17, 1876.
- 253 Mary, b. March 2, 1783; d. March 12, 1861; m. (1)  
 Gideon Gifford, Jr., April 4, 1807; (2) Erastus  
 Bigelow, D.D., who d. Jan. 15, 1855, age 90.
- 254 Walter, b. May 17, 1785; d. April 14, 1877, at  
 Troy, N. Y.

1783, Gideon removed with his brother Matthew to Wash-  
 ington Co., N. Y. (Easton). Susannah (248) says his wife was  
 Susannah Mooney. He emigrated from Rhode Island to  
 Easton about 1780.

**103**

MATTHEW,<sup>6</sup> of George<sup>5</sup> (36), Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 11, 1745; d. March 4, 1807; m. in Newport, Elizabeth  
 Shrieve, daughter of Daniel and Abigail Shrieve, about 1774;  
 she was b. at Seconnett (now Little Compton), Nov. 23,  
 1750; d. April 29, 1829. Children:

- 255 John, b. June 24, 1780; d. May 5, 1839; m. Eunice  
 Cheesboro, and lived at Glenn's Falls, N. Y.



- 256 Walter, b. Aug. 24, 1782; d. March 4, 1833, at Albany, N. Y., while a member of the State Legislature; m. Eunice Hart.
- 257 Matthew, Jr., b. March 27, 1787; d. Jan. 29, 1854.
- 258 Amy, b. Dec. 11, 1774; m. Anthony Lee; d. Sept. 14, 1814.
- 259 Hannah, b. Sept. 10, 1784; d. Aug. 15, 1821; m. Gideon Durfee.
- 260 Elizabeth, b. Feb. 19, 1788; m. Wilbur Dennis, merchant, Scipio, N. Y., July 6, 1806.
- 261 Millicent, b. June 18, 1792; m. Gideon Gifford; d. July 20, 1866.
- 262 George, b. Sept. 3, 1790; d. young.

He made his home in Ponegansett, Bristol Co., Mass., and engaged in whale fishery previous to the Revolution, and in July, 1776, he sold his ship and cargo in the Dutch West Indies to avoid capture by the British ship-of-war *Pomona*, cruising in those waters. He was subsequently captured by a British cruiser, and confined in one of the British ships in the harbor of New York. After suffering in those British hulks, he was released in 1778 or 1779, and returned to Ponegansett. Thence he emigrated to Easton, Washington Co., N. Y., with his wife and one or two children about 1780. He resided there about nine years, then removed to Cambridge, same county, and settled on a farm near Buskirk's Bridge. Here he acquired considerable property, reared a family of seven children, and died in his sixty-third year.

He is described as robust and strong in form, with a dignified presence, and the manners of a gentleman of the old school. He was kind in his family relations, esteemed as a neighbor and friend, diligent and prosperous in business affairs, but owing to some losses arising from certain purchases of land, he became disheartened and subject to settled melancholy, which finally resulted in suicide. He and his wife joined the Quakers and were for many years members of that society.

Matthew Cornell and his wife, Elizabeth, were buried in the Quaker burying ground, Easton, Washington Co., N. Y.

## 105

REBECCA,<sup>6</sup> of Gideon<sup>5</sup> (37), Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
 . . . Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 17, 1755; m. Col. Clement<sup>4</sup> Biddle (John,<sup>3</sup> William,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>), 1774, a prominent Philadelphia family. Children (*Biddle*):

Thomas, m. Christiana Williams.

James, m. Elizabeth Kepling.

John, m. Mary Widdle.

Jacob, d. unmarried.

Clement, m. Mary Barkley.

Mary, m. Gen. George Cadwallader.

Rebecca, m. Dr. Matthew Chapon.

Nancy, m. Thomas Dunlop.

Sally, d. unmarried.

She, or her mother Rebecca, married for her second husband, Joseph Rotch of Dartmouth, Mass., 12.29, 1768. This Joseph was largely interested in whale oil, probably then the principal business in Dartmouth. He bought land of Joseph Russell, whose daughter Mary Russell married Peleg Cornell, 1.13, 1739.

Her first husband, Clement Biddle, was a colonel in the Revolutionary army. After sixty years absence from her Newport home, she returned for a visit there, and in a letter to a friend gives a description of her old home. As this letter, dated 1824, and furnished the writer by one of her descendants, throws some light on the history of the family and their prosperity in those times, I have thought best to insert it here, though there are perhaps some errors in it:

“After an absence of sixty years I found the Mansion house (near Newport, R. I.), in precisely the same state that I left it. It is situated on the east side of the Island, six miles from the town of Newport. The farm connected with it contained 120 acres, besides two other farms, containing 180 acres each, which were owned by my father’s brothers, William Cornell and George Cornell. We also visited another farm belonging to my father on the west side of the Island, containing the same number of acres. I went to see my father’s town residence in Newport, a very good house in Thames street, opposite the Liberty Tree, and another dwelling house which he leased and resided in many years, opposite the Parade Grounds near the State house. At the early age of fifteen years my father, Gideon Cornell, at the time of his father’s death (Thomas Cornell who died at the age of 55), came into the possession of a considerable landed estate, the farms and house above mentioned, and 15,000 Spanish milled dollars in cash, besides a very considerable estate in the Island of Jamaica. Thomas Cornell died in the year 1726, and his son, my father, in the year 1766, at the same age, *viz.*: 55, at Kingston, in the Island of Jamaica, where he had

gone to receive a large sum of money awarded to him by the British government. I was his only child, and at the time of his death he was the King's Lieut.-Governor, and Chief Justice of the colony of Rhode Island (his commissions as such are in the possession of Chapman Biddle, his great-grandson).

I, Rebecca Biddle, was born in the year 1755, at my father's farm on the east side of the Island of Rhode Island, in Middletown township, six miles from the town of Newport. My father, Gideon Cornell, in the year 1732, at the age of 21, married Rebecca Vaughan. I had a brother who died an infant at the age of nine months. My mother's father, Captain Daniel Vaughan, was master of a vessel then under his command on Ocracoke Bar on the coast of North Carolina. I will relate to you the following circumstances connected with his loss. In the year 1717, an old woman in Newport reported to be a witch and known by the name of Mother Carey, came to the house of my aunt Cadman (where my grandfather Capt. Vaughan then resided), where was a quantity of fresh butter put up for the intended voyage. Mother Carey told the captain that she must have one of these kegs of butter, which, however he would not give her, when she observed to him that he would repent of it, which the captain did not regard, although his friends (such was the superstition of the day) urged him to give the old woman the butter. Shortly after this time the vessel he commanded sailed from Newport bound to North Carolina, and on Christmas Day, 1717, arrived and came to anchor off Ocracoke Bar on the coast of North Carolina. Several of Captain Vaughan's friends saw the brig come to anchor, went down to the shore to meet him and distinctly observed a boat putting off for the shore from the brig. It being a very bitter cold day, they remarked that they would go to the only house on the beach and warm themselves before the captain and his people came on shore. After remaining in the house some time, they became anxious about the boat, and accordingly went out to look for her; they could perceive no sign of the boat or of the appearance of any persons being on the brig. They then all went out to the brig, and upon getting on board found the kettle boiling in the caboose, the sails furled and every thing in order, but no living thing on board except a little dog."

From this letter it appears that Mrs. Rebecca Biddle was her father Gideon's only heir, and as he seems to have gotten the lion's share of his father's property, that the inheritance of the family went to the Biddles of Philadelphia.

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GEORGE,<sup>6</sup> of Walter<sup>5</sup> (40), George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 21.5, 1729; m. Rebecca Preston, June 29, 1753, at Portsmouth. Children:

263 Millicent, b. June 18, 1792; d. Jan. 20, 1826; m.  
Gideon Gifford, May 26, 1810.

- 264 Ruth Nicholls, b. Oct. 1, 1753.  
 265 Mary, b. Dec. 31, 1757; m. Josiah Schofield, Greenfield, Saratoga Co., N. Y.  
 266 Joseph, b. Oct. 2, 1759; d. at Portsmouth.  
 267 Phebe, b. Aug. 20, 1762; m. Benjamin Wood, Greenfield.  
 268 Nicholas, b. April 14, 1765, in Portsmouth; d. Sept. 4, 1829; m. Hannah Sisson.  
 269 Gideon, b. Oct. 16, 1767; m. Ann Cornell (278).

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JONATHAN<sup>6</sup> of Walter,<sup>5</sup> (40), George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 5.6, 1736; d. 1809; m. Phebe Brownell, Oct. 23, 1760, both of Portsmouth; she d. May 13, 1880, in the 95 year of her age; buried in the Cornell Homestead burial ground. Children:

- 270 Mary, b. June 31, 1761; d. young.  
 271 Walter, b. April 7, 1764; m. Ruth A. Earle, Dec. 8, 1791.  
 272 Hannah Brownell, b. March 10, 1767; m. (1) Oliver Cornell (120); m. (2) Thomas Townsend, of Newport, March 31, 1811.  
 273 Stephen Brownell, b. Nov. 22, 1773; d. Jan. 17, 1840; m. Catherine Sherman, widow of Ebenezer: no children. He was member of the Rhode Island Legislature; preserved records for the Friends. He was born in the old Homestead at Portsmouth, lived there and is buried in the burial plot on the place, also his wife.

1764, Deputy from Portsmouth. 1780, Jonathan to son Stephen, deed 57 acres in southwest corner of my farm, bounded northwest by Job Cornell. 1809, Jonathan conveys to Stephen B., part of farm; will devises to Walter and Stephen B. 1840, Stephen B., will devises Cornell farm to Stephen Cornell, son of his sister Hannah B. Townsend and to Albert Cornell (550).

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WALTER,<sup>6</sup> of Walter<sup>5</sup> (40), George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. April 3, 1742; d. before 1805; m. Elizabeth Mott, daughter

of John and Elizabeth, 13.10, 1770, at Friends' Meeting House.  
Children:

- 274 John, b. July 15, 1771; he followed the sea.
- 275 Robert, b. 6.5, 1773; d. 1.10, 1777.
- 276 Benjamin, b. 18.5, 1775.
- 277 Walter, b. 15.9, 1777; d. about 1805, at Newport.

1758, Deputy for Portsmouth.

### 114

ROBERT,<sup>6</sup> of George<sup>5</sup> (42), George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. April 5, 1745; d. Oct. 29, 1799; m. (1) Hannah Weaver, Dec.  
8, 1768;\* m. (2) Ruth Browne, Dec. 8, 1778. Children:

By first wife:

- 278 Ann, b. March 6, 1771; m. Gideon Cornell, son of  
George (269), of Portsmouth, Oct. 13, 1793.
- 279 Hannah, b. Aug. 1, 1773.
- 280 Rebecca, b. Jan, 23, 1775; m. David Sisson, Nov.  
14, 1799.

By second wife:

- 281 Sarah, b. Sept. 28, 1780.
- 282 George, b. July 9, 1783.
- 283 Elizabeth, b. Nov. 23, 1784; m. Nov. 14, 1805,  
George Peckham, son of Benjamin and Mary  
(Hazard) Peckham; d. Sept. 5, 1840.
- 284 Robert, b. Aug. 14, 1793; d. Sept. 19, 1818.

His father devised to him his dwelling house in Middletown.

### 116

BENJAMIN,<sup>6</sup> of George<sup>5</sup> (supposed) (42), George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Sept. 5, 1751; d. 1837; m. Martha Elizabeth Wilbur,  
daughter of William Wilbur, Esq., of Little Compton; she  
d. age 97, buried in Friends' burial ground, Newport.  
Children:

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\* Married by John Barker, J. P., in Middletown, and they were both of Middletown.

- 285 Martha, m. Benjamin (or Anthony) Taylor, of Newport; had James, First Lieutenant in war of Rebellion, and Mary, both d. young and unmarried.
- 286 Harriet, b. 1770; m. Feb. 1816, Capt. John Ryder Stanhope; he d. 1873, had nine children of whom Lieut.-Col. Philip W. Stanhope, born at Newport, June 4, 1829, was one.
- 287 Ruth, m. about 1780, John, eldest son of John and Elizabeth (Bull) Miller. Children, Elizabeth, Mary, James, Desire Bull, John and William, all of whom but Mary and Desire, d. young; she was left a widow in 1799, and in 1810, left Rhode Island, with her daughter Desire (who m. Aaron Chase Dennis), and resided in Troy and other places; she d. in Johnsonville, Rensselaer Co., N. Y., April 5, 1836, age 78 years. She is described as an educated, accomplished and very handsome woman.

### 118

SAMUEL,<sup>6</sup> of George<sup>5</sup> (42), George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Feb. 24, 1754; d. May 15, 1834; m. Ruth Stoddard.\* Children:

- 288 Lydia, d. June 24, 1861, age 69; m. Joseph Coggeshall, June 12, 1814. They are buried in the Coggeshall burial ground.
- 289 Rebecca, m. Henry B. Clark, March 31, 1742, of North Kingston.
- 290 Hicks, b. April 7, 1793; d. June. 27, 1880, age 87 years; m. Elizabeth Coggeshall, Jan. 28, 1819.
- 291 Susan, m. Thomas Coggeshall; d. 1886, age 98 years, 3 months; survived her husband 26 years.
- 292 Ruth, d. Jan. 3,\* age 24.
- 293 William.

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\* Samuel and wife Ruth and daughter Ruth, buried in the farm owned by F. J. Coggeshall which was given to Samuel Cornell by his father George, bought by him of James Phillips.

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OLIVER,<sup>6</sup> of George<sup>5</sup> (42), George,<sup>4</sup> George,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. March 29, 1760; d. June 10, 1797; m. Hannah Brownell  
Cornell (272), Feb. 17, 1793, by William Bliss (Elder). Children:

294 Oliver, b. Oct. 11, 1794; d. in Calcutta, 1824.

295 Stephen, b. Sept. 1797; d. Oct. 31, 1869; m. Harriet  
Charlotte Earle, Sept. 28, 1823.

1797, May 18, will, proved Aug. 7, 1797 (wife Hannah, sisters  
Ruth Bull, Deliverence Littlefield, Patience Wilcox, son Oliver,  
child unborn), buried in the Cornell Homestead grave-yard.

**125**

JOSEPH,<sup>6</sup> of Richard<sup>5</sup> (44), George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. April 16, 1737; d. before 1812; m. (1) Sarah Potter, Dec.  
27, 1765; m. (2) Ruth Baker of Novia Scotia. Children:

296 Benjamin, b. Aug. 21, 1778.

297 William, b. May, 10, 1780.

298 George, b. Nov. 17, 1781.

299 Richard, b. June 26, 1783, Warwick; d. East  
Greenwich, 1845.

300 Mary Jane, b. June 21, 1785; m. (supposed) Daniel  
Briggs, March 25, 1803.

301 Deborah, b. Sept. 17, 1786.

302 Jeremiah, b. June 7, 1788; m. Nancy Card (of  
Joseph), April 4, 1812, by James Miller, J. P.,  
East Greenwich.

303 Clark Baker, b. May 23, 1791.

Ensign in Col. Green Battalion Continental Line, June, 1777.

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GEORGE T.,<sup>6</sup> of Clark<sup>5</sup> (48), George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 26, 1734; d. Nov. 29 or Dec. 3, 1799, at Newport;  
m. (supposed) Elizabeth Cranston of Jameston, Aug. 10, 1756;  
she was b. 1735; d. April 29, 1799. Children:

- 304 Sarah, b. July 5, 1759; d. April 16, 1829; m. Moses Norman, March 5, 1785.
- 305 George, b. July 2, 1764; d. June, 1841.
- 306 Elizabeth, b. Nov. 15, 1767; d. 1841; m. (1) ——— Sherwood; m. (2) Benjamin Spencer, Esq., Aug. 4, 1786.
- 307 Richard, b. Aug. 11, 1769; d. 1801.
- 308 Job, b. Dec. 1, 1777, at Newport; d. Dec. 12, 1851.

1759, Ensign, Second Lieutenant, then First Lieutenant in Col. Batend's Company.

### 141

GIDEON,<sup>6</sup> of Caleb<sup>5</sup> (57), William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> m. Elizabeth Tucker; she d. Nov. 12, 1809, age 65. Children:

- 309 Godfrey, b. Nov. 5, 1771.
- 310 Cory, b. May 18, 1773.
- 311 Pardon, b. Sept. 17, 1774; d. Jan. 3, 1859.
- 312 Jerathmel, m. (supposed) Sarah Brightman.
- 313 Else, m. Adam Case (see 146).

1817 Gideon of Dartmouth, will mentions son Pardon, also deeds.

### 150

ZEBULON,<sup>6</sup> of Daniel<sup>5</sup> (60), William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Nov. 25, 1751; d. 3.31, 1834; m. Ruth Allen, Oct. 10, 1771. Children:

- 314 Daniel, b. June 2, 1772.
- 315 Rachel, b. Dec. 25, 1773; was a mute, unmarried.
- 316 Ruth, mute, unmarried.
- 317 Joseph, m. Matilda Allen.
- 318 John, m. ——— Allen.
- 319 Weston, m. Lucy Parker.
- 320 William.
- 321 Allen.

Was called Zebedee and Zeb.; lived at White Creek, Washington Co., N. Y., was seven feet high; a Quaker, farmer, lawyer, Justice of the Peace, and a great Freemason.



## 151

JAMES,<sup>6</sup> of Daniel<sup>5</sup> (60), William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. March 13, 1753; d. April 8, 1828; m. (1) Thankful Briggs,  
 Oct. 19, 1775, daughter of Daniel and Mary (Delano) Briggs;  
 she was b. Oct. 2, 1751; d. Feb. 12, 1799; m. (2) Mehitabel  
 Austin; m. (3) Elizabeth ———. Children:

- 322 Allen, b. 1776; m. Susan Dennis. No children.  
 323 Stephen, b. Feb. 3, 1778; d. April 27, 1855; m.  
 Deborah Pease about 1799.  
 324 Gideon, b. Feb. 25, 1780.  
 325 Susannah, b. Oct. 28, 1782; d. June 7, 1851; m.  
 Phineas K. Wells, June 25, 1816.  
 326 Hannah, b. May 28, 1784; m. Ezekiel Ensign.  
 327 Elizabeth, b. Dec. 9, 1787; m. John Dennis.  
 328 Daniel, b. Feb. 14, 1793.  
 329 Mercy, m. (1) Daniel or James Van Buren; m. (2)  
 Constant Sisson.  
 330 Abraham, b. Nov. 2, 1783; m. Mary Dennis, March  
 11, 1810; d. Aug. 20, 1817.

He was a Quaker; moved to Washington Co., N. Y. 1804,  
 deed James, Thomas and wife Mary (Briggs) of Cambridge,  
 to Anthony; see also deeds of James of Swansea, Mass.; some  
 of the children were born in Easton.

## 154

CAPT. PAUL,<sup>6</sup> of Daniel<sup>5</sup> (60), William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 9.17, 1759, at Darthmouth, Mass.; m. (1) Betsey Soule,  
 July 5, 1781, of Dutchess Co., who d. April, 1805; m. (2)  
 Abigail Rowley, Rahleigh or Willis, Nov. 30, 1805. Children:

By first wife:

- 331 Esther, b. April 16, 1785.  
 332 Mary Elizabeth, b. Jan. 24, 1787; m. John H.  
 Osborn, Jan. 21, 1811; had a daughter m. Isaac  
 Hiller, and lived at Warren, Pa. Osborn was a  
 merchant at Watkins on Seneca Lake, built the  
 first canal-boat to load with wheat and go

through the canal to New York, where he received a public dinner, silver pitcher, etc.; he d. Sept. 9, 1841; she m. (2) J. Hiller and d. Jan. 26, 1868; was a Quaker but turned Spiritualist.

- 333 Hannah, b. Dec. 17, 1791; m. (1) John Stephens; lived at Belgium, Onondaga Co.; m. (2) ——.
- 334 Alvin, b. Feb. 25, 1793.
- 335 Hiram, b. Aug. 15, 1796; m. Elizabeth Hopkins.
- 336 Cynthia, b. July 13, 1799; m. Michael F. Palmer.

By second wife:

- 337 Elizabeth, b. Jan. 9, 1807; m. Michael F. Palmer.
- 338 Maria, m. Daniel Niles Cornell (221).
- 339 Walter Raleigh, b. July 3, 1812, at White Creek, Washington Co., N. Y.
- 340 McDonough, b. Feb. 24, 1815.
- 341 McDonough, b. July 18, 1817.
- 342 Mason, b. 1810.
- 343 Lawrence, b. Dec. 13, 1819.

Settled at White Creek, Washington Co., N. Y., 1783.

## 155

THOMAS,<sup>6</sup> of Daniel<sup>5</sup> (60), William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. March 13, 1761; d. 10.3, 1828; m. Mary Briggs, daughter of Daniel and Mary (sister of No. 151); she d. Sept. 18, 1852, age 89.9.13. Children:

- 344 Eliakim, b. July 15, 1781; d. Dec. 30, 1852.
- 345 Uriel or Royal, b. 14.4, 1784, m. Thankful Willis; d. Jan. 24, 1847. No children.
- 346 Mercy, b. Jan. 15, 1786; d. Dec. 2, 1818; m. Dr. Timothy Barnum; no children.
- 347 Anna, b. Nov. 18, 1788; d. May 5, 1865; m. Abner Ripley, Feb. 27, 1806.
- 348 Susannah, b. April 6, 1792; m. Ira Gifford, April 16, 1813.
- 349 Mary, b. 4.11, 1795; d. June 20, 1830; m. Aaron Barker, Jan. 1, 1812.

Lived at Easton, Washington Co., N. Y.; member of Assembly, 1808; was a Quaker. 1804, deed Thomas and wife Mary of Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y., to Anthony.

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BENJAMIN,<sup>6</sup> of Daniel<sup>5</sup> (60), William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 27, 1770; m. Phebe Kenyon. Children:

- 350 Daniel, m. Anna Smith.
- 351 Sarah, m. ——— Mead.
- 352 Mary, m. Joseph Hoxie.
- 353 Lydia, m. ———.
- 354 Benjamin.
- 355 ———, and others.

The family removed to Holland Purchase.

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AMOS,<sup>6</sup> of Israel<sup>5</sup> (63), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1805; m. Chloe Chase, daughter of Ezekiel and Rebecca  
(Chase) Chase, April 22, 1762. Children:

- 356 Benjamin, b. Oct. 17, 1762;(?) m. Seabury Tripp,  
May 10, 1812; d. at Painted Post, N. Y.
- 357 John, b. Dec. 17, 1767; m. Cloe Hollis.
- 358 Robe or Rhoda, b. Nov. 4, 1769; m. (1) James  
Baker, July 17, 1788, at Rehoboth; m. (2) ———  
Horton, (see will).
- 359 Amos, b. April 29, 1772.
- 360 Israel, b. April 8, 1774; d. Sept. 1807.
- 361 William, b. Nov. 17, 1779.
- 362 Philip A., b. March 31, 1782, at Greenbush, N. Y.;  
d. Sept. 14, 1819.

1805, Dec. 3, will proved, dated Nov. 3, 1804, of Dartmouth,  
to wife Chloe, use of all so long as she remain a widow, except  
40 acres north side of my homestead which I give to son  
William; to son Benjamin, \$40; John, \$70; Amos and his heirs,  
\$70; Israel, \$40; to daughter Robe Horton, \$20; residue to Philip.

**163**

WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of Israel<sup>5</sup> (63), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1813; m. Else Grinnell, Aug. 15, 1770. Children:

- 363 Betty or Betsy, b. June 27, 1773; m. Paul Pratt.
- 364 Ruth, m. William Fisher.

- 365 Abigail, m. Jonathan Sherman.  
 366 Lillis, m. Amos Mason; d. May 9, 1861, age 78 years, 3 months, 25 days.  
 367 Susannah, m. William Hiscock.  
 368 Alice, b. North Adams, Mass., Oct. 8, 1779; d. July 8, 1854; m. Isaac Mason.  
 369 Joseph, m. Mary Brundage; no children.  
 370 Amos, m. Rhoda Pierce; three children, Amos, Alice and Laura.  
 371 Jehemiah, m. (1) Eunice Downing; m. (2) her sister Polly; m. (3) ———; lived in Susquehanna Co., Pa.; children, Samuel, Israel, Thomas, William, George.  
 372 William, m. Annie Downing; children, Joseph, Moses, James, Fitch, Susannah, Julia, Hannah; he lived and d. in Syracuse, N. Y.  
 373 Remington, b. May 17, 1799; d. April 26, 1884; m. Eliza Gillette Holcomb, June 22, 1817. He moved from the old Homestead, Rupert, Vt., 1819, to Hope, Hamilton Co., N. Y., then to Northville, Fulton Co., N. Y., and d. there; had six children, William, Albert, Eliza Jane, Abigail, Mahala, Eugenio Kinkaid.

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REV. JOSEPH,<sup>6</sup> of Elisha<sup>5</sup> (64), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 10, 1747; d. July 26, 1826; m. Mary Mason, Oct. 8, 1769, daughter of Nathan and Lillian (Hale) Mason; she was b. July 30, 1748, at Swansea, and d. Oct. 17, 1834. Children:

- 374 Nathan, b. at Swansea, March 11, 1771; d. at Syracuse, N. Y., 1858.  
 375 Elisha, b. at Cheshire, Mass., Aug. 15, 1773; d. at Manchester, Vt., Dec. 29, 1808.  
 376 Mary, b. at Cheshire, Mass., Feb. 22, 1776; m. Cyrus Fay of Northampton, Saratoga Co., N. Y., Oct., 11, 1797; d. Feb. 16, 1807, at Providence, R. I.  
 377 Asa, b. at Cheshire, Mass., Jan. 5, 1778; m. Clarinda Smith; d. at Albion, N. Y., April 7, 1859.

- 378 Levi, b. at Cheshire, Mass., Oct. 11, 1775; d. April 27, 1777, at Galway.

He was born in Swansea, Mass., and ordained Baptist Minister there in 1804; was settled thirteen years at Manchester, Vt., Galway, N. Y., six years, and Providence, R. I., thirteen years; he died at Galway, N. Y.

### 171

ELISHA,<sup>6</sup> of Elisha<sup>5</sup> (64), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Feb. 5, 1755; m. (1) Hopestill Pierce, Jan. 20, 1779; m. (2) Rachel Luther, Jan. 12, 1787. Children:

- 379 Susannah, b. Nov. 11, 1779.  
 380 Joseph, b. June 18, 1782.  
 381 James, b. July 15, 1785.  
 382 Elizabeth, b. Sept. 30, 1790.  
 383 Hopestill, b. Nov. 28, 1792.  
 384 Mary, b. Aug. 30, 1795.  
 385 Luther, b. Jan. 19, 1798.

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ASA,<sup>6</sup> of Elisha<sup>5</sup> (64), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Feb. 13, 1764; d. 1817; m. Martha Mason, Nov. 30, 1786; she was b. about 1765; daughter of Peleg<sup>5</sup> (Oliver,<sup>4</sup> Deacon,<sup>3</sup> Isaac,<sup>2</sup> Sampson<sup>1</sup>) and Roby Simmons (Losania). Children:

- 386 Betsey, b. July 17, 1787; m. George Sherman of Somerset, Mass., a farmer.  
 387 Roby, b. July 10, 1789; m. Oct. 5, 1809, John Earle, son of Weston<sup>6</sup> and Sarah (Slade) Earle, (Caleb,<sup>6</sup> Oliver,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> William,<sup>2</sup> Ralph<sup>1</sup>); he was b. May 24, 1790, in Swansea; was a merchant and member of the Massachusetts Legislature, 1850.  
 388 William, b. Aug. 30, 1791; d. Dec. 1842; was a cooper.  
 389 Levi, b. July 23, 1797; m. (1) Fanny Luther; m. (2) Lavinia (Chase) Anthony.  
 390 Elisha, b. June 15, 1800; d. Oct. 1816.  
 391 Mason.

He was a cooper. There are deeds of Asa and his administrator, William, Levi and Betsey. 1818, William to Levi deed. 1819, William, Levi and Betsey.

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STEPHEN,<sup>6</sup> of Stephén<sup>5</sup> (65), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 11, 1770; d. March 1, 1809, in Bristol, Ontario Co.,  
N. Y.; m. Hannah Simmons, Jan. 13, 1790, of Dighton; she  
was b. Jan. 28, 1770; d. Jan. 21, 1854. Children:

- 392 Constant, b. May 9, 1791, at Dighton; m. Olive  
Alexander, Nov. 20, 1814.  
393 Alanson Pease, b. April 1, 1807; d. Sept. 7, 1864.  
394 Hannah, b. 1795; m. Aaron Hicks, Jan. 1, 1812.  
395 Isaiah S., b. 1802; d. 1853; m. Elizabeth Griggs.  
396 Patty, m. Francis Owen of Lima, N. Y.

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JAMES,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (65), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1760(?); d. 1847; m. (1) Rebecca Richmond; m. (2) Submit  
Pearce (or Bosworth). Children:

- 397 James, b. April 22, 1782; d. Aug. 11, 1847, in  
Swansea; m. Amy Rounds.  
398 Cynthia, b. Dec. 7, 1788; m. John Sherman.  
399 Betty, b. April 20, 1791; m. Nathan Haskins, Dec.  
19, 1811.  
400 Candace, } b. May 12, 1797; m. Bradish Dunham.  
401 Submit, } d. unmarried.  
402 Philip Russell, b. April 4, 1810.  
403 Delaney, b. July 14, 1802; m. Eleazer Leonard.  
404 Naomi, b. April 25, 1805; m. Thomas Allison.  
405 Sally, b. March 26, 1793; m. Nathaniel Lewis.

This family were all Shakers, joined them about 1817, at  
Lebanon, N. Y., but Philip left them. 1803-5, James of Swan-  
sea and Rehoboth deeds.

**180**

DR. WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (65), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1750; d. about 1815; m. (1) Abigail Briggs, 1801,  
daughter of Thomas of Berkley, Mass; m. (2) Mrs. Blackburn.  
Children:

By first wife:

- 406 Benjamin Franklin, b. April 3, 1804; d. 1830.  
 407 Wm. Mason, M. D., b. Oct. 16, 1802, in Berkley, Mass.  
 408 Abigail B., b. April 10, 1806; m. April 14, 1831, Leonidas Wilbur of Honeoye, N. Y. (see No. 717).  
 409 Sally, b. April 26, 1810; m. (1) Reuben Philip; m. (2) Leonidas Wilbur (not the same who married Abigail); m. (3) Horace Gray, of Abingdon, Mass.

By second wife:

- 410 Stephen.  
 411 Alva.  
 412 James.  
 413 John.

1815, William, late of Berkley, physician, executor. 1808-13, several deeds. He went from Berkley, Mass., to New York. Physician at Canadice, Ontario Co., N. Y.; was a bright and active man.

## 184

PHEBE,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (65), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Aug. 25, 1762; d. Jan. 21, 1822; m. Amos<sup>5</sup> Kilton (Enoch,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), Jan. 14, 1783, by Elder Jacob Hix.\* He was of Rehoboth (Rocky Woods), and a Christian minister,† b. March 11, 1760; d. at Taunton, Nov. 1, 1841. He m. (2) Alice Chase of Swansea, Mass., Dec. 24, 1823. Children (*Kilton*):

Phebe, b. March 15, 1784; d. Sept. 1811, unmarried.  
 Sarah, b. Feb. 13, 1786; m. Allen Dary of Norton, Nov. 26, 1807; d. Oct. 30, 1841.

Amos of Taunton, b. March 24, 1789; d. Feb. 11, 1818; m. Bethia Godfrey, Jan. 1, 1816. Children: Amos m. Mary Shores; he was editor *Taunton Gazette*; Calister, b. Jan. 3, 1818.

Simeon, b. July 4, 1794; d. Aug. 24, 1847; m. Nancy Crawford.

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\* See *Vital Records of Rehoboth*.

† A sect of Unitarian Baptists.

Rhoda, b. April 23, 1792; m. Oliver Messenger of Norton. Children: Austin and Rhoda Maria.  
 Stephen, b. May 14, 1797; m. Celinda Eddy, Sept. 17, 1840, no children.  
 Galen Bowen, b. Sept. 17, 1799; m. Abigail Smith.  
 Geo. Witfield, b. Dec. 28, 1801; d. June 23, 1859; m. Rebecca Bunker, Fairhaven, Mass. He was a Christian minister.\*

Amos Kilton served four months in Army at Dorchester Heights, Mass., 1775, also at Bristol and Howland's Ferry for three months from Dec. 28, 1776.

### 191

GIDEON,<sup>6</sup> of Gideon<sup>5</sup> (66), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Sept. 11, 1760; d. Aug. 22, 1808; m. Naomi Jones (Intention July 10, 1781) of Dighton. Children:

- 414 Gideon, b. at Dighton, 1785; d. Nov. 8, 1857.
- 415 Sylvanus, b. 1790; d. 1865.
- 416 Archibald, b. at Dighton, 1792; d. 1850.
- 417 Isaac, d. (supposed) in Texas, having three daughters. Left Licking Co., O., 1812, with a drove of horses for Rhode Island, and being in debt forgot to return.
- 418 Charlotte, m. ——— Stewart, Zanesville, O.
- 419 Ruth, d. 1863; m. Samuel Murphy, Newark, O., 1810.
- 420 Naomi, b. May 13, 1788; m. Alexander Holmes (Judge), Dec. 4, 1814; d. Oct. 27, 1864, no children.
- 421 Mercy, b. 1788; d. 1810, in Alexandria, Licking Co., O.; m. Samuel Carpenter of Newark, O.

Was of Dighton or Swansea, moved to Plainfield, Conn., thence 1805, to Granville, O. Granville, O., was largely settled from Granville, Mass. On an agreement signed by eighty-nine persons relating to this settlement and dated East Granville, Mass., April 3, 1809, appears the name of Gideon Cornell.

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\* A sect of Unitarian Baptists.



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WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (66), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 16, 1762, at Swansea; d. Oct. 16, 1810; m. Huldah Kinney, Dec. 1, 1793, at Plainfield, Conn. She was b. Oct. 27, 1768; d. April 26, 1833. Children:

- 422 Huldah, b. Dec. 6, 1795; m. John Martin or Marvin, Sept. 28, 1817, Mansfield, Conn.; d. in Wisconsin, Oct. 24, 1844.
- 423 Eunice, b. Dec. 24 (or 27), 1797; m. Cornell Munro, Jan. 29, 1826, son of John and Parthenia (see No. 190). They had a son Job Munroe.
- 424 Clarissa, b. April 2, 1800; d. July 21, 1838; m. Hezekiah Candall, April 14, 1825; d. Centerbury, Conn.
- 425 Mason, b. Feb. 15, 1802; d. July 19, 1841; m. Oct. 15, 1827, Philema A. Munro.
- 426 Mary, b. Dec. 13, 1805; d. Oct. 20, 1834, unmarried.
- 427 Nancy, b. May 8, 1808; d. July 26, 1839; m. second wife Hezekiah Candall.

## 195

EZRA,<sup>6</sup> of Elijah<sup>6</sup> (67), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> d. 1833; m. Elizabeth Hassal, daughter of John; she d. Dec. 10, 1874. Children:

- 428 Sarah, d. in Westchester, N. Y.
- 429 Paul, b. March 28, 1795; d. Jan. 28, 1858; m. Keturah Upsan Ward, daughter of Wm. W.
- 430 John, b. 1797; d. 1849; m. Marina Benett, daughter of Robert D. No children.
- 431 Elijah, b. 1799; d. 1845; m. Elizabeth Waltham, daughter of Wm.
- 432 Mary, b. 1801; d. July 1834, m. James Fagan, son of William. No children.

1791, deed to B. Chase his step-father. John (430) and Elijah (431), living 1842, in Plymouth, N. C. Neither has children but Elijah had lost five.

**196**

ELIJAH,<sup>6</sup> of Elijah<sup>5</sup> (67), Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Oct. 17, 1771; d. March 27, 1862; m. Eunice Barnard,  
 daughter of Reuben of Nine Partners, Dutchess Co., N. Y.,  
 July 4, 1805. She was b. May 11, 1788; d. March 23, 1857.  
 Children:

- 433 Ezra, b. Jan. 11, 1807, at Westchester Landing, N.  
 Y.; d. Dec. 9, 1874; m. Mary Ann Wood of Ben-  
 jamin, March 19, 1831.
- 434 Elijah, b. April 11, 1808, at De Ruyter, Madison Co.,  
 N. Y.; m. Dec. 15, 1831, Betsey Ann Benedict.
- 435 Benjamin of Tarrytown, N. Y., b. Sept. 16, 1811; d.  
 March 30, 1842; m. Rhoda Caywood, April 22, 1841.
- 436 Lucretia of Tarrytown, b. Nov. 18, 1813; d.  
 April 14, 1845; m. Thomas Chase, Jan. 29, 1835.  
 Several children among whom Edward and  
 Albert (twins). She was a Quaker.
- 437 Phebe of West Farms, b. Sept. 6, 1816; m. Martin  
 B. Wood, Oct. 5, 1837.
- 438 Mary of English Neighborhood, N. J., b. Sept. 8,  
 1818; m. Hiram D. Robertson, Feb. 6, 1843.
- 439 Deborah of De Ruyter, b. April 4, 1820; m. James  
 Wood, April 3, 1841.
- 440 Edward of De Ruyter, b. Dec. 3, 1825; m. Angeline  
 Mosher, Jan., 1855.
- 441 John H. of De Ruyter, b. Aug. 10, 1827; m. Mary  
 Gifford, Oct. 16, 1852.
- 442 Daniel B. of De Ruyter, b. Feb. 23, 1830; m. (1)  
 Maria Tripp, Dec. 25, 1850; m. (2) Delia A.  
 Newton, Aug. 1, 1855.
- 443 James of De Ruyter, b. May 18, 1831; m. ———  
 Finch, May 4, 1859.

He was received into the Quaker Society, Sept., 1798 (see  
 Records of Swansea monthly meeting of Friends).

**198**

JOHN,<sup>6\*</sup> of Job<sup>5</sup> (73), John,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 m. Meribah Mosher, Sept. 20, 1781 (published 8.18, 1781).  
 Children:

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\* QUERY: What John married Cloe Mosher?

444 Soloman, m. Edith ———.

445 John, b. May 10, 1790; m. Thankful Macomber,  
4.15, 1813.

1794, John of Westport, division.

## 200

ISAAC,<sup>6</sup> of Jesse<sup>5</sup> (75), John,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 27, 1788; m. Abigail King. She was b. July 27, 1778.

Child:

445<sup>A</sup> Nathan T., b. April 5, 1815, at Sempronius, Cayuga  
Co., N. Y.; m. Lucinda Shumway, Feb. 25, 1840.

## 216

ALFRED,<sup>6</sup> of Gideon<sup>5</sup> (80), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 28, 1776; d. Sept. 3, 1860; m. Nancy Colwell, Jan. 13,  
1802. Children:

446 Dr. Alanson, b. Oct. 30, 1802, at Eaton, N. Y.; d.  
1873, at Ionia, Mich.; m. Cynthia Emeline Cor-  
nell (696).

447 Daniel A., b. April 27, 1804, unmarried, lived at  
Steuben, Mich.

448 Thomas, b. Jan. 28, 1806; m. Dephene Beckwith,  
March 11, 1830.

449 Adelia, b. Nov. 1, 1807, at Hamilton, N. Y.; m.  
Silas H. Corey or Covey.

450 Mary, b. Sept. 2, 1809, at Nelson; m. Aug. 2, 1855,  
Asa Spencer, no children.

451 Nancy, b. July 5, 1811, at Eaton, N. Y.; m. Eli  
Davis, May 10, 1837.

452 Rev. Alfred, b. July 7, 1813, at Eaton, N. Y.; d.  
Dec. 25, 1893, at Ionia, Mich.; m. (1) Amanda  
Yeomans, Dec. 2, 1836; m. (2) Kate Mason, 1863.

453 Lucia, b. March 5, 1815; d. 1816.

454 Lydia, b. March 31, 1817; d. 1834.

455 Caroline, b. Feb. 19, 1820; m. Mason Hearsy, Sept.  
6, 1837.

456 Sarah, b. June 15, 1821; m. Ezra Spencer, Dec. 16,  
1841.

He and his wife were born in Rhode Island and were for many years members of the Baptist Church in Morristown, N. Y. Nov. 15, 1833, they moved to Ionia where they united

with the Baptist Church of which they remained worthy and esteemed members until their respective deaths, each at the age of 85 years (*Memorial Report, Ionia Co.*)

### 218

DANIEL<sup>6</sup> A., of Gideon<sup>5</sup> (80), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1780; m. Mary Caldwell. Children:

457 Rhoda.

458 Searle.

459 Amy.

460 Lucy.

461 Daniel.

He corresponded with Hon. Ezra Cornell on the genealogy of the family and said his father used to tell him of an uncle Ezekiel of Rhode Island.

### 223

MOSES<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (81), Edward,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb., 1784; d. Dec., 1831; m. Phebe Culver. She d. May 10, 1861, age 83. Children:

462 William of New York, d. 1832 or before.

463 Moses, m. Maria Everett(?)

464 Abraham, m. Letitia ———.

465 Foster, b. Feb. 3, 1810; d. Sept. 27, 1841; m. Jane E. Golden, March 15, 1834.

466 Isaac, d. 1830, age 15.

467 Catherine, m. John Cornell.

468 Ann, m. John Everett, June 1, 1831.

469 Phebe, m. Charles Simonson.

470 Hannah Jane, m. Worthington Hewlett.

471 Jane.

1805, William and Mary to Moses Cornell mortgage (see No. 81). 1829-31, will, Moses, son of the late William Cornell of South Hempstead, wife Phebe Cornell, alias Culver. Eldest sons William and Moses are to pay daughters Catherine and Ann, \$300 each. To my youngest sons Abraham and Foster and Isaac, the land where I live, they to pay Phebe, Hannah and Jane, \$300 each. 1832, William (462) of Hempstead, administrator to Moses (463) and Abraham (464) Cornwall.

Moses and wife Maria of Hempstead, and Abraham of Brooklyn, convey land on Hog Island Creek. 1845, Moses and wife Maria, Abraham and wife Letitia, John Cornell and wife Catherine, Charles Simonson and wife Phebe, Ann Cornell and Hannah Jane Hewlett of Hempstead, which said Moses, Abraham, Catherine wife of John Cornell, Phebe, Ann Everett and Hannah are heirs at law and brothers and sisters of William Cornwell, formerly of New York, deceased, convey to Bussing, 6/7 of lot, Clinton St., N. Y. 1845, Foster Cornwell of Hempstead by his executors Moses and Abraham, deed to Bussing. Phebe and Jane Cornwell to Moses, Abraham and John Cornell, Charles Simonson, Ann Everett and Hannah Jane Hewlett, deed of same property. John Everett, perhaps father of John (468), was surety on marriage bond of John Cornell. Phebe Cornwell, etc., to Moses Cornwell, 1845. Moses and William were grocers in New York, 1829.

### 243

THURSTON,<sup>7</sup> of Walter<sup>6</sup> (97), George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. (1) Ann Anthony (his cousin); m. (2), 1782, Mary Perry, daughter of Phineas and Elizabeth; married by Walter Cook, Justice, 1782. Children:

By first wife:

472 Anthony.

By second wife:

473 Ann, b. March 8, 1783; living 1867, at Fall River, unmarried.

474 Walter, b. Feb. 10, 1784, at Tiverton; m. Theresa Manchester.

475 Elizabeth.

476 Sarah.

477 William, m. Betsy Jennings.

478 Mary.

479 Anthony, d. age 45; m. Sarah Grinnell.

480 Clara.

### 245

EDWARD<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (101), George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 6, 1765; d. 1857; m. Elizabeth Hoxie. Children:

- 481 Anna, b. March 10, 1794.
- 482 Isaac, b. Feb. 29, 1796.
- 483 Alice, b. April 28, 1798.
- 484 Susannah, b. Nov. 15, 1800.
- 485 Gideon, b. Nov. 1, 1802.
- 486 Gerves, b. Jan. 1, 1803.
- 487 Mary, b. June 9, 1807.
- 488 Daniel, b. Feb. 12, 1810.
- 489 Dollwyn, b. April 22, 1812.
- 490 Walker, b. Aug. 11, 1814.

Member of Assembly, 1843. Gerves of the above came to Canada and settled in Pickering Township, Ontario, where his sons Edward and Gerves still farm; they are active members of the Society of Friends and directors of the college of that sect in Pickering village.

## 246

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (101), George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 29, 1766; d. 1864-5; m. (1) Content Davis; m. (2) Rhoda Tenny, 1839. Children:

By first wife:

- 491 Isaac, b. Aug. 18, 1789.
- 492 George, b. June 5, 1791; m. (probably) Lydia ———.
- 493 William, b. July 3, 1792; d. April 24, 1819.
- 494 Anna, b. Jan. 29, 1794.
- 495 Silvey, b. May 15, 1795.
- 496 Hannah, b. May 18, 1797.
- 497 Elizabeth, b. Feb. 14, 1799.
- 498 Mary, b. April 24, 1801.
- 499 Gideon, b. April 18, 1803.
- 500 Millicent, b. Feb. 8, 1805.
- 501 John, b. March 9, 1807.

By second wife:

- 502 Edward, b. June, 1810; d. 1850; m. Dinah George.
- 503 Susannah, b. March 1, 1812.
- 504 Harriet, b. June 8, 1814.
- 505 Charles, b. Nov. 10, 1816.
- 506 Charlotte, b. July 14, 1819.
- 507 Frances, b. Feb. 8, 1821.

He was the second settler in Scarboro, Canada, and remarkable for his energy and upright character; a member of the Society of Friends, and a staunch supporter of the government, Tory. His sons fought in the Canada Militia in 1812. He built the first sawmill in the township.

**250**

GIDEON,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (101), George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 17, 1776; d. before 1853; m. (1) Hannah Russell of Easton, Washington Co., N. Y.; m. (2) Harriet Sarchet of Philadelphia, Aug. 13, 1834. She m. (2) B. A. Tillinghast of Troy, N. Y., May, 1853. Child:

508 Charles Russel, b. Jan. 20, 1806; d. Sept. 12, 1866; m. (1) his cousin, Maria Cornell (514); m. (2) Hannah Avery.

He was administrator to Charles Russell. Died at Philadelphia, Penn.

**251**

WANTON,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (101), George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 23, 1778; d. March 26, 1871, at Milton, Saratoga Co., N. Y.; m. (1) Sybil Gifford, Sept. 27, 1808; m. (2) Maria Taylor, 1856. Children:

509 Elijah, b. Aug. 6, 1809; m. Fannie King of Troy, N. Y.

510 Millicent, b. Sept. 22, 1810.

511 Susannah, b. June 27, 1815; m. Rev. J. G. Warren of Boston.

512 Dorr, b. Nov. 27, 1821; d. Feb. 23, 1825.

513 Emma, b. May 20, 1826.

He lived in Milton, Saratoga Co., N. Y., and died there age 92.

**252**

LATHAM,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (101), George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 18, 1781; d. April 17, 1876; m. (1) Louisa Baily White,

Oct. 4, 1808; she d. Oct. 24, 1853; m. (2) widow Louisa Everts, 1856. Children: .

By first wife:

- 514 Maria, b. Nov. 20, 1808; m. Charles Russell Cornell (508).
- 515 William W., b. May 10, 1812; m. Margaret P. Edgar. He succeeded his father in the stove business, 1836, and retired to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 1849; d. May 26, 1894. Was reticent and saving. He left over \$1,000,000 principally to his brothers, sisters, nephews and nieces. He appears to have had no children.
- 516 Sarah Elizabeth, b. April 22, 1823; m. Henry Wright Strong of Troy, N. Y. He was State Senator for six years, and d. Feb. 28, 1848. She m. (2) Horace Harrington, June 3, 1853; he was a farmer at Brunswick, Rensselaer Co., N. Y. She had six children.

By second wife:

- 517 Louisa, b. Jan. 1, 1858; d. July 3, 1859.

Latham founded the business of stove manufacturing at Troy, N. Y., 1816; was of James & Cornell of Troy, New York and Boston. Retired 1836. He was 77 years old when Louisa was born.

## 254

WALTER,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (101), George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 17, 1785; d. April 14, 1877, at Troy, N. Y.; m. Mary Batty, April, 1811; she was b. Feb., 1793; d. Aug. 4, 1853; m. (2) Mrs. Phebe Nichols, April, 1855. Children:

- 518 Emma, b. Dec. 28, 1812.
- 519 Emeline, d. March 11, 1853, age 37; m. ——— Hollingsworth.
- 520 Mary Jane, d. Dec. 11, 1856, age 35; m. ——— Kennedy.
- 521 Susan Almy, m. (1) ——— Hutchinson; m. (2) ——— Williams.
- 522 Adelaide, d. March 5, 1850, age 20.



## 257

MATTHEW,<sup>7</sup> of Matthew<sup>6</sup> (103), George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 27, 1787; d. Jan. 29, 1854; m. Lydia Ford. Children:

- 523 Merritt I., b. Cambridge, N. Y., March 5, 1809; m.  
Mercy Witman Howard, Feb. 13, 1836; d. Aug.,  
1883.
- 524 Zina, b. Jan. 3, 1811; m. Mary Hunt, Jan. 25, 1834;  
d. Feb. 3, 1893.
- 525 Charlotte M., b. April 13, 1813; m. Jan., 1838, Isaac  
G. Parker; d. Jan. 8, 1851.
- 526 Cyrus, b. Nov. 11, 1815; d. Aug. 1, 1818.
- 527 Thomas F., b. June 26, 1818; m. (1) Patience  
Burdick, Feb. 24, 1848; m. (2) Sarah Byers,  
Feb. 22, 1853.
- 528 Walter, b. Dec. 18, 1820; d. Dec. 8, 1845.
- 529 Mehitabel F., b. April 19, 1823; m. Humphrey K.  
Brownell, Feb. 23, 1841; d. April 29, 1848.
- 530 Elizabeth, b. Jan. 17, 1825; d. June, 13, 1854.
- 531 Mary D., b. Sept. 15, 1827; d. July 20, 1847.
- 532 Amy, } b. Jan. 6, 1830; d. Aug. 6, 1849.
- 533 Emma, } d. Jan. 6, 1830.
- 534 Thomas J., b. May 11, 1832; m. Mary Devel, July 4,  
1855.

## 268

NICHOLAS,<sup>7</sup> of George<sup>6</sup> (106), Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 15, 1765, in Portsmouth; d. Sept. 4, 1829; m. Hannah  
Sisson, Sept. 24, 1789. Children:

- 535 George, b. July 30, 1790; d. June 27, 1859, at  
Sullivans, Madison Co., N. Y.; m. Elizabeth Bell.
- 536 Mary, b. May 1, 1792; d. at Windham, June 26,  
1823; m. Rufus King. Son Rufus H. was a  
lawyer, member of Congress, and president of  
Catskill Bank.
- 537 Riley, b. Feb. 9, 1795, at Rensselaerville; d. Oct. 27,  
1817. Was clerk in a store.

- 538 Rebecca, b. Oct. 27, 1796, at Rensselaerville; d. March 19, 1849, at Windham; m. Samuel C. Stimpson, member of Assembly. No children.
- 539 Gideon, b. April 15, 1799; d. 1849; m. Julia Ann Bachus, Nov. 4, 1827.
- 540 Betsey, b. Aug. 1, 1802, at Rensselaerville; d. Nov. 12, 1850, at Windham; m. Cornelius Stimpson, brother of Samuel, 1822-3.
- 541 Isaac Nicholas, b. Oct. 3, 1807, at Rensselaerville; killed at Gettysburg, July 2, 1863; m. Rhoda Belden, March 18, 1834.

He was a resident of Windham, Greene Co., N. Y., and Rensselaerville, Albany Co. Died at Windham.

### 269

GIDEON,<sup>7</sup> of George<sup>6</sup> (106), Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 6, 1767; m. Ann Cornell (278), Oct. 13, 1793. Children:

- 542 George, b. March 31, 1794.  
 543 Robert B., b. Nov. 18, 1801.  
 544 Clark, b. Dec. 5, 1803.\*

He removed from Portsmouth to Ohio, 1817.

### 271

WALTER,<sup>7</sup> of Jonathan<sup>6</sup> (109), Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 7, 1764; (supposed) d. Sept. 1, 1819; m. Ruth Earle, Dec. 8, 1791, daughter of John<sup>6</sup> and Deborah (Anthony,<sup>5</sup> Oliver,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> William,<sup>2</sup> Ralph<sup>1</sup>). She d. May 23, 1812. Children:

- 545 Job, b. Nov. 2, 1792.  
 546 David Earle, b. Aug. 23, 1794.  
 547 Edward, b. March 19, 1797 (devisee of Stephen B.)  
 Was a sea captain, retired with about \$30,000. Lived for some time at the United States Hotel, Fulton street, New York, becoming impoverished, spent the latter part of his life at Sailor's Snug Harbor.

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\* QUERY: Who was Henry, age 23, son of Clark and Mary, of Abington, Conn., m. Sarah K. Remington of Warwick, age 20, March 31, 1852.

- 548 Mary, b. 1799; m. Joshua Blanchet, or Blodgett, or Peckham.
- 549 Walter, b. March 1, 1801.
- 550 Albert, b. Oct. 1, 1804; d. March 15, 1881, buried on the Cornell Homestead.
- 551 John, b. 1806 (devisee of Stephen B.); d. in California, leaving about \$20,000 to his brother Albert.

1812, Walter conveys to Stephen B. 25 acres of Cornell farm. (See will of Stephen B.)

### 277

WALTER,<sup>7</sup> of Walter<sup>6</sup> (111), Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 15.9, 1777; m. Lydia Hadwan, 14.10, 1805, at Newport Meeting House. Children:

- 552 Elizabeth Hadwan, b. 1.8, 1807; m. Isaac Riggs.
- 553 Walter, b. April 3, 1811, in Newport; m. (1) Sarah Eldred, April 29, 1830; m. (2) Louisa Jones of Marshall Co., Ill., May 28, 1852.
- 554 Rebecca, unmarried.
- 555 John, unmarried.

### 284

ROBERT,<sup>7</sup> of Robert<sup>6</sup> (114), George,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 14, 1793; m. Ann Burdick Tew, Sept. 15, 1814. Child:

- 556 Hannah Vaughan, b. Nov. 20, 1815; m. Henry Tew Cornett. Had a daughter Mary Ann, who married John Bussing Colis of New York City; also six other children.

He was drowned from on board the brig *Caroline Augusta* of Boston, Sept. 19, 1818.

### 290

HICKS,<sup>7</sup> of Samuel<sup>6</sup> (118), George,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m., at Middleton by Rev. Daniel Webb, Elizabeth Coggeshall, Jan. 28, 1819; she d. Aug. 18, 1865, age 71; was daughter

of William<sup>6</sup> and Deborah (Horswell) Coggeshall (Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>). Children:

- 557 George, b. Nov. 11, 1819; m. Abbe C. Humes of Coggeshall, Nov. 5, 1843; married by the Rev. Junia Mowry. Child: Anna M., b. Aug. 11, 1844.\*
- 558 Peleg, b. March 2, 1824; d. Jan. 4, 1890.
- 559 Deborah, b. Nov. 12, 1821; m. Eliza B. Sherman; d. Oct. 24, 1887.
- 560 Mary, b. July 14, 1826.
- 561 Hannah, b. Aug. 8, 1828.
- 562 Ruth, b. Jan. 10, 1832.
- 563 Benjamin Franklin, b. Nov. 22, 1834; m. Emily Maria Manchester.

## 295

STEPHEN,<sup>7</sup> of Oliver<sup>6</sup> (120), George,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept., 1797; d. Oct. 31, 1869; m. Harriet Charlotte Earle, Sept. 28, 1823, at Newport. Children:

- 564 Stephen Northam, b. Sept. 26, 1826.
- 565 Anna Elizabeth, b. June 30, 1829; d. Sept. 4, 1865; m. Geo. Augustus Stevens of Pulaski; he d. Sept. 4, 1858. Child: Joseph Tyler Cornell Stevens, b. April 17, 1857, at Washington, D. C.; d. unmarried, at Chihuahua, Mexico, April 30, 1892.
- 566 Oliver, b. March 10, 1832, in New London; d. in Altoona, Ill., June 26, 1890; unmarried.
- 567 Sarah H., b. April 12, 1837; d. June 25, 1844.
- 568 Ellen Grinnell, b. March 29, 1839; m. Nathaniel<sup>4</sup> Button Smith, son of Nathan<sup>3</sup> Jones and Alzina (Button) Smith (Aaron,<sup>2</sup> Asa<sup>1</sup>). Children: Cornell Nathan, b. May 28, 1878; and Walter Dennison, b. Dec. 9, 1881.
- 569 Harriet Charlotte, b. Nov. 2, 1842; d. Jan. 26, 1849.
- 570 William Northam, b. June 19, 1845; m. Oct. 24, 1892, Sarah O'Neil; she was b. Nov. 24, 1863; d. March 1, 1896. No children. He resides in Brownville, Jefferson Co., N. Y.

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\* See *Vital Records of R. I.* (Smithfield Marriages).

1846, Stephen and wife Harriet convey to Albert (550) part of the Cornell farm. Albert (550) devises Cornell farm to Harriet, widow of Stephen, for life, with reversion to Stephen, Oliver, Ellen G. and William, her children.

He was of the U. S. Revenue steamer *S. P. Chase*.

### 299

RICHARD,<sup>7</sup> of Joseph<sup>6</sup> (125), Richard,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 26, 1783; m. (1) Phebe Sweet, b. 1786; d. 1814; m. (2) Sarah Rice; d. 1851. Children:

By first wife:

571 Catharine, b. Feb. 2, 1809; m. Soloman Rodman Knowles of East Greenwich, who d. June 17, 1890. She was a teacher and still living 1900.

572 John, b. Sept. 10, 1810; d. Dec. 15, 1866.

573 Ruth, } b. March, 1814; d. 1833.

574 Mary Ann, } d. 1863, Ohio; m. Russell Bowne of Vermont.

575 William, d. in infancy.

By second wife:

576 Phebe, b. 1824; d. 1849; m. Nov. 22, 1840, James Bartlett.

He was a farmer and Calvinist Baptist in religion.

### 304

SARAH,<sup>7</sup> of George T.<sup>6</sup> (131), Clark,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 5, 1759; d. April 16, 1827; m. Moses Norman, son of George, Newport, March 5, 1785. Children (*Norman*):

Thomas.

Elizabeth.

Moses, b. 1788; d. 1818; m. Sarah Babcock, daughter of Wm. and Sarah (Werden) Babcock of Westerly.

Ann Hope.

Robert Cornell.

George W.

Priscilla Bradford.

**305**

GEORGE,<sup>7</sup> of George T.<sup>6</sup> (131), Clark,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 2, 1764; d. 1841; m. ———. Child:

584 George, b. 1797; d. May 1835; m. Maria Rodman, Nov. 5, 1814.

**308**

JOB,<sup>7</sup> of George T.<sup>6</sup> (131), Clark,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 1771; d. 1801; m. Sarah Warren of Newport, daughter of Joseph and Sarah Warren. She was b. March 16, 1775; d. July 20, 1819. Children:

585 Richard, b. Oct. 8, 1811; d. Dec. 27, 189—; m. Alice Shearman, daughter of Job and Alice Shearman; spent most of his life in Newport; for a time in business in New York, having made a competency, retired from active work; engaged in philanthropy; president of the Savings Bank of Newport, 1879–89; many years on the Board of Government of the Redwood Library and People's Library; supporter of Home for Friendless Children, the First Methodist Church, etc.; was also an attendant at Friends' Meeting. No children.

586 Sarah A. Cornell.

**309**

CAPT. GODFREY,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (141), Caleb,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 5, 1771; m. Anne<sup>6</sup> Slocum (Peleg,<sup>5</sup> Holder,<sup>4</sup> Peleg,<sup>3</sup> Giles,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>), March 20, 1794. She was born at Dartmouth about 1773; they lived and d. in Dartmouth, Mass. Children:

587 Elizabeth, b. Aug. 7, 1794; m. Alden Macomber.

588 Mehitable or Matilda or Hetty, b. Feb. 25, 1799; m. Wm. H. Russell, Oct. 3, 1816.

589 Pardon.

## 311

PARDON,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (141), Caleb,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 18, 1774; d. Jan. 3, 1859; m. (1) (supposed) Ann Case, m. (2) Lydia Wing, daughter of John and Mary. She was b. March 8, 1781; d. April 9, 1853. Children:

590 Phebe, b. Sept. 21, 1800; m. Ellery Brownell, Dec. 29, 1823.

591 Godfrey, b. Nov. 4, 1802.

592 Joseph W., b. Oct. 26, 1804.

593 Mercy W., b. Jan. 29, 1807; m. Charles Allen, Dec. 7, 1826.

594 Elizabeth, b. May 29, 1812; m. May 22, 1834, William Rackertson<sup>6</sup> Slocum (Rackertson,<sup>7</sup> Peleg,<sup>6</sup> Peleg,<sup>5</sup> Holder,<sup>4</sup> Peleg,<sup>3</sup> Giles,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup>). They resided on one of the Elizabeth Islands, Buzzards Bay; then settled on a farm in Dartmouth, Mass. Children: Cornelia, b. 1842, John Wood Howland, b. 1868.

595 Lydia, b. Dec. 6, 1813; d. unmarried.

596 Gideon, b. Dec. 6, 1815.

597 Alfred, b. 9.30, 1821.

1817, Mentioned in his father's will.

## 312

JERATHMEL,<sup>7</sup> (supposed) of Gideon<sup>6\*</sup> (141), Caleb,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. 1809-10, at sea; m. Sarah Brightman. Children:

598 Goved, b. June 12, 1793; d. 1835, in Cambridge, N. Y.

599 Elizabeth, b. Sept. 5, 1795; d. April 27, 1854; m. Constant Sisson, Cambridge, N. Y., Dec., 1812.

600 Della, b. April 18, 1797; m. Dec. 3, 1815, Horatio Ball of Schoharie, Schoharie Co., N. Y.

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\* Perhaps Jerathmel was son of Caleb (57). Mrs. Ball (600) says she remembers Uncle Gideon (141), brother to her father and Aunt Else Case. Perhaps Adam Case was brother of Ann who married Pardon Cornell (311).

601 Lucy, b. March 23, 1799; m. Henry Briggs, March 10, 1819, Ogdensburg, N. Y.

There are deeds of Gideon, Goved and Jerathmel of Westport, and Elihu.

### 314

DANIEL,<sup>7</sup> of Zebulon<sup>6</sup> (150), Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 2, 1772; m. (1) Margaret Spring; m. (2) Sophia Spring (sisters). Children:

602 Zebulon, b. April 17, 1794, in Shaftsbury, Vt.; d. Nov. 23, 1852, Stanbridge, Quebec.

603 William.

604 Albert.

605 Alfred.

606 Allen.

607 Alanson.

608 Sidney.

609 Sophia, also a daughter Rebecca.

### 317

JOSEPH,<sup>7</sup> of Zebulon<sup>6</sup> (150), Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 20, 1776; d. Nov. 22, 1828; m. Mahella Allen. Child:

610 Ephraim.

### 319

WESTON,<sup>7</sup> of Zebulon<sup>6</sup> (150), Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 19, 1783; d. March 11, 1831; m. Lucy Parker. Children:

611 Eliakim.

612 Allen.

### 320

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of Zebulon<sup>6</sup> (150), Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 3, 1778; m. ———. Children:

612A Abram S.

612B Daniel.



## 323

STEPHEN,<sup>7</sup> of James<sup>6</sup> (151), Daniel,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 3, 1778; d. April 27, 1855; m. Deborah Pease about 1799, daughter of Hiram Pease. She was b. Feb. 14, 1783; d. March 24, 1872. Children:

- 613 Hiram Pease, b. Feb. 11, 1800; d. 1869; m. Maria Ingram. Children: John and Stephen. Stephen had one daughter. John had no children.
- 614 James, b. Feb. 14, 1803; d. July 23, 1868; m. Elsie Sisson.
- 615 Alonzo, b. Nov. 17, 1808; d. July 27, 1865; m. Amanda Choate. Children: Edward A., living in Williamsport, Pa., and Charles A.
- 616 Paul Dennis, b. Oct. 30, 1810; d. Dec. 14, 1868; m. Lydia A. Kelderhouse, Feb. 26, 1838.
- 617 George E., b. Nov. 22, 1819; d. Jan. 6, 1900; m. (1) Emeline Akin; m. (2) Jane Trowbidge; m. (3) Rachel Parsons. Children by first wife: John T., Adelaide, and Georgiana, m. Henry S. Wilson.
- 618 Thankful, b. Aug. 3, 1801; d. June, 1861; m. Geo. T. Morrison. Seven children.
- 619 Mehitabel, b. March 30, 1807; d. May 6, 1840; m. George W. Slocum. No children.
- 620 Allen, b. March 31, 1805; lost at sea.

There were seven other children, most of whom died young. All the fifteen were born in North Easton, Washington Co., N. Y.

## 324

GIDEON,<sup>7</sup> of James<sup>6</sup> (151), Daniel,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 23, 1780; m. July 19, 1802, Clara Potter. She was b. Aug. 13, 1782. Children:

- 621 Mary M., b. Dec. 21, 1803; m. Arnold Coggeshall, March 25, 1826.
- 622 Benjamin F., b. June 20, 1805; m. Isabella C. Thompson, May 21, 1828. Physician. Child:

- Mary E., b. May 9, 1829; m. Austin L. Reynolds, Sept. 16, 1853.
- 623 Addie Eliza, b. April 23, 1807; m. Lewis Faber, April 30, 1838.
- 624 Nathaniel P., b. March 24, 1809; m. Maria Packard.
- 625 Daniel B., b. Jan. 30, 1811; m. Adeliza Bull.
- 626 Lucinda P., b. Nov. 15, 1812; m. Redford Dennis, Jan. 22, 1831.
- 627 Sarah P., b. Aug. 29, 1815; m. Benjamin Allen, Sept., 1835.
- 628 Clara, b. June 1, 1818; m. Jacob Nailor, Aug. 16, 1841.
- 629 Mercy Alida, b. June 19, 1820.
- 630 James L. F., b. Aug. 2, 1824.
- 631 Frances Jane, b. June 12, 1827; m. Nov. 23, 1839, Wm. Weed Marion, who was b. 1795 in Argyle, N. Y.

Supervisor and Justice of Peace.

### 328

DANIEL,<sup>7</sup> of James<sup>6</sup> (151), Daniel,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. (1) Sabina Talmage; m. (2) Cynthia Anthony or Crundall.  
Children:

By first wife:

- 632 Henry, m. Martha Smith.
- 633 Charles, m. (1) Deborah Beebe; m. (2) Emeline Slocum, daughter of Royal and Juliette (Mosher) Slocum; b. Oct. 29, 1830, Schaghticoke, N. Y.; d. Nov. 12, 1859 (see *Slocum Genealogy*); m. (3) Mary Wright.

By second wife:

- 634 Clarissa; m. Belding or Becker.
- 635 Hattie, m. Haveland Wells or Falls.

### 330

ABRAHAM,<sup>7</sup> of James<sup>6</sup> (151), Daniel,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 2, 1788, in Easton; d. Aug. 20, 1847; m. Mary Dennis, March 11, 1810; she was b. April 8, 1788; d. 1848, in Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y. Children:

- 636 Betsey, b. April 19, 1813; d. March 24, 1848; m. John Barnard, March 20, 1839.  
 637 Lavinia A., b. Feb. 4, 1818; m. Hiram Ives, Aug. 21, 1830.  
 638 Hiram K., b. Oct. 14, 1823; d. Feb. 7, 1865; m. (1) Mary E. Bassett; m. (2) ——— Stillman.

### 334

ALVIN,<sup>7</sup> of Paul<sup>6</sup> (154), Daniel,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 25, 1793; m. Hannah Haskell. Children:

- 639 Eliza Ann, b. Nov. 21, 1819; unmarried.  
 640 Mary Louisa, b. Oct. 8, 1821; deceased.  
 641 Merebah Haskell, b. March 29, 1823; unmarried; residence, California.  
 642 Alvin Henry, b. Jan. 23, 1827.  
 643 Hiram, b. April 11, 1828, Salisbury, Vt.; m. Harriet White Brown.  
 644 Parmelia Wilbur, b. June 21, 1830.  
 645 Mark, b. April 5, 1833; d. Nov. 14, 1833.  
 646 Elizabeth, b. Dec. 8, 1834; d. Oct. 27, 1839.

Every alternate child was a deaf mute. This family are generally Presbyterian, some are Episcopal.

### 335

HIRAM KING,<sup>7</sup> of Paul<sup>6</sup> (154), Daniel,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 15, 1796, at White Creek; m. Elizabeth Hopkins; she m. (2) Dr. Jonathan Berry. Children:

- 647 Paul, b. Aug. 5, 1822; m. Helen Maria Gray, July, 1856.  
 648 Hiram King, b. July 24, 1820; merchant and farmer in South Dakota.

He was drowned. His wife Elizabeth Hopkins was descended from Wm. Robinson, one of the early Cambridge colonists and kinsman of John Robinson of Leyden, Pastor of the *Mayflower* Pilgrims.

**339**

WALTER RALEIGH,<sup>7</sup> of Paul<sup>6</sup> (154), Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 3, 1812, at White Creek, Washington Co., N. Y.;  
m. Clara A. Dodge, Dec. 30, 1857; she was b. Dec. 26, 1835.

Children:

- 649 Herbert Walter, b. Nov. 20, 1858.
- 650 Helen Clara, b. Oct. 24, 1860.
- 651 Lucia, b. Sept. 2, 1862; d. Oct. 18, 1862.
- 652 Gertrude Younglove, b. Sept. 9, 1864.

**344**

ELIAKIM,<sup>7</sup> of Thomas<sup>6</sup> (155), Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 15, 1781; d. Dec. 30, 1852; m. Hannah Potter, daughter  
of Cornelius and Judith. Child:

- 653 Timothy B., m. Parmelia Briggs.

**350**

DANIEL,<sup>7</sup> of Benjamin<sup>6</sup> (158), Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Anna Smith. Children (probably):

- 654 Job, m. Thyphena Morgan. Children: Chauncey,  
Phebe, Harriet Maria, Asa, Walter, Caroline,  
Anna.
- 655 Lydia, m. Jacob Craft. Children: Anna and Helen.
- 656 Asa, m. Fanny Hitchcock. Children: Ellen,  
Charles.
- 657 Daniel, b. May 20, 1815; d. Oct. 17, 1889; m. Esther  
Bowerman, 1838.
- 658 Phebe, m. Geo. Parkinson. Children: Anna,  
Chas., Stephen.
- 659 Sarah, m. Chas. Parkinson. Children: Ellen,  
Seymour, Frankie.
- 660 Benjamin, m. Phebe Swift. Children: Lettia,  
Altha, Alma, Florence, Delavan, Evagene, Lil-  
lian.
- 661 Samuel, m. Cordelia Barnes. Children: Alfred,  
Jay, Fred.
- 662 Stephen, m. Elizabeth Swift; *d. s. p.*

## 357

JOHN,<sup>7</sup> of Amos<sup>6</sup> (162), Israel,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 17, 1767; m. Chloe Hollis, published 5.14, 1788. Children:

- 663 Mary, b. Nov. 9, 1788; m. Zacheus Kempton.
- 664 Hannah, b. April 28, 1790; m. Davis Trask.
- 665 Benjamin, b. March 10, 1792; m. Seabury or Sabra Tripp, May 10, 1812.
- 666 Israel, b. March 10, 1794; m. Priscilla Macomber; d. April 28, 1855.
- 667 John, b. July 28, 1795; lived in Providence, d. in Boston.
- 668 Jeremiah, b. March or June 23, 1802; m. Peace Borden.
- 669 Amos, b. Nov. 23, 1804; d. July 20, 1854; m. (1) Margaret Macomber; m. (2) Harriette W. Jacquith, daughter of Amos and Harriette. She d. Feb. 15, 1854.

## 359

AMOS,<sup>7</sup> of Amos<sup>6</sup> (162), Israel,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 29, 1772; d. Feb. 3, 1845; m. Lucy Bennett, April 11, 1793; she was b. Jan. 11, 1770; d. Feb. 5, 1845. Children:

- 670 Samuel, b. Nov. 11, 1793; d. Jan. 1, 1879; m. Lucy Jones, Feb. 17, 1820.
- 671 Amos, b. April 21, 1796, in Dartmouth, Mass.; d. Oct. 1, 1857; m. Desdemony Chamberlain, Jan. 15, 1824.
- 672 Stephen, b. Sept. 27, 1797; d. Aug. 9, 1866; m. Mary Hendryx, March 23, 1823.
- 673 Elizabeth, b. Sept. 15, 1799; d. March 3, 1828; m. James Moore and had one son who d. at 24, unmarried.
- 674 Orilla, b. July 31, 1802; d. Jan. 29, 1858, unmarried.
- 675 Russell, b. June 2, —; d. April 25 1806.

Moved from Dartmouth to Lake George and lived there when the battle of Plattsburg was fought during the war of 1812, in which his oldest son Samuel took part.

**360**

ISRAEL,<sup>7</sup> of Amos<sup>6</sup> (162), Israel,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 8, 1774; m. (probably) Polly Mason. She was b. in  
Lanesboro, Mass., April 26, 1781; she m. (2) her cousin  
Shubael Mason. Children:

- 676 Cyrus.
- 677 Hiram.
- 678 Eliza Ann.
- 679 Thomas Jefferson.
- 680 Maria, b. March 26, 1808 (after her father's death.)

**361**

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of Amos<sup>6</sup> (162), Israel,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 17, 1779; m. Jemima Mather, Dec. 28, 1797. Children:

- 681 Stephen, b. Aug. 28, 1798.
- 682 Robey, b. Dec. 6, 1799.

**362**

PHILIP A.,<sup>7</sup> of Amos<sup>6</sup> (162), Israel,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 31, 1782; d. Sept. 9, 1815, or Sept. 14, 1819, at Green-  
bush, N. Y.; m. Nancy Ryder, April 25, 1805; she was b.  
March 28, 1785, daughter of Samuel Ryder and Mary Cum-  
ming. Children:

- 683 Samuel Hooag, b. April 22, 1815; m. (1) Eliza C.  
Smith, July 10, 1850; m. (2) Emily Mead, July  
10, 1883.
- 684 Mary, b. Feb. 9, 1806, at Troy, N. Y.; d. Sept. 3,  
1891; m. Russell D. Wilbur. Children: Shadrack  
and Anna.
- 685 Almira, b. Jan. 30, 1808.
- 686 Philip R., b. May 2, 1811; d. April 11, 1880; m.  
Freelove Wilbur, Dec. 3, 1834.

He lived in Chatham, Columbia Co., N. Y.

## 374

NATHAN,<sup>7</sup> of Joseph<sup>6</sup> (168), Elisha,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 11, 1771, at Swansea; d. 1858, at Syracuse, N. Y.; m. Cynthia Fay, Jan. 1, 1794; she d. Jan. 22, 1856. Children:

687 Mary, m. C. Purser, Syracuse.

688 Cynthia, b. July 14, 1800, at Saratoga; m. (1) Ebenezer B. Frisbie; m. (2) Rev. Chas. Van Loon of Albany; Baptist preacher. He d. 1847, at Poughkeepsie.

689 Levi, b. April 29, 1797, at Saratoga; d. Jan. 6, 1859.

690 Parmelia, m. Wynant Cromwell.

## 375

ELISHA,<sup>7</sup> of Joseph<sup>6</sup> (168), Elisha,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 15, 1773, at Cheshire, Mass.; d. at Manchester, Vt., Dec. 29, 1808; m. Rachel Sutherland, Jan. 1, 1794. Child:

691 Rev. Hiram, Jackson, Mich.

Was killed by the fall of a tree.

## 377

ASA,<sup>7</sup> of Joseph<sup>6</sup> (168), Elisha,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 5, 1778, at Cheshire, Mass.; d. at Albion, N. Y., April 7, 1859; m. Clarinda Smith, Sept. 4, 1800, in Galway; she was b. May 3, 1781, Richmond, Mass. Children:

692 Villette, b. Nov. 28, 1801; d. July 23, 1845.

693 Mason, b. July 22, 1805; d. July 5, 1809.

694 Mary, b. March 27, 1807; d. Jan. 25, 1835, in Washington, D. C.; m. E. H. Kincaid, Oct. 23, 1831. Two children.

695 Rhoda Ann, b. March 27, 1814; d. March 29, 1856, in Syracuse; m. E. H. Kincaid, Oct. 3, 1836. Editor *Republican Journal*, Elgin, Ill.

696 Cynthia Emeline, b. in Galway, Orleans Co., N. Y., Sept. 9, 1816; d. Aug. 18, 1889; m. Dr. Alanson Cornell (446), May 25, 1836.

- 697 Joseph Mason, b. June 2, 1819; d. July 4, 1890; m. Jane Cole, April 25, 1848.
- 698 Eugene Kincaid Wade, b. May 10, 1823; d. June 26, 1849, Elgin, N. Y.; m. Kate Podelford, Jan. 26, 1849.

Was a farmer and lived on one farm in Galway over fifty years.

### 389

LEVI,<sup>7</sup> of Asa<sup>6</sup> (174), Elisha,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 23, 1797; m. (1) Fanny Luther, daughter of Childs Luther, July 6, 1820, both of Rehoboth; she was b. Jan. 18, 1800, Columbia, Bradford Co., Pa.; m. (2) Levana (Chase) Anthony, daughter of James Chase, Dec. 4, 1851; she was b. Jan. 6, 1800, at Swansea. Children:

- 699 Frederick Plummer, b. Nov., 12, 1821; m. ———. Children: Edward Rye, b. Dec. 4, 1851; d. Nov., 1854; Levi Plummer; Mary; Gideon Ransom; Keys.
- 700 Lavel Maxwell, b. July 26, 1822, at Warren, Bristol Co.; d. Dec. 13, 1849.
- 701 Alvah Mason, b. Aug. 22, 1825, at Swansea; m. Betsey Amelia Bullock, June 7, 1849.
- 702 William Childs, b. July 3, 1827, at Rehoboth; m. Emily Mason, May 3, 1850.
- 703 Sally Maria, b. April 9, 1831, at Columbia, Bradford Co., Pa.; m. John Howland, July 4, 1852.
- 704 Lucy Luther, b. Sept. 21, 1833; d. 1855; m. Hosea Woolf, Feb. 15, 1855.
- 705 Mary, b. Jan. 18, 1837; d. Feb. 9, 1859, at Columbia.

### 392

CONSTANT,<sup>7</sup> of Stephen<sup>6</sup> (178), Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 9, 1781, at Dighton; m. Olive Alexander, Nov. 20, 1814. Child:

706 Daniel, b. at Bristol, Ontario Co., N. Y.

1829, he was of Westfield, Ohio. (See deeds.)



**393**

ALANSON PEASE,<sup>7</sup> of Stephen<sup>6</sup> (178), Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 1, 1807; d. Sept. 7, 1864; m. Mary Maria Austin; she was b. Dec. 20, 1824; d. Oct. 18, 1853. Children:

707 Charles Emery, b. June 26, 1845; m. Caroline Lusenburg, June 17, 1879.

708 Henry Alanson, b. Sept. 5, 1843; d. April 3, 1873; m. Anna M. Crumley.

**395**

ISAIAH S.,<sup>7</sup> of Stephen<sup>6</sup> (178), Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 7, 1802; d. Aug. 18, 1853; m. Elizabeth Griggs or Gregg, Nov. 22, 1827. Children:

709 George G., b. Nov. 20, 1828. Residence, Iowa City, Iowa.

710 Mary E., b. Oct. 7, 1830; m. Nathan W. Thomas, Jan. 1, 1849, of Bristol, Ontario Co., N. Y.

711 Stephen S., b. April 16, 1832; m. Sarah Bigelow, Dec. 20, 1859.

712 Abby, b. Feb. 3, 1835; m. Ezekiel Francis, Feb. 15, 1857, Iowa.

713 Hannah Augusta, b. Jan. 24, 1837; m. Chandler Hathaway, Bristol. One child.

714 Alanson B., b. March 20, 1840; m. Mary Baker.

**397**

JAMES,<sup>7</sup> of James<sup>6</sup> (179), Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 22, 1782; d. Aug. 11, 1847; m. Amy or Anne Rounds, March 26, 1807; she was b. April 9, 1788; d. April 13, 1845, in Swansea. Children:

715 Stephen, b. Nov. 8, 1809; m. Elizabeth C. Gardener, Nov. 16, 1834.

716 Mason D., b. Dec. 18, 1811; m. Lydia Arnold, Dec. 31, 1837.

717 Adelia S., b. Feb. 26, 1814; m. Daniel or Dennis Martin of Swansea, May 29, 1832. He was b.

- Dec. 12, 1800; d. Oct. 25, 1859, at Honeoye Falls, N. Y.; had Caroline F., Sept. 30, 1832, at Swansea; m. Leonidas F. Wilbur of Richmond, N. Y., son of Leonidas and Abigail Cornell (408).
- 718 Roxana, b. May 1, 1818; m. George Purrington, Dec. 25, 1842.
- 719 Ruth R., b. March 6, 1820; d. Aug. 31, 1841; m. Mercy A. Potter of Scituate, R. I., June 22, 1845.
- 720 James W., b. July 22, 1822, at Swansea; m. Mercy A. Potter of Scituate, R. I., June 22, 1845.
- 721 Sepha P., b. April 15, 1824; m. Sylvester G. Martin, March 11, 1849, of Ellisburgh, Jefferson Co., N. Y.
- 722 Emma Rebecca, b. April 4, 1827; m. Edwin H. Peck, of Rehoboth, Oct. 19, 1845. He was killed at Beaufort, S. C., 1863. She m. (2) Clark Thurston, of Providence, July 10, 1865.
- 723 Susan M., b. Nov. 1, 1829.
- 724 Elizabeth G., b. May 12, 1833; m. Dennis Hicks, Oct. 18, 1855, of Ellisburgh, Jefferson Co., N. Y. Had issue.

Representative in Assembly, Massachusetts Legislature. 1850, Stephen of Providence and Mason of Warwick, deed.

## 402

PHILIP RUSSELL,<sup>7</sup> of James<sup>6</sup> (179), Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 4, 1810; m. (1) Harriet Thompson, Nov. 16, 1837; she d. July 10, 1840, age 23; m. (2) Delia Bristol; m. (3) Delia Norton, Feb. 3, 1856. Children:

By first wife:

725 James, b. Oct. 24, 1839.

By second wife:

726 Harriet L., b. May 27, 1844.

727 Lucy M., b. March 17, 1846; d. Nov. 19, 1869.

By third wife:

728 Henry F., b. Oct. 11, 1856.

729 George P., b. Aug. 12, 1858.

730 Jessie A., b. Feb. 14, 1862.

731 Arthur W., b. Sept. 15, 1864.

732 Lewis M., b. May 10, 1867.

733 Charles E., b. Aug. 28, 1871.

Was of the Shakers, joined them in 1817, left them 1835.  
Was with Tilden.

#### 406

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> (180), Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 3, 1804; d. 1830; m. Anna Crane; she was b. 1803.  
Child:

734 Charles Franklin, b. April 5, 1830, in Berkley,  
Mass.; m. Anna T. Lucas, March 10, 1851; she  
was b. Jan. 25, 1829.

1834-48, Sundry deeds. Was captain of militia.

#### 407

WM. MASON,<sup>7</sup> M. D., of William<sup>6</sup> (180), Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 16, 1802; m. Emeline Augusta Lord of Weymouth,  
Mass., Jan. 18, 1822; she d. Dec. 12, 1886; m. (2) Annie Reese  
of Montreal, Canada, Oct. 11, 1887. No children.

He is one of the seven of the family mentioned in *Apple-  
ton's Cyclopædia of Biography* from which the following  
notice is taken: "Graduated at Brown University, 1827; studied  
Theology, was ordained, Jan. 19, 1830, and officiated as Pastor  
of a church in Woodstock, Conn, 1832-4, then at Quincy, Mass.,  
till 1839, when he left the Ministry on account of failing health;  
then studied medicine, took his degree 1844, at Berkshire  
Medical School; began practice in Boston. Edited *Journal of  
Health*, 1846-9; afterwards *Pastor and People*, and *The Guar-  
dian of Health*. Contributed largely to periodicals. Compiled  
*a Medical Dictionary*. Subsequently filled the chair of Anatomy  
and Physiology at the Western University."

#### 414

GIDEON,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (191), Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 7, 1785, at Dighton; d. Nov. 8, 1857; m. Julia Lobdell,  
July 17, 1810; she d. 1862. Children:

- 735 George H., b. Jan. 28, 1815; m. Henrietta Barnes.  
 736 Artemas W., b. Oct. 24, 1824; m. (1) Sarah Wright,  
 Nov., 1849; m. (2) Emeline Moore, Oct. 7, 1856.  
 737 Gideon, b. Oct. 9, 1832. Supervisor, Prescott,  
 Arizona.  
 738 Leander H., b. June 9, 1835; d. 1858.  
 739 Lavinia, b. Feb. 11, 1813; m. S. Wilson.  
 740 Elmira, b. May 7, 1817; m. Aaron Pearce.  
 741 Elizabeth, b. Dec. 22, 1821; m. Elisha Wells.  
 742 Ann, b. March 4, 1827; m. Anthony Rhodes.  
 743 Jane.  
 744 Mary, b. June 3, 1811; m. S. Tracy.  
 745 Margaret, b. Dec. 29, 1829; m. Joseph Sterling.

**415**

SYLVANUS,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (191), Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1790; d. 1865; m. Sarah Carpenter in 1810. Children:

- 746 Lucinda, b. 1811; d. 1848.  
 747 William, b. 1812; m. Emily Castle, 1838.  
 748 Lydia, b. 1814; m. Wm. H. Pumphry.  
 749 Dr. Harvey, b. Feb. 28, 1816; m. Elizabeth Joyner,  
 1851, Delavan, O. No children.  
 750 Julia, b. 1823; m. Wm. H. Devilbissin.

**416**

ARCHIBALD,<sup>7</sup> of Gideon<sup>6</sup> (191), Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 9, 1792, at Dighton; d. 1850; m. Sarah Peck, Aug. 24,  
 1820; she was b. Feb. 6, 1799, in Nova Scotia. Children:

- 751 Edwin Ruthven, b. July 21, 1821, at St. Albans, O.;  
 m. Sarah A. Moseman.  
 752 Helen, b. April 8, 1825; m. Abner Wood, in St.  
 Albans, O., March 31, 1859. No children.  
 753 Bertrand, b. Jan. 4, 1830; d. Dec. 28, 1852, in Port-  
 land, Oregon.  
 754 Celia, b. Aug. 28, 1832; m. Jonathan Hisey, Jr.,  
 Sept. 25, 1860. No children.  
 755 Wilhelmina, Aug. 24, 1837; unmarried.





Yours Respectfully  
Erna Cornell

**425**

MASON,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> (192), Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 15, 1802; d. July 19, 1841; m. Philena A. Munro, daughter of John and Parthenia (see No. 190); she was b. Nov. 30, 1796. Children:

756 Anna E., b. March 3, 1830; d. May 16, 1855; unmarried.

757 Frances C., b. Feb. 5, 1831; m. John S. Smith, March 27, 1854, Canterbury, Conn. No children.

758 William, b. Feb. 7, 1832; d. March 23, 1852, in San Francisco, Cal.

759 Nancy, b. Oct. 23, 1834; d. Oct. 25, 1834.

760 Mason, b. March 28, 1838; a cripple.

**429**

PAUL,<sup>7</sup> of Ezra<sup>6</sup> (195), Elijah,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 28, 1795; d. Jan. 28, 1858; m. Keturah Upsan or Upshur Ward. Children:

761 Harris Ely, d. aged 5.

762 Paul Jones, b. 1832.

763 John Ward, b. 1836.

764 Ezra Elijah.

765 Mary Ann, b. 1834.

He was a ship carpenter. Resided in Washington, N. C.

**433**

HON. EZRA,<sup>7</sup> of Elijah<sup>6</sup> (196), Elijah,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 11, 1807; d. Dec. 9, 1874; m. Mary Ann Wood, March 19, 1831, of De Ruyter, Madison Co., N. Y.; she was b. April 25, 1811; d. Sept. 2, 1891, at Ithaca, N. Y. Children:

766 Governor Alonzo B., b. Jan. 22, 1832; m. (1) Ellen A. Covert, Nov. 9, 1852; m. (2) Esther E. (Covert) Hastings, June, 9, 1894.

767 Charles, b. Aug. 15, 1833; d. May 29, 1857.

768 Elizabeth Percival, b. Sept. 27, 1835; d. Nov. 15, 1849.

- 769 Franklin Cuthbert, b. Aug. 28, 1837; m. Susannah Pettigrew, Jan. 16, 1862.
- 770 Charles Carrol, b. Feb. 22, 1839; d. Feb. 9, 1841.
- 771 Oliver H. Perry, b. Feb. 5, 1842; m. Louisa Conklin, Dec. 31, 1861, at Dryden, N. Y.
- 772 Mary Emily, b. Nov. 21, 1847.
- 773 Emma Petit, b. April 21, 1852; m. Charles H. Blair, Dec. 11, 1873. Children: Ezra Cornell Blair, Charles H., Jr., John Hamilton.

He is one of the seven mentioned in *Appleton's Cyclopædia of Biography*.

Ezra Cornell, founder of Cornell University, was born at Westchester, N. Y., Jan. 11, 1807. In childhood he removed with his parents to De Ruyter, Madison Co., N. Y., where his youth was passed. He located at Ithaca, Tompkins Co., in 1828, where he was employed many years as superintendent of Colonel Beebe's mills. While thus engaged in 1831, he projected and excavated the Ithaca water power tunnel, and some years later he constructed the Beebe dam, thus greatly enlarging the capacity of the Fall Creek water power.

In 1843 Mr. Cornell was employed by the Secretary of the Treasury to superintend the erection of the experimental line of telegraph between Washington and Baltimore, for which Congress had made an appropriation of \$30,000, to demonstrate the utility of Prof. S. F. B. Morse's telegraph invention as a means of practical communication between distant points. Although completely successful for the purpose, the Postmaster-General, to whom the proposition had been referred to acquire the invention at a valuation of \$100,000, as an adjunct to the postal establishment, reported to Congress that in his opinion no rate of tariff could be adopted which would enable the telegraph to become self-supporting, and therefore he recommended the declination of the proposition.

Contrary to the opinion of the Postmaster-General, Mr. Cornell was fully convinced that the telegraph possessed elements of commercial success if once fairly presented for public favor, and he determined to devote himself to its development. After many months of laborious effort the requisite means were finally enlisted, and the line was, in 1845, extended from Baltimore to Jersey City. By that time public appreciation





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was fully demonstrated and the telegraph lines were rapidly extended in every direction over the United States. Mr. Cornell was one of the most active and enterprising telegraph pioneers, and was one of the principal founders of the Western Union Telegraph Company, of which, for twenty years, he was a director, and the largest individual stockholder.

From 1861 to 1867 Mr. Cornell served two years in the State Assembly, and four years as a State Senator, devoting himself assiduously to public affairs. Foreseeing danger of wasteful loss in the pending State policy of disposing of the great Federal Land Grant of 1862 for educational purposes, Mr. Cornell contributed a personal endowment of about \$1,000,000 for an institution which should also receive for its support the entire income of the Land Grant Fund. As the State was compelled by the Federal law to sell the 990,000 acres of land, Mr. Cornell purchased the land scrip and located it upon the public domain, contracting with the State to pay to Cornell University every dollar of profit to be realized from the lands when sold. Up to present date the University has already realized from Mr. Cornell's direct and indirect endowment about \$5,000,000, while lands yet unsold are expected to increase the aggregate of his benefactions by at least another \$1,000,000.

Inheriting a vigorous constitution from his father, who had lived to the mature age of 91, Mr. Cornell with his temperate and orderly habits, had good prospects of long life which was brought to a premature and painful ending Dec. 9, 1874, at the early age of 67 years and 10 months, from a six month's siege of pneumonia which he contracted in traveling at night in the interest of the University. (*Appleton's Cyclopædia of American Biography; Life of Ezra Cornell*, by his son A. B. Cornell, etc.)

### 434

ELIJAH,<sup>7</sup> of Elijah<sup>6</sup> (196), Elijah,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 11, 1808, at De Ruyter; m. Betsey Ann Benedict, Dec. 15, 1831. Children:

774 Marion E., b. May 17, 1832; m. John H. Millspaugh.

775 Nelson Persy, b. Nov. 23, 1834; m. Sarah Elizabeth Innes, at Easton, Pa., Jan. 12, 1859. Jean B.,

daughter of Nelson Persy and Sarah Elizabeth (Innes) Cornell, m. Wm. Watson Williams; had one son and two daughters.

776 Maria, b. Sept. 27, 1836; m. Jerome M. Squire.

777 William, b. July 3, 1838; m. Elizabeth Moore, Easton, Pa.

#### 442

DANIEL B.,<sup>7</sup> of Elijah<sup>6</sup> (196), Elijah,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 23, 1830; m. (1) Maria Tripp, Dec. 15 or 25, 1850, at Union Springs, N. Y.; she was b. Sept. 10, 1829; d. May 22, 1852; m. (2) Delia A. Newton, Aug. 1, 1855, Flora, Boone Co., Ill. Children:

By first wife:

778 Agnes Ophelia, b. Oct. 31, 1851; d. May 22, 1852, at Union Springs.

By second wife:

779 Austin Adolphus, b. at Union Springs.

780 Ezra Munroe, b. Oct. 3, 1859, at Belvedere, Ill.

781 Ettie May, } b. March 24, 1866, at Flora, Boone

782 Edgar Jay, } Co., Ill.

He was a farmer. Color Sergeant, Co. G, 95th Ill. Regt., wounded at Vicksburg.

#### 444

SOLOMAN,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (198), Job,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Edith ——. Children:

783 John.

784 James, d. June 30, 1854, age 43.

785 Thomas.

1866, was taxed.

#### 445

JOHN,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (198), Job,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 10, 1790; m. Thankful Macomber, 4.15, 1813. Children:

786 Job, m. Martha B. Sabine, Oct. 6, 1835; she d. Oct. 20, 1866, aged 49 years, 8 months and 2 days. He was taxed 1866.

- 787 Mary, m. Joseph Howland; she d. 1835.  
 788 Weston, m. Eliza Tripp or Sarah Lincoln, Nov. 2,  
 1829.  
 789 Marebah, m. John Deval.  
 790 Jacob, m. Silva Tripp. Two children.  
 791 Nancy, m. Ephraim Petty.  
 792 Peace, m. Otis Snow.  
 793 George L., m. Adeline or Sarah Briggs, Nov. 14,  
 1854.  
 794 Isaac H., m. Sarah Briggs (or Ruth Briggs), Dec.  
 5, 1857. Was in New York.  
 795 Soloman, m. Mary Briggs, Dec. 30, 1852.  
 796 James, in Dighton. Single.\*

Children all lived in Westport except the last three. 1831,  
 deed.

#### 445A

NATHAN T.,<sup>7</sup> of Isaac<sup>6</sup> (200), Jesse,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 5, 1815-16; m. Lucinda Shumway, Feb. 25,<sup>6</sup> 1840; she  
 was b. at Tuscarora, Bradford Co., Pa., June 27, 1821. Chil-  
 dren:

- 797 Jesse Wallace, b. Sept. 9, 1841, at Tuscarora, Pa.  
 798 Ann Elizabeth, b. Oct. 30, 1847, at Wyalusing, Pa.  
 799 Chas. Henry, b. Oct. 12, 1845, at Tuscarora, Pa.  
 799A Ann E., m. Henry Gilmer at Van Elten.

#### 446

DR. ALANSON,<sup>7</sup> of Alfred<sup>6</sup> (216), Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 30, 1802; d. 1873, at Ionia, Mich.; m. Cynthia Emeline  
 Cornell (696), May 25, 1836. Children:

- 800 Edwin Mason, b. Feb. 4, 1838, at Fenner, Madison  
 Co., N. Y.; d. March, 1851, at Ionia.  
 801 Henry Alanson, b. April or June 17, 1841, at Ionia.  
 802 Lucian Albert, b. Jan. 30, 1835, at Ionia; m.  
 Frank Gale.  
 803 Mary Emma, b. Aug. 17, 1853; m. ——— Barnes.

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\* QUERY: Did he marry Clarissa Reynolds, Jan. 27, 1836, and have  
 children: Charles A., d. March 26, 1860, age 18; and James T., taxed 1866;  
 d. Aug. 13, 1866, age 22.

He and his wife emigrated from Fenner, N. Y., 1838, shortly after their marriage, and were among the early pioneers of Ionia Co., Mich., and were prominent persons in the place. She was a great help to her husband in ministering to the sick.

### 448

THOMAS,<sup>7</sup> of Alfred<sup>6</sup> (216), Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 28, 1806; m. Dephene Beckwith, March 11, 1830.  
Children:

804 Alanson R., b. Dec. 29, 1831, at Eaton; m. Alice M. Rickey, Oct. 23, 1867.

805 Lucien T., b. March 20, 1833; d. March 16, 1843.

806 Mary E., b. Feb. 21, 1836, at Ionia; m. Chas. H. Axtell, Dec. 5, 1858.

807 Charles A., b. Nov. 11, 1841.

808 Lucien T., b. June 10, 1844; d. 1864 in the army.

809 Albert S., b. Sept. 12, 1848.

810<sup>\*</sup> Edwin E., b. Sept. 30, 1852.

### 452

REV. ALFRED J.,<sup>7</sup> of Alfred<sup>6</sup> (216), Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 7, 1813, at Eaton, N. Y.; d. Dec. 25, 1893, at Ionia, Mich.; m. (1) Amanda Yeomans, Dec. 2, 1836, of Ionia, Mich., daughter of Judge Erastus Yeomans; she d. Feb., 1863; m. (2) Katie Mason of Ripley, Chautauqua Co., N. Y., 1863. Children:

811 Seymour, b. Oct. 7, 1839, at Ionia. Lieutenant in the army; killed at Petersburg, Va.

812 Spencer C., b. Jan. 21, 1845, at Madison, N. Y.

813 Warren B., b. Nov. 11, 1847.

814 Emma G., b. Jan. 31, 1852.

815 Arthur F., b. June 27, 1856.

He was of a deeply religious nature in youth, and at 27 was baptised in the Baptist Church, Ionia, 1841. Had a common school education. Took a "partial course" in Madison (now Colgate) University, graduated 1843; ordained by the Baptist Church, Macedon, N. Y., 1843-4; this was his first pastorate. Then at Ionia, 1845-63; Norwalk, O., 1863-6; then a second

pastorate at Ionia; Portland, 1871-7. Chaplain State House of Correction, 1877-81. He then labored as opportunity, time and strength permitted. His ministry was characterized by conversions, baptisms and the building up of churches. He was elected Chaplain by the 21st Michigan Regt., but declined the appointment. He has been described as a truly good and noble man. (See *Memorial Report, Ionia Co.*)

#### 474

WALTER,<sup>8</sup> of Thurston<sup>7</sup> (243), Walter,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Feb. 10, 1784, at Tiverton; m. Theresia Manchester. Children:

- 816 Alfred.
- 817 Daniel.
- 818 Edward, b. in Tiverton; m. (2) Mary Jane Dyer,  
March 14, 1852.
- 819 Peleg, m. Mary Ann ——.
- 820 Andrew.
- 821 Gideon.
- 822 Stephen, m. Mary Ann ——.
- 823 Gilbert.
- 824 Nancy, m. —— Allen.
- 825 Mary, m. —— Mosher.
- 826 Elizabeth, m. Wm. O. Babbett.

#### 477

WILLIAM,<sup>8</sup> of Thurston<sup>7</sup> (243), Walter,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
m. Betsy Jennings. Children:

- 827 Abraham Anthony.
- 828 Thomas Jennings.
- 829 Benjamin Warren.
- 830 Eliza.
- 831 Lydia Jennings.

#### 479

ANTHONY,<sup>8</sup> of Thurston<sup>7</sup> (243), Walter,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. age 45; m. Sarah Grinnell, daughter of Stephen. Children:

- 832 Elizabeth Anthony, m. Charles O. Eustis. Twelve children.  
 833 Amy Grinnell.  
 834 Sarah Anthony, m. Jeremiah Hathaway, Jan. 16, 1866. No children.

**502**

EDWARD,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (246), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June, 1810; d. 1850; m. Dinah George. Children:

- 835 Harriett.  
 836 Russell, b. April 16, 1846; m. Emily Humphrey.  
 837 Charlotte.  
 838 William.

He inherited the homestead of 175 acres from his father. It is situated five miles from Toronto, and borders on the lake (Ontario) front. He was a lieutenant in the Canadian militia, and took an active part in suppressing the rebellion of 1837. He died at the age of 40

**508**

CHARLES RUSSELL,<sup>6</sup> of Gideon<sup>7</sup> (250), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. or June 20, 1806; d. Sept. 12, 1866; m. (1) Maria Cornell (514), his cousin; m. (2) Hannah S. Avery of Brooklyn, N. Y. Children:

By first wife:

- 839 Charles William, b. Sept. 30, 1833, Syracuse, N. Y. Unmarried.

By second wife:

- 840 Ella Maria, b. April 22, 1858.

His widow and daughter lived in Belleville, N. J.

**523**

MERRITT I.,<sup>6</sup> of Matthew<sup>7</sup> (257), Matthew,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 5, 1809; d. Aug., 1883; m. Mercy Whitman Howard, Feb. 13, 1836; she was b. July 23, 1814; d. Nov. 17, 1881; daughter of Otis and Polly (Wellington) Howard. Children:







GENERAL DUDLEY EMERSON CORNELL.

- 841 Gen. Dudley Emerson, b. Jan. 15, 1837, Wilton, Saratoga Co., N. Y.
- 842 Rev. Howard, b. Sept. 10, 1840, Wilton, Saratoga Co., N. Y.; m. Jessie Kirby, daughter of Henry and Phebe Kirby, at Athens, Pa. Graduated from Union College, 1865; Union Theological Seminary, N. Y., 1868; ordained March 18, 1874. Now pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Seneca Castle, Ontario Co., N. Y. No children.
- 843 John Augustus, } b. Aug. 10, 1843; d. April 6, 1844.  
843A Mary Augusta, } m. James Sylvester of Pleasanton, Kan. No children.
- 844 Lydia Antoinette, b. Jan. 24, 1844; m. Henry Denison; d. June 17, 1897. Children: George Merritt, Augusta, Anne.

He was a school teacher and school commissioner in his early life, and a farmer later. Spent most of his life in Hoosick, Hoosick Falls, and Lima, Livingston Co., N. Y. He removed to Wyandotte, Kan., 1881, where he died, 1883. He took a great interest in the history of the family, and collected many interesting notes and items. His branch of the family were Quakers. He became a Baptist.

### 535

GEORGE,<sup>6</sup> of Nicholas<sup>7</sup> (268), George,<sup>6</sup> Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. July 30, 1790; d. June 27, 1859; m. Elizabeth Bell. Children:

- 845 John Peleg, b. Aug. 21, 1823. Went to Louisville, Ky. Lived with brother Rufus.
- 846 Rufus King, b. April 17, 1827; m. Mary Shaver, Feb. 12, 1853.
- 847 Gideon Bell, b. March 13, 1833; m. Melissa D. Gee, Feb. 12, 1854. No children. Went to Mountain City, Col.

Lived at Rensselaerville, Windham, Green Co., N. Y., and in 1822 removed to Sullivan, Madison Co., N. Y., where he had a farm of 150 acres, where his son Rufus lives. Was justice-of-peace, farmer, teacher, clerk and merchant. Presbyterian and Whig.

**539**

GIDEON,<sup>6</sup> of Nicholas<sup>7</sup> (268), George,<sup>6</sup> Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 15 or 26, 1799; d. 1849; m. Julia Ann Bachus, Nov. 4,  
1827; she was b. June 16, 1806. Children:

- 848 Seth Parsons, b. Aug. 16, 1828, at Rensselaerville;  
d. Nov. 14, 1857; m. Agnes Russell of Hoosick  
Falls, N. Y., 1856. Machinist, and bookkeeper,  
Union Bank, Troy. Left widow and one child.
- 849 Augustus Bachus, b. Jan. 24, 1830, at Rensselaer-  
ville, N. Y.; m. Rosina Prentiss.
- 850 George, b. Oct. 21, 1831, at Rensselaerville, N. Y.  
Assistant-Surgeon in war, 1862. Agent Youngs-  
town Gas Co. Lived with father.
- 851 Julia Isadore, b. Dec. 9, 1841. Teacher. Lived  
with father.

He was carpenter, machinist and foundryman.

**541**

ISAAC NICHOLAS,<sup>6</sup> of Nicholas<sup>7</sup> (268), George,<sup>6</sup> Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 3 or 13, 1807; d. July 2, 1862; m. Rhoda A. Belden,  
March 18, 1834. Children:

- 852 Peleg, b. April 28, 1835. Lives in Jefferson, Jack-  
son Co., Ga.
- 853 Rufus K., b. May 28, 1837. Drowned Feb. 2, 1850.
- 854 Edward B., b. Feb. 24, 1845. Lawyer at Windham,  
Greene Co. N. Y.
- 855 George Hart, b. Aug. 13, 1848; d. Nov. 26, 1857.

Killed at Gettysburg, July 2, 1862; Co. K, 120th N. Y. Regt.

**550**

ALBERT,<sup>6</sup> of Walter<sup>7</sup> (271), Jonathan,<sup>6</sup> Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 1, 1804; d. March 15, 1881; unmarried.

Inherited part of the Cornell farm from Stephen B. Cornell  
(273). 1840, bought from Stephen Cornell (295) part of Cornell

farm. Devised the old Cornell homestead, or 80 acres of it (the original homestead was about 160 acres, and having been the owner and occupant of it for some time) to Harriet, widow of Stephen (295), for life, with reversion to Stephen, Oliver, Ellen G. Smith and Walter, children of Stephen. The water rights of the farm had been sold to the Newport Water Co., and the farm was bought by Rev. John Cornell, Sept., 1894, one undivided half of Mrs. Ellen G. Smith, and one of David Coggeshall, who was in possession of the shares of some of the other heirs.

**553**

WALTER,<sup>8</sup> of Walter<sup>7</sup> (277), Walter,<sup>6</sup> Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. in Newport, April 3, 1811; m. (1) Sarah C. Eldred, April 29, 1830; she d. April 6, 1851; m. (2) Louisa Jones, March 28, 1852; she was b. Aug. 24, 1825. Children:

By first wife:

856 Henry M., b. Sept. 4, 1836.

857 Walter B., b. May 5, 1850.

858 Dorcas B., m. Paterick Durden.

By second wife:

859 Jessie, b. June, 1865.

He emigrated from Rhode Island to Illinois, 1838, and settled in Livingston Co., entering government land. Was farmer, stockman, and postmaster of Cornell, a town of about 500 inhabitants, which was named after him.

**563**

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN,<sup>8</sup> of Hicks<sup>7</sup> (290), Samuel,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>5</sup>  
George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 22, 1834; m. Emily Maria Manchester. Children:

860 Charles.

861 Albin.

862 Addie Barker, m. Herbert S. Hall. Two children.

He is a farmer and resides on Union Street, Portsmouth, R. I.

**564**

STEPHEN NORTHAM,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>7</sup> (295), Oliver,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>6</sup>  
George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 26, 1826; m. Rhoda Belden, Jan. 9, 1858; she was b.  
Jan. 1, 1832, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth, at Somonauk,  
Ill. Children:

- 863 Harriet Earle, b. July 12, 1859.
- 864 Anna H., b. June 11, 1862.
- 865 Hester, b. July 17, 1864; m. Henry Laurence, son  
of Samuel and Nancy (Samis) Laurence, 1884,  
at Chetopa, Kan. One daughter, Ruby L., b.  
1886.
- 866 Stephen B., b. Feb. 9, 1866.
- 867 Thomas B., b. Oct. 29, 1867.
- 868 Della.

**572**

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> of Richard<sup>7</sup> (299), Joseph,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 10, 1810; d. Dec. 15, 1866; m. (1) Mary Ann Arnold  
of North Kingston, R. I.; m. (2) Mary Boardman of Providence,  
R. I. Children:

- 869 William Richard, m. Eleanor C. Holcome of Gil-  
ford, Conn. Children: Mary Ann, Charles Bar-  
ney, Catherine H., Helen.
- 870 John Wesley, b. Feb. 8, 1842; m. Ohill J. Tucknell,  
Feb. 10, 1875. Children: John Wesley, Jr., b.  
July 18, 1876; Edwin Arith, b. Sept. 30, 1877;  
Fred K. Anderson, b. April 28, 1881; Grace  
Mabel, b. Sept. 7, 1885.
- 871 Henry Clay, d. young.
- 872 Catharine Eliza, b. Feb. 2, 1846; d. Aug. 10, 1864.
- 873 Charles Edwin, m. Clara Bogman. Children:  
Carrie, Mary, Howard, Cora, Gertrude, Susan,  
Benjamin.
- 874 Crawford Adelbert, m. (1) Henrietta Hale; m. (2)  
Mary Pick.

He was a farmer, afterwards a carpenter and builder. This  
family are Methodists.

## 584

GEORGE,<sup>8</sup> of George<sup>7</sup> (305), George T.,<sup>6</sup> Clark,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1797; d. May, 1835 or 1855; m. Maria Rodman, Nov. 5,  
1814, or Nov. 8, 1815. Children:

875 William, b. May 14, 1817; m. Sarah Vernon Chase,  
Sept. 29, 1840.

876 Mary Rodman, b. 1819; m. Wm. Henry Chase,  
May 3, 1842.

877 Catherine, b. 1822; m. Nathan Hammett, Nov. 22,  
1842.

878 Alzada, b. 1827; d. 1850, unmarried.

879 Adelaide, b. 1829; m. ——— Chatman.

880 Oscar.

He was at the battle of Lake Erie.

## 591

GODFREY,<sup>8</sup> of Pardon<sup>7</sup> (311), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> Caleb,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 4, 1802; m. (1) Abigail Howland, Feb. 22, 1825; m. (2)  
Thursy or Theresa Howland, July 2, 1829; she was b. March,  
1810. Children:

881 Daniel H., m. Abby J. Brownell, March 31, 1853.  
Had one daughter Abbie.

881A Addie A., m. Charles E. Kirby, Oct. 14, 1869.  
(*Kirby Family.*)

## 592

JOSEPH W.,<sup>8</sup> of Pardon<sup>7</sup> (311), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> Caleb,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 26, 1804; m. (1) Nancy Howland, Jan. 10, 1828; she d.  
Jan. 17, 1755; m. (2) Ruth Sherman or Leopard; she d. Feb.  
15, 1863, age 47; m. (3) Eliza Lamb, Jan. 31, 1865. Children:

By first wife:

882 Sarah T., m. Asa J. Leopard, March 26, 1863.

883 Abby H., m. George F. Howland, Jan. 4, 1855.

By second wife:

884 John Allen, m. Amanda M. Wood, Jan. 3, 1856.

1834, deed. 1866, was taxed \$72.25.

### 596

GIDEON,<sup>7</sup> of Pardon<sup>7</sup> (311), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> Caleb,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 6, 1815; m. Lydia Albert. Children:

885 Mary Emma, b. March 23, 1850; m. Arthur Howland.

886 Phebe Ann Leonard, b. Nov. 17, 1853; m. Thomas C. Smith.

887 Lilis Albert, b. April 28, 1856; m. John A. Sherman.

888 Frank Herbert, b. May 17, 1863.

He resided in Dartmouth, Mass.

### 598

GOVED,<sup>6</sup> of Jerathmel<sup>7</sup> (312), (supposed) Gideon,<sup>6</sup> Caleb,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 12, 1793; d. 1831 or 1835, in Cambridge, N. Y.; m. Phebe Almy, 1815. Children:

889 Jerathmel W., Lansingburg, N. Y.

890 Sarah.

891 Franklin.

892 Sidero.

893 Alonzo.

### 602

ZEBULON,<sup>6</sup> of Daniel<sup>7</sup> (314), Zebulon,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 17, 1794, in Shaftsbury, Vt.; d. Nov. 23, 1852, in Stanbridge, Quebec; m. Elizabeth Morey, Sept. 14, 1817, at Cambridge, N. Y. Children:

894 Margaret, b. Dec. 10, 1818, in Cambridge, N. Y.; d. Nov. 2, 1827, in Stanbridge, Quebec.



- 895 Edwin, b. Aug. 23, 1820; m. Corinthia Hadley, June 20, 1842.  
 896 Simon Henry, b. Feb. 13, 1825; m. Prudence Maria Barnes, Sept. 9, 1847.

## 612A

ABRAM S.,<sup>5</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (320), Zebulon,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. 1855 or 1856; m. Mary Ann Kingsley. She d. 1891, age 82. Children:

- 897 Sarah, m. George Fradenburg. Children: Irene, Arthur, May, Edward, Samuel, Emmett.  
 898 Nathan, m. ———. Seven children: Howard, Julia and five others.  
 899 Samuel, m. Betsy Rhodes, 1833.  
 900 Levi, d. young.  
 901 Edward, *d. s. p.*  
 902 Sidney. Killed in the war of the Rebellion, *d. s. p.*  
 903 George. Killed in the war of the Rebellion at battle of Alasta, Fla., *d. s. p.*  
 904 Caroline, m. Peter Hudst, M. D. Children: George, Charles, Anne, Kate, Henry, Frank, Mary.  
 905 Stephen, m. Ida Sage. Children: John, Ina, Clarence, Mary, George, Florence, Henry, Frederick, Bessie.  
 906 Innocent, m. J. M. Collings of Schenectady, Children: Ora, Ethel, Harold.  
 907 Henry L., m. Marian Wakefield. Children: Arthur, Doneld, Carl.  
 908 William. Drowned, *d. s. p.*

He was a farmer and disappeared in 1855 or 1856, and was never heard from since.

## 614

JAMES,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>7</sup> (323). James,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 14, 1803; d. July 23, 1868-9; m. Elsie Sisson. Children:

- 909 Allen.  
 910 Janet, m. ——— King.

- 911 George.
- 912 Sarah, m. ——— Derby.
- 913 Paul. Lives in Vermont.
- 914 Eugene.
- 915 Alonzo.

**616**

PAUL DENNIS,<sup>8</sup> of Stephen<sup>7</sup> (323), James,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 30, 1810, in North Easton, Washington Co., N. Y.; d.  
in Buffalo, Dec. 14, 1868; m. Lydia A. Kelderhouse, Feb. 26,  
1838. She d. July 3, 1889. Children:

- 916 Edward P., b. 1839; d. young.
- 917 Helen M., b. Dec. 25, 1840; d. April 4, 1889; m.  
Homer C. Sherwood.
- 918 Effa Jane, b. Aug. 25, 1847; m. Henry S. Dunning,  
Dec. 24, 1872. He d. Sept. 9, 1896. Children:  
Paul Cornell, b. July 11, 1885, William B., b.  
Nov. 27, 1886.

He left the Quakers to become a Baptist when a young man.  
Was trustee and deacon. He learned the carpenters' trade and  
was a contractor, tool manufacturer and lumber merchant.  
Buried in Auburn, N. Y.

**624**

NATHANIEL P.,<sup>8</sup> of Gideon<sup>7</sup> (324), James,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 24, 1809; m. Maria Packard, Aug. 18, 1830. Chil-  
dren:

- 919 Charles (or Chester) P., b. April. 16, 1832.
- 920 Sophie E., b. Jan. 13, 1834.
- 921 Catherine R., b. July 27, 1836; m. John S. Bevin,  
Nov. 9, 1859.
- 922 Eugene L., b. June 14, 1840; m. Mary W. Irish,  
April 25, 1867.
- 923 George F., b. Jan. 6, 1852.

**625**

DANIEL B.,<sup>8</sup> of Gideon<sup>7</sup> (324), James,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 30, 1811; m. Adeliza or Adeline Bull. Children:

- 924 Ema.
- 925 Mary Francis.
- 926 Adeliza.

**638**

HIRAM K.,<sup>8</sup> of Abraham<sup>7</sup> (330), James,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Oct. 14, 1823; d. Feb. 7, 1865; m. (1) Mary E. Bassett,  
Nov. 21, 1849; she d. Feb. 1, 1865; m. (2) ——— Stillman.  
Child:

- 927 Charles P., b. Sept. 15, 1851.

**643**

HIRAM,<sup>8</sup> of Alvin<sup>7</sup> (334), Paul,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. April 11, 1828, at Salisbury, Vt.; m. Harriet White Brown,  
Redwood, Jefferson Co., N. Y., Sept. 14, 1858. Children:

- 928 Louise Haskell, b. July 12, 1859; m. Fred Lewis Smith, Oct. 5, 1883, at Baldwinsville, N. Y. No children.
- 929 Frederick William, b. Dec. 5, 1865. Lives in Providence.
- 930 Abby Grace, b. Aug. 7, 1875.

This family are generally Presbyterian.

**647**

PAUL,<sup>8</sup> of Hiram King<sup>7</sup> (335), Paul,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Aug. 5, 1822, at White Creek, Washington Co., N. Y.; m. Helen Maria Gray of Bowdoinham, Me., July, 1856. Children:

- 931 George Kimback, b. June 30, 1860.
- 932 John Evans, b. Aug. 1, 1862; m. Katharine Sprague Spear, June 22, 1892.
- 933 Walter Gray, b. July 7, 1864; d. April 4, 1870.
- 934 Orrington, b. April 26, 1866; d. March 4, 1870.
- 935 Paul, Jr., b. Nov. 2, 1870.

- 936 Elizabeth, b. Oct. 10, 1858; d. May 11, 1896; m.  
Walter Louis Stebbins, April 9, 1896.
- 937 Helen Gray, b. Sept. 15, 1875.

His father died while he was yet a child. His mother married a second time. Paul was but nine years old when the family removed to Ohio, and fourteen when they settled in Adams Co., Ill., where his step-father practised medicine, and designed that profession for his step-son. It was not however, to the young man's taste and he resolved to fit himself for the law. This he did, working as a field hand during the summer to pay his school expenses in the winter. After several terms in a select school he became a teacher, devoting his spare time to the study of law. He then entered the law office of Hon. William A. Richardson (afterwards United States Senator). After two years of study here and elsewhere, he was admitted to the bar, and on June 1, 1847, took passage in a stage coach (there were then no railroad, or canals to Chicago) from Joliet, Ill., for Chicago. He arrived in that city, as he is proud to relate, with his lawyer's license and \$1.50 in his pocket with a small package of clothes. He registered his name at a little tavern and began his legal career. In this he has been eminently successful, the firm of Cornell & Barron having a larger business in their line of legal work than any other firm in the city. He has been equally successful in his real estate investments; having purchased 300 acres on the Lake shore, south, he laid out a town, and built the Hyde Park House. He also founded a town in 1871, bearing his name. The Cornell watch factory was one of its first improvements and was successfully operated till the fall of 1874, when it was sold to William C. Ralston of San Francisco, Cal. All this has been absorbed in Chicago, but a fine avenue in this part of the city bears the Cornell name. Mr. Cornell has served as Clerk of the Probate Court and was one of the Board of Commissioners and did a great deal to perfect the system of parks in the city of Chicago. He and his family are Presbyterians and have contributed liberally to that church, having given the land on which their first chapel was built in his neighborhood, as well as land on which to build stores and serve as an endowment fund. This is now very valuable property. He is also a large contributor to the new and costly church the congregation subsequently built. He is interested in other Christian work.

## 653

TIMOTHY B.,<sup>o</sup> of Eliakim<sup>7</sup> (344), Thomas,<sup>o</sup> Daniel,<sup>o</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
 Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 m. Pamela or Parmelia Briggs. Children:

- 938 George W.
- 939 John A.
- 940 Sabina.
- 941 Mary.
- 942 Thomas B.
- 943 Betsey B.
- 944 Henry G.
- 945 Hannah.

## 657

DANIEL,<sup>o</sup> of Daniel<sup>7</sup> (350), Benjamin,<sup>o</sup> Daniel,<sup>o</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
 Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. May 20, 1815, in Hartland, Niagara Co., N. Y.; d. Oct. 17,  
 1889; m. Esther Bowerman, 1838. Children:

- 946 Sarah Maria, b. Jan. 10, 1840; m. W. J. Hopkins.  
 Four children.
- 947 Reuben, b. May 28, 1841; d. April 24, 1897. Four  
 children at Coldwater, Mich.
- 948 Emma Jane, b. Dec. 11, 1842; d. Oct. 1, 1858.
- 949 Orlando, b. Jan. 25, 1845; m. Ella Troutman.  
 Twelve children. Gladstone, N. D.
- 950 Marian, b. Jan. 25, 1853; d. young.
- 951 Louis N., b. March 8, 1856; m. Ida Goudy. Two  
 children. Gladstone, N. D.
- 952 Emerson, b. Sept. 23, 1860.

He was a devout Orthodox Quaker. Went West 1833 with his parents to Ohio first, then Michigan. 1836 to Branch Co.; settled in Girard, now called Cornell neighborhood. Was very active and industrious; bought land and improved it; built himself a fine brick residence about the time of the war of the Rebellion, and this was his home until he died. He developed a productive farm, and did considerable business in buying and shipping stock. He was kind-hearted and benevolent, and few men were better known in Branch County than he, or more regretted in death. (*Memorial Report, Ionia Co.*)

**670**

SAMUEL,\* of Amos<sup>7</sup> (359,) Amos,<sup>6</sup> Israel,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 11, 1793; d. Jan. 1 or June 1, 1879; m. Lucy Jones,  
Feb. 17, 1820; she was b. Feb. 17, 1797; d. Nov. 3, 1877.

Children:

- 953 Ira B., b. Nov. 27, 1820; d. Oct. 5, 1838.
- 954 Anna M., b. May 10, 1822; d. Dec. 27, 1888; m. Wil-  
lard R. Wood, Jan. 12, 1845.
- 955 William H., b. Dec. 31, 1823; m. Maria Lindsey,  
Aug. 18, 1847.
- 956 Octavia E., b. Oct. 26, 1825; m. Emmons W. Abal,  
Feb. 7, 1849.
- 957 John B., b. Sept. 27, 1827; m. Samantha Carter,  
July 4, 1853.
- 958 Amos, b. Sept. 5, 1829; d. Aug. 14, 1847.
- 959 Orilla C., b. Aug. 9, 1831; d. Aug. 12, 1891; m.  
Edward Grigg, Jan. 1, 1850.
- 960 Elizabeth, b. Aug. 27, 1833; d. Dec. 11, 1872; m.  
William Bowers, Jan. 4, 1853.
- 961 Lucy C., b. April 27, 1836; d. April 2, 1856; m.  
Uriah Harvey, Jan. 4, 1854.
- 962 Samuel J., b. April 15, 1839; m. Catherine M.  
Dean, Oct. 20, 1860.

He took a part in the battle of Plattsburg, N. Y., in the war  
of 1812.

**671**

AMOS,\* of Amos<sup>7</sup> (359), Amos,<sup>6</sup> Israel,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 21, 1796, in Dartmouth; d. Oct. 1, 1857; m. Desdemony  
Chamberlain, daughter of John and Lucy (Knowlton) Cham-  
berlain, Jan. 15, 1824; she was b. July 8, 1806, in Bath,  
Steuben Co., N. Y.; d. July 6, 1851. Children:

- 963 Norman Riley, b. Sept. 11, 1824, Liberty Corners,  
Steuben Co., N. Y.; m. Mary Fletcher, Oct. 8, 1847.
- 964 Emos Horton, b. Feb. 3, 1826; d. April 13, 1826.
- 965 Francis Borden, b. July 3, 1827; d. Feb. 28, 1828.
- 966 Lucy Maria, b. Jan. 11, 1829.
- 967 Ann Orvilla, b. Jan. 30, 1831.

- 968 Orlando, b. June 29, 1833; d. July 20, 1833.  
969 Isabella Chamberlain, b. Oct. 4, 1834; d. Dec. 11, 1850.  
970 Amanda Malvina, b. March 11, 1838; d. March 29, 1844.  
971 Corwin Boyd, b. Oct. 4, 1844; d. Dec. 24, 1845.  
972 Helen Mar, b. Oct. 4, 1846.

**672**

STEPHEN,<sup>6</sup> of Amos<sup>7</sup> (359), Amos,<sup>6</sup> Israel,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 27, 1797; d. Aug. 9, 1866; m. Mary Hendryx, March 23, 1823; she was b. Feb. 24, 1803; d. Dec. 26, 1888. Children:

- 973 James H., b. Jan. 13, 1824; d. Aug. 13, 1857; m. Jane Sheldon, July 5, 1847.  
974 Lucy A. b. March 4, 1826; m. Luther Morgan, Jan. 12, 1852.  
975 Emily, b. Nov. 24, 1829; m. Robert Barker, May 12, 1850.  
976 Harriet E., b. Nov. 7, 1831; d. May 17, 1855.  
977 Nellie A., b. Nov. 26, 1833; d. Nov. 12, 1872; m. B. F. Wakefield, June 8, 1859.  
978 Wm. H., b. May 9, 1838; m. Mary Spencer, Nov. 29, 1860.

All the children were married in Dartmouth, Mass.

**683**

SAMUEL HOOAG,<sup>6</sup> of Philip A.<sup>7</sup> (362), Amos,<sup>6</sup> Israel,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 22, 1815; m. (1) Eliza C. Smith, daughter of Ezra C. and Eliza (Stansbury) Smith, July 10, 1850; she was b. Sept. 23, 1829; d. March 30, 1870; m. (2) Emily Mead, daughter of Walter and Cornelia (Gould) Mead, July 10, 1883. She was b. Feb. 2, 1836. Children:

- 979 Ezra Smith, b. May 10, 1851; d. Aug. 3, 1866.  
980 Russell Root, b. July 23, 1853; m. Charlotte Lydia Todd, Oct. 9, 1878.  
981 Cornelia M., b. Dec. 16, 1856; d. Feb. 6, 1867.

- 982 Lucy A. Boyce, b. April 6, 1858; m. J. H. Sterling, M. D., Sept. 28, 1881. Child: Eliza C., b. Jan. 19, 1888.
- 983 Emily M., b. Nov. 28, 1861; m. Joseph Britton, Nov. 25, 1885, son of Eugene and Caroline (Van Riper) Britton.
- 984 Anna Priscilla, b. April 27, 1864; m. George P. Britton, Dec. 26, 1889 (brother of Joseph). Children: George P., and Isabella.
- 985 Samuel H., Jr., b. Dec. 24, 1866; d. Sept. 15, 1867.
- 986 Edward Rider, b. Nov. 3, 1868; d. March 17, 1872.

Left his home at Chatham, Columbia Co., N. Y., in his youth and went to New York. Engaged in business, Fulton Street, N. Y. Resides now at 327 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. The older members of this family are Methodist. The younger ones are Episcopal.

## 686

PHILIP R.,<sup>8</sup> of Philip A.,<sup>7</sup> (362), Amos,<sup>6</sup> Israel,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b May 2, 1811; d. April 11, 1880; m. Freeloze Wilbur, Dec. 3, 1834, daughter of Shadrack and Ann (Baker) Wilbur; she was b. March 18, 1813; d. Jan. 9, 1887. Children:

- 987 Mary Ann, b. Nov. 13, 1835; m. (1) Joseph W. Mosher, Nov. 28, 1855; he d. Sept. 21, 1866; m. (2) James Miller, Sept. 3, 1867.
- 988 Phebe G., b. May 2, 1843; d. Dec. 12, 1883; m. Leander Rienburg, Sept. 6, 1881.
- 989 Nancy Maria, b. May 27, 1838; d. June 22, 1890; unmarried.
- 990 Samuel R., b. May 11, 1841; unmarried.
- 991 Wm. Henry, b. Nov. 4, 1845; m. Mary C. Blinn, Dec. 7, 1871, daughter of Joseph A. and Jemih Moses Blinn; she was b. June 30, 1853. Children: M. Elizabeth, b. Feb. 13, 1873; Howard R., b. May 12, 1876; Fred. R., b. Nov. 4, 1877; d. July 31, 1879; Celia P., b. Jan. 20, 1880; Martha, b. Jan. 11, 1882; Ernest R., b. Dec. 30, 1884; d. July 23, 1885; Jesse S., b. Dec. 26, 1887.



- 992 Russell W., b. Feb. 1, 1884; unmarried.  
993 Eliza C., b. Feb. 27, 1850; m. Amos H. James,  
Feb. 12, 1878.  
994 Emma Louisa, b. Jan. 19, 1852; unmarried.

### 697

JOSEPH MASON,<sup>6</sup> of Asa<sup>7</sup> (377), Joseph,<sup>6</sup> Elisa,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 2 or 21, 1819; d. July 4, 1890; m. Mary Jane Cole,  
April 25, 1848, daughter of Curtis and Eliza (Heath) Cole;  
she was b. Dec. 25, 1821, at Greenwich, N. Y. Children:

- 995 Mary Ann, b. July 20, 1852.  
996 Joseph W., b. June 15, 1855.  
997 Mattie A.  
998 William.

The children were born in Albion, Orleans Co., N. Y. He  
was cashier Orleans Co. National Bank.

### 701

ALVAH MASON,<sup>6</sup> of Levi<sup>7</sup> (389), Asa,<sup>6</sup> Elisha,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 22, 1825, at Swansea; m. Betsey Amelia Bullock,  
June 7, 1849. Children:

- 999 Fanny Maria, b. Dec. 7, 1850, at Columbia, Pa.  
1000 Edith Augusta, b. March 6, 1853.  
1001 Albert Mason, b. Aug. 19, 1861.

### 702

WILLIAM CHILDS,<sup>6</sup> of Levi<sup>7</sup> (389), Asa,<sup>6</sup> Elisha,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 3, 1827, at Rehoboth; m. Emily Mason, May 3 or 23,  
1850. Children:

- 1002 Ruth Agnes, b. Feb. 21, 1852, at Springfield, Brad-  
ford Co., Pa.  
1003 Mason Levi, b. Jan. 23, 1854, at South Creek,  
Bradford Co., Pa.  
1004 Walter Howard, b. July 29, 1859.  
1005 Laura Jane, b. Aug. 14, 1861.

**707**

CHARLES EMERY,<sup>8</sup> of Alanson Pease<sup>7</sup> (393), Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 26, 1845; m. Caroline Lusenburg of New York City,  
June 17, 1879. Children:

1006 Maria Louise, b. Sept. 30, 1880.

1007 Charles Emery, Jr., b. Nov. 24, 1882.

1008 Wm. Albro, b. May 21, 1892; d. June 14, 1892.

**708**

HENRY ALANSON,<sup>8</sup> of Alanson Pease<sup>7</sup> (393), Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 5, 1843; d. April 3, 1873; m. Anna M. Crumley.  
Children:

1009 Charles Henry, b. June 9, 1873.

1010 Simmons.

**715**

STEPHEN,<sup>8</sup> of James<sup>7</sup> (397), James,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 8, 1809; m. Elizabeth C. Gardener, Nov. 16, 1834; she  
was b. June 9, 1814. Child:

1011 Wm. Oscar, b. Feb. 8, 1836.

**716**

MASON,<sup>8</sup> of James<sup>7</sup> (397), James,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 18, 1811; m. Lydia Arnold of Cranston, Dec. 31, 1837;  
she was b. June 18, 1811. Children:

1012 Almira, b. March 22, 1839; d. May 27, 1839.

1013 James M., b. March 11, 1843; m. Marietta Fisk,  
Nov. 3, 1867.

1014 Lydia, b. April 7, 1841; d. Oct. 9, 1841.

**720**

JAMES W.,<sup>8</sup> of James<sup>7</sup> (397), James,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 22, 1822; m. Mercy A. Potter of Scituate, June 22,  
1845; she was b. Aug. 20, 1826. Children:

- 1015 Laura, b. Sept. 6, 1846.
- 1016 Rosella, b. Sept. 20, 1848.
- 1017 Lena Leat, b. Sept. 19, 1855.
- 1018 Howard Potter, b. Dec. 14, 1859.

He was of the firm of M. S. Daniel & Co., wholesale grocers, Providence.

### 735

GEORGE H.,<sup>8</sup> of Gideon<sup>7</sup> (414), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 28, 1815; m. Henrietta Barnes. Children:

- 1019 Julius, Berington, Licking Co., O.
- 1020 Solon, killed at Gettysburg; 1st lieutenant.
- 1021 George, Niles, Mich.
- 1022 Theresa, m. P. England.
- 1023 Christiana, m. ——— Graves.

### 736

ARTEMAS W.,<sup>8</sup> of Gideon<sup>7</sup> (414), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 24, 1824; m. (1) Sarah Wright, Nov., 1849; m. (2)  
Emeline Moore, Oct. 7, 1858, of Cincinnati, O. Children:

By first wife:

- 1024 Howard, b. Aug. 20, 1850; d. March 2, 1852.
- 1025 Ella F., b. April 23, 1854.

By second wife:

- 1026 Kate, b. Dec. 14, 1865.

### 747

WILLIAM,<sup>8</sup> of Sylvanus<sup>7</sup> (415), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> Gideon,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1812; m. Emily Castle, 1838. Children:

- 1027 Samantha A.
- 1028 Emma.
- 1029 Wilbur F., m. ———.
- 1030 Edward W., m. Sarah W. Robb, April 2, 1872.
- 1031 Mary C.
- 1032 Hally A.

**751**

EDWIN RUTHVEN,<sup>8</sup> of Archibald<sup>7</sup> (416), Gideon,<sup>6</sup> Gideon,<sup>4</sup>  
 Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. July 21 or 22, 1821; m. Sarah Ann Moseman, Nov. 22, 1849.  
 Children:

- 1033 Bertrand, b. March 3, 1853; d. Aug. 16, 1855.
- 1034 Bettie Mary, b. Nov. 8, 1855.
- 1035 Joseph Hubbard, b. Aug. 28, 1858.
- 1036 Nelly Hollister, b. Oct. 25, 1861.
- 1037 Celia Minnie, b. June 27, 1867.

**766**

GOVERNOR ALONZO B.,<sup>8</sup> of Ezra<sup>7</sup> (433), Elijah,<sup>6</sup> Elijah,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
 Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Jan. 22, 1832, at Ithaca, Tompkins Co., N. Y.; m. (1) Ellen  
 Augusta Covert, Nov. 9, 1852, daughter of the late George  
 Covert; she was b. Oct. 6, 1834, at Auburn, N. Y.; d. May 11,  
 1893; m. (2) Esther Elizabeth (Covert), widow of Lyman  
 Horace Hastings (his first wife's sister), June 9, 1894. Mar-  
 ried by Dr. John Wesley Brown, New York. Children:

- 1038 Charles Ezra, b. Dec. 29, 1855, in New York; m.  
 Katherine L. Bouck, June 28, 1882. Children:  
 Wm. Bouck, Elenor Katherine.
- 1039 Edwin Morgan, b. April 14, 1862, in Ithaca; d.  
 March 31, 1870.
- 1040 Henry Watson, b. Oct. 31, 1866; m. Margaret  
 Bouck, sister of Katherine, and daughter of Gov.  
 W. C. Bouck of New York. Children: Eleanor  
 Katherine, Margaret, Henry Watson.
- 1041 Roscoe Conkling, b. Feb. 27, 1874; d. Aug. 5, 1874.

He is one of the seven mentioned in *Appleton's Cyclopædia of Biography*.

Alonzo B. Cornell, the twenty-fifth Governor of the State of New York, was educated at Ithaca Academy until the age of fourteen; he became a telegraph operator, and was one of the earliest to read telegraph signals by the ear. After more than twenty years active experience in the telegraph service, Governor Cornell was in 1868 elected a Director of the Western



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A. P. Cornell



Union Telegraph Company, and for more than thirty years was continuously re-elected to that position. For many years he served as Vice-President, and in 1875 was designated by the Board of Directors as Acting President of the company. He had also been extensively interested and occupied in the management of banks, insurance, railway, steamboat and other corporations. He is President of the Cornell Library and Trustee of Cornell University since 1865.

While thus active in business affairs, Mr. Cornell devoted much attention to political duties, and has exerted potent influence in the counsels of the Republican party, both local and general. For ten years he was Chairman of the Republican State Committee until elected Governor in 1879. His management of the Republican campaign of 1872, resulting in the re-election of President Grant, won for him eminent repute as a sagacious and effective political manager, and the results of that exciting canvas were largely credited to the inspiration of his leadership. His services were most generously acknowledged by many leading Republicans of the United States who united in tending him a magnificent souvenir testimonial which is one of his most valued possessions.

As Supervisor of Ithaca, State Capitol Commissioner, Speaker of the Assembly, Surveyor of Customs, Port of New York, and U. S. Naval Officer, Mr. Cornell rendered notable service as a public official. In each of those positions he exhibited an independence of character which in many respects rendered his gubernatorial term one of historical importance in the Empire State.

Inaugurated Governor of New York Jan., 1, 1880, at the age of forty-seven, with twenty years' experience in political antagonisms and important official service, Mr. Cornell's extended personal acquaintance and great familiarity with public affairs, and his resolute personality were rare qualifications for the exercise of administrative duties. He urged upon the Legislature reformation of the revenue laws, and under his recommendation measures were projected and enacted which added largely to the resources and revenues of the State. Women were rendered eligible to vote and hold official position in school boards, and their participation therein has largely exterminated monstrous abuses of bribery formerly existing relative to supply and change of school books. He brought

the State prisons to a self-supporting basis, and conducted them on thorough business principles, free from all political influences. He abstained from the use of the pardoning power which had often been a discredit to other administrations. His appointments to office were notable for fitness and qualification for duties required, and it is gratifying to record that no scandal ever resulted from any appointments made by him as Governor.

The most prominent characteristic of Governor Cornell's administration was the sturdy and independent exercise of the veto power. Friends and foes admitted the resolute and impartial hand with which he protected public interests from spoliation; special legislation sought for selfish private interest was firmly resisted, and improvident appropriations were ruthlessly vetoed. The National Guard was reorganized into a strong, compact and efficient body by dismissal of inefficient regiments and companies, thus leaving the military fund available for the better support of a small but more useful force. A State camp of instruction was established by him, which has become a pattern of militia training in many States. His military administration is admitted to have been the beginning of a new era in the militia of the United States.

The New York State Board of Health and the State Railway Commission were products of Governor Cornell's urgent recommendations, and have proved highly advantageous to the public welfare. He put a stop to the enormous expenditures for newly projected public buildings. During his term the Woman's Reformatory at Hudson was the only new public building undertaken. He enforced economy in public expenditures below that of any Governor's term within the previous thirty years, or since. In 1882 he recommended a modification of the State usury laws, as applied to demand loans, which was enacted by the Legislature, and has, in the opinion of those best qualified to judge, resulted in equalizing the importance of New York with London, as one of the chief monetary centres of the world, to a greater extent than any other legal enactment in our history.

## 769

FRANKLIN CUTHBERT,<sup>8</sup> of Ezra<sup>7</sup> (433), Elijah,<sup>6</sup> Elijah,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>



b. Aug. 28, 1837; m. Susan Pettigrew, Jan. 16, 1862. Children:

- 1042 Eunice.
- 1043 Ezra.
- 1044 Franklin, Jr.
- 1045 Dorothy.

### 771

OLIVER H. PERRY,<sup>6</sup> of Ezra<sup>7</sup> (433), Elijah,<sup>6</sup> Elijah,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 5, 1842; m. Louisa Conkling, Dec. 3, 1861, at Dryden, N. Y. Children:

- 1046 Arthur L.
- 1047 Louisa.
- 1048 Channing.
- 1049 Albert.
- 1050 Mary.
- 1051 Edith.
- 1052 James H.

### 788

WESTON,<sup>6</sup> of John<sup>7</sup> (445), John,<sup>6</sup> Job,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Saiva Lincoln(?) or Eliza Tripp, Nov. 2, 1829. Children:

- 1053 Mary Elizabeth.
- 1054 Susan Ellen.

### 793

GEORGE L.,<sup>6</sup> of John<sup>7</sup> (445), John,<sup>6</sup> Job,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Adeline or Sarah Briggs, Nov. 14, 1854. Children:

- 1055 William.
- 1056 Charles, and two others.

### 795

SOLOMAN,<sup>6</sup> of John<sup>7</sup> (445), John,<sup>6</sup> Job,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Mary Briggs, Dec. 30, 1852. Children:

- 1057 Daughter, b. Dec. 27, 1855.  
 1058 Sarah W., b. March 13, 1859.  
 1059 Mary Elizabeth, b. Feb. 19, 1860; d. Dec. 3, 1863.

**836**

RUSSEL,<sup>8</sup> of Edward<sup>7</sup> (502), William,<sup>6</sup> Gideon,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 16, 1846; m. Emily Humphrey; she was b. Oct. 27, 1847. Children:

- 1060 Edward, b. Jan. 10, 1869.  
 1061 Margaret, b. July 26, 1870.  
 1062 James G., b. July 15, 1872.  
 1063 Mary B., b. Feb. 12, 1881.

He inherited the old homestead. Served in the Canada militia and colonial regiments in suppressing the raid of 1866, being present at the battle of Ridgeway and Fort Erie. All his family are living and none married. Edward is in Chicago. James G., works the old homestead farm where his great-grandfather settled in 1797.

**841**

GENERAL DUDLEY EMERSON,<sup>9</sup> of Merritt I.<sup>8</sup> (523), Matthew,<sup>7</sup> Matthew,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Annie Matilde Speck of Tremont, Pa., Oct. 13, 1868; she was b. May 16, 1849. Children:

- 1064 Fred. Dudley b. July 20, 1869; Kansas City, Kan.; m. Eliza H. Mott, June, 1894, Independence, Mo.  
 1065 Dr. Howard Merritt, b. Oct. 23, 1870, Lawrence, Kan.; m. Georgia Lois Kroh, Aug. 1, 1901, at Kansas City, Kan. Physician and Surgeon.  
 1066 Adelaide Marion, b. July 23, 1872, Kansas City, Kan.; m. Ernest Blaker, Professor, Cornell University, Sept. 1, 1900.  
 1067 Dudley Emerson, Jr., b. Sept. 14, 1874, Kansas City, Kan.  
 1068 Grace A. Sanford, b. Jan. 5, 1879, Kansas City, Kan.; m. Lieut. Fred'k W. Bugbee, U. S. Volunteers, Oct. 14, 1899.  
 1069 George Stewart, b. Dec. 16, 1888, Kansas City, Kan.

Educated for a civil engineer at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N. Y. 1856-7, followed civil engineering in Wisconsin; then till 1860, civil engineering combined with mining in California. Returned to New York State and in 1861, entered the Union Army, raised a company for the 125th N. Y. Volunteers and was commissioned captain. At the close of the war was on the staff of Gen. Rufus Saxton with the rank of Brevet-Major. 1866, came to Wyandotte Co., Kan. 1876, general passenger and ticket agent of the Kansas Pacific Railroad till its consolidation with the Union Pacific Railroad, when he held a similar position in the Consolidated Railroad Company at Kansas City, Mo. 1883, elected Mayor of Wyandotte (now Kansas City, Kan.). 1881-2, held a commission as Major-General, Kansas State Militia. 1894, retired to his country home "Highland Farm," near Bonner Springs, Wyandotte Co., Kan., where he enjoys a quiet life amid his books and pictures, green grass and shady trees. This family is mostly Episcopal.

### 846

RUFUS KING,<sup>9</sup> of George<sup>8</sup> (535), Nicholas,<sup>7</sup> George,<sup>6</sup> Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 17, 1827; m. (1) Mary Shaver, Feb. 12, 1853; she was b. Jan. 5, 1831; d. May 8, 1854; m. (2) Parmelia Pease, Sept. 14, 1856. Children:

1070 George Pease, b. Nov. 11, 1857, in Madison Co., N. Y.

1071 Elizabeth Odell, b. Oct. 11, 1859.

1072 Abbie Elizabeth, b. Aug. 7, 1861.

1073 John Everit, b. Aug. 9, 1863.

### 849

AUGUSTUS BACHUS,<sup>9</sup> of Gideon<sup>8</sup> (539), Nicholas,<sup>7</sup> George,<sup>6</sup> Walter,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 24, 1830; m. Rosina Melissa Prentiss, Dec. 25, 1852. Children:

1074 George Herbert, b. Jan. 11, 1857, at Putnam, O.

1075 Amy Amelia, b. Oct. 17, 1858, at Youngstown, O.

1076 Clara Prentiss, b. June 21, 1860.

1077 Julia Ellen, b. May 29, 1862; d. Dec. 14, 1863.

1078 Augustus Bachus, Jr., b. Nov. 22, 1864; d. Aug. 6, 1865.

1079 John Huyck, b. Nov. 21, 1866; d. Feb. 24, 1867.

He was a teacher at Sing Sing, N. Y., Rensselaerville Academy. Partner of John S. Huyck. Removed to Ohio, 1854. Superintendent of schools, Monroeville, Putnam and Youngstown. From 1860, agent for Himrod Furnace Co., and Mahoning Coal Co. Was 1st lieutenant in war of the Rebellion.

### 875

WILLIAM,<sup>9</sup> of George<sup>8</sup> (584), George,<sup>7</sup> George T.,<sup>6</sup> Clark,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 14, 1817; m. Sarah Vernon Chase, Sept. 29, 1840.

Children:

1080 Henry, b. March 15, 1846.

1081 Mark, b. Feb. 5, 1848; d. Feb. 21, 1892.

1082 Ellen, b. Feb. 18, 1849.

1083 Rodman, b. Nov. 26, 1850; d. Jan. 5, 1899; m.

Charlotte Sweetland Anderson, Nov. 5, 1877.

Child: Ethel Burd.

He was a prominent and much respected citizen of Newport. Was in the grocery business under the name of William Cornell & Sons. Was warden and treasurer of Trinity Church, Newport, and the Vestry at his death passed resolutions highly commendatory of his christian character and business ability and talent.

### 895

EDWIN,<sup>9</sup> of Zebulon<sup>8</sup> (602), Daniel,<sup>7</sup> Zebulon,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 23, 1820; m. Corinthia Hadly, June 20, 1842, at Stanbridge, Quebec. Children:

1084 Helen Margaret, b. Nov. 18, 1844; d. March 3, 1852.

1085 Theodora, b. Nov. 18, 1846; m. William Arthur Moore, Dec. 25, 1866.

1086 Zebulon Edwin, b. Oct. 28, 1850.

1087 Matthew Saxe, b. Sept. 14, 1852.

1088 Albert Edward, b. July 12, 1862; d. May 22, 1866.

**896**

SIMEON HENRY,<sup>9</sup> of Zebulon<sup>8</sup> (602), Daniel,<sup>7</sup> Zebulon,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup>  
William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 13, 1825, at Stanbridge, Quebec; m. Prudence Maria  
Barnes, Sept. 9, 1847. Children:

- 1089 Alice Bertha, b. July 13, 1847; d. April 13, 1850.
- 1090 Dora Emeline, b. Jan. 24, 1850; d. May 13, 1857.
- 1091 Prudence Mary, b. May 1, 1852.
- 1092 Charles Henry, b. July 17, 1854.
- 1093 Myrtie Elizabeth, b. Nov. 25, 1858.
- 1094 Alfred Edward, b. March 17, 1861; d. Aug. 24, 1866.
- 1095 Cynthia Emeline, b. March 17, 1863.

**899**

SAMUEL,<sup>9</sup> of Abram S.<sup>8</sup> (612A), William,<sup>7</sup> Zebulon,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup>  
William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Betsey Rhodes of Day, Saratoga Co., N. Y., 1833. Chil-  
dren:

- 1096 George, d. young.
- 1097 Rev. Frederick Widmere, b. May 30, 1864. Class  
of 1891, St. Stephen's College, Annandale, N. Y.;  
class of 1894, General Theological Seminary,  
N. Y.; ordained deacon Protestant Episcopal  
Church, June 21, 1894; priest, June 6, 1895.  
Rector St. Peter's, Chesterfield, Ill., 1894-5;  
Holy Innocents, St. Louis, Mo., 1896-9; at present,  
Hospital Missionary, St. Louis.

He is a carpenter. This family were generally Methodist,  
and the Rev. Frederick W., left them for the Episcopal church.

**932**

JOHN EVANS,<sup>9</sup> of Paul<sup>8</sup> (647), Hiram King,<sup>7</sup> Paul,<sup>6</sup> Daniel,<sup>5</sup>  
William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 1, 1862, in Chicago; m. Katharine Sprague Spear,  
June 22, 1892. Children:

- 1098 Katherine, b. Oct. 11, 1893.
- 1099 Elizabeth, b. Jan. 1, 1895; d. July 16, 1895.

He is a lawyer in Chicago.

**963**

NORMAN RILEY,<sup>9</sup> of "Amos" (671), Amos,<sup>7</sup> Amos,<sup>6</sup> Israel,<sup>5</sup>  
 Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 11, 1824, at Liberty Corners, Steuben Co., N. Y.;  
 m. Mary Fletcher Timmonds, daughter of Wm. Henry and  
 Jemima (Condict) Timmonds, Oct. 8, 1847, in Ohio Co., Ky.;  
 she was b. Aug. 1, 1827. Children:

- 1100 Corwin Worth, b. Feb. 28, 1849, Ohio Co., Ky.; m.  
 Oct. 16, 1883, Lena Schaffner. Is a physician  
 and surgeon; resides in Knoxville, Iowa. Has  
 two children, Mary Aimee Grace and Corwin  
 Schaffner.
- 1101 Lindley Park, b. April 19, 1854, Knoxville, Iowa;  
 m. Sept. 17, 1879, Nan Girkey; resides in Knox-  
 ville; is a physician and surgeon. One child,  
 Mary Gertrude.
- 1102 Violet Isabelle, b. Jan. 1, 1856, Knoxville; m.  
 Charles McGhee Whitmore of Dayton, Ohio,  
 Jan. 1, 1880; he d. Nov. 1, 1890; she d. Feb. 28,  
 1895. Children: Tom Cornell, Don McGhee,  
 Chas. Matson.
- 1103 Landon Hall, b. July 28, 1858, Ebenezer, Greene  
 Co., Mo.; d. Jan. 19, 1887, Knoxville.
- 1104 Jackie, b. Nov. 24, 1860, Lamar, Barton Co., Mo.;  
 m. Hon. Lorin Nelson Hays, March 12, 1883.  
 Children: Isabelle Caroline, Norman Riley,  
 (twins,) Mary Timmonds, Lorin Nelson, Jr.
- 1105 Isaac Walters, b. May 23, 1863, Knoxville; d. Feb.  
 6, 1868.
- 1106 Dixie May, b. Nov. 18, 1866, Knoxville.
- 1107 Donald Dean, b. Oct. 25, 1868, Knoxville; m. Dec.  
 25, 1893, Elsie Bristow of Pleasantville, Iowa.  
 Child: Lucy Mead. His present residence is  
 Knoxville where he practices dentistry. Grad-  
 uate of the Ohio College of Dental Surgery,  
 Cincinnati, O.

Removed to Knoxville, Iowa, 1850, where he has since fol-  
 lowed the profession of medicine and surgery, being a gradu-  
 ate of the Geneva Medical College, 1848. In the war of the

Rebellion he was appointed and commissioned assistant surgeon of the 23d Iowa, July 14, 1863; promoted to the rank of surgeon in the 40th Iowa, Feb. 4, 1864, in which capacity he served till the close of the war.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Riley Cornell observed their golden wedding which was quite a social event in Knoxville.

**980**

RUSSELL ROOT,<sup>9</sup> of Samuel Hooag<sup>8</sup> (683), Philip A.,<sup>7</sup> Amos,<sup>6</sup> Israel,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 23, 1853; m. Charlotte Lydia Todd, Oct. 9, 1878; she was b. April 17, 1854; d. Jan. 9, 1899, daughter of Edward and Lydia (Giddings) Todd, New York City. Children:

1108 Russell Todd, b. South Orange, N. J., Aug. 14, 1879.

1109 Samuel H. Jr., b. New York, Jan. 24, 1890.

Is engaged in the wholesale paper business, N. Y., (Ward & Cornell, 160 Franklin St.).





## RICHARD CORNELL.

### 6

RICHARD,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1625, in England probably Co., Essex, as his sister Sarah at her marriage is recorded as being from Essex; d. 1694 (see will); m. Elizabeth\* ———, about 1655. Children:

- 2001 Richard, b. about 1656; d. 1725; m. Sarah ——— before 1692.
- 2002 Sarah, bap. July 4, 1657, Reformed Dutch Church, New York; m. (1) John Washburn; m. (2) Isaac Arnold, 1691.
- 2003 Elizabeth, bap. July 2, 1662 (Sponsors, Sarah Bridges and George Woolsey); m. 1679, John Lawrence.
- 2004 William, b. about 1667; d. 1743 (see will); m. (1) (supposed) Elizabeth Smith; m. (2) Jane Whitehead.

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\* Nothing is known of the wife of Richard Cornell, beyond the fact that her name was Elizabeth. The date of the marriage must have been about 1655, and as it is not recorded in New Amsterdam where other Cornell records are found, it seems probable that it took place on Long Island, not long after Richard Cornell settled there. Edward Jessup was Justice of the Peace at Newtown, where he settled about 1653; this town adjoining Flushing, where Richard Cornell lived. Jessup removed about 1663, to Westchester and in 1665, he represented that town in the Hempstead Convention, of which Richard Cornell was a member. In 1666 or earlier, he purchased a tract of land now known as Hunt's Point, adjoining Cornell's Neck, then owned by Sarah Bridges. It is reasonable to suppose that Jessup's purchase was a result of his intimacy with Richard Cornell and Sarah Bridges. By his will, Aug. 16, 1666, Jessup appoints his wife sole executrix and names as overseers of his will "my well beloved friends Mr. Richard Cornhill, Justice of the Peace, Mrs. Sarah Bridges, my well beloved brother-in-law John Burroughs, and Ralph Hunt." That Jessup should have placed Cornhill and Bridges first, naming them before his brother-in-law, and nephew Hunt who was probably a kinsman of Thomas Hunt, perhaps son-in-law, seems to indicate some strong family tie and this belief is strengthened by the fact that Flushing where they lived was a long way from Westchester and that one of these overseers was a woman and therefore not likely to have been chosen for business considerations. All this seems to point to the probability that Richard Cornell's wife was a relative, perhaps a sister of Edward Jessup.

- 2005 Jacob, b. about 1668; d. about 1756; m. Hester  
 2006 Thomas, b. about 1675; d. 1719; m. (1) ———; m.  
 (2) Charity Hicks, Dec. 20, 1712.  
 2007 Col. John, b. about 1672; d. 1745; m. Letitia  
 Printz; marriage license, March 6, 1703.  
 2008 Mary, b. after 1675; m. (1) William Creed, Jr.; he d.  
 about 1710; she m. (2) Richard Betts (supposed).

He was settled at Flushing, L. I., probably before 1656, in which year his name appears in the account book of John Bowne now in the Library of the Long Island Historical Society.

"Court Proceedings, May 4, 1663. Hendrick Janzen (Cooper) of the ship Purmerland Church, now a prisoner, acknowledged that he with Jasper Abrahamzen, committed great violence at Rendel Huit's house and forced his wife to give them to eat; they proceeded to Joris Wolsey's house and demanded drink, so that Wolsey & Ely Douty & Ritzert Cornewell had enough to do to put them out, then they went to Carel Van Brugge's house and demanded drink, and continued their violence in a manner indecent to be mentioned, so that Carel & Douty & Ritzert Cornewell had enough to do before they could get them out, not without tearing a flap or fall of his unmentionables, which they removed in the shoving out of his body. Ordered that they be scourged and banished." (*Records of New Amsterdam*, IV., 234.)

In the same year, 1663, the Town Clerk of Flushing informed the Governor that Richard Cornhill had been sent to agree with him about tithes. He was authorized to offer "100 Schapel of grain,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of peas &  $\frac{1}{2}$  of wheat" (*Waller's History of Flushing*). 1665, he was delegate from Flushing to the Hempstead Convention that framed the "Dukes Laws," the first code made in the Colony. Four of the writer's ancestors were members of this Convention, viz.: Richard Cornell, Jacques Cortelyou, Frederick Lubbertsen (from Brooklyn), and John Stryker (from Flatbush). This Convention was assembled under the rule of Governor Nicholls. Long Island, Staten Island and Westchester were united to form the District or County of Yorkshire and many of the provisions were evidently applicable to Yorkshire alone (*Waller's History of Flushing*). Justice of the Peace in 1666, also Feb. 16, patentee of Flushing from Governor Nicholls with seventeen others among whom were John

Lawrence and William his brother, Charles Bridges, etc. Feb. 20, in the same year, he bought from Thomas Hicks, land on Madnan's (Great) Neck, which in 1687, he conveys to Palmer. 1667, appointed by Governor Nicholls to enroll the Militia. 1670, appointed by the Governor and Council to lay out roads in Newtown, and the following year was appointed to adjust the boundary between Bushwick and Newtown, but did not serve. He was permitted to sell liquors and powder to the Indians. 1673, appointed by the Council to arbitrate between Roger Townsen and the Westchester people, also to arbitrate between Richard Smith and the inhabitants of Huntington. General Lovelace paid him a visit at his house just before the capture of New York from the Dutch. His sisters Sarah and Rebecca appoint him their attorney to collect legacies under their mother's will. This power he transfers to his brother John and brother-in-law William Earle. In 1676, he had a survey of 180 acres on the south side of Fresh Kill (Staten Island). In 1684, he petitions to be put in possession of this land. In 1679-80, William Haviland filed a petition reciting that his brother-in-law Capt. Thomas Hicks who had in 1660, obtained from Governor Nicholls a patent for Madnan's (Great) Neck in the town of Flushing, which was divided equally between him and Richard Cornhill and Elias Doughty, that petitioner bought Doughty's interest, that Cornhill and Hicks had settled their son-in-law on one of the three lots and Mr. Cornhill is settling his other son-in-law John Lawrence on a part of said tract. Petitioner prays that they may be stopped. Commissioners were appointed to divide the tract in three parts and to lay out the 300 acres for Richard Cornhill, Thomas Hicks and William Haviland. In 1679, Richard Cornhill bought from Abraham Smith 100 acres of woodland in Hempstead, northwest of Little Success Pond, on the road to Madnan's Neck. In 1680, appraiser of the estate of William Lawrence; forced to resign a patent for land; owed the estate of Cornelius Steenwyck 247 guilders 10 stivers in wampum. 1684, Takapousha and other Indians sold to Richard Cornhill and others all the lands called Flushing, bounded west by Flushing Creek, south by Jamaica line, east by Hempstead, north by the Sound. Richard Cornhill, Sr., and others buy 966 acres adjoining the rear of Cow Neck, deed on record in Land Office, Albany, with map:

"Survaied and Laid Out for Mr Richard Cornwell Sener & Company A Certaine tract of land being siteuat and lyeing on the East side of Cow Neck upon Long Island Acording to An Indian purchase baring date begining at A Red & white oake Trees one the North side a small Creek knowne by the Indian name of Snakeroe Creek one the West side of Long Neck from therre into the woods South East & by East two degrees and fiteene minits southerly nintey six Chaines to the Indian Line in the Middle of the Neck then by said Line South foure degrees Easterly twenty to a White oake tree neare the head of a small Swamp from therre East by North one degree and forty five Minnits, Northerly seventy six Chaines to the Bay, twelve Chaines to the south of the poynt wheare Mans sloop was Cast away and from therre by *by* the Sound to the first small Creek Including A small Island with Meadows Containing in all nine hundred sixty six Akers performed this 25th Day of 1684.

PHILLIP WELLES SURVR."

Survey in 1685, to Richard Cornwell, Sr., of 837 acres in Hempstead and Flushing, southeast of Little Neck, at Success (part of this land is still owned by his descendants). 1686, survey of more land at Cow Neck to him. Part of this tract was sold Dec. 25, 1691, to James Sands who married Mary<sup>3</sup> Cornell (John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>). It includes the burial ground of the family of John Cornell, Cow Neck.

He and others resisted the encroachments of new patentees of Flushing. Richard Cornell of Cornbury, Flushing, conveyed to his son-in-law John Washburn land in Flushing, south of the brook that comes from Rushmore's Mill (on re-survey Cornbury was found to be in Hempstead). In 1687, he conveyed to Richard his eldest son one-half of a piece of land at Success, also salt meadow at Cornbury Neck.

Aug. 20, 1687, he of Cornbury (Bayside), bought from John Palmer lands that had been granted to Palmer by Lieut-Governor Dongan, Nov. 3, 1685, south side of Long Island in Rockaway, bounded east by Hemdstead, north by the patent line, south by the main sea or ocean, west by the gut or inlet which makes the bay or sound as it runs easterly until it comes to the Hempstead line.\* This tract including all of Rockaway Neck, had been purchased Oct. 9, 1658, by John Palmer, a resident of New York from Peeman, Sagamore of the Rockaway Indians for £30.† Richard Cornwell and Elizabeth his wife, the same day convey to Palmer one third of a tract at Madnan's Neck,

\* Recorded Lib. 13, of deeds p. 15, New York.

† Recorded Lib. 13, No. 5 of Deeds, Queens Co., p. 50.

formerly granted by Governor Nicholls to Thomas Hicks and which Hicks sold in 1666 to Cornwell.

Soon after this date he transferred his residence from Flushing to the new purchase, improved the lands, erected a dwelling and other buildings and resided there until his death, being thenceforth known as Richard Cornell of Rockaway.

In 1688, Richard Cornwell of Cornwell Hall, Queens Co., conveyed to Thomas Hicks (who married Mary Washburn, granddaughter of Richard), lands in Huntington. He leased the Court House at Jamaica for twenty years, agreeing to keep it in repair and to allow courts to be held in it. The next year he owed some money and was plagued with demands of the Hempstead men.

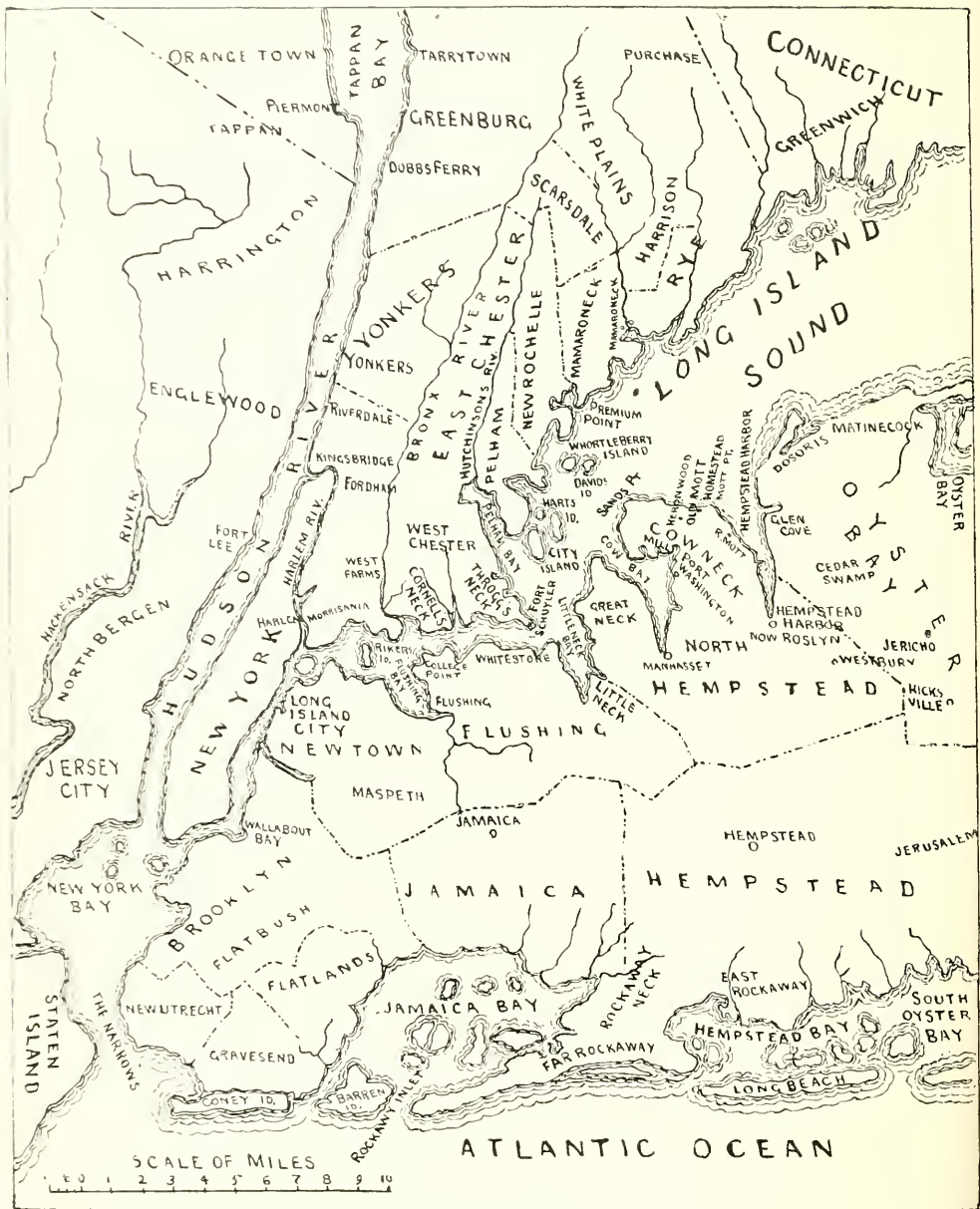
He and his wife Elizabeth sold 50 acres near Success to John Cornell "our cousin" (nephew, probably son of Thomas<sup>2</sup>) living near Success; bounded south by brother Edward and west by Richard Jr. The deed was acknowledged Jan. 27, 1696, by Richard Cornwell, Jr., heir-at-law of Richard Cornwell, Sr. In 1690, he conveyed to "my son-in-law John Lawrence," lots 61 and 37 in the last division of lots in Flushing and in the same year bought from Little John Smith for £30, land at Rockaway, bounded west by Lattins Spring.

Richard Cornell of Rockaway, will dated Nov. 7, 1693; proved Oct. 30, 1694 "Sicke & weeke." He makes over all his lands at Rockaway for the payment of a certain debt owing to the children of John Washburn. (He was Washburn's executor.) "To son William, land at Rockaway, bounded north with the old fence on the south side of last year's wheat field, running east to Hempstead line, south by the sea, excepting that my now dwelling house with orchard and pastures, houses and tillage about it, gardens, springs and outhouses I give to my wife Elizabeth during her widowhood, and afterwards to William forever. To son Thomas, the land I bought from Little John Smith, also a tract bounded south by William, north by the middle of the fresh cove that Robert Beadel's meadow was laid out in, running east to the three rail fence. To Jacob and John, lands north of Thomas, bounded north by the Great River or Cove, east by the rail fence, to be divided between them according to quantity and quality, except to Richard, 10 acres joining Wells line. To daughter Elizabeth Lawrence, 10 acres joining William. To daughter Mary, £100 when she is eigh-

teen years old or married, also half my movables within doors, money excepted. To wife, the use of negroes, stocks, etc., for the maintenance of the children during minority, excepting among other things, twelve two year heifers which I give to my twelve grandchildren when they are of age, that is to the children of my son Richard, son Washburn and son Lawrence. To daughter Sarah Arnold, two cows. If William; Jacob, Thomas, John or Mary should die without heirs, their shares to go to the survivors. If wife shall marry she shall have £100 and half the movables within doors, money excepted, also negro girl Jane. Negroes James and Dinah to go to William. Lands at Cow Neck to be sold. My right to the undivided lands at Hempstead to descend to my five sons. Jacob and John to have two acres purchased of Little Smith, if they choose to build thereon. Debts due me shall be used to pay the children of John Washburn and to Captain Charles Lodwick. Executors, my wife and sons Richard and William with Colonel Thomas Willett, Lieut.-Col. Thomas Hicks and Captain Daniel Whitehead as overseers." All the executors qualified.

The original is on file in New York Surrogate's Office where I have seen it and it is well preserved. For complete copy of this see appendix. The will is also recorded Liber 5, of Wills, page 45. 1698, in census Queens Co., Mrs. Elizabeth Cornell, John, Thomas, William.





MAP OF WESTERN LONG ISLAND AND PART OF WESTCHESTER CO.



## DESCENDANTS OF RICHARD<sup>2</sup> (6).

### 2001

RICHARD,<sup>3</sup> of Richard<sup>2</sup> (6), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1656; d. after 1725; m. Sarah ———, before 1692.\*

Children:

- 2009 Richard, b. before 1685; d. 1772-1788; m. (probably) Marsi or Miriam Mott, Feb. 8, 1712-3.
- 2010 Samuel, b. before 1706; d. 1739; m. Ann Mott.
- 2011 Elizabeth, d. 1753; m. Nicholas Stilwell (marriage licence, Dec. 6, 1703).
- 2012 Mary, b. (census, 1698); m. (1) Joseph Doughty(?) of Long Island, and had son Joseph, b. about 1720; m. (2) John Carman.
- 2013 Sarah.

1684, his father is called Richard, Senior. 1687, his father conveys to Richard, his eldest son, one-half of land at Success and Cornbury, joining Washburn. 1694, executor of his father, by whose will he takes one-fifth of undivided lands in Hempstead, also liberty to put horses on heather, twelve heifers were given to twelve grandchildren, *viz.*: to children of Richard, Washburn and Lawrence. Washburn had three children, leaving nine for Richard and Lawrence. But Bolton says Richard of Richard, *d. s. p.* 1695, deed from Southwood of land on Washburn Neck, sold to John (2007), 1698. 1698, Census of Flushing: Richard, Sarah (wife), Richard, Sarah, Elizabeth, Mary, and five negroes; deed, Richard of Success to brother John of Flushing, land in Hempstead. 1702, deed, Richard Cornwell of Flushing, and wife Sarah, to Candale, land in Huntington. 1705, deeds to Allen and Bayard. 1706, deed, Richard of Flushing, gent., and wife Sarah, to Johannes and Phebe Van Wyck, land in Flushing, near Little Neck, and other land. 1706, deed, Richard of Flushing, to Richard, his son, 150 acres in Hempstead, bounded south by Jacob Cornwell, east by Success Pond, with remainder, in default of issue, successively to son Richard, to second son Samuel, to

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\* QUERY: Did he m. (2) Miriam Mott, Feb. 8, 1712-3 (see *Records of Episcopal Church*, Jamaica), or was it his son?

daughters of son Richard, to his brother Thomas of Hempstead, gent., to brother-in-law William Creed, to Jonathan Whitehead, to S. Clowes, and finally to right heirs of Richard; deed, he and wife Sarah of Flushing, to Nicholas Stilwell (son-in-law), land in Flushing joining John Hicks, Dr. Rodman and Jacob Cornwell; deed to Thomas of Rockaway, 10 acre meadow, willed by my father, joining William and John Cornell. 1708, deed to Beekman, 40 x 100 feet at Jamaica, £4. 1719, Richard of Flushing, gent., and wife Sarah, to Samuel Cornell of Flushing, gent., their son, deed one-half lands, houses, orchards, etc., in Flushing and Hempstead. 1720, deed from Van Cleef, land in Flushing to Richard Cornell, Jr., £300, 70 acres with houses, orchards, etc., on road from Hempstead Plains to Washburn's Point. 1725, his son called Richard, Junior, (see No. 2009.) 1733, deed, Richard, Jr., of Hempstead, yeoman, from Wiltse, land in Hempstead on road from Herricks to Great Neck road, joining John Cornell, 6 acres. 1710, Richard Cornwell, Sr., contributed to Parish Church, Jamaica. 1730, owned land in Goshen in partnership with James Sands. 1712, Richard(?) and Samuel, of Richard and Marsi, baptised (see No. 2009). He lived in Flushing, at Success, a little hamlet now called Lakeville, partly in Flushing and partly in Hempstead.

## 2002

SARAH,<sup>1</sup> of Richard<sup>2</sup> (6), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

bap. July 4, 1657, in Reformed Dutch Church, N. Y.; m. (1) John Washburn; he d. (probably) 1688, in St. Bartolph Parish, Aldgate, (without) London (will dated there); m. (2) Isaac Arnold, 1691.\* He was Sheriff of Suffolk Co. Children (*Washburn*):

John (witness to deed, 1706).

Susannah.

Mary, m. Thomas Hicks (Judge, Queens Co.)

1679, Richard had settled son-in-law Washburn on Madnan's Neck, Flushing; deed to him 1686. 1684, Washburn, Patentee of Flushing. 1687, Feb. 23, John Washburn's will, of Flushing, Long Island, now living in the Parish of St. Bartolph, without Aldgate, London. Children: John, Susan, Mary, all minors.

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\* The license of Isaac Arnold and Sarah Washburn was dated Oct., 1691.

Executor father-in-law, Mr. Richard Cornell. The will was proved in New York, June 19, 1688. Washburn owned land at Hungry Harbor (see No. 2004), 1699. 1693, Richard gave a heifer (by will) to each of Washburn's children, and two cows to Sarah Arnold. Arnold was colonel of militia, 1700, and member of Convention, 1673.

### 2003

ELIZABETH,<sup>3</sup> of Richard<sup>2</sup> (6), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

bap. July 2, 1662; m. John Lawrence (son of William), 1679; he m. (2) ———, and d. 1714. Children (*Lawrence*):

Richard, m. ———. Child: William, m. Charity Cornell (2033); no other children on record.

Benjamin.

William.

Elizabeth, m. ——— Pford.

Mary, m. ——— Briggs.

Deborah.

Sarah.

Charity.

Her sponsors in baptism, July 2, 1662, were Sarah Bridges and George Woolsey. 1679, Lawrence is mentioned in Havi-land suit. 1690, Richard conveys land in Flushing to son-in-law Lawrence. 1708, had land on Jamaica Bay joining Jacob and John Cornell. This John Lawrence was cousin to John who m. Sarah Bridges. (See Lawrence Lineage, appendix.)

### 2004

WILLIAM,<sup>\*\*</sup> of Richard<sup>2</sup> (6) Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1667; d. 1743; m. (1) Elizabeth Smith;(?)† m. (2)

\* Bolton wrongfully says William, eldest son of Richard, left children: Thomas; Richard, of Success, m. Phoebe Doughty; Samuel, of Flushing, m. Hannah Doughty; John, of Whitestone, m. Mary Clement; Charles. These were all children of Thomas (2006), and all named in his will except Richard and Thomas, who died before him.

† Jeremiah Smith of Herricks, by will 1723, proved in New York, in lieu of the last part of their mother's portion, devises "20 shillings each to my two granddaughters, Elizabeth and Ann Cornell, the 2 dau. of my eldest dau. Hannah Cornell dec. and to my 2 granddaughters Elizabeth and Hannah

Jane Whitehead,\* widow of Thomas Whitehead, and daughter of William Creed, April 8, 1735. (William Cornell, Esq., and Jane Whitehead, of Jamaica, m. April 8, 1735. See *Records, St. George's Church, Hempstead.*) Children:

- 2014 Richard of Rockaway, d. 1724; m. Hannah, daughter of John Van Wyck.
- 2015 John, b. about 1700; d. 1773; m. (1) Abigail Whitehead, June 9, 1722; m. (2) Patience Oakly, 1766.
- 2016 William, d. 1781; m. (1) Charity Doughty; m. (2) ——— Mott.
- 2017 Elizabeth, m. James Denton (see will of father, 1743); d. before 1743.
- 2018 Mary, m. James Stringham, Jan. 23, 1727 (see will of father).
- 2019 Letitia, m. Jonathan Hazard of Newtown, March 3, 1733 (see Hazard's will).
- 2020 Thomas, d. 1740;(?) m. Mary Loeysan, June 22, 1735.(?)

1690, deed, William of Hempstead to Thomas Cornell, Esq., £20, 40 acres at Rockaway. 1699, deed, William Cornell from John Spragg (the name is now Sprague in Rhode Island), formerly secretary of the Province, deed of Boscobel, house and lands, south side of the Plains in Hempstead, 280 acres, also meadow at Hungry Harbor in said township, formerly sold by John Washburn, deceased (see No. 2002), to Richard Cornell of Cornbury, gent., deceased, and by him granted to Spragg. Boscobel had been granted in 1688 to Spragg by the town of Hempstead. It was south of the Plains, and east of Seaman's Hollow, bounded by the road and commons. 1694, executor of father's will. Takes land at Rockaway, bounded north by the old fence, on southside of last year's wheat field, running east to Hempstead line, south by sea, except the dwelling, orchard, etc., to wife for life, also 10 acres meadow between Richard and Elizabeth, also two negroes James and Dinah. 1698, May

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Cornell, the daughters of my second dau. Elizabeth Cornell." It is not improbable that one of the daughters of Jeremiah Smith was the first wife of William Cornell.

\* Some authorities say she was daughter of Thomas and Jane Whitehead. (See Whitehead Lineage, appendix.)

13, William and Thomas establish a division line. This is recorded in the County Clerk's office, Jamaica. 1708, Constable and Collector, Hempstead. 1710, Vestryman of St. George's Church, Hempstead. 1715, Feb. 1, he conveys to Z. Van Horn, 700 acres at Rockaway Beach, bounded west by John and Thomas Cornell, north by the Boggs, east by the common, with houses, orchards, etc. In 1719, he and several other Justices of the Peace were complained of for illegal practices. He was charged with having taken upon himself in his petty Justices Court, to give judgment in a case of £3 expressly against the letter of the law, and has been indicted for robbing persons of fish. The charges were not sustained. 1720, Sept. 1, he bought from S. Carman for £570 land at Far Rockaway on the road from Hempstead. 1722, April 17, he conveyed to his son Richard the farm "where my father Richard lived," adjoining Thomas Cornell, also 10 acres at Rocks Point, with houses, etc. In 1724 he was executor of his son Richard. In 1726 he was one of those appointed to command the inhabitants under the law for extinguishing fires in the grass in Hempstead Plains.\* In 1728 he and his daughter Elizabeth Denton, conveyed 67 acres to R. Marvin for £360. 1733, Sept. 1, he conveyed to his son John for £510 the land which he had purchased from Carman. 1734, March 8, Justice William Cornell issued a warrant for a town meeting to consider the granting liberty to William Cornell, John Cornell and others to take land for building a Church according to the useages of the Church of England (St. George's Church, Hempstead). 1734, on the first Sunday in April, William Cornell, gent., John Cornell, gent., and three others were authorized to take up half an acre at, or near the place where the old church now stands on which to build a church, also a burying ground; among the petitioners, were William Cornell, Sr., William Cornell, Jr., John Cornell, John Cornell, Jr., Richard Cornell, Jr., and Thomas Cornell, Jr.† In 1735, he was plaintiff in certain ejectment suits in New Jersey. Will dated May 4, 1742 (see appendix): "To

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\* In 1750 William Cornell, his son, and in 1769, William Cornell, Jr., his son, were by successive acts of the Legislature appointed to direct the same duty.

† This part of the family seems to have taken a deep interest in St. George's Parish. It is a singular fact that Col. (afterwards Gen.) Ezekiel<sup>5</sup> Cornell (Richard,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), their cousin, who invaded

Elizabeth, daughter of son John £5; to Phoebe, daughter of my daughter Elizabeth, late wife of James Denton, £5; to Susannah, daughter of my son William, £20; to Elizabeth, daughter of my daughter Mary, late wife of James Stringham, £10; to Mary, the other daughter, £10; to Elizabeth, daughter of my daughter Letitia, deceased wife of Jonathan Hazard, £10. Residue of personal estate to son William and his daughter Susannah, and to granddaughter Mary Stringham. Executors, brother Col. John, and sons William and John Cornell.

## 2005

JACOB,<sup>3</sup> of Richard<sup>2</sup> (6), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1668; d. about 1756; m. Hester ———. Children:

- 2021 Jacob, b. before 1724; m. ———.
- 2022 Daniel, perhaps m. Mary ——— (see below).
- 2023 Samuel, living near White Plains, 1732 (see below).
- 2024 Richard, m. Elizabeth Cornel, Dec. 31, 1731.\*  
Will proved 1801.
- 2025 Mary.

1693, his father's will mentions him third among his sons, gives him with John land north of Thomas, bounded north by Great River or Cove running east to three rail fence, also 2 acres bought of Smith (in 1690?) to build on. 1698, in Flushing census. 1703, Jacob of Success in Flushing, gent, conveys to John his brother (2007), 40 acres in Flushing, devised to him by his father Richard of Rockaway, lying north of Thomas Cornell. Deed acknowledged by witnesses who deposed that they saw him and his wife Hester sign the same. 1741, March 1, Jacob Cornell of White Plains conveyed to E. Yeomans for £70, land in Harrison's Purchase at Brown's Point, on the Mill Brook joining Daniel Cornell (deed witnessed by Daniel Cornell and Mary Cornell). 1748, March 30, Daniel Cornell conveyed to Elisha Horton, 69 acres in the same locality for £202.0.6. In 1745, Jacob of Rye conveyed land to son Jacob of Cortland, Westchester Co. In 1756, Jacob, Jr., of Goshen,

Queens County from Rhode Island, should have desecrated the church, and allowed his soldiers to eat their rations from the Communion table during the Revolution.

\* See *Records St. George's Church, Hempstead.*

Orange Co., yeoman, eldest son and heir of Jacob of Westchester who is one of the younger sons of Richard, late of Rockaway, conveyed land to Henry Foster and Glorianna his wife, Elijah, eldest son of Jacob, Jr., confirmed the deed. Daniel Cornwell had an ear mark recorded in Rye, May 25, 1722, and had lands at Brown's Point, 1715 to 1742, and 1754. there was a Jacob Cornell, weaver, freeman, N. Y. Jacob seems to have been a wanderer. He left Long Island, went to Westchester Co., and Orange Co. Probably Jacob, Jr., Daniel, Samuel and Mary were children of Jacob and Hester, also Richard, Jr., who married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Cornel, Dec. 20, 1712. He had several sons but only Jacob is mentioned; he probably named one Richard after his father as all his brothers who had sons did so—the dates also seem to fit this theory.

## 2006

THOMAS,<sup>3\*</sup> of Richard<sup>2</sup> (6), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1675; d. 1719; m. (1) ———; m. (2) Charity Hicks, Dec. 10, 1712. Children:

**2026** Thomas, b. July 23, 1703; d. March 24, 1764; m. Sarah Doughty.

**2027** Samuel, b. about 1700; d. after 1772; m. (1) Hannah Doughty; m. (2) Elizabeth Doughty (her sister); m. (3) Susannah Willett, marriage license, Aug. 1, 1768.

**2028** John, d. 1767; m. Mary Clement.

**2029** Richard, b. about 1710; d. 1775; m. Phebe Doughty, Dec. 5, 1734, sister of Sarah, Hannah and Elizabeth, above.

**2030** Charles, b. about 1705; m. ———.

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\* Bolton (*History of Westchester Co.*), says: the children Thomas (2026), Richard (2029), Samuel (2027), John (2028), Charles (2030), were those of William (2004), which is wrong (see will). They were doubtless children of Thomas, for Richard (who married Phebe Doughty), is described in marriage record as son of Thomas, late deceased. John (2007), makes executor my brother Thomas and his son my cousin Thomas. Charles (2030), was son of Thomas (see will of John). These were all brothers and one certainly was son of Thomas. Elizabeth (sister), is named in will of Thomas (2026), also Letitia Lawrence (was she sister?) Charity *may be* daughter of Thomas and Charity Hicks, she married 1741, William Lawrence.

- 2031 Elizabeth, m. Richard Cornel (2024), Dec. 31, 1731.  
(See *Records St. George's Church*, Hempstead.)
- 2032 Letitia Lawrence(?)
- 2033A Charity, b. 1720; m. William Lawrence (see No. 2003). Children: Catherine Violetta, William, Richard, Daniel, Oliver and Charles.

1693, father's will gives him land bought of Smith, also land bounded west by William, north by land that Beadulph's meadow was laid out in, east by three rail fence, south by Jacob and John, also one-fifth undivided lands in Hempstead and right to put horses on heather and swine on beach. 1698, he and William ran dividing line, this is recorded in Jamaica. 1706, reversioner in deed of Richard (2001). 1710, executor of William Creed, Jr., brother-in-law, with Thomas Whitehead who married Jane Creed. 1717, buys from J. and J. Smith, land at Rockaway. 1719, he died intestate. Letters of administration were issued to his widow Charity Cornell. Inventory made April 19, 1719, by Capt. Thomas Willett, Capt. Jacob Hicks, and Mr. Samuel Carman. He is styled "Gentleman." The inventory recorded in N. Y. Wills, IX., 37, indicates a man of wealth and position. Personal estate £1241. Had money, scales and weights, plate, cash, pistols, gun, sword, whale boat, two skiffs, twenty-five horses and colts, ninety-nine cattle, fourteen slaves. He was buried in the Rockaway burial ground; monument "erected by his weeping widow."

## 2007

COL. JOHN,<sup>3</sup> of Richard<sup>2</sup> (6), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1672; d. 1745; m. Letitia Printz, marriage license, Dec. 6, 1703; she m. (2) Capt. John Brown of New York, Aug. 2, 1748. Child:

- 2033 Glorianna, b. Aug. 26, 1724; bap. Sept. 13, 1731; d. April 25, 1779; m. Henry Foster of Jamaica.

1694, father's will gives him and Jacob land north of Thomas, bounded north by Great River or Cove, east by three rail fence, also his portion of the profit from sale of lands in Cow Neck and Crab Meadow, and one-fifth of undivided lands in Hempstead, liberty to put horses on heather, also two acres bought



of Smith to build on. 1698, buys from brother Richard land in Hempstead which Richard bought 1695, of Southwood (see No. 2001). 1703, buys from brother Jacob land devised by Jacob's father. 1756, Jacob, Jr., conveys this land to Henry and Gloriana Foster. 1705, John and Richard convey to Bayard land on Cow Neck (see 1694, above). 1705, deposition about a schooner. 1715, muster roll of his company. Buys from Van Horn, 700 acres at Rockaway Beach, the same having belonged to William Cornell (2004), 1718. 1715-26, vestryman of St. George's Church, Hempstead. 1722, assessor, Hempstead. 1726, executor of Rev. John Thomas, rector of Parish Church, Hempstead. 1730, Major John Cornell, Supervisor. 1734, John Cornell, gent., William Cornell, gent, and others authorized to take  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre for church and burial ground. 1735, General Crosby entertained at his house after the consecration of St. George's Church, Hempstead. 1740, executor of Thomas Cornell (2026). 1741, chosen to adjust rent in New York. 1742, executor of brother William. 1745, April 18, will proved. Dated Jan. 16, 1741, "John Cornell of Rockaway, colonel of the Queens Co. Militia, leaves Justice Jonathan Whitehead, £300 (borrowed to make provision for daughter Gloriana, wife of Henry Foster, yeoman, of Jamaica)." To nephew Charles (2030), son of late brother Thomas, £100. Residue to wife Letitia with reversion to Gloriana of Rockaway. Executors, wife and nephew Thomas (2026). 1748, Aug. 1, Letitia, widow of John, gives bond and frees eight slaves of her husband, next day she married Capt. John Brown.

## 2008

MARY,<sup>3</sup> of Richard<sup>2</sup> (6), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. after 1675; m. (1) William Creed, Jr., of Jamaica; he d. about 1710; she m. (2) April 10, 1711 (supposed) Richard Betts. Children (*Creed*):

William, m. Mary Hallett, Dec. 20, 1728.

Augustine, m. Mary Oakly, March 25, 1732.

Elizabeth, m. Theodorus Van Wyck, Aug. 23, 1720.

Sarah.

Letitia.

1694, takes £100 under her father's will. 1706, William Creed, Jr., brother-in-law, reversioner in deed of Richard

(2001). 1710, William Creed, Jr., will proved in New York. 1711, names wife Mary and children. Executors, my father William Creed and my two brothers-in-law Thomas Cornell and Thomas Whitehead (who married Jane Creed, 1703). 1715, William Creed, Sr., gives bond and takes possession of estate of William Creed, Jr.

## 2009

RICHARD,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (2001), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. before 1685; d. 1772-8; m. (probably) Marsi or Miriam  
 Mott, Feb. 8, 1712. He and wife living 1754 (see No. 2034).  
 Children (as per deed, 1760):

- 2034 James, b. Aug. 9, 1721; d. 1792; m. Margaret Hicks, Feb. 7, 1758.
- 2035 Samuel, d. 1796; m.(?) Hannah Cornell (perhaps daughter of John Cornell), April 27, 1740.
- 2036 Stephen, d. 1784; m. Elizabeth Cornell, daughter of an untraced Benjamin Cornell.
- 2037 Obadiah, d. 1794; m. Mary Cornell, daughter of Benjamin, marriage license, Dec. 7, 1753.
- 2038 Isaac, d. 1765; m. Deborah ———.
- 2039 Sarah, bap. May 25, 1734; d. 1791; m. Cornelius Cornell (2049), son of Richard and Hannah.

1706, Richard (2001), of Flushing, gent, to Richard his son, deed, land partly in Flushing and partly in Hempstead, bounded south by Jacob Cornell (2005), and John Hicks, west by Hicks, north by a swamp, east by Success Pond with reversions, etc., (see No. 2001). This was probably part of the survey, Aug. 26, 1685, of 837 acres in Flushing and Hempstead, southeast of Little Neck or Cornbury. 1687, Richard (6), of Flushing, gave his son Richard (2001), one-half of a piece of land at Success. In 1752, Richard (2009), conveys the land by the same description as in the deed of 1706, to Whitehead Hicks, 150 acres. This deed is among the papers of Hallett Cornwell a descendant. About 1710, Richard, Sr. (2001), contributes to Parish Church, Jamaica. 1698, Richard, son of Richard (2001), and Sarah, in Flushing census. 1725, Richard, Jr., of Flushing from Van Hoff, deed £300, land on road from Hempstead Plains to Washburn's Point, 70 acres with houses, orchards, etc. 1731,

Richard and wife Mary of Flushing to Benjamin Cornell of Flushing, deed, south by Stephen, deceased, north and east by Isaac, deceased, 6 acres. 1735, Richard, Jr., petitions for incorporation of St. George's Church, Hempstead. 1733, Richard, Jr., Hempstead, yeoman, from Wilson, deed, £336, 60 acres in Hempstead on road from Hempstead to Great Neck joining John Cornell. 1738, witness to will of brother Samuel. 1740(?), Commissioner of Highways (Printed Records, 3-262). 1747, deed to son James land at Success (gift). 1752, Richard of Flushing, yeoman, to son James, deed one-fifth of all my lands in Flushing, Hempstead or elsewhere. Deed to Whitehead Hicks, 150 acres at Success. 1754, Richard and wife living. (Letters of James.) 1760, Samuel, Stephen, Obadiah and Isaac Cornell to their brother James, deed land at Success near the dwelling of our father Richard, west side of Joseph Cornell's house. 1772, Barak Cornell conveys land at Success, south by Richard Cornell now living and land late of Richard, deceased, some part of which belongs to the posterity of said Richard and some part to Stephen and Cornelius Van Wyck, east by Benjamin Cornell, deceased. Again in 1788, he describes the same land as bounded south by Richard, deceased, and land of Richard now in possession, west partly of Obadiah and partly upon Van Wyck, east by Benjamin, deceased, now in possession of Uriah Mitchell and George Cornell. Apparently Richard (2009), died between 1772 and 1778. 1712(?), Richard and Samuel ye sons of Richard and Marsi Cornell, baptized at Flushing by Rev. Mr Poyer (see No. 2009-10). 1722, he was Fence Viewer.

## 2010

SAMUEL,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (2001), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. before 1706; d. 1739; m. Ann Mott, daughter of Joseph. Children:

- 2040 Joseph, b. 1712(?); d. 1772; m. Hanah Thorne.
- 2041 George(?), m. Ann Hicks, Sept. 21, 1767.
- 2042 Samuel Mott, b. about 1730.
- 2043 Charles, b. 1736; d. 1820; m. Abigail Eldred, June 13, 1758.
- 2044 Miriam (1715 witness).
- 2045 Sarah.

2046 Deborah(?), b. 26, 8, 1739.

2047 Morris (posthumous).

1706, his father makes second son Samuel reversioner in deed to eldest son Richard. 1719, his father conveys to son Samuel of Flushing, gent., one-half his lands, houses, orchards, etc., in Flushing. 1720, sells to William Cornell land at Far Rockaway, east of Henry Foster (see No. 2034) which John Cornell (2014) sold 1787 to Martin. 1726, executor to his brother-in-law Samuel Mott. 1734, Joseph Mott's will names my daughter Anne Cornell, wife of Samuel Cornell, and his son Samuel. Samuel Mott's will 1736 names executor my brother Samuel Cornell. 1739, Samuel Cornell of Flushing, will proved, dated July 12, 1738, "To wife Ann negro Jack and use of lands, wife is pregnant. Daughters Miriam, Sarah, Deborah £100 each when they are 18, Sons Joseph, George, Samuel and Charles all under age." Executors, son Joseph, and Richard Everrite; witnesses, Samuel Thorne, Richard Cornell (2009), James Cornell (2034).\*

## 2011

ELIZABETH,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (2001), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1694; d. 1753; m. Nicholas Stilwell. Children (*Stilwell*):

Marian, m. Thomas Marsh.

Esther, m. John Sayer in 1735 of New York, and in 1753 of Philadelphia (shopkeeper).

Mary, m. Samuel Southard of Hempstead, L. I.

Elizabeth, m. James Milwood.

Nicholas Stilwell (eldest son of Nicholas), b. 1673, settled after his marriage at Jamaica, L. I., where in 1706 he purchased a farm from his father-in-law (deed recorded in Queens Co., Lib. 13, p. 141). He died prior to 1735, his wife Elizabeth survived him, and died, 1753, leaving a will (Lib. 18 of wills, p. 369, N. Y. See *Memorials of the Stillwell Family*, by Benjamin Marshall Stillwell, N. Y.)

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\* 1762, Feb. 11, baptisms at St. George's Church, Hempstead (*New York Genealogical Record*), Samuel Cornell (adult), Charles Cornell (adult), Hannah Cornell (adult); Samuel, Daniel and Jacob, children of Joseph and Hannah Cornell; Jane, daughter of Samuel and Catherine Cornell; Abigail and Rachel, children of Charles and Abigail Cornell. QUERY: Were Joseph, Samuel and Charles, all the same family brothers above?

## 2014

RICHARD,<sup>4</sup> of William<sup>3</sup> (2004), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1724; m. Hannah Van Wyck (daughter of John); she m. (2)  
Robert Mitchell, May 14, 1729. Cornelius will calls Uriah  
Mitchell half-brother. Children:

2048 Richard of Rockaway, d. 1778; m. Deborah ———.

2049 Cornelius, d. 1790; m. Sarah Cornwell, daughter of  
Richard (2009) and Miriam, Aug. 15, 1751.

1722, William of Hempstead, to Richard, his son, conveys  
the farm where my father Richard lived, now in possession of  
my said son, with beach and meadow and right of way to the  
beach. Bounded west, east and north by Thomas (2006); also  
10 acres at Rocks Point, west and east by Thomas, north by  
the bay. 1724, Richard of Rockaway, will, dated March 9, 1723,  
to wife Hannah use of farm for bringing up our children; to  
son Richard the farm where I live, also Lyon Rock Neck in  
Hempstead; to youngest son Cornelius two-thirds of personal  
estate; both minors. Executors: his wife, father (William),  
and father-in-law (John Van Wyck). Witnesses: John Cornell,  
Thomas Whitehead.

## 2015

JOHN,<sup>4\*</sup> of William<sup>3</sup> (2004), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. about 1700; d. 1773; m. (1) Abigail Whitehead, June 9 or  
Jan. 29, 1722, supposed daughter of Thomas and Jane Creed  
Whitehead; she d. April 20, 1762, in her 57th year, and is  
buried in Rockaway Cemetery; m. (2) Patience Oakley, mar-  
riage license, June 6, 1766, daughter of Samuel and Hannah  
Skidmore.† Children:

2050 William, bap. July 25, 1725; d. 1798; m. Miriam  
Mott, Feb. 17, 1747.

2051 Daniel, bap. Oct. 29, 1727; d. after 1803; m. Charity  
Valentine, Jan. 29, 1753.

2052 Mary, bap. Jan. 7, 1728; supposed d. before father,  
not in his will.

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\* Bolton wrongfully calls John son of Thomas.

† Mentioned in his will, 1732, sureties on bond for license of John  
Cornell to marry were John Skidmore (Miller) and Samuel Skidmore, Kings  
Co. (Butcher).

- 2053 Elizabeth, b. Sept. 20, 1729; m. Israel Horsfield, Oct. 28, 1749.
- 2054 Whitehead, b. March 12, 1731; bap. July 19, 1731, at Hempstead; d. Feb. 5, 1810; m. (1) Margaret Sebring; m. (2) Phebe Thorne.
- 2055 Thomas, bap. Sept. 11, 1737; d. young.
- 2056 John, bap. June 24, 1739; d. about 1781; m. Elizabeth Whitehead, May 2, 1761.
- 2057 Sylvester, bap. June 12, 1743; d. unmarried about 1799. He was weak-minded; his nephews John, William and Isaac made him an allowance of £5 per annum.
- 2058 Thomas, bap. April 25, 1745; d. about 1824; m. Elizabeth Thurston, Aug. 8, 1770.

1722, makes tax list and copies Hempstead Records. 1725, makes deposition relative to seeing a two-masted schooner lying at anchor off Merrick's Gut, east of Rockaway. 1733, deed from his father, land at Far Rockaway. 1734, buys an 8s. patent right in Hempstead and is called John, Junior, son of William. 1735, John, Jr., petitions for a charter of St. George's Church, Hempstead. 1740, executor of brother Thomas of Oyster Bay (2020). 1743, his father's will gives John and William all beach, marshes and broken lands at Rockaway; to Elizabeth, daughter of John, £5. Names John executor. Probably Elizabeth (2053) was the only daughter of John then living. 1755, John had three slaves. 1766, John Cornell (farmer of Hempstead) whose son John, a butcher, lives in Brooklyn, and Patience Oakley, widow, of Huntington. Marriage contract provides that she shall have only £50 out of his estate if she survives him. 1773, John Cornell of Huntington Suffolk Co., will dated July (no date), proved Aug. 26, 1773, "To my wif the Hors and chear and the littel wheal and after her death the Chear I give to John Oakley and half the Linen that has bin made hear in Huntin." To son William silver tankard and £50; to daughter Elizabeth Horsfield the use of £200; to son Whitehead £100 as soon as the land can be sold; to son John £200 out of the money he owes me; to son Thomas £300; to Sylvester the income of £50; to granddaughter Elizabeth, daughter of Daniel, deceased, bed, etc.; to granddaughter Abigail, daughter of John, bed, etc. Real estate to be sold. All the children to pay toward maintaining my old

slaves. Executors: son William and loving cousin John Skidmore (probably brother of his wife). Witnessed by Wilmot Oakley and Samuel Oakley. He lived probably south of Foster meadow, on the farm formerly Thomas Whitehead's.

## 2016

WILLIAM,<sup>4</sup> of William<sup>3</sup> (2004), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1705; d. 1781; m. (1) Charity Doughty;\* m. (2)

—— Mott. Children:

- 2059 Susannah, bap. Jan. 5, 1732; m. Aaron Van Nostrand, Dec. 18, 1763; marriage license, Dec. 7. Grandfather's will gives her £20.
- 2060 Anne, bap. Jan. 5, 1732. Did she m. Peter Caverly, 1756, or Harry Wilsie, 1749?
- 2061 Elizabeth, bap. July 30, 1732; perhaps m. Cornelius Wilzie, Jan. 5, 1749 (see No. 2065).
- 2062 William, bap. March 10, 1737; m. Ruth Smith.
- 2063 John, bap. March 10, 1737; m.(?) Catherine Smith, 1767. Surety, Timothy Cornell.
- 2064 Timothy, d. 1804; m. Letitia Everitt, marriage license, Jan. 4, 1765.

1735, William, Jr., petitions for charter of St. George's Church. 1740, executor of brother Thomas. 1743, executor of his father who gives to him and daughter Susannah, remainder of personal estate, also to Susannah £20, also to him one-half of land at Rockaway Beach. 1748, he of Hempstead, sells to Luke for £100, 40 acres southwest of Great Plains. 1755, owned 4 slaves. 1770, mortgage to Lucas, £210, where William now lives near Foster's meadow, Hempstead, on road from Jamaica to Hempstead line joining William Cornell, Jr., and John, Jr. 1775-7, adherent of the crown. 1781, William of Hempstead, will proved; dated, 1756. To son William seven negroes; to sons John and Timothy, one negro each; to daughter Susannah, certain silver; daughters Ann and Eliza-

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\* William Cornell married Charity Doughty at St. George's Church, Hempstead, L. I., Dec. 23, 1726, both of Flushing (*New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*). QUERY: Feb. 17, 1746-7, William, Jr., and Miriam Mott married at St. George's Church; was she second wife of William, Sr.? probably not. William and Miriam had children (2050).

beth mentioned; sons to have £300 each, daughters, £200 each. Timothy only is a minor. Witnesses: Elias Doughty, John Cornwell, Sarah Doughty. Executors: sons William and John, and daughter Susannah. Letters issued to William and Susannah Van Nostrand. 1750, Nov. 24, 1760, Nov. 8, 1769, Acts appointing him to extinguish fires in the Plains.

## 2020

THOMAS,<sup>4</sup> of William<sup>3</sup> (2004), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1710; d. 1740; m. Mary Locyssam or Kissam,\* June 22, 1735. Children:

- 2065 Elizabeth, bap. Oct. 6, 1734; perhaps m. Cornelius Wilsie, Jan. 5, 1749 (see No. 2061).
- 2066 Mary, bap. Oct. 17, 1736; d. before her father, see his will.
- 2067 Letitia, mentioned in father's will.

1737, Thomas Cornell, son of William, Esq., of Hempstead, buys from Dickinson 240 acres for £800 at "Seader Swamp," on road from "Moskito Cove" to the Plains. Also two lots bounded southwest by the division line between Hempstead and Oyster Bay, on the road to Westbury, with houses, barns, gardens. etc. 1735, Thomas, Jr., petitions for charter of St. George's Church (his brother was John, Jr.) 1739, Thomas Cornwell takes up land at Oyster Bay, south of "Moskito Cove." 1740, Thomas Cornwell (signed Cornell) of Oyster Bay, will. Wife Mary, children Elizabeth and Letitia, brothers John, William, Richard and Thomas. 1745, Mary, widow of Thomas of Oyster Bay, buys from Dodge (£300) land at Cow Neck. In 1753, sells this 50 acres for £1400 to Halstead. 1748, Mary, widow of Thomas (See *Printed Records of Hempstead*, 3, 418).

## 2021

JACOB,<sup>4</sup> of Jacob<sup>3</sup> (2005), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. before 1724; m. ———. Children:

- 2068 Elijah, eldest son, m. Elizabeth Abrams? (Elias of Oyster Bay, m. Elizabeth Smith, Dec. 26, 1726).
- 2069 Perhaps Benjamin.

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\* See *Records St. George's Church*, Hempstead (in *New York Genealogical Record*) perhaps Locyssam is the same as Kissam, e. g., Elizabeth Kissam, alias Locyssam, married Henry Strange, St. George's Church, 1726.



1756, Jacob Cornell of Goshen, Orange Co., N. Y., and Elijah Cornell of same place, his *eldest son*, confirms deed to Henry Foster (see No. 2033). For deed of Jacob, Jr., see No. 2005. 1754, Stephen Van Cortlandt leaves to son Philip, all my farm in the Manor of Cortland, now in the terture of Jacob Cornwall (*Pelletreau Westchester Co. Wills*, 143).

## 2024

RICHARD,<sup>4</sup> (supposed) of Jacob<sup>3</sup> (2005), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> d. (will proved) 1801; m. Elizabeth Cornel (2031), Dec. 31, 1731.\* Children:

- 2070 Richardus, b. April 12 (o. s.), 1739; d. Sept. 14, 1807; m. Ruth Slocum.
- 2071 James, b. July 20, 1751; d. March 14, 1852; m. Rachel Dennis, Jan. 20, 1774.
- 2072 Sarah, bap. May 25, 1735; m. Philip Flagler, June 10, 1760.
- 2073 Letitia, bap. Oct. 17, 1742; m. James McLess. Children: Richard and John.

He was of Oyster Bay, L. I., at the time of his marriage, 1731. Between that and 1767 (when he was vestryman of Christ Church, Beekman) he went to Beekman, Dutchess Co., N. Y. He probably emigrated to Dutchess Co. at an early period. The Cornell family are mentioned in *Smith's History of Dutchess County* as one of the early settlers of Beekman Precinct. He was buried in the family plot of his farm at Beekman, Sept. 13, 1794. The farm on which he located was in the possession of his family till about twelve years ago. 1793, will dated Sept. 11; proved 1801.† Wife not named. Sons Richardus and James; grandsons Richard and Thomas, sons of James; Richard McLess, son of James McLess; daughter of James; Elizabeth, daughter of Richardus; my daughters Sarah and Letitia. Executors: Richardus and James. Witnesses: Benjamin Moxon, Richard B. Moxon, Catherine Brill.

\* *Record St. George's Church*, Hempstead, both of Oyster Bay (Onderdonck says of Flushing).

† See *Record of Wills*, Poughkeepsie, Dutchess Co., N. Y., book B., page 254.

**2026**

THOMAS,<sup>4</sup> of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (2006), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 23, 1703; d. March 24, 1764; m. Sarah Doughty, daughter of Charles.\* Children:

- 2074 Thomas, b. Dec. 14, 1722; d. Oct. 13, 1766; m. Helena Whitehead.
- 2075 Sarah, m. (1) Daniel Waters; m. (2) Henry Wisner (see father's will, also mother's). Waters' farm joining John, advertised for sale.†
- 2076 Phebe, m. John Talman, marriage license, Sept. 10, 1750 (see father's and mother's will).
- 2077 Martha, b. Feb. 28, 1732; d. Sept. 2, 1783; m. William Thorne, May 9, 1754 (see father's and mother's will).
- 2078 Peggy, m. John Treadwell, marriage license, Dec. 4, 1755 (see father's and mother's will).

1721, Mr. Cornell and D. Whitehead, licensed to catch whales. His father's estate had whale-boats and whalebone. 1725, deed to Hilton (£220), 46 acres on Great Plains. 1728-37, Vestryman St. George's Church, Hempstead. 1731, subscribes to Reformed Dutch Church, Jamaica. 1735, Petitions for Parish Church. 1738, Justice of the Peace. 1739-64, member of Assembly until his death when he was succeeded by Daniel Kissam. 1745, executor of will of Col. John (2007). 1755, erected beacons at Rockaway; owned three slaves. 1757, John (2028), names executor, my brother Thomas and his son my cousin Thomas; both died before testator. The west line of Hempstead was laid out 1780, through his barn. 1763, the bay is made over by the town to Thomas and eleven others as trustees to protect the clam fisheries. Will dated Dec. 24;

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\* Did he marry (1) Elizabeth Smith? "1719, July 23, Thomas Cornell, gent, of Hempstead and Elizabeth Smith of Jamaica," married by Rev. Thomas Poyer of Jamaica. I can find no other Thomas, gent, of that date to fit the case. Also Jeremiah Smith, will of 1725, of Herrick's, gives unto my two granddaughters Elizabeth and Ann Cornell, the two daughters of my eldest daughter Hannah Cornell, deceased, 20 s. To my two granddaughters Elizabeth and Hannah Cornell, the daughters of my second daughter Elizabeth Cornell, 20 s. William (2016), had daughters Elizabeth and Ann; John, son of Thomas.<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> had wife Hannah and daughter Elizabeth.

† Henry Wisner had a son Gabriel Wisner by first wife who married Elizabeth Waters her daughter by first husband (Daniel Waters).

proved April 4, 1764, Thomas of Rockaway, to wife Sarah, £200, slave Phillis, use of plate, and of the plantation where I reside, bounded by orchard spring, and Lattin's spring with one-half the house, also fuel from Rock Point (compare No. 2014). To sister Elizabeth Cornwell at the Fish Kills, £20. To Letitia Lawrence,\* a bed and £40. Children Phebe, Martha, Peggy, Sarah, wife of Daniel Waters; son Thomas takes all the lands. Executors: Jacob Mott, Valentine Hewlett Peters, Daniel Jones and William Nicolls, Esqrs. 1765, Sarah, widow of Thomas, will dated May 15; proved May 16, 1769. To son Thomas, £5, to Mary Waters, Elizabeth Waters and Hannah Waters, children of my daughter Sarah Waters, Sarah and Phebe, children of my daughter Martha Thorne, Phebe and Sarah Treadwell, children of my daughter Peggy Treadwell, money to purchase one-half dozen silver table spoons for each. Her four daughters and their respective representatives, share and share alike, are also her residuary legatees. Executors: Valentine Hewlett Peters, Esq., Captain Jacob Mott and my brother Samuel Doughty.

## 2027

SAMUEL,† of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (2006), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1700; m. (1) Hannah Doughty, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth (Jackson) Doughty (see *Friends' Records*); m. (2) Elizabeth Doughty her sister; m. (3) Susannah Willett, marriage license, Aug. 1, 1768. Children (as per *Friends' Records*):

2079 Hannah, b. 21.1, 1729;‡ m. Francis Browne, marriage license, Nov. 21, 1755; devisee of brother Samuel.

2080 Hon. Samuel, b. 17.4, or Jan. 18, 1731; d. Jan. 1, 1781; m. Susannah Mabson.

2081 Sarah, b. 5.12, 1732.

2082 Mary, b. 4.3, 1736; m. Arthur Mabson of North Carolina, brother of Susannah (2080); had

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\* Was Letitia his sister? Elizabeth and Letitia were the names of children of William (2004), Thomas (2020), and William Creed (see No. 2008).

† Bolton wrongfully makes him son of William (see also No. 2004).

‡ See *Records of the Society of Friends*, of the city of New York and vicinity from 1640 to 1800 (*New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, Vol. III., and IV.).

- daughter Susannah who m. Col. Thomas Hill. Arthur Mabson was Justice of the Peace; representative to the General Assembly, 1734-46.
- 2083 Charles, b. 1738; d. 1790; m Elizabeth<sup>5</sup> Cornwell (William,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), Sept. 20, 1772.
- 2084 Robert, m. Ann Lines (see below will, 1808). No children.
- 2085 Ann, b. Dec. 25, 1745; d. May 29, 1773; m. Col. Benjamin Ray Floyd, Nov. 4, 1767 (see below).

He lived in Flushing, owned and occupied the farm which he sold in 1793, to William Prince, afterwards called Princes Nursery (see No. 2080). 1771-2, recognizances. 1767, raised a cow weighing 1054 pounds. 1777, contributes 8s. to raising Fanning's Corps of Royalist Troops. Robert Cornwell, Flushing, will, 1808, advanced in years, gives all to Thomas Heathcote Punderson of Brookhaven (is this No. 2084?). Ann Cornell of Flushing, married Benjamin Ray Floyd of Suffolk Co., Nov. 4, 1767. He was Colonel of Militia, Supervisor, etc. Ann Cornell Spinster, marriage license, Sept. 24, 1767, surety on bond, Joseph Brewster, Samuel Willett. Susanna Willett, b. 1772, was daughter of Abraham (of Col. Thomas) and Susannah (Stevens) Willett.

## 2028

- JOHN,<sup>4</sup> of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (2006), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. about 1702; d. 1767; m. Mary Clement of Flushing; she d. 1792. Children:
- 2086 Thomas, b. 1742; d. about 1808; m. Ann Gale, July 3, 1772.
- 2087 John, b. about 1745; m. Sarah Roe.
- 2088 Oliver, b. about 1747; d. about 1808; m. Anne Roe, 1777.
- 2089 Margaret, b. 1750; d. 1815; m. Oliver Roe, Oct. 25, 1775, marriage license, Oct. 3, 1775.
- 2090 Mary, b. 1760; m. Austin Field, May 24, 1786; he d. 1836. Resident of Flushing. Devisee of mother, not of father.
- 2091 Anne, b. 1762; m. William Roe, marriage license, Dec. 22, 1780.

He owned and probably lived at Whitestone, joining Daniel Waters (see No. 2075). 1767, John Cornell of Flushing, will proved July 6, dated Feb. 23, 1757. To wife Mary, a bed and £100. "House where I now live in Flushing and salt meadow to be sold." To sons Thomas, John and Oliver £200 each; to daughter Margaret £100. Executors: Brother Thomas Cornell, Esq., his son, my cousin Thomas Cornell, Jr., who are to invest money till children come of age. 1767, Aug. 11, letters testamentary were issued by Hon. Henry Moore, the governor, to wife Mary, describe him as a farmer. The executors named had died. 1772, Mary of Flushing, will, widow of John, deceased. To daughter Mary, mahogany table, etc.; to daughter Anne, a bed when she is eighteen. Executors: son Thomas, John Field, Somerset Lawrence. Witness: Caleb Valentine (he married Elizabeth Cornell, 1791).

## 2029

RICHARD,\* of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (2006), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1710; d. 1775; m. Phebe Doughty, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth (Jackson) Doughty, Dec. 5, 1734† (5, 10, 1734-5), sister of Hannah and Elizabeth (see No. 2027). Children:

- 2092 Charles, b. Aug. 13, 1743; d. 1800; m. Deborah Bowne.
- 2093 Phebe, m. Thomas Pearsall, merchant of New York, son of Thomas and Freelove of Oyster Bay, 12, 2d mo., 1761 Pearsall was executor of both father and mother-in-law.
- 2094 Anne, m. Ferris<sup>5</sup> Cornell (Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).
- 2095 Mary, m. Elijah Pell; perhaps d. before her mother (see will).

1755, smoke house robbed. Richard of Flushing, will dated 1774, May 20. To wife (not named) the house "where I now

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\* *Bolton's History of Westchester County* calls him Richard of Success, son of William (2004).

† Richard, son of Thomas, late deceased, of Hempstead, and Phebe, daughter of Charles Doughty, see *New York Genealogical Record*, vol. VI., page 105, copied from Quaker Records.

live, 10 acres and half the rest of my lands with reversion to three daughters, Phebe, Ann and Mary." To son Charles, house and 10 acres "where he now lives and half the rest of my lands." Executors: wife, son Charles and son-in-law Thomas Pearsall. 1786, Phebe, widow of Richard of Flushing, will granddaughter Mary Pell, a minor daughter Anne Cornell. To son Charles, £200. To Joseph, Thomas and Samuel, sons of my daughter Anne Cornell, certain property. Executors: son-in-law Thomas Pearsall, son Charles and daughter Phebe Pearsall.

### 2030

CHARLES,<sup>4</sup> of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (2006), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. about 1705; m. ———. Children:

2096 William, b. May 12, 1728; d. Nov. 4, 1790; m.  
Hannah Hicks, Oct. 21, 1770.

2097 Abigail(?), m. Charles Hicks (see No. 2131).

1745, Col. John's (2007), will gives £100 to Charles, son of my brother Thomas. 1759, Charles\* of Hempstead, buys of John Cornell 17¾ acres in Hempstead; also 6 acres adjoining Benjamin. 1760, Charles, yeoman, Hempstead, buys from Earle, £27, 11s., land at Hungry Harbor, at the southwest side of the township of Hempstead, joining William Cornell, etc. 1764, buys from Benjamin Smith, 1¾ acres, in North Woods of Hempstead, on road from Herricks to Madnan's Neck. 1762, Abigail and Richard, children of Charles and Abigail, baptized.

### 2033

GLORIANNA,<sup>4</sup>† of Col. John<sup>3</sup> (2007), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 26, 1724; bap. Sept. 13, 1731; d. April 25, 1779; m.  
Henry Foster of Jamaica, yeoman; he was b. July 8, 1718;  
d. June, 1768.

Both buried at Rockaway. She was born twenty-one years after her parents' marriage. Her father's will says he borrowed

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\* Do the following notes refer to him?

† QUERY: Who was Gloriana, daughter of John Cornell and Charity Doughty, bap. Oct. 2, 1732.

£300 from Jonathan Whitehead to make provision for her. He gives her remainder of his estate (see deeds of Jacob [2005] to Foster and wife). Foster witnessed will of Daniel Waters.

### 2034

JAMES,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2009), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. May 9, 1721; d. July 19, 1802; m. Margaret Hicks, Feb. 7,  
 1758; marriage license, Dec. 24, 1757; she was probably  
 sister of Thomas, and daughter of Isaac (see No. 2002), b.  
 Jan. 29, 1737. Children:

- 2098 Frances, b. Feb. 20, 1751; m. Capt. Elijah Mills,  
 May 11, 1779.
- 2099 Stephen, b. April 15, 1759; d. Jan. 14, 1833; m.  
 Elizabeth Smyth, marriage license, May 6, 1780.
- 2100 Amy, b. 1762; m. William Hicks, marriage license,  
 May 18, 1782. Went to New York.
- 2101 Isaac, b. Dec. 10 or 15, 1767; d. unmarried.
- 2102 Hallett, b. Jan. 23, 1771; d. May 20, 1866; m. Elvira  
 Hicks, Jan. 22, 1792.
- 2103 Charles, b. Jan. 12, 1774; d. 1821; m. Sarah Bux-  
 ton, Jan. 12, 1797.

1747, buys from Denton, £17, 10s., 2½ acres at the further  
 east neck Jamaica, north by the Great Island, east by Ruth  
 Smith, south by the bay. 1752, deed from his father one-fifth  
 of all my lands in Flushing, Hempstead, or elsewhere, no  
 description. 1754, letter to his brother says father and mother  
 are living. 1763, buys from Smith, farm and buildings at Suc-  
 cess in Hempstead, on road from Great Neck to the Plains, and  
 road to Tanner's Pond (one mile east of Success Pond), joining  
 Samuel Mott Cornell, 130 acres, excepting the Dutch Church  
 and burying place on said farm; also excepting the whitening  
 ground adjoining the Great Pond. Also 3 acres at Hungry  
 Harbor Neck, on the south side of Hempstead. Also the  
 Hempstead Patent right, which Smith bought of his father-in-  
 law Wilsey. Also cider mill and house by the Great Pond.  
 In 1768 James conveys this to S. Treadwell. 1763, buys from  
 Avery a share in Susquehanna Co., Penn. 1764, James and  
 Margaret convey to Samuel Mott Cornell, for £45, 3 acres on  
 road from Success to Madnan's Neck. 1766, executor of

Stephen (2099). 1768, James and Stephen Cornwell, executors of Benjamin Cornwell (2126). 1769, James Cornell and others buy from Isaac Smith for £110, land at or near Rockaway. 1773, James Cornwell and wife Margaret, to Wooley, mortgage £300, 70 acres at Herricks. 1780, James Cornwell of Herricks, offers for sale his two-story dwelling, 20 x 26 feet, two fire places, two bed-rooms petitioned off with pine boards. 1781, James and Margaret his wife, convey to Henry Haynes, £2,200, land at Herricks, 91 acres. 1789, buys from Simonson land at Herricks, beginning at a maple standing in Herricks Pond, 73 acres, 92 r.; also 16 acres, 109 r.; also one-half of 20 acres woodland in North Hempstead, joining Searing and Appleby. 1790, bond to Smith, £147, 14s. Executor of Cornelius (2049). 1791, James and wife Margaret, to Capt. Charles Cornell, mortgage, £170, 73½ acres (see 1789 above), bounded east by road from Herricks to Westbury. Witnesses to papers: Stephen, 1748, 1768; Benjamin, 1773; Obadiah, 1773; Mary and Catharine, 1788; Stephen, 1790; George, 1792. 1792, Jan. 7, will dated.

## 2035

CAPTAIN SAMUEL,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2009), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1712; d. 1796; m. Hannah Cornell, April 27, 1740, perhaps daughter of John Cornell.\* Children:

2104 Elizabeth, b. 1741; d. Nov. 26, 1825; m. Edward Hicks, marriage license, Jan. 6, 1758.

2105 Mary, m. (1) Jeffrey Hicks; m. (2) Gilbert Searing. Their daughter, Elvira Hicks, b. May 10, 1771; m. Hallett Cornell (2102).

2106 Hannah, m. ——— Van Nostrand.

1768, A. Lawrence conveys land on road from Plains to Capt. Samuel Cornell. His land at Success joins James Cornell. 1774, buys from Forbush, land on road from Smith's to the Plains, 26 acres; also 4 acres joining Cornelius Cornell. 1779, Samuel of Hempstead, wheelwright, conveys this to

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\* QUERY: Richard and Samuel, sons of Richard and Marsi Cornell, baptized Feb. 25, 1711-2; Hannah Cornell, adult, baptized 1761; Samuel, adult, baptized, 1762.



Mackintosh for £350, called captain. 1784, he and Benjamin Sands sue Kissam and Thorne. 1785, Samuel Cornwell to Van Nostrand, mortgage for £25 of 12 acres in Hempstead South Woods, bought from Hendrickson. 1796, will dated and proved, of Flushing. To wife Hannah £200; the farm I purchased of Edward Hicks (see No. 2104) at Success, in North Hempstead, to be sold; to daughter Elizabeth, wife of Edward Hicks, £518; to Mary, wife of Gilbert Searing, £350; to grandson Samuel Hicks my farm on road from Baruch Cornell and Great Plains. "Children now living or hereafter to be born of my said daughter Mary, in remainder to wit, Fanny Smith, Alvila Cornell, Mary Pearsall, Jeffrey Hicks, Ann Searing, or the other children of my said daughter Elizabeth, to wit, Samuel Hicks, Norris Hicks, Isaac Hicks, John Hicks, Thomas Hicks, Hannah Van Nostrand, Sarah Hicks and Mary Hicks. Executors: Gilbert Van Wyck, William Thorne. Witnesses: Lewis Cornwell, Daniel Kissam.

**2036**

STEPHEN,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2009), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1784; m. Elizabeth Cornell, daughter of an untraced Benjamin, Dec. 10, 1752; she d. 1784. Children:

2107 Gilbert, b. about 1754; d. after 1812.

2108 Japheth, b. 1756(?); d. 1797; m. Hannah Cornell,  
Jan. 24, 1786.

1747, Stephen of Flushing, saddler, deed from Onderdonk £320, 10 acres on road from Hempstead to Madnan's Neck, joining Richard and Success Pond, also 48 acres on said road joining John Cornell, also 2 acres on said road joining John Smith Rock and road from Cow Neck to Success. 1748, he conveys this to Timothy Smith. Witnesses: Henry Hicks, John Cornell. 1767, manages a race at Newmarket on Great Plains. 1768, Benjamin, his father-in-law, names daughter Elizabeth, and names Stephen Cornwell and James Cornwell, executors. 1768, 1773, Stephen as such executor, conveys to Charles and George Cornell. 1784, Stephen Cornell of Hempstead, will proved, dated 1766. To wife Elizabeth, my homestead, 10 acres, etc., for bringing up my sons Gilbert and Japheth; brother James to assist her. Sons to have all my other lands

in Flushing and elsewhere when they are twenty-one. To nephew Stephen (2099), £25. Executors: wife, brother James and Charles Hicks. Witnesses: Henry Stocker, William Thorne, Samuel Cornell. Letters testamentary issued to Gilbert and Japheth the sons, James Cornwell and Charles Hicks the only surviving executors, having renounced. 1784, administration on estate of Elizabeth Cornell granted to sons Gilbert and Japheth.

### 2037

OBADIAH,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2009), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1794; m. Mary Cornell, daughter of Benjamin, marriage  
license, Dec. 7, 1753. Child:

2109 Lewis, d. about 1837; m. Jane ———.

1743, buys from Samuel (2035), and wife Hannah, Gilbert (2107), and Japheth (2108), and Hannah, 4 acres in Little Neck. 1747, 1751, 1752, deeds from Richard to son Obadiah for one-fifth of his lands. 1760, deed, Stephen, Samuel, James and Isaac to Obadiah. 1765, buys from Stephen, certain rights in the Susquehanna Company. Stephen and wife to Obadiah, 12 acres joining Fowler. Samuel joins Isaac (2038), and named in his will. 1768, joins Lawrence. 1772, joins Baruck Cornell. 1773, witness deed of Benjamin. Obadiah Cornell and wife Mary to Lawrence, mortgage 121 acres and 12 acres at Flushing east by Samuel Cornell, £500. Witnesses: Samuel Cornell and James Cornell. 1781, buys from T. Fowler and wife Margaret (2110), 12 acres of Hempstead of Richard, deceased. 1794, Obadiah Cornell (no wife) to Thorne, mortgage £100. Lived on the east and west road from Success to the Alley, one and one-half miles south of Douglaston, of W. H. Cornell, in Beers Atlas.

### 2038

ISAAC,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2009), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1765; m. Deborah ———. Child:

2110 Margaret, m. Thomas Fowler, Feb. 18, 1773.  
Fowler was a carpenter. Surety on bond for  
license, Isaac Hicks; he witnessed will of  
Hannah (wife of Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas<sup>1</sup>) (see also No. 2027).

1761, bond to Isaac Hicks, £31. 1763, bond to H. Wooley (2112), £100. 1765, Isaac Cornwell of Flushing, will dated and proved. To wife Deborah in lieu of dower, a horse and two beds, personal estate and mowing land joining Joseph Cornell and Cornelius Van Wyck, Obadiah Cornell and the highway, to be sold. To daughter Margaret Cornell, all the residue of my estate, but if she should die under age or without issue, then to my brothers James, Stephen and Obadiah, who with brother Samuel are named executors. Witnesses: Charles Hicks, Charles Hicks the 3d, Robert Jackson. Codicil, Feb. 6, 1765, to sister Sarah Cornell, gold buttons; brother James to have the bringing up of daughter Margaret. Witness: Jeffrey Hicks (2105). Letters testamentary issued to James and Stephen Cornell. 1768, Deborah Cornell,\* *spinster*, and Isaac Hicks, cordwainer, marriage bond for marriage license, signed by Jacob Esmond. 1781, Thomas Fowler, Flushing, house carpenter and wife Margaret to Obadiah (2037), conveys part of homestead of Richard (2009,) deceased, 12 acres.

### 2039

SARAH,<sup>5</sup> † of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2009), Richard,<sup>2</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 bap. May 25, 1734; d. 1791; m. Cornelius Cornell (2049).

Devisee of brother Isaac. Witness to deed of James to Charles Cornwell. 1791, will dated (probably never proved), of North Hempstead, devises her property to "my sister Deborah Hicks" (Deborah Cornell married Isaac Hicks, April 26, 1768, Isaac Hicks signed bond for license of Margaret [2034] see also Isaac [2038]; Isaac Hicks married Charity Esmond and their daughter Margaret m. James Cornell); to my niece Mercy Esmond, niece Ann Hicks, and niece Margaret Fowler (2110), all my linen, and to each a silver spoon. To Mercy Esmond, my large chest; to Sarah Esmond, a bed; to nephew Samuel Thorne, £4; to Sarah Esmond, the wearing apparel which Sally Clement left; to Sally Fowler, gold sleeve buttons; to sister-in-law Margaret (2034) Cornwell, my second

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\* QUERY: Was this Deborah, *spinster*, the widow of Isaac? Esmond is named in the will of Sarah (2039).

† Was she daughter of Richard, Jr., and Elizabeth Cornwell, bap. May 25, 1734, at St. George's Church, Hempstead?

best bed, etc; to Fanny Hicks, silver shoe buckles. Residue to brother James and nephew Hallett. Calls herself Sarah Cornell otherwise Cornwell.

## 2040

JOSEPH,<sup>6</sup> of Samuel<sup>4</sup> (2010), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1712(?); d. 1772; m. Hannah Thorne (see will); she d.  
 1793. Children:

- 2111 William, b. Dec. 26, 1742; d. Nov. 1791; m. Jane (supposed Flemens).
- 2112 Miriam, m. Henry Wooley, Oct. 23, 1762, marriage license, Sept. 20, 1762. He was executor to his father-in-law. Isaac (2038), mortgage to him. 1768, witnesses deed of Stephen (2036); (executor of Benjamin); witness of Samuel (2035). 1768, joins James Cornell (2034).
- 2113 Samuel, bap. Feb. 11, 1762; m. Letitia Flowers, Nov. 27, 1773.
- 2114 Daniel, bap. Feb. 11, 1762, Nova Scotia.
- 2115 Jacob, bap. Feb. 11, 1762; d. Feb. 26, 1821. Jacob of North Hempstead to Ackely, deed, 1795, £170, west side Cow Neck.

1758, Oct. 23, Joseph of Flushing, his oldest son William, baptized. 1762, Feb. 17, Samuel, Daniel and Jacob, children of Joseph and Hannah, baptized; also Hannah, adult (wife of Joseph?). 1765, his land joins Isaac (2038). 1772, Joseph Cornwell, Flushing, will dated and proved. Infirm and advanced in years, wife Hannah gives property equally "to all my children," *viz.*: William, Miram (wife of Henry Wooley), Samuel, Daniel and Jacob, some under age; gives William 10s., to cut him off from having more than his part. Provides for his mother who is living, reserves burying ground for white people "on my estate." Executors: son-in-law Henry Wooley and my brother-in-law Daniel Thorne. Witnesses: Samuel Cornell (2042), Charles Cornell (2043), and Luke Cummings. His executors offer for sale his farm of 300 acres adjoining Success Pond. House is two stories, six rooms on a floor, four fire places, two sleighs, barns, orchards, etc. They sold it to Barak Cornell who gave back mortgage to the executors, describing

it as land where Joseph Cornell lately lived, partly in Hempstead and partly in Flushing, on the highway from Great Plains to Little Neck, south by Richard Cornell (2009), now living, and land of Richard Cornell, deceased, some part of which belongs to the posterity of said Richard Cornell, deceased, and some part to Stephen and Cornelius Van Wyck, etc., east by land late of Benjamin Cornell, deceased, and by Success Pond, etc. 240 acres 7 r., also 14 acres salt meadow in Flushing in Little Neck meadow, bounded by Little Neck Bay and by meadow formerly of Richard Cornell, deceased. In a mortgage by Barak to Suydam, 1788, this had a slightly different description, viz.: south by Richard Cornell (2009), deceased, and land lately of Richard Cornell (2001), deceased, and now in possession the west, part of Obadiah Cornell (2037), and partly upon Gilbert Van Wyck, east by Benjamin Cornell, deceased, now in possession of Uriah Mitchell and George Cornell. 1793, Hannah Cornwell (widow of Joseph) of North Hempstead, will dated and proved. To my grandchildren, the children of Samuel Cornwell and William Cornwell, namely: Martha, Joseph, William, Daniel, Joseph, Miriam, Jonas, Mary, Thomas and Jane, all my money consisting of £230. Executors: my brother Daniel Thorne and Benjamin Platt. Witnesses: Thomas R. Starkins (Joseph Starkins was son of Mary [Carrel], daughter of Charles Mott, see wills of Charles Mott and Benjamin Mott), Benjamin Kissam and Benjamin Smith. Executors renounced and administration granted to Daniel Cornell and Anthony Rhoades.

## 2042

SAMUEL MOTT<sup>3\*</sup> (supposed), of Samuel<sup>4</sup> (2010), Richard,<sup>2</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1730; m. ———.

2116 ———.

1739, in father's will a minor. 1748, Brown appointed guardian. 1760, Samuel M., buys from Smith, 28 acres, £310. 1763, he had land joining James (2034), at Success. 1764, buys from James (2034), 3 acres at Success, £45, joining other land of Samuel Mott, Platt, etc. 1761(?), Feb. 11, Samuel, adult, and

\* He is assumed to be the son of Samuel and Ann Mott. The dates fit the case and no other Samuel. ◊

Jane, daughter of Samuel and Kathrine, baptized. 1763, May 20, James, son of Samuel and Kathrine, baptized. 1759, Feb. 22. Samuel Cornell and Catherine Smith married (marriage license, Feb. 14). 1781, had 7 acres woodland.

### 2043

CHARLES,<sup>5</sup> of Samuel<sup>4</sup> (2010), Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Oct. 12, 1736; d. July 13, 1820; m. Abigail\* Eldred, June 13, 1758, marriage license, May 6. Children:

- 2117 Eldred, d. 1843; m. Catherine Cornell, March 31, 1793.
- 2118 Abigail, bap. Feb. 11, 1762; m. Niah. Smith,† March 23, 1776; he d. 1794.
- 2119 Rachel, bap. Feb. 11, 1762; m. (supposed) Joseph Denton, Aug. 21, 1783.
- 2120 Miriam, bap. May 28, 1763; m. ——— Haines.
- 2121 Charity, bap. April 12, 1767; m. ——— Penny.
- 2122 Ann, bap. April 21, 1769; m. Benjamin Berryan.
- 2123 Jane, bap. April 12, 1771; m. ——— Miller.
- 2124 Sarah, bap. June 18, 1778; m. John Frost, July 24, 1802.

1760, buys from Jacob Carle at Hungry Harbor, south side of Hempstead land joining William Cornell. 1761, petitions for Parish Church, Jamaica. 1762, Charles, adult, baptised at St. George's Church, Hempstead. 1802, subscribes to Christ Church, Manhasset. 1819, will dated, Charles Cornwell, North Hempstead. Has homestead and salt meadows in Hempstead, also land at Hungry Harbor Neck, joining the bay. To son Eldred, negro boy and he is to pay \$800 to his seven daughters, *viz.*: Abigail Smith, Rachel Denton, Miriam Haines, Charity Perry, Ann Berryan, Jane Miller, Sarah Frost. Executors: son Eldred and sons-in-law Joseph Denton, John Frost and Benjamin Berryan of New York City.

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\* QUERY: Who were Charles and wife Abigail who had son Charles baptised, 1749?

† 1794, Niah Smith (son of Benjamin Smith), will wife Abigail, children Joseph and John. Executors: father-in-law Capt. Charles Cornwell and George Cornwell, Esq.

## 2048

RICHARD,<sup>3</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2014), William<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1778; m. Deborah ———; she d. before 1808. Children:

- 2125 Richard.\*  
 2126 Benjamin, b. May 14, 1750; d. June 8, 1821; m.  
 Abigail ———.  
 2127 Margaret, m. Peter Smith,† marriage license, Dec.  
 5, 1764. Devisee of sisters Mary and Hannah.  
 2128 Hannah,‡ d. 1806, unmarried.  
 2129 Mary,§ d. 1798, unmarried.  
 2130 Phebe. Her father's will directed that she was to  
 be maintained by her brothers and sisters.

1724, a minor. Takes under father's will the farm where  
 the father lived, also Lyon Rock Neck, Hempstead. 1778,  
 Richard of Rockaway, will dated 1777, mentions wife Deborah;  
 all to my two sons and three daughters, Richard, Benjamin,  
 Margaret, wife of Peter Smith, Hannah and Mary Cornell.  
 They are to maintain Phebe for life. Executors: son Benjamin,  
 son-in-law Peter Smith and cousin Cornelius Van Wyck.  
 Witnesses: Stephen Mott, William Van Wyck, Thomas Van  
 Wyck (testator's mother's name Van Wyck, Cornelius Van  
 Wyck married 1764, Abigail Whitehead). 1789, Cornelius  
 Cornwell (2049), will, devises his estate to the children of his  
 brother Richard. 1793, Deborah and Richard Cornell, Peter

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\* 1805, Richard (2048) to Benjamin (2126), mortgage \$1,377.60, one-  
 sixth of the real estate of which Richard Cornell (2048), died seized at  
 Rockaway with right to the beach and marsh, and the right which Richard  
 was entitled to at the death of his mother Deborah. Witness: Rebecca  
 Cornell (2259). Satisfied 1821, by Benjamin Cornell.

† 1802, Peter Smith will wife Margaret, children Deborah, Mary and  
 Richard. Witness: Whitehead Cornwell.

‡ 1806, Hannah of Hempstead, will sister Margaret Smith and Deborah,  
 daughter of Margaret, \$125; to Margaret, daughter of Margaret, \$125; to  
 Hannah C. De Mott, daughter of my niece Mary Cornell De Mott, spoons,  
 etc. If my niece Margaret C. Smith shall die, her legacy to go to Peter  
 Smith and Eleanor Smith. To sister Margaret Smith and brother Benjamin  
 Cornell, all my real estate. Witness: Rebecca Cornell (2259).

§ 1798, Mary Cornell of Far Rockaway, will. Devisee brother Benja-  
 min, sister Hannah, Rebecca, daughter of Benjamin, sister Margaret, wife  
 of Peter Smith.

and Margaret Smith, Mary and Hannah Cornell, devisees of Richard Cornwell, deed to Benjamin another devisee, one-sixth of three parcels, 4 acres 3 r., 32 acres 2 r., 19 acres 2 r.

### 2049

CORNELIUS,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2014), William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. after 1703; d. 1790; m. Sarah Cornell (2039), Aug. 15, 1751  
(see 1790, below).

1724, devisee and younger son of his father; under age. 1767, mortgage from Miles, £600. 1787, Cornelius of North Hempstead, to Uriah Mitchell (2014), bond. Bond to James Smith. The possession of these two papers by Hallett Cornell (2102), indicates that they came to Hallett's father James through his sister Sarah, wife of Cornelius Cornell, and note that in the will of Sarah she is described as Sarah *Cornell*, otherwise *Cornwell*. 1790, Cornelius Cornell of North Hempstead, will proved, dated 1789, leaves all to his wife, and after her death to Richard (2125), and Benjamin Cornell (2126), Margaret (2127), wife of Peter Smith, Hannah and Mary Cornell, children of my brother Richard, deceased. Executors: James Cornwell, brother of my wife and half brother of Uriah Mitchell (2014), and Charles Mitchell. Cornelius Cornell's land joins (1793), George Cornell, also (1808), on road from Success to Herrick's. Samuel Cornell joins Cornelius in deeds of 1774, and 1779. Henry Cornell's land, North Hempstead, on road from B. Smith to Great Neck, joined George and Cornelius Cornell in deed of 1812. House robbed during the Revolution. He lived north of the Plains on road from B. Smith to Great Neck, about one mile southeast of Success Pond. (See deeds of Samuel, 1774, 1779, and George 1799.)

### 2050

WILLIAM,<sup>5</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (2015), William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
bap. July 25, 1725; d. 1798;\* m. Miriam Mott, Feb. 17, 1747;  
she d. May 6, 1765. Children:†

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\* William Cornell, Jr., and Miriam Mott, married Feb. 17, 1746-7, at St. George's Church, Hempstead. *Junior* does not always mean that the son's name was that of his father (see John, Jr., son of William 2015).

† As per will and per Bolton.



- 2131 Abigail(?), bap. Oct. 19, 1748; d. 1830; m. Charles Hicks (Bolton says C. Mott), March 26, 1767, marriage license, March 13 (see 2097).
- 2132 Martha, bap. Dec. 27, 1753; m. Nathaniel Townsend, July 9, 1769, marriage license, June 28. Both of Jamaica.
- 2133 Margaret or Peggy, bap. Dec. 27, 1753; m. Leffert Lefferts, April 13, 1775, County Judge, etc. Child m. John McKesson.
- 2134 Elizabeth, bap. Dec. 19, 1765; m. Daniel Lefferts, marriage license, May 11, 1778.
- 2135 Samuel, b. 1755; bap. Dec. 19, 1765; d. Sept. 10, 1828; m. Nov. 9, 1777, Jane Hewlett.
- 2136 Charles.

1753, he and his brother Whitehead had children baptised the same day. 1784(?), buys from Commissioners of Forfeited Estates, 200 acres formerly of D. Colden, Flushing, £1200. 1798, will proved, dated 1782. William Cornell of Jamaica to son Samuel Cornell, all the farm and meadow which did lately belong to my said son's grandfather Thomas Whitehead, also lot purchased of John Cornell, and negro boy Tice, also £50 that was given me in my father's will (see John 2015), and £40 due from estate of my brother John; to son Charles, 12 acres purchased from De Mott, also rest of moveable estate and money at interest. Children: Abigail, now wife of Capt. Charles Hicks, Martha, now wife of Nathaniel Townsend, bequests to grandsons William Lefferts and Samuel Lefferts when they come of age. Executors: son Samuel and sons-in-law Capt. Charles Hicks and Nathaniel Townsend and William Watts.\* 1773, executor and devisee of his father. He takes silver tankard and £50. He lived at Springfield, Foster's Meadow, Jamaica, etc., but there was a William Cornell who had a son William near Foster's Meadow in Hempstead, 1776, and 1770.

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\* In will he names Thomas Whitehead as grandfather of Samuel (2135), perhaps he should have said great-grandfather, in which case it would seem Abigail, wife of John (2015), was daughter of Thomas instead of Jonathan Whitehead. William Cornell (2004), married Jane Whitehead.

**2051**

DANIEL,<sup>3</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (2015), William,<sup>8</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 bap. Oct. 29, 1727; d. after 1803; m. Charity Valentine, Jan.  
 29, 1753. Children (per will and Bolton):

- 2137 Elizabeth, m. Isaac Hendrickson, June 16, 1810.  
 Devisee of her grandfather.
- 2138 Jane, m. Maurice Golden, Aug. 8, 1784.
- 2139 Sylvester, d. about 1803.

1767, Daniel and wife Charity to Henry Valentine, mortgage, £237, also 1770, to Luyster on road from Hempstead to Hicks' Neck. 1759, Ephraim Valentine's will names grandson Sylvester Cornell. 1767, Charity Valentine's (widow), will names daughter Charity Cornwell and two grandchildren Elizabeth Cornwell and Jane Cornwell. Sylvester Cornwell to William Cornwell, 80 acres in Hempstead joining that which his father Daniel bought of Spragg and Seaman, 1779. In 1803, Sylvester Cornwell, administrator on his estate, to Luke Eldred, Charity his mother, having renounced and his father being incapable of acting. 1775, engages not to aid the British.

**2054**

WHITEHEAD,<sup>5</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (2015), William,<sup>8</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. March 12, 1731, at Hempstead; bap. July 19, 1731, St. George's Church; d. Feb. 5, 1810; buried St. Ann's Church yard, Brooklyn, and removed to family vault Greenwood; m. (1) Margaret Sebring, daughter of Isaac; b. April 14, 1731; d. June 17, 1797; m. (2) Phebe\* (widow of ——— Thorne), daughter of Jonathan and Hannah (Morvin) Rowland(?); she d. Sept. 25, 1829, in New York City; buried in St. Ann's Churchyard. Children:

- 2140 John, b. May 6, 1753; bap. Dec. 27, at Hempstead; d. Jan. 21, 1820, at Brooklyn; m. Sarah Cortelyou, May 6, 1787.
- 2141 William, b. about 1755; d. 1830; m. Cornelia Cowenhoven.
- 2142 Isaac, d. 1824; m. Hannah Cortelyou, marriage license, July 12, 1783.

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\* QUERY: Was she Phebe (Carman), widow of Benjamin Thorne, married 1756; or Phebe (Allen), widow of Joseph Thorne, married 1769.

1755 (about), came to Brooklyn, a butcher; owned two slaves, Toby and Flora. 1773, takes £100 under father's will. 1774, manager of lottery for St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn, and 1787 one of the first trustees of the church. 1781, deed to son William of 6 acres on Gowanus Ditch. Witnesses: Sylvanus Cornell, Jacob Hicks. This was conveyed Oct. 11, 1772, by William to John Cornell for £100. Executor of Sarah Horsfield. Her sister Elizabeth Whitehead married John Cornell. 1784, (Whitehead witness,) Isaac Sebring's will gives to Margaret, wife of Whitehead Cornell, £75. For history of this mill property see John (2140). 1788, Feb. 1, his sons made him an allowance of £100 per year. During the Revolution he was a contractor for supplying the British Fleet with meat. He divided his estate among his three sons. 1798, Whitehead Cornell to John Cornell (mortgage), land at Far Rockaway called the Opening, northwest by highway, southeast by beach, 46 acres, 2 rods, 5 paces. 1810, will, Whitehead Cornell of Hempstead, yeoman, dated Aug. 23, 1805; proved March 5, 1810. "To wife Phebe, £300, a horse and chaise, and all she brought me, and all we have got since she has been my wife; also use of negro Ben; to son John's son Whitehead, a silver tankard, bowl, and punch strainer; to son Isaac's son Whitehead, my desk, and negro Ben after my wife's death, bed, shoes, buckles, knee-buckles, and gold sleeve buttons. To son William's son Whitehead, glass and table; to son Isaac's daughter Margaret, silver milk pot. Remainder to those sons above named." Executors: wife, son John, and Daniel Rowland. Witnesses: Abraham Golden, etc.

## 2056

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (2015), William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas.<sup>1</sup>

bap. June 24, 1739; d. about 1781; m. Elizabeth Whitehead,\* May 2, 1761, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Willett) Whitehead; she is named in her father's will; d. March 25, 1826, aged 86. Children:†

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\* In New York marriage license, 1761, April 25, John Cornell and Elizabeth Whiting (probably Whitehead is meant), surety John Everitt, Kings Co., butcher. John Cornell, butcher, Kings Co.

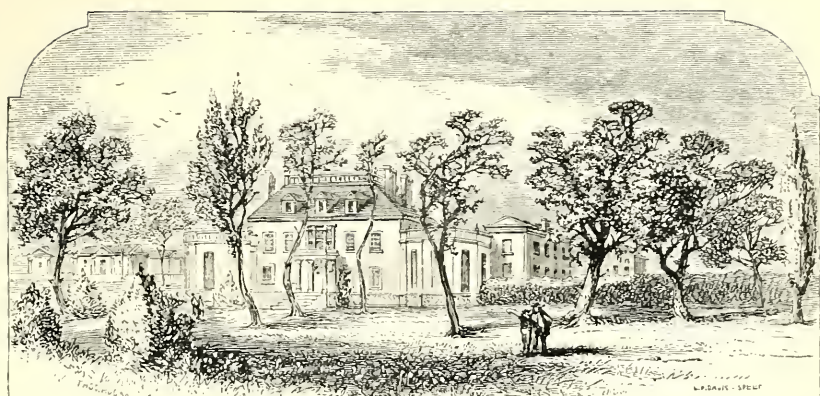
† See *Bolton's History*.

- 2143 Elizabeth, m. (supposed) John White.\*  
 2144 Abigail, devisee of her grandfather. Abigail  
 Cornwell, Hempstead, will 1843, all to niece  
 Harriet Cornwell White. Citations to Margaret  
 Matilda Ellery, Mary Fletcher, Grace Crane,  
 Brooklyn.  
 2145 Miriam(?), bap. Nov. 4, 1770. Miriam Cornwell,  
 Hempstead, administratrix, Dec. 14, 1844, to  
 Harriet C. White.  
 2146 Mary, in mother's will (Miriam apparently at one  
 time lived with Mary).  
 2147 Whitehead, d. in New Orleans; executor of Sarah  
 Horsfield.  
 2148 John (see Bolton).  
 2149 Benjamin, b. about 1775; m. Mary Willis.  
 2150 William, administrator 1844, to Harriet C. White.

1766, was a butcher in Brooklyn (see father's marriage contract and Isaac's deed). 1773, father's will gives him £200 out of money advanced him. 1780, advertises a runaway slave. 1781, Mrs. Cornell (on the premises), advertises to let 20 acres with house and barn at Tower Hill, Brooklyn. John was probably then dead. 1783, runs horses at Ascot. 1787, Isaac (2142), conveys to Powers (reserving rights of John's widow), 8 acres, 3 r. in Brooklyn, being 219 feet on the river and 438.8 deep, about the east side of Pierrepont Street. Apparently John who was fond of the turf, a famous rider and a free liver, became embarrassed and died in debt. The above property was purchased by Isaac at legal sale and he sold it to Powers, reserving the widow's dower. Powers sold it to Arden who in 1802, conveyed it to Robert Benson and he to Hezekiah Pierrepont, who lived there. This house of four chimneys is the one where the council of war was held that decided on the retreat of the American forces from Long Island. John kept St. George's Tavern near Brooklyn Ferry. Bull baiting at Tower Hill. Elizabeth Cornell, communicant St. Ann's Church, 1790, lived at No. 4 Alley Street, near Doughty. 1826, Elizabeth, widow of John, late of Brooklyn, will proved, dated 1814, gives

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\* Elizabeth Cornell, Queens Co., spinster, and John White, purser of the *Strombole*, marriage license, June 11, 1779. Surety Isaac Cornell, Kings Co., and Thomas Elmo(?)



THE CORNELL-PIERREPONT MANSION.  
(River Front.)



THE CORNELL-PIERREPONT MANSION.  
(Rear View.)



dwelling house to four daughters, Elizabeth, Abigail, Miriam and Mary. Executors: Abigail, Miriam and Isaac Cornell (2142), Benjamin Hewlett of Great Neck. Witness: Edward Burden (he married her sister Mary). She lived northeast corner Columbia and Doughty Streets.

### 2058

THOMAS,<sup>5</sup> John<sup>4</sup> (2015), William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 bap. April 25, 1745; d. about 1824; m. Elizabeth Thurston,  
 Aug. 8, 1870, marriage license, Aug. 6; she was. b. July 12,  
 1749, daughter of John and Grace Olive Lucretia Thurston.\*  
 Children (see Bolton and in will):

2151 John, b. Sept. 27, 1773; d. Feb. 22, 1824; m. Sarah  
 Hicks, April 6, 1802.

2152 Joseph, b. Feb. 26, 1780; d. June 2, 1870; m. Maria  
 Stryker, 1814.

2153 Thomas Whitehead, bap. Dec. 3, 1782, at Hemp-  
 stead; m. C. Skidmore.

2154 Elizabeth, d. unmarried, Dec. 29, 1863.

2155 Abigail, bap. 1788; m. John Keeling. Had two  
 children: Sarah and Elizabeth; devisee of  
 brother Joseph, Troy, N. Y.

1773, takes £300 under his father's will. 1803, Thomas and  
 wife Elizabeth, mortgage to Middagh \$1,000, land at Rockaway,  
 formerly belonging to Mott. 1811, Thomas and wife Elizabeth  
 to Wright, mortgage, land on road from Skidmore's Mill to  
 Foster's Meadows, also at Hungry Harbor. 1824, Thomas  
 Cornell of Rockaway, will proved, date 1818, no wife named.  
 Children John and Thomas (deceased, leaving a son), Joseph,  
 Elizabeth and Abby, who is married. Executors: son Joseph  
 and James Foster.

### 2062

WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>4</sup> (2016), William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 bap. March 10, 1737; d. 1803; m. Ruth Smith(?), daughter of  
 Solomon Smith. Children:

2156 William (supposed), m. Phebe ———.

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\* See *Thurston Genealogy*, p. 365.

- 2157 Fanny.  
2157<sup>A</sup> Smith.

1776, William Cornwell (son of William), and wife Ruth to Underhill, mortgage, £450, 200 acres in Hempstead where said William now lives, south of road from Hempstead to Jamaica, east by Eldred Lucas, west by Capt. Timothy Cornell (2064). 1790, William Cornwell and wife Ruth to Beekman, mortgage, £84, 10s., 72½ acres where William formerly lived in South Hempstead, south of the Plains joining William Cornell, deceased, south of road from Hempstead to Jamaica, also a parcel southeast of above on a Neck that leads to Skidmore's Mill. 1788, Norton recovers judgment, £52, against William and Timothy Cornell.

## 2064

TIMOTHY,<sup>2</sup> of William<sup>4</sup> (2016), William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. after 1735; d. 1804; m. Letitia Everett, marriage License,  
Jan. 4, 1765. Children (per will):

- 2158 William, b. (supposed) about 1767, d. 1832; m. (1)  
Nellie Skidmore, Feb. 10, 1798; m. (2) Phebe  
Barton.  
2159 John, b. Jan. 18, 1777; d. Nov. 24, 1840; m. (1) Ann  
Fowler, March 21, 1800; m. (2) Ann De la Mater.  
2160 Elizabeth, m. ——— Van Lien or Caleb Valentine.  
2161 Molly, m. ——— Valentine or Benjamin Fowler.

Was called Captain and it is supposed in the Revolutionary Army. 1756, Devisee of his father, a minor, takes £300 and a negro. 1781, had a race-track, also race-horses.\* 1783, assessor of Hempstead. 1788, Norton recovers judgment against him £52. 1789, Timothy and wife "Lettisha" to Cornelius, Mortgage £360, land in Hempstead south of road from Hempstead to Jamaica, 88¾ acres east and south by William Cornell (2016), deceased, and William, Jr., west by Aaron Van Nostrand (brother-in-law). Also land at Foster's Meadow, Jamaica. 1790, candidate for legislature. 1804, will dated; proved 1805. Wife Letitia; to daughter Elizabeth £500; sons William and John; grandchildren Susannah and Caleb, Letitia, Timothy, Richard,

\* 1771, Beaver Pond Races: Purse £25 for any horse except Whitehead Cornell's horse "Steady," and Timothy Cornell's horse "Richmond."



Henry and Charles £500. Executors: wife and sons, William and John. Inventory of his estate 1805. 1811, William Cornell and wife Nelly, and John and wife Ann, deed to Norton.

**2068**

ELIJAH,<sup>5</sup> (supposed) of Jacob,<sup>4</sup> (2005), Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> m. Elizabeth Abrams(?).<sup>\*</sup> Children:

2162 Mary, m. (1)——Cornell; m. (2) Richard Green.

2163 Hannah, m. Elijah Abrams.

2164 Nancy, m. Miah Pearsall.

1756, Elijah Cornell of Goshen, Orange Co., and his father Jacob confirm to Henry Foster certain Rockaway lands. No further trace of him is found unless he be the one referred to in the following items, which is very doubtful. 1780, Elijah and Benjamin Cornell assist in the capture of the Rebel Privateer Revenue. 1802, Elijah Cornell, of Hempstead, will, wife Elizabeth to Leonard Cornell, son of Mary Green, now wife of Richard Green, \$250; to Hannah Abrams, now wife of Elijah Abrams, and Nancy Pearsall, wife of Miah Pearsall, etc. Executors: Oliver Denton, Samuel Wright. Inventory of his estate made, 1802. 1828, Elizabeth, relict of Thomas (2203), gave deed to Miah Pearsall, Whitehead Abrams, Elijah and Hannah Abrams. The will of Leonard Cornell Greene is recorded in Hempstead, Queens Co., N. Y., dated May 14, 1850, bequeaths all to his wife Charlotte during her life of widowhood after which to be divided between his daughter Drucilla and his son Jarvis Mathias.

**2070**

RICHARDUS,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2024), Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. April 12 (o. s.), 1739, in Hempstead, L. I.; bap. St. George, Hempstead, Oct. 7, 1739; d. Sept. 14, 1807, at Beekman, Dutchess Co., N. Y.; m. Ruth Slocum. She was b. May 27, 1744. d. Feb. 20, 1813, at Westerlo, Albany Co., N. Y. Children:

2165 Samuel, b. March 18, 1767.

2166 Richard, b. Aug. 20, 1770; d. about 1852.

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\* As appears by the will of Henry Abrams, 1791, in which he names Elizabeth wife of Elijah Cornell, and Margaret wife of Benjamin Cornell. QUERY: Who was Elias Cornell of Oyster Bay married Elizabeth Smith, December 26, 1726?

- 2167 Elizabeth, b. Feb. 22, 1772; d. March 8, 1842, m. Samuel Cary. Two children: David and Samuel (twins) located at Albany, N. Y.
- 2168 Nancy, b. March 16, 1774; d. Aug. 12, 1829; m. Thomas Burtis; lived in Dutchess Co.
- 2169 Mary, b. May 26, 1776.
- 2170 Deborah, b. Jan. 31, 1780, in Beekman; d. Dec. 15, 1848, N. Y. City; m. Charles White, Feb. 14, 1798, son of Charles White and Elizabeth Doty.
- 2171 George, b. Jan. 26, 1787; d. Sept. 3, 1864; m. Maria White, Nov. 5, 1809.

He inherited his father's farm in Beekman, Dutchess Co., where it is said his children were born. He and his father Richard refused to add their names to the list of "patriotic citizens who did not hesitate to show their hands in the serious crisis (of the Revolution), and who subscribed to the pledge." 1775, in Beekman Precinct. This was signed by Samuel Cornwell, Thomas Cornwell and William Cornwell. 1812, July 17, George Cornell buys land in Beekman of Morgan Lewis which land was leased of Henry Beekman, Sept. 26, 1774, by Richardus Cornell for the lives of Samuel and Richard Cornell, sons of the said Richardus, of John McLess his sister's son. Thomas Cornell buys the south half in 1815, bounded on the east by land leased to Richard Cornell, 1760.

## 2071

- JAMES,<sup>6</sup> of Richard, Jr.<sup>4</sup> (2024), Jacob.<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. July 20, 1751; d. March 14, 1852; m. Rachel Dennis, Dec. 21, or Jan. 20, 1774. Children:
- 2172 Richard, b. July 20, 1776; d. March 14, 1852; m. Patience White.
- 2173 Joseph, b. July 13, 1778; d. April 16, 1793.
- 2174 Thomas, b. July 1, 1771; d. March 24, 1858; m. Ann Grandle; she was b. Dec. 7, 1806.
- 2175 Isaac, b. Dec. 21, 1782; d. Oct. 13, 1784.
- 2176 James, b. Oct. 13, 1784; d. Dec. 6, 1851; m. Chloe Pierce.
- 2177 Elizabeth, b. Dec. 20, 1787; d. Dec. 16, 1793.

## 2074

THOMAS,<sup>5</sup> of Thomas<sup>4</sup> (2026), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 14, 1722; d. Oct. 13, 1766; m. Helenah Whitehead,  
 daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Willet) Whitehead;  
 she was bap. "Stober" 20, 1729. Children:

- 2178 Thomas, b. after 1746 (per father's will) m.  
 Mary ———.  
 2179 Helena, m. Michael Price, Jan. 31, 1779; marriage  
 license, Jan. 2. Merchant, N. Y., defaulted.  
 2180 Whitehead, b. after 1746; d. Dec., 1803; m. Abigail  
 Hicks.  
 2181 Benjamin, b. after 1750.

1761(?), Communicant, Grace Church, Jamaica. 1755 owned  
 three slaves in Hempstead. 1763, by father's will takes all his  
 lands at Rockaway Neck, etc. 1763, in mother's will. 1767,  
 named as executor of Uncle John. 1766, Thomas of Rockaway  
 Will. To wife Helenah, use of Rockaway lands until three  
 sons come of age; wife to have such benefit in my house and  
 lands as my mother *now* enjoys under my father's will. Three  
 sons: Thomas, Whitehead and Benjamin to have Real Estate  
 at Rockaway where I now live, also an 8 shilling right in com-  
 mon land Hempstead. Thomas is cut off from entail, if any  
 there be, Land and Grist Mill at Jamaica to be sold, and avails  
 from it to wife Helenah, three sons and daughter Helenah, a  
 minor.\* Executors: wife, father-in-law, Benjamin Whitehead  
 and son Thomas. Witnesses: Mary Whitehead, Joseph Field,  
 etc. Letters issued to two first names only.

## 2077

MARTHA,<sup>5</sup> of Thomas<sup>4</sup> (2026), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Feb. 28, 1732; d. Sept. 2, 1783; m. William Thorne, May 9,  
 1754. Children (*Thorne*):

Sarah, b. 1755; d. 1755.

Sarah, b. April 29, 1756; d. 1837; m. Benjamin  
 Treadwell.

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\* He bought from Thurston 230 acres (£1,000) in Jamaica. This was  
 sold by his executors, 1767, for £1,600 to Bergen and comprised Grist Mill,  
 Bolting Mill, houses, etc. 1780, west line of Hempstead was laid out through  
 his house.

- Richard, b. Aug. 9, 1757; d. Oct. 19, 1778.  
 Elizabeth, b. Dec. 20, 1759; d. March 16, 1760.  
 Thomas Cornell, b. Jan. 9, 1761; d. Sept. 29, 1828;  
 m. Eliza (Daniel) Kissan, probably named after  
 Martha (Cornell) Thorne's father. Three chil-  
 dren all died young.  
 Mary, b. Dec. 12, 1762, in North Hempstead; d. in  
 Troy, N. Y., May 22, 1738; m. by Rev. Thomas  
 Moore in Troy, N. Y., to Joseph Samuel Mab-  
 bett, Oct. 4, 1790. She was great-grand-  
 mother of Mr. Walter P. Warren, of Troy, N. Y.  
 (who has given the facts pertaining to the Thorne  
 family and lineage), also great-grandmother  
 of George Henry Warren, who married Miss  
 Phoenix of New York.  
 William, b. Feb. 27, 1665; d. Feb. 17, 1820.  
 John, b. April 25, 1766; d. May 1, 1834; m. Martha  
 Mitchell.  
 Samuel, b. Dec. 9, 1767; d. June 24, 1838; m. Martha  
 Williams. (See Thorne Lineage, Appendix.)

## 2080

HON. SAMUEL,<sup>5</sup> of Samuel<sup>4</sup> (2027), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 17, 4, 1731; d. Jan. 1 or 18, 1781; m. Susannah Mapson or  
 Mabson, daughter of Arthur Mabson of Newberne, N. C.; she  
 d. Feb. 10, 1778, at Flushing of smallpox taken by inocula-  
 tion; age 47. Children:

- 2182 Elizabeth, d. 1854, m. William Bayard, Jr.; mar-  
 riage license, Oct. 4, 1783. (See Bayard Lineage,  
 Appendix.)  
 2183 Hannah, b. 176-; d. 1818; m. Oct. 19, 1786, Herman  
 Leroy at William Bayard's House.\*  
 2184 Sarah, b. 1761; d. June 2, 1803; m. Feb. 14, 1792,  
 Matthew Clarkson; she was his second wife.

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\* "New York, on Thursday Evening (Oct. 19), was married by the Rev. Benjamin Moore, at the house of William Bayard, Esq., in Queen St., Herman Leroy, Esq., Consul of their High Mightiness, the United States of Holland, to Miss Hannah Cornell, one of the daughters of the late Samuel Cornell, Esq. of Newberne, N. C." (*New York Packet*, Oct. 1786.).



HON. SAMUEL CORNELL.

(From painting in possession of Mr. Robert Emmett.)



- 2185 Mary, d. 1813; m. Isaac Edwards, aide-de-camp and secretary of Gov. Tryon of North Carolina. He took the oath of allegiance to His Majesty, George III., Oct. 21, 1767, at Wilmington, N. C. Came into Court and qualified as an attorney at Salisbury, N. C., Sept. 27, 1766. Member of Assembly of North Carolina, 1773. Children: Susannah, m. William Wallace, 1799. Rebecca, Married, m. David A. Ogden.
- 2186 Susannah, m. Capt. Henry Chads, R. N., 1783.

He went early to Newberne, N. C., where he was a merchant, acquired wealth and was one of his Majesty's Council. Advised Gov. Martin to issue his proclamation against Whig meetings, to inhibit and forbid them. Before 1776 he went to England, leaving his family in Newberne. Returning during the war he was forbidden to land unless he would take the oath of allegiance to the State, which he refused to do. While on the vessel in the harbor he conveyed his estate to his children by several deeds of gift. He then removed his family by permission of the executive of the State to New York. Subsequently his property was all confiscated and sold. A Mr. Singleton became a purchaser of part of it, and the portion which Mr. Cornell had given to one of his daughters, this lady claimed to hold under her father's deed and instituted a suit to eject Singleton, but on a hearing and trial the confiscation act was held valid, and judgment was given against her, although the conveyance was made prior to the passage of the confiscation act of North Carolina. (See *Sabin's Loyalists of the American Revolution*). 1779, Mrs. Desbrosses' house, Queen Street, New York, assigned him as a residence by Maj. Gen. James Pattison. 1781, Feb. 24, will dated; proved July 2, 1781. Samuel of Newberne, merchant, now residing in New York; to sister Hannah Browne, £400; to grand-daughters Susannah Edwards and Rebecca Edwards, £500 each, payable at the age of eighteen; to the Church at Flushing, L. I., £200, payable to the parson and church wardens of said church for time being; to my five daughters, Mary, Susannah, Sarah, Hannah and Elizabeth, all the remainder of my estate to be equally divided among them, observing that my daughter Mary Edwards has already received £5,000 proclamation money of

North Carolina, which sum must first be deducted out of her fifth share in order that all my children may be put upon an equal footing. Executors: Thomas Haslin, Jacob Blount and William Low, Esq., of the Providence of North Carolina, and the Hon. Henry White, Esq., of the City of New York. 1787, his heirs convey to Watts dwelling house and farm near White-stone Ferry in Flushing, east by the cove, north by the Sound; also 20 acres called Richmond with dwelling. 1793, his heirs convey to William Prince 4 parcels, 80, 18, 20 and 30 acres for £2,450, afterwards Prince's Nurseries, formerly belonging to Samuel Cornell. 1804, Matthew Clarkson conveys to his children his one-fourth interest in 80,000 acres in Ontario Co., N. Y., being part of the estate formerly belonging to Samuel Cornell:

### 2083

CHARLES,<sup>5</sup> of Samuel<sup>4</sup> (2027), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1738; d. 1790; m. Elizabeth Cornwell (William,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup>  
 John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), Sept. 20, 1772; she was b. 1754; d. 1823.  
 Children:

- 2187 Samuel, *d. s. p.*, in New Orleans.
- 2188 Archibald, b. 1773; d. Jan. 27, 1852; m. Elizabeth Allen.
- 2189 William, *d. s. p.*, in Havana.
- 2190 Phebe, b. 1775; m. Lewis Hewlett of Cow Neck.
- 2191 Sarah, d. unmarried.
- 2192 Hannah, m. William Coit; he d. in New York; she in Sag Harbor while on a visit there.
- 2193 Arabella, m. Gordon Corning of Troy. Children: Elizabeth, Sarah and Arabella.
- 2194 Jannette, m. (1) William D. Cheever. Child: Jannette; m. (2) Samuel Huntingdon.
- 2195 Ann, m. Gershon Cook.

1781(?), he owned a 7 acre wood-land at Cow Neck. 1790, Charles of Flushing, yeoman, will, wife Elisabeth, children Samuel, Archibald, William, Sally, "Arrellah," "Gennet," Nancy, Phebe and Hannah. Executors: wife, brother-in-law Joshua Cornwell (William,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), of Cow Neck, and brother-in-law Charles Cornwell of Flushing. Witness: Thomas Cornell. 1823, Elizabeth Cornell of Flushing,



will mentions children Sarah Cornell, Ann, wife of Gershon Cook, Archibald, Phebe, wife of Lewis Hewlett, Arabella, wife of Gordon Corning, and Janette Cheever, granddaughters Elizabeth Corning, Sarah Elizabeth Cornell, Arabella Corning Cornell, Janette Cheever Cornell and Hannah Cornell. Executors: Archibald Cornell, Gordon Corning.\*

### 2086

THOMAS,<sup>5</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (2028), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1742; d. about 1808; m. Ann Gale, July 3, 1772, marriage license, July 1. Children:

2196 John, b. Oct. 24, 1772; d. about 1842; m. Sarah Talman, Aug. 18, 1794.

2197 Thomas, b. May 12, 1775; d. about 1842; m. Elizabeth Ackerman.

. 1767, takes £200 under father's will. 1772, executor of his mother. 1779, Thomas, John and Oliver Cornell witness will of S. Laurence. 1809(?), Thomas of Flushing, administrator to Ann Cornell.

### 2087

JOHN,<sup>5</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (2028), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. about 1745; m. Sarah Roe. Children (as per Bolton):

2198 Mary, m. John Hunter.

2199 Sarah, m. William Barmstead.

1867, takes £200 under his father's will. 1779, witnesses will of S. Laurence.

### 2088

OLIVER,<sup>5</sup> of John<sup>4</sup> (2028), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. about 1747; d. about 1808; m. Anne Roe, marriage license, Nov. 28, 1777. Children (as per Bolton):

2200 William.

2201 Oliver, m. Susan Bugbee.

2202 Mary.

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\* See will of Arabella C. Cornell (2359). Archibald, Arabella, Janette and Ann were heirs of Joshua (William,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>). See partition, and see Charles P. Cornell (Joshua's brother's) will.

- 2203 Martha, m. Henry Lowerre.  
 2204 Charlotte, m. Joel Hunter.  
 2205 Caroline, m. Jonathan Peck.  
 2206 Elizabeth, m. Samuel Ellis.  
 2207 Margaret, m. Elijah Peck.  
 2208 Anna, m. Elijah Peck.  
 2209 Sarah, m. Stephen Leonard.

1767, he takes £200 under his father's will. 1779, witnesses will of S. Laurence. 1800, administrator to Anne Cornell (his wife).

### 2092

CHARLES,<sup>5</sup> of Richard<sup>4</sup> (2029), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Aug. 13, 1749 (or 1743); d. 1800; m. Deborah Bowne.  
 Children (as per Bolton):

- 2210 Charles, b. 1769; d. 1807; m. Catharine Rodman.  
 2211 Robert, b. 1772; d. 1778.  
 2212 Sarah, b. 1766; d. April 15, 1809; m. John I.  
 Glover, Jan. 31, 1786.  
 2213 Phebe, b. 1775; d. 1776.

Bolton calls him Charles of New York. 1775, was executor of his father. Takes the homestead and 10 acres, negro Cæsar, shoe buckles and sleeve buttons. 1776, Captain of Militia. 1782, 2¼ cords of wood cut from his land for the British Army. 1785, Captain Charles Cornell of Hempstead, deed from Stephen (Caleb,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), £500, half of 100 acres devised by Ephenetus Platt to his two daughters, Mary, now wife of said Stephen, and Sarah, wife of Thomas Appleby, adjoining Dr. Ephenetus Platt, son of said Ephenetus, on highway from Great Plains to said Dr. Platt. 1786, was executor to his mother who gives him £200. 1800, Charles of Success (North Hempstead), will dated 1796. Wife Deborah to daughter Sarah Glover £500. Farm where I now live, 100 acres, to son Charles. Executors: wife and son Charles. Witnesses: Gilbert Cornell (2107), and Lewis Cornell.

### 2096

WILLIAM,<sup>5\*</sup> of Charles<sup>4</sup> (2030), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

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\* QUERY: Was this William son of Edward (Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).

b. May 12, 1728; d. Nov. 4, 1790; m. Hannah Hicks, Oct. 12, or Dec. 21, 1770, marriage license, Sept. 27;\* she was b. Dec. 3, 1730; she was daughter of Thomas Hicks by whose will it seems she d. before June 10, 1772. Child:

2214 Charles, b. Jan. 14, 1772; d. about March 16, 1819; m. (1) Massie Ann Hicks; m. (2) Mary De Mott.

### 2098

FRANCES,<sup>6</sup> of James<sup>5</sup> (2034), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 20, 1751 or 1759; m. Capt. Elijah Mills or Miles (of Third Battalion De Lancy's Brigade), May 11, 1779, marriage license, March 6. 1781, he witnessed deed of James (2034). After the war he removed to Nova Scotia.

### 2099

STEPHEN,<sup>6</sup> of James<sup>5</sup> [Cornwell] (2034), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 15, 1759; d. Jan. 14, 1833; m. Elizabeth Smith or Smyth, 1780, marriage license, May 6; she d. before 1807. Child:

2216 Richard, b. (supposed) 1786; d. Feb. 21, 1867.

1784, he was devisee of his uncle Stephen (2036). 1790, had a lease from Wells. He shall pay double rent if he takes in the house where he now lives any other family. 1814, is called Stephen of Herricks. Stephen Cornell and Hannah Cornell of North Hempstead, and Elizabeth Dorlon to Treadwell, deed one-half of 10 acres in North Hempstead on road from Great Neck to Plains joining Charles Cornell, deceased. Witness: Gilbert Cornell. 1801, frees two slaves. 1807, James Smith, will, names Elizabeth Cornwell, deceased, and her son Richard and his brothers and sisters.

### 2102

HALLETT,<sup>6</sup> of James<sup>5</sup> (2034), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

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\* Surety on bond for license, John Skidmore and Daniel Smith of Dutchess Co.

b. Jan. 23, 1771; d. May 20, 1866; m. Elvira Hicks, Jan. 22, 1792; she was b. May 10, 1771; d. Sept. 10, 1841, daughter of Jeffrey Hicks (2105), and Mary, daughter of Samuel Cornell (2035). Children:

- 2217 Isaac Miles, b. Feb. 4, 1793; d. March 1, 1873; m. Mary Cheeseman, Dec. 4, 1820.
- 2218 Jeffrey Hicks, b. Dec. 9, 1795; d. Oct. 19, 1865, unmarried. (See father's will.) Devisee of Charles E., 1854.
- 2219 Maria Hicks, b. Feb. 5, 1797; d. Oct. 25, 1865, unmarried. (See father's will.) Devisee of Charles E., 1854.
- 2220 Stephen Hallett, b. in North Hempstead, March 20, 1799; d. Jan. 2, 1886; m. Mary Willis, Jan. 8, 1834, or Feb. 14, 1835. Devisee of Charles E., 1854.
- 2221 Fanny, b. April 21, 1801; d. Sept. 2, 1847, unmarried.
- 2222 Margaret, b. Jan. 18, 1802; d. Dec. 12, 1855, unmarried. Devisee of Charles E., 1854.
- 2223 James Gilbert, b. Jan. 6, 1805; d. May 25, 1875; m. (1) Ellinor Wood, July 7, 1828; m. (2) Lydia Ann Treadwell, Jan. 4, 1843.
- 2224 Ann Elizabeth, b. Oct. 30, 1807; d. Dec. 11, 1838; m. Ephraim Valentine, Dec. 30, 1837.
- 2225 William Alexander, b. Aug. 25, 1810; d. before 1856; m. (1) Charity Ann Colyer, April 25, 1836; m. (2) ——— Boone.
- 2226 Charles Odber, b. Jan. 7, 1812; d. June 17, 1813.

1791, he was devisee of his sister Sarah. Buys from Joseph Hicks, land near Tanner's Pond. 1808, his land in North Hempstead near Herrick's, joins Richard and Mary on road from Herrick's to Westbury. 1865, will dated; proved 1867. Son Stephen H., mortgage for \$1,200, to be cancelled; also one of \$1,000 by son William A.; to each grandchild, \$100; to Charity Boone, formerly widow of my son William A., \$10; to son James G., "The Homestead Farm;" to son Isaac, the residue of his real estate in North Hempstead; residue of estate to James G. His will was contested but sustained. He died May 20, 1866, leaving three children: Isaac M., at Newtown, Stephen

H., at Brooklyn, and James G., at North Hempstead, and three grandchildren, the children of son William A., deceased, *viz.*: Stephen H., William A., and Elvira A. Cornell, Brooklyn. He lived about three-fourths of a mile east of the court-house, North Hempstead (Mineola). His children Jeffrey and Maria, both unmarried, lived with him and both died Oct., 1865. Among the witnesses in the action were: Frances E., daughter of Isaac M., Charity A. Boone, 96 Carleton Avenue, Brooklyn, widow of William A., deceased, Isaac M., who lived for seven years at Bowery Bay, Newtown, and Mary, wife of Isaac. He celebrated his ninety-fifth birthday. He and his wife are buried in St. George's church-yard, Hempstead, also his son Jeffrey.

### 2103

CHARLES,<sup>6</sup> of James<sup>5</sup> (2034), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 12, 1774; d. 1821; m. Sarah Buxton, Jan. 12, 1797; she was b. Oct. 27, 1778, in New York, daughter of John and Ann (Adams) Buxton. Children:

- 2227 Charles Miles, b. Nov. 5, 1797; d. Dec. 17, 1798.
- 2228 Col. John Henry, b. April 11, 1799, d. Oct. 25, 1854; m. Amelia Hamilton, Oct. 30, 1824.
- 2229 Louisa Adelaide, b. Dec. 20, 1800; m. Zalmon Booth.
- 2230 James Edward, b. Dec. 8, 1802; d. Oct. 24, 1842.
- 2231 Charles Edgar, b. about 1804; d. 1854.
- 2232 William Henry Buxton, b. Oct. 10, 1807; wild and reckless. Was shot in a duel.
- 2233 Sarah Ann, b. March 4, 1810.
- 2234 Mary Matilda, b. Dec. 18, 1815.
- 2235 Richard Mortimer, b. June 10, 1818.

1812, gave a deed to Cruger of property in Mulberry Street, New York. 1821, will dated and proved. Charles Cornell of New York City, deputy sheriff. To wife Sarah, the property given her by her father. Children: John Henry, James Edward, Louisa Adelaide, Charles Edgar, and William Henry Buxton. He was a merchant, unsuccessful in business, and lastly deputy sheriff.

**2104**

ELIZABETH,<sup>4</sup> of Captain Samuel<sup>5</sup> (2035), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1741; d. Nov. 26, 1825; m. Edward Hicks, marriage license,  
Jan. 6, 1758. Child (*Hicks*):

John Hicks, m. Mary Cornell (Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup>  
Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).

**2107**

GILBERT,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (2036), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1754; d. after 1812.

1766, his father's will names children Gilbert and Japheth, both under age. 1784, Gilbert and Japheth administrators on estate of Elizabeth Cornwell. 1790, he and Japheth and wife Hannah mortgage to Uriah or Niah Mitchell (see No. 2014), land at Success joining Charles Cornwell. 1793, Gilbert of Success, a pounder. 1797, executor of his brother Japheth. 1806, mortgage to Thorne land at North Hempstead west of road from Hempstead to Great Neck at Success Pond joining Charles and Richard, 10 acres; also land in Flushing joining Thomas Fowler (see No. 2110), Richard and Charles Cornwell. 1809, he of North Hempstead, mortgage to Dorland, one-half the land in Flushing that Stephen by will gave to his sons Gilbert and Japheth, joining Isaac, deceased, Charles, deceased, and Samuel, deceased, 50 acres and 3 acres. 1809, mortgage of part of the same land. 1812, witnessed deed of Henry. On a deed of 1793, is a diagram "Surveyed and computed by Gilbert Cornell." He was a surveyor, conveyancer and farmer in a small way. Lived opposite the Reformed Church at Success (now disappeared). The church having no fires, the people were accustomed in winter to go to Gilbert Cornell's across the road, to prepare their foot stoves to be carried to the church.

**2108**

JAPHETH,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (2036), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1756(?); d. 1797; m. Hannah Cornell, Jan. 24, 1786;\* she

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\* *New York Genealogical Record.*

was daughter of Barak,<sup>5</sup> (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).  
Children:

- 2236 Stephen, m. Abigail.  
2237 Japheth, m. Catherine.

1784, administrator of his father and also of his mother.  
1790, he and wife Hannah mortgage to Mitchell (see No. 2014).  
1797, administrator to brother Gilbert, the widow having renounced. 1802, Hannah, widow of Japheth, subscribed for Christ Church, Manhassett. 1831, Joshua Cornell (Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), and Hannah Shinott of New York City to John (their brother), of Flushing, deed two-eighths of land formerly belonging to Henry Cornell (their brother), deceased, brother of said John and Hannah at Success, being part of the farm of Barak, deceased, in which Mary his wife had dower. 1834, Stephen Cornell (2236), and wife Abigail, Japheth Cornell (2237), and wife Catharine, and Hannah Shinott of New York City, deed to Benjamin Cornell of Flushing, land at Success Pond, formerly of Japheth, deceased.

## 2109

LEWIS,<sup>6</sup> of Obadiah<sup>5</sup> (2037), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. about 1837; m. Jane ———. Children:

- 2238 Richard, d. 1844; m. Mary Doughty or (Hegeman).  
2239 Lewis, m. Joane Sarton or Saxton.  
2240 John Henry, d. about 1857; m. (1) Mary Hegeman; m. (2) Catherine Hegeman.  
2241 William Hallett, b. Jan. 8, 1800; d. Nov. 19, 1874; m. Elizabeth Doughty, Sept. 6, 1819.  
2242 Ann, m. Jeremiah Van Nostrand.  
2243 Elizabeth, d. about 1856, unmarried.  
2244 Catherine, m. John Benem of Gravesend. Child John m. Sarah, daughter of Benjamin Whitehead Cornell.  
2245 Jane, m. Charles Peters.

1819(?), Manager Queens County Agricultural Society. 1834-1837, Lewis of Flushing, will grandson Thomas Cornell (see No. 2245), and two grandchildren, Lewis and Jane Van Nostrand, children of my daughter Ann Van Nostrand, \$50 each; to son

William H., two-thirds of my estate; to two daughters Elizabeth Cornell and Catherine Benem, one-third. Executors: son William H., and daughter Elizabeth Cornell. 1844-1856, Elizabeth (2243), of Flushing, will (see No. 2245).

### 2111

WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of Joseph<sup>5</sup> [Cornwell] (2040), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 26, 1742; d. Nov., 1791; m. Jane (supposed Flemens or Flowers); she was b. July 3, 1748; d. March, 1783. Children:\*

- 2246 William, b. Feb. 21, 1773; d. Oct. 27, 1827; m. Elizabeth Rhodes, April 2, 1794.
- 2247 Daniel, b. July 24, 1774; d. Sept. 21, 1842; m. Hannah N. Mitchell, April 27, 1806.
- 2248 Joseph, b. Dec. 21, 1775.
- 2249 Miriam, b. Oct. 24, 1777; d. Jan. 4, 1842; m. Robert Rhodes, sexton of St. Ann's Church.
- 2250 Jonas, b. May 4, 1799.
- 2251 Mary, b. Feb. 4, 1780.
- 2252 Thomas, b. Feb. 4, 1783; d. Feb. 6, 1808.
- 2253 Jane, b. Jan. 5, 1785. William Ryan, son of Jane, b. June 1, 1806; Jane Cornwell, daughter of William, communicant St. Ann's Church, 1824.

1758, Oct. 23, William, adult, son of Joseph of Flushing, baptized in St. George's Church, Hempstead. 1772, legatee and eldest son of his father. 1773, William, son of Joseph, deed from Stringham £216, 5 acres on Great Plains. 1793, he and all his children mentioned in mother's will.

### 2113

SAMUEL,<sup>6</sup> of Joseph<sup>5</sup> [Cornwell] (2040), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

bap. Feb. 11, 1762 (with brothers Daniel and Jacob); m. Letitia Flowers, Nov. 2, 1772, or Nov. 27, 1773; (she is supposed to be the sister of Jane, wife of William); b. 1742; d. May 23, 1826. Children:

- 2254 Martha.
- 2255 Joseph.

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\* Will of Hannah.



**2117**

ELDRED,<sup>6</sup> of Charles<sup>5</sup> (2043), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. 1843; m. Catherine Cornell, March 31, 1793. Children:

- 2256 Catherine Ann, b. April 18, 1811; d. Feb. 18, 1834;  
m. Stephen S. Hicks, May 22, 1833.
- 2257 Jane, m. Zebulon Seaman.
- 2258 Abigail E., b. July 9, 1800; d. 1850; m. Oldfield  
Bergen, July 2, 1831.

1819, he was devisee and executor of his father. 1842-3, will, children Jane, wife of Zebulon Seaman, and Abigail E. Bergen. His homestead at Tanner's Pond occupied 1893, by Philip Allen. 1844, executors of Eldred Cornwell to Abigail E., widow of Oldfield Bergen, 71 $\frac{3}{4}$  acres, south of road from Success to Herrick's, joining Joseph Dodge and E. Smith.

**2126**

BENJAMIN,<sup>6</sup> of Richard<sup>5</sup> [Cornwell] (2048,) Richard,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 14, 1750; d. June 8, 1821; m. Abigail ———. Child:

- 2259 Rebecca H., b. Jan. 4, 1780; d. Oct. 20, 1807; m.  
Dr. Ebenezer Lockwood; he was b. June 4,  
1773; d. July 5, 1843.

1778, devisee and executor of his father. 1793, Deborah and Richard Cornwell, Peter Smith and wife Margaret, Mary and Hannah Cornwell of Rockaway, devisees of Richard, to Benjamin Cornell another devisee, deed 1/6 of parcels, 4 acres 3 r., 32 acres 2 r., 19 acres 2 r. 1798, Mary of Far Rockaway, will, devisees brother Benjamin and Rebecca his daughter, sisters Hannah, Margaret, wife of Peter Smith, and Deborah, Mary C., and Richard Smith, children of my sister Margaret Smith. To brother Richard, one-eighth of my real estate with reversion to my nephew John Smith's three children, Margaret A., Peter and Eleanor C. Smith. Executors: sister Hannah, brother-in-law Peter Smith and his brother John Smith. 1789, he was devisee of Cornelius (2049). 1805, Richard (2125), to Benjamin (2126), mortgage \$1,377.60, one-sixth of real estate whereof Richard (2048), deceased, died seized at Rockaway,

also the right to the beach which he was entitled to at the death of his mother Deborah. Witness: Rebecca H. Cornell, (2259), etc. Satisfied by Benjamin (2126). 1806, he and Margaret Smith devisees of sister Hannah. 1808, June 9, Benjamin and wife Abigail of Rockaway, to John L. Norton of New York, deed \$1,800, 3 parcels, 7 acres; 19 acres (woodland bounded north by John Mott, west by Richard Cornell and Margaret Smith, south by said Benjamin) and 40 acres. 1821, will wife Abigail \$550; remainder to grandson William E. B. C. Lockwood a minor, with reversion to Peter Smith, Margaret, wife of John Taylor, Eleanor Smith, Benjamin Mott and Daniel Mott. Lockwood conveyed for \$250, Rockaway Beach property to Judge Donohue in 1869. It eventually came into the possession of the Sisters of the Immaculate Conception; it was valued then at \$50,000, there was a lawsuit about it and decision was given in favor of the Sisters against Michael Cronin who claimed possession.

### 2135

SAMUEL,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (2050), (supposed) John,<sup>3</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1755; bap. Dec. 29, 1765; d. Sept. 10, 1828, aged 73 years; m. Jane Hewlett, Nov. 9, 1777, marriage license, Oct. 21; she d. Feb. 15, 1826, aged 66 years. Children:

- 2260 Hewlett.
- 2261 Harriet, m. William Watts.
- 2262 Oliver, m. Sarah ———.
- 2263 Richard, m.(?) Charity Van Sicklen, July 19, 1793.
- 2264 Samuel, m. Elizabeth ———.
- 2265 Caroline, m. Josiah Bannister.
- 2266 Marian, m. Hewlett Mott.
- 2267 Thomas, m. Elizabeth ———. (See No. 2197.)
- 2268 Jane, m. Peter Duryea, Oct. 27, 1822.
- 2269 Whitehead, m. Rebecca Jones, Feb. 17, 1811.
- 2270 Elizabeth, m. Robert Nostrand.

1765, Dec. 29, Samuel and Elizabeth, children of William and Charity Cornell, deceased, baptized at St. George's Church, Hempstead,\* 1782, William (2050), of Jamaica, will, gives to

\* *New York Genealogical Society.*





SARAH (CORTELYOU) CORNELL.

son Samuel all the farm and meadow which did lately belong to said son's grandfather Thomas Whitehead; also lot purchased of John Cornell and negro Tice; also £50 that was given me by my father's will, and £40 that is due from the estate of my brother John (2056). Executors: son Samuel, son-in-law C. Hicks and William Watts (see No. 2261). 1829, Hewlett Cornwell, Harriet Watts, Oliver Cornwell and Sarah his wife, Richard Cornwell and Charity his wife, Samuel Cornwell and Elizabeth his wife, Josiah Bannister and Caroline his wife, all of Hempstead, Hewlett Mott and Marian his wife, Thomas Cornwell and Elizabeth his wife, Peter Duryea and Jane his wife of Jamaica, Whitehead Cornwell and Rebecca his wife of Flushing, Robert Nostrand and Elizabeth his wife of Kings County, parties of the first part, to Stephen Carman, deed 180 acres in Jamaica on the road from John Watts to Mill Creek, Abigail Skidmore, Hewlett, Van Nostrand, etc., being the farm which belonged to Samuel Cornwell, deceased, at the time of his death, subject to mortgage by said Samuel and Jane his wife, to Joseph Watts, dated May 2, 1814, for \$750.

### 2140

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> of Whitehead<sup>5</sup> (2054), John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 6, 1753; bap. Dec. 27, at Hempstead; d. Jan. 21, 1820, at Brooklyn; m. Sarah Cortelyou, May 6, 1787, daughter of Simon and Sarah (Van Wyck) Cortelyou;\* she was b. May 13, 1767; d. Aug. 3, 1858; she m. (1) Charles Conradi, marriage license, May 30, 1782; he d. June 4, 1786. Shot himself in "a term of Insanity."† Children:

2271 Sarah, b. Feb. 19, 1788; d. young.

2272 George, b. Aug. 5, 1789; d. April 20, 1791.

2273 Catherine, b. Dec. 27, 1790; d. March 20, 1885, unmarried.

2274 Margaret, b. Oct. 4, 1792; d. June 21, 1859, unmarried. Buried in the family vault, Greenwood Cemetery.

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\* See Cortelyou Lineage, Appendix.

† The writer has the original record of the Coroner's Jury under date of June 19, 1786, New Utrecht, signed by Rutger A. Van Brunt and others.

- 2275 Ann, b. June 2, 1794; d. Sept. 8, 1848; m. Arthur J. Hirst. No children.
- 2276 Whitehead J., b. July 26, 1796; d. Sept. 17, 1846; m. Juliet Hicks, Aug. 2, 1819.
- 2277 Simon Cortelyou, b. March 14, 1798; d. 1824, lost at sea.
- 2278 George Lecky, b. Aug. 21, 1799; d. Aug. 22, 1874; m. Isabel Sheldon, Nov. 18, 1823.
- 2279 Agnes, b. Dec. 2, 1800; d. March 24, 1852, unmarried. Buried in family vault, Greenwood Cemetery.
- 2280 John Sebring, b. May 22, 1802; d. October 22, 1825; m. Mary Fitz Randolph Lewis, 1825.
- 2281 Peter Cortelyou, b. Nov. 5, 1803; d. May 5, 1885; m. Elizabeth Bunce, Sept., 1834.
- 2282 Isaac Russell, b. Sept. 17, 1805; d. Jan. 19, 1896, in New York; m. Elizabeth Mary Duyckinck, March 15, 1831.
- 2283 Samuel Garretson, b. July 28, 1808; d. Feb. 5, 1883; m. Sarah Douglass, Sept. 12, 1838.
- 2284 Mary, b. June 19, 1810; d. June 9, 1867, unmarried. Buried in the family vault, Greenwood Cemetery.

1781, he buys from his brother William, 6 acres on Gowanus Ditch which had been deeded by Whitehead, his father to William. About 1784, he visited England to collect money due his father for meat supplied to the British Fleet during the Revolutionary War. 1785, John Cornell, buys from brother Isaac Cornell, one-third of the Mill property, Red Hook. The Dutch West India Co., under Governor Kieft, May 27, 1640, granted to Fred'k Lubbertsen a tract of land lying on the East River opposite Governor's Island, comprising 100 acres, and extending along the river 1700 paces from about Atlantic Street on the north, to a point beyond Luquer Street on the south and from the river on the west to Court Street on the east. By another purchase, Lubbertsen acquired a piece of land east of the above and extending to Gowanus Cove. These properties are designated on the map of Brooklyn as properties of Luquer, Cornell, Kelsey and Blake, Bergen, Coles, Conover, Sebring, Hoyt, Heeny and others, the whole

comprising about 300 acres. By will dated Nov. 27, 1679, Lubbertsen devised his lands to his two daughters Elsie Bergen and Aeltje Sebring, who pursuant to award of Commissioners in partition, made a division by which the land on the river fell to Aeltje Sebring. Cornelius Sebring erected a mill and a dwelling house on their land, enclosing a piece of marsh which became a mill pond.\* In 1723, Cornelius Sebring devised his lands to his ten children, and by some conveyances, not recorded, this property came into the possession of his son Jacob, whose heirs, Oct. 20, 1784, convey it to Isaac Cornell. Isaac conveyed one-third of the land to his brother John, Feb. 24, 1785, and one-third to his brother William, June 29, 1787. Isaac then conveyed to John and William each one-half of the land, and on Oct. 1, 1792, William conveyed all his interest to his brother John who, thereby became possessed of the entire estate.† 1831, Oct. 31, Sarah Cornell, widow of John, leased the mill pond to John A Conklin for five years for fishing oysters at the yearly rent of 2,000 of the best oysters. 1833, Feb. 5, a part (130 x 748 feet on the north side of the tract) was sold to C. C. Cambell, and the same year 1½ acres was sold to Hoyt and Nevius. The remaining 57 acres was sold Nov. 21, 1833, by the heirs of John Cornell to Charles Kelsy and Anson Blake for \$70,000. The history of the property is partially given in *Stile's History of Brooklyn*, where it is stated that Whitehead Cornell divided his property between his three sons John, William and Isaac, but I do not find that Whitehead had any title in this land (see No. 2054). 1787, he was a corporator of the Episcopal Church, Brooklyn. 1795, one of the first vestrymen of St. Ann's Church. 1810, 1813, 1814, 1817, delegate to the Diocesan Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church. His wife was a communicant of St. Ann's Church. It does not appear that he ever was, though he took a great interest in that parish and was a devoted friend and supporter of his Rector Dr. (afterwards Bishop) Henshaw. The writer has heard his father say that Dr. Henshaw preached a sermon eulogistic of him at his death. 1797, he buys from Van Nest,

\* The site of Sebring's, afterwards Cornell's mill, is marked on the old maps of Brooklyn.

† The old mill having been burned during the Revolutionary War, was rebuilt probably by John Cornell, its location being south of Harrison Street, between Columbia Street and Tiffany Place about opposite Sedgwick Street.

negro Chris; he had a number of slaves. The flour made at his mill had a high reputation in England. 1818, will dated. To wife Sarah, all for life or widowhood; to his children, \$2,000 each. Executors: wife, son Whitehead and John Suydam of New York. 1828, Simon Cortelyou's will had given \$4,000 each to his daughters Hannah, widow of Isaac Cornell (see No. 2142), Sarah, widow of John (see No. 2140), and Mary, deceased, wife of John S. Garretson. 1845, Sarah Cornell, widow of John, will dated. To her unmarried daughters, forty-four shares of State Bank, New Brunswick, note of Isaac R. Cornell, \$5,000, silver plate and furniture for life. Executors: sons Whitehead, George, Isaac, Peter and Samuel. His executors sell No. 77 Duane Street, New York, north side 200 feet east of Broadway for \$45,000, to B. H. Day. A declaration of trust states that the purchasers of the Cornell mill property were Kelsy, fifteen-fortieths, Blake, fifteen-fortieths, John C. Johnson, one-fortieth, John N. Taylor, one-fortieth, Conklin Brush, four-fortieths, Simon Benjamin, four-fortieths.

## 2141

WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of Whitehead<sup>5</sup> (2054), John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1755; d. 1830; m. Cornelia Cowenhoven (or Conover), daughter of Rem Cowenhoven; she d. 1819, aged 55 years, at Wallabout (Brooklyn), L. I. Children:

- 2285 John William, d. unmarried, Milford, Conn.\*
- 2286 Nicholas, d. before 1860; m. Ann Cowenhoven.
- 2287 Whitehead (went to sea, was on the brig *Dick* with Captain O'Sullivan who was also the owner. They brought the royal robes and furniture from France to Mexico for the Emperor Iturbede. The brig was lost off the coast of Mexico. The captain and all the crew it seems were drowned, but Whitehead, who was left alone on the shore, saw the robes and furniture drifting up on the beach from the broken vessel, and the natives breaking open the boxes and stealing them. He then left and saw the

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\* 1833, gave deed to Matilda Jewett.



- Emperor shot, 1824. At the solicitation of Commander Daniels, he joined the Patriot Navy, and this was the last heard of him). 1811, assignment to his father and John Skidmore for the benefit of his creditors, Benjamin Cornell, Benjamin Rowland, Whitehead Hewlett, and Hewlett Cornwell. (See his grandfather's will.)
- 2288 Cornelia, d. 1834, unmarried. Matilda Jewett, administratrix, reports her debts and asks to sell real estate.
- 2289 Matilda, d. 1855-6; m. Joseph Jewett, June 10, 1821.
- 2290 Rem Conover, d. after 1829; communicant St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn.
- 2291 Catherine, b. 1809; d. 1894; m. John A. Russ, U. S. N. Catherine A. Russ was divorced from John A. Russ, 1852. Three children: John A., William C., Cornelia M., who m. ——— King (see *Russ Genealogy*).

1780(?), runs horse "Steady" at Ascot. 1789, deed to F. Suydom. 1797, to Griffin. 1781, his father Whitehead conveyed to him 61 acres on Gowanus Ditch which William and wife convey Oct. 1, 1792, to John (2140). Gen. Johnson states that Whitehead divided his property among his three children, William took the homestead, the meadow, and the small island called Powder House Island (Cornell's Island between Van Brunt, Richards, Ewen and Bowen Streets, comprising Cornell Street) now Atlantic Dock property. Stiles said he owned a farm south side of Newtown Turnpike, east of Toll Bridge (where he lived) including Fort Green (probably the Cowenhoven Farm). He was a jovial pleasant man and agent for Dupont's Powder Manufactories. Stiles adds that he received from his father 150 acres which he sold 1802 to Ralph Patchen. 1791, he and his wife sell their interest in estate of her father, Nicholas (2286) and wife Ann, deed, 1826, recites that Nicholas R. Cowenhoven bequeathed his estate to his sister Cornelia and her husband William Cornell. Matilda Cornell and Joseph Jewett marriage settlement confirms to her the real estate devised to her by N. R. Cowenhoven. 1819, sale of his property by the sheriff on execution in favor of Dupont. 1829, will

dated, proved 1830, children Matilda Jewett, Catherine, wife of John A. Russ, and Whitehead Cornell.

## 2142

ISAAC,<sup>6</sup> of Whitehead<sup>5</sup> (2054), John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> d. 1824; m. Hannah Cortelyou, sister of Sarah (2140), marriage license, July 12, 1783; she d. 1825. Children:

- 2292 Isaac, m. Maria Ryerson or Rapelye. Child: Lef-ferts Ryerson. 1826, map of property on Red Hook lane and Cornell Street sold many lots, but was himself sold out by the sheriff. School trustee, 1825.
- 2293 Simon, d. 1829; m. Maria Cortelyou, May 30, 1815.
- 2294 Daniel, m. Sept. 20, 1826, Catherine Rapelye. No children. Administrator to brother Isaac.
- 2295 Ann, d. unmarried. Was a member of St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn.
- 2296 Hannah, b. Dec. 21, 1800; d. Oct. 27, 1891; m. 1824 Dr. Nelson L. Hurd. He d. 1834. Children Sarah and Charlotte, who m. (1) A. L. Nollman; m. (2) Charles H. Lentzman.
- 2297 Peter, d. unmarried; named after his uncle Peter Cortelyou; was a clerk of Mr. Curry, a New York merchant who charged Peter with embezzlement. Peter's father, from Curry's statement believed it and so he told his son, who charged his father with believing a lie on slight evidence, and that under the circumstances life was not worth living. He shot himself the same day.
- 2298 Margaret, m. Teunis Johnson. Children: Margaret, John, Ann Maria, Teunis, Jerome.
- 2299 Whitehead, b. about 1790; d. about 1820. Devisee of his grandfather; unmarried.
- 2300 John, lost at sea; unmarried.
- 2301 Sarah, d. unmarried.
- 2302 Ruth, m. ———.
- 2303 Peter, d. young. Devisee of his father, never amounted to much except for great physical strength. He was to be put to trade and receive

\$1,000 "if he conducted himself prudently," which he did not probably do, as he was supported by his brother.

1781, sells to G. Powers the house of four chimneys which had belonged to John (2140). His farm was on the south side of Atlantic, formerly District Street. He had 90 acres on which was a wind mill and distillery adjoining John (2056). 1784, buys of Sebring heirs the Cornell Mill, which he sells 1785 to his brothers. Is a butcher. 1792, his wife Hannah was a communicant of St. Ann's Church. 1824, will wife Hannah, children Isaac, Simon, Daniel, Ann, Hannah, Margaret Johnson and Peter. Simon and Daniel take the distillery, etc., "on the farm I now occupy." Executors: sons Simon and Daniel. To wife, income of \$5,000. Peter to be put to trade and receive \$1,000 "if he conducts himself prudently." Witnesses, Nelson L. Hurd, William Cornell. 1825, Hannah, widow of Isaac, will dated.

### 2149

BENJAMIN,\* of John<sup>5</sup> (2056), (supposed) John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. about 1775; m. Mary Willis (*Bolton's History*). Children:  
 2304 Mary.  
 2305 Samuel.

### 2151

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>5</sup> (2058), John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Sept. 22, 1773; d. Feb. 22, 1824; age, 50 years and 5 months;  
 m. Sarah Hicks, April 6, 1802. She was daughter of Stephen and Mary (Hewlett) Hicks, b. Sept. 18, 1799. Child:  
 2306 Elizabeth, b. Dec. 27, 1804; d. Feb. 27, 1881; unmarried. (See 2152).

1814(?), John and Sarah his wife of Flushing to Curtis Peck, 65 acres in Flushing \$4,000, three parcels east of road to White-stone Ferry. Also deed to Lawrence land on road from Flushing Landing to Jamaica.

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\* QUERY: Is this the Benjamin Cornwell of Brooklyn, Butcher? 1818, will, wife Mary. Children under age. Executors: John R. Willis, John Doughty.

**2152**

JOSEPH,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>5</sup> (2058), John<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Feb. 26, 1780; d. June 2, 1870; m. Maria Stryker, 1814. She  
 d. Aug. 9, 1867. Child:

2307 Son ——— (killed by the accidental discharge of  
 a gun).

1816, was assessed in New York on \$6,000 personal property.  
 1833, Maria Cornell of Amsterdam, N. Y., with consent of her  
 husband Joseph, deed to Pollock land in New York, about 5th  
 and 6th Avenues and 24th and 25th Streets. 1838, Joseph and  
 wife Maria and Mary, widow of James Stryker of New York,  
 deed north side 25th Street, west of 5th Avenue; also other  
 deeds. 1868, will, Joseph Cornell of Amsterdam, N. Y., now  
 on a visit to New York City; age, 88 years the 26th of last Feb.  
 Farmer. "Aware of the uncertainty of life by the death of all  
 my children, seven in number, and of my wife, 9th of Aug.  
 last, Maria Stryker, with whom I had lived happily about 53  
 years," gives to niece Sarah Ann, widow of John Mills of New  
 York City, \$3,000; to niece, Elizabeth Cornell Jordan (2310),  
 wife of John Jordan of Brooklyn, \$2,000; to sister Abby Keel-  
 ing, widow of John Keeling, of New York, \$2,000; to niece  
 Eliza Cornell (2306) of Rockaway, \$2,000; to Thomas White-  
 head Cornell of Williamsburg, \$1,000, or if he is embarrassed in  
 business to his wife and children. The will was contested by  
 Thomas W. Cornell, 53 Devoe Street, Williamsburg, coal dealer  
 and Eliza Cornell, nephew and niece. Joseph died in Amster-  
 dam, N. Y., age 90 years, 3 months. He gave up his house in  
 Amsterdam in 1869 and afterwards lived with his niece, Mrs.  
 Jordan, and part of the time with Thomas W. Cornell. Emel-  
 ine, wife of Thomas W. and William R. Cornell, grand-nephew  
 of testator were sworn as witnesses. The will was sustained.

**2153**

THOMAS WHITEHEAD,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>5</sup> (2058), John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup>  
 Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 bap. Dec. 3, 1782 at Hempstead; m. C. Skidmore (Bolton's  
*Westchester Co.*) Children (supposed as per will of Joseph  
 (2152):

2308 Thomas W., m. Emeline ———.

- 2309 Sarah Ann, m. John Mills, of New York.  
 2310 Elizabeth, m. John Jordan, of Brooklyn.

## 2158

WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of Timothy<sup>5</sup> (2064), William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. (supposed) about 1767; d. 1832; m. Nellie Skidmore, Feb. 16, 1798. Children:

- 2311 John Wesley, b. Oct. 6, 1819; d. Sep. 24, 1886; m. Matilda Coles Bedell, Jan. 30, 1839.  
 2312 Robert, m. Sarah Hendrickson. Children: Timothy and two daughters, one m. ——— Bedell.  
 2313 Joseph, m. Caroline Carman, April 3, 1814.  
 2314 William, m. Anne Cornell.  
 2315 Henry, b. April 20, 1815; m. Adelia Lausada, April 6, 1836.  
 2316 Hannah, m. John Higbee.  
 2317 Elizabeth, m. Seaman Snedeker.

## 2159

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> or John Timothy, of Timothy<sup>6</sup> [Cornwell] (2064), William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. July 28, 1868; m. March 21, 1800, (1) Ann Fowler, (2) Ann De la Mater; she was b. in New York; d. Jan. 13, 1854.\* Children:

By first wife:

- 2318 Timothy, b. Nov. 17, 1800; d. Feb. 29, 1860; m. (1) Mary Sharp; (2) Mary Brower.  
 2319 Mary, b. Sept. 15, 1802; d. May 21, 1860; m. Samuel Clement. Children: Cornwell, Phineas, John Cornwell, Thomas, Charles, Henry.  
 2320 Jeremiah, b. Sept. 10, 1804; d. July 14, 1868; m. (1) Abbie Brower; (2) Catherine Dickenson.  
 2321 Valentine, b. Sept. 12, 1806; d. Oct. 26, 1806.  
 2322 Elizabeth, b. Nov. 2, 1807; d. Dec. 3, 1841; m. Jeremiah Fowler. Children: Mary Ann, Sylvester, William, Sarah Lavinia, Emily Louise, Richard, Elizabeth.

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\* Some of my correspondents give a different version to this arrangement and state that Ann De la Mater was first wife of John and had no children.

- 2323 Hannah Ann, b. Nov. 24, 1809; d. July 2, 1876; m. John Wright. Children: Ann Elizabeth, m. Robert Ure.
- 2324 Richard, b. Dec. 28, 1811; d. April 26, 1886; m. Mary Ann Boerum.
- 2325 Gilbert Fowler, b. April 4, 1814; d. Jan. 5, 1870; m. Mary Ann Dupuy, Aug. 16, 1838.
- 2326 Letitia, b. May 20, 1816; d. June 3, 1817.
- 2327 Abby, b. July 24, 1818; m. Thomas Welwood, May 24, 1843. Children: Mary Elizabeth, Abbe Anne, William Ambrose, Thomas Arthur, Rev. John Cornwell, Rector Church of the Holy Spirit, (Bath Beach) Brooklyn, N. Y., Ada Frances.
- 2328 Emma, b. April 3, 1826; d. Sept., 1850; m. Bennett Sniffer. Child: Theodore Frelinghuysen.

By second wife:

- 2329 Jacob Weeks, b. Jan. 5, 1850; d. Nov. 6, 1898; m. Virginia Powell.
- 2330 Thomas.
- 2331 McAndrew.
- 2332 Milton.

## 2171

GEORGE,<sup>6</sup> of Richardus<sup>5</sup> (2070), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 26, 1787; d. Sept. 3, 1864; m. Maria White, Nov. 5, 1809, daughter of Thomas White. She was born 1791; d. Sept. 23, 1889. Children:\*

- 2333 Egbert, b. Aug. 10, 1810; d. March 11, 1893; m. Maria Haviland, Jan. 9, 1833.
- 2334 Phebe Ann, b. Oct. 3, 1812; d. March 11, 1889; m. Cary Burtis, Sept. 5, 1848, son of Thomas and Nancy (Cornwell) Burtis. Child: Edwin.
- 2335 Albert, b. Aug. 30, 1816; d. Jan. 4, 1888; m. Sarah Rebecca Vandever, Oct. 17, 1853.
- 2336 Hepzibah, b. Jan. 25, 1818; d. June 25, 1883; m. B. H. Brinkerhoff.
- 2337 Thomas White; b. Jan. 8, 1820; d. June 10, 1892; m. Elizabeth G. Fairchild, Jan. 11, 1854.

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\* These dates are taken from old family bible of George Cornell.

- 2338 Lavinia, b. March 21, 1825, at Beekman, Dutchess Co., N. Y.; d. Oct. 21, 1861; m. Elias D. Vail, Oct. 17, 1853. Children: Willard Cornell, George (died young), Edwin.

1812, July 17, George Cornell buys land in Beekman of Morgan Lewis, which land was leased of Henry Beekman, Sept. 26, 1774, by Richardus Cornell for the lives of Samuel and Richard Cornell, sons of the said Richardus, and of James McLess his sister's son. (See 2070).

### 2178

CAPTAIN THOMAS,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>5</sup> [Cornwell] (2074), Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. after 1746 (as per father's will); m. Mary ———; she d. Jan. 3, 1799. Children:

- 2339 Deborah.  
 2340 Mary.  
 2341 Thomas.  
 2342 Charles.  
 2343 George D., of Savannah.  
 2344 Helen, m. Dr. ——— Powers, Surgeon in British Army.

He was a captain in the British Army, and went to Nova Scotia after the war. 1767, executors to his father in deed to Bergen recite that Thomas, Jr., is under age. 1775, disaffected and reported for receiving arms from the ship of war *Asia*.

### 2180

WHITEHEAD,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>5</sup> [Cornwell] (2074), Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. after 1746; d. Dec., 1803; m. Abigail Hicks, third daughter of Jacob;\* she d. Feb. 14, 1823. Children:

- 2345 Ann, b. 1778; d. Oct. 8, 1826; age 48; m. Miles Kirkly(?), Newark, N. J. Children: William and Elisa; m. ——— Delahunty.  
 2346 Helen, b. 1780; d. Feb. 7, 1823; m. John Black of England, *d. s. p.*

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\* Jacob Hicks witnessed the will of Thomas (2026), and was appraiser of Thomas (2006).

- 2347 Thomas, b. Jan. 20, 1783; d. 1838; m. Hannah Hewlett, Feb. 16, 1805.
- 2348 Abigail, b. 1792; d. Dec. 25, 1861, at Poughkeepsie; unmarried.
- 2349 William, b. 1793; d. April 25, 1864; m. (1) Eliza Antoinette Morey, May, 1819; m. (2) Jane E. Wilson, 1839.
- 2350 Whitehead, d. young; unmarried.
- 2351 Charles, d. unmarried at sea.
- 2352 George, d. young; unmarried.
- 2353 Jacob, d. middle age; unmarried.
- Four others d. young; names unknown.

In 1771 he owned a race-horse "Steady." 1776, he was disaffected. Two of his brothers were captains in the British Army and went to Nova Scotia. He was arrested and paroled. 1788-9, member of Assembly. 1792, subscribes £3 for Jamaica School. 1798, gives deed to Martin, £677 for 25½ acres woodland at Rockaway. 1798, deed to John Cornell \$996, "The Opening" at Far Rockaway. 1780, advertises a horse. 1802, deed to Mott, part of the farm where he resided, \$6,250 for 294 acres, beginning 3 chains 77 links from the Kitchen near Richard, deceased, and by the cove or bay. Same year mortgaged to Mott £1,600, 2 parcels at Far Rockaway: 1st, where the house stands, north and west of the road from Silas Hicks to Benjamin Cornwell, 40 acres; 2d, joins Richard Cornell, 150 acres. This is supposed to have been the old Homestead of Richard,<sup>2</sup> and it thus passed out of the family, the mortgage being foreclosed. Thomas and his widow were allowed to remain in the house during their lifetime. 1803, he keeps a stage house at Rockaway. 1809, will, mentions wife Abigail; children (all minors): Abigail, Charles, Jacob, George, William, Ann Kirkly, Nelly Black, Thomas. Executors: wife, son Thomas, Geo. Hewlett, who were to bind out the four younger boys. 1823, Abigail, relict of Whitehead, will, gives all to daughter Abigail.

## 2181

BENJAMIN,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>5</sup> (2074), Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1750; m. (1) ——— in Philadelphia; m. (2) ——— in New York. Children:



- 2354 Whitehead.  
 2355 Daughter —— m. Van Remigen, Philadelphia.  
 2356 Daughter —— m. Capt. Burger, New York.

Captain in British Army and went to Nova Scotia. He like his brother Thomas espoused the cause of the mother country. 1776, he was a lieutenant of the Far Rockaway Company. In arms against the Whigs. 1780, he and Elijah assisted in capturing the rebel sloop *Revenue*.

### 2183

HANNAH,<sup>6</sup> of Hon. Samuel<sup>5</sup> (2080), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 176—; d. 1818; m. Herman LeRoy, Dutch Consul at New York, Oct. 19, 1786; he was b. Jan. 16, 1758, son of Jacob LeRoy and Cornelia Rutgers. Children (*LeRoy*):

Cornelia, b. 1787; d. 1860; m. William Edgar, 1809.

Samuel Cornell, b. 1788; d. 1790.

Catherine Augusta, b. 1790; d. 1835; m. Thomas Newbold, 1812.

Herman b. 1791; d. 1869; m. Juliet Edgar, 1813; she d. 1861.

Susan, b. 1793; d. 1832; m. David S. Jones, 1827.

Jacob, b. 1794; d. 1868; m. (1) Charlotte D. Otis, 1822; m. (2) Charlotte O. Downes, 1853.

William Henry; b. 1795; d. 1888; m. Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas A. Emmett, 1819.

Caroline, b. 1797; d. 1882; m. Hon. Daniel Webster, 1829.

Daniel, b. 1799; d. 1885; m. S. Elizabeth, daughter of Col. Nicholas Fish and Elizabeth Stuyvesant, 1826.

Mary, b. 1800; d. young.

Robert, d. 1802.

Edward Augustus, b. 1804; d. 1863; m. Sarah Louisa, daughter of James Morris.

### 2184

SARAH,<sup>6</sup> of Hon. Samuel<sup>5</sup> (2080), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1761, d. June 2, 1803; m. Matthew Clarkson, son of David

Clarkson and Elizabeth (French), Feb. 14, 1792;\* she was his second wife; his first wife was Mary Rutherford; he was b. Oct. 17, 1758; d. April 25, 1825. Children (*Clarkson*):

Eliza, b. 1793.

Catherine Rutherford, b. 1794; m. Jonathan Goodhue.

David, b. 1795; m. Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Steadfield Clarkson, her cousin.

Matthew, b. 1796; m. Catherine E., daughter of Charles Clarkson.

William Bayard, b. 1798; m. Adelaide, daughter of Robert Livingston.

Susan Maria, b. 1800; m. James F. de Peyster, 1821.

Sarah Cornell, b. 1802; m. Rev. William Richmond.

He enlisted as a private in the American Fusiliers. Fought in the battle of Long Island. Afterward aide to Gen. Arnold with the rank of Major, was at the surrender of Burgoyne, and his likeness is in Turnbull's picture of that event. 1777, severely wounded at the Battle of Stillwater. Was aide to Lincoln, and in Charleston at the Capitulation. 1781, with Lincoln at Yorktown, and the bearer of an invitation from Gen. Washington to Lord Cornwallis after the surrender. 1783, made Lieut.-Colonel by brevet and assistant secretary of war. One of the original members of the Cincinnati. After the war one of the State Board of Regents. Member of Assembly, 1787-9. U. S. Marshal at New York, 1791-2. State Senator, 1794-6. (See *Record of Events* by Livingston Rutherford).

## 2186

SUSANNAH,<sup>6</sup> of Hon. Samuel<sup>5</sup> (2080), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Captain Henry Chads, R. N., marriage license, July 15, 1783; he d. Oct. 10, 1799. Children (*Chads*):

Mary Cornell.

Caroline.

Sir Henry Ducie, K. C. B., became an Admiral in the British Navy; was 1st Lieutenant of the

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\* Married on Tuesday evening, by the Rev. Dr. Benjamin Moore, General Matthew Clarkson to Miss Sally Cornell, daughter of the late Samuel Cornell, Esq., of Newberne, N. C. (*Daily Advertiser*, of Saturday, Feb. 18).

Java when taken by the Constitution, 1812; the captain was killed and he took command.

William Catherwood, was in the Royal Marines.

John Cornell, Lieut.-Colonel in the British Army and President or Governor of the Virgin Islands.

He became an Admiral in the British Navy. Galignani's *Messenger* publishes a story that his wife was engaged to Col. Edward Fanning, secretary to Gov. Tryon, and that the Colonel went to Newberne, N. C., to wed her, but found on his arrival there, that she had eloped and gone to England with Capt. Chads. But as she was married to Chads by license in New York the story is doubtful.

## 2188

ARCHIBALD,<sup>6</sup> of Charles<sup>5</sup> (2083), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1773; d. Jan. 27, 1852; m. Elizabeth Allen; she d. Aug. 11, 1859. Children (as per will):

- 2357 William A., d. about May, 1888; m. Jemima Elizabeth Bennett.
- 2358 Sarah Elizabeth, d. after 1872; unmarried.
- 2359 Arabella C., d. 1872(?).
- 2360 Hannah, m. Benjamin C. Bangs.
- 2361 Deborah, m. George Adams.

1822, administrator of Joshua,<sup>5</sup> (William,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>). 1852, will dated and proved. To wife Elizabeth house at Bayside, also \$2,500; son William A. to have part of my farm at Bayside; to Sarah E. and Arabella C., \$600 each; daughter Hannah, wife of Benjamin C. Bangs; daughter Deborah, wife of George Adams. Executors: son William A. Cornell and Alfred H. Corning, Counsellor-at-law, New York City. 1859, Elizabeth, widow of Archibald, will. She died Aug. 11, 1859, leaving four children: William A, Sarah E., Arabella C. of Flushing and Deborah, wife of George Adams of New York City. 1872, Arabella C. Cornell of Morrissania, N. Y., will proved. Sister Sarah Elizabeth Cornell, sister Deborah Ann Adams; brother William A.; nephews Francis William Cornell, Edwin Bennett Cornell; sister-in-law Jemima

Elizabeth Cornell. "The sums devised to my nephews are to be paid to their father William A. for their use until they are of age." Executors: William A. and cousin Alfred H. Corning. His property at Bayside was mapped out and divided into lots.

### 2196

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>6</sup> (2086), John,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Oct. 24, 1772; d. about 1842; m. Sarah Talman, Aug. 18,  
1794. Children:

- 2362 Anne, b. March 7, 1795; unmarried.
- 2363 Jane, b. May 30, 1798; m. ——— Rhodes. Children: Margaret, Sarah.
- 2364 Thomas Talman, b. July 28, 1800.
- 2365 Lawrence, b. Aug. 11, 1802; m. Betsy Field.
- 2366 William Talman, b. Oct. 11, 1804; m. Caroline Bowers.
- 2367 Daniel, b. April 15, 1806; m. ———. Child: Thomas who m. and d.
- 2368 Oliver, b. Aug. 29, 1808; m. Jane Cheeseman.
- 2369 Margaret, b. Nov. 18, 1811.
- 2370 Viner Leacraft, b. Dec. 17, 1815; m. Frances Harriet Lane.

1814, deed to Curtis Peck \$4,000, 65 acres in Flushing east of road to Whitestone ferry, also land on south of road to Flushing Village. 1818, about, deed to Lawrence \$2,105, house and lot on road from Flushing to Jamaica.

### 2197

THOMAS,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>6</sup> (2086), John,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 12, 1775; d. about 1842; m. Elizabeth Ackerman.  
Children:

- 2371 Thomas, b. May 12, 1795.
- 2372 Elizabeth, b. Feb. 9, 1797.
- 2373 Julia, b. July 3, 1799.

1813, Thomas and Elizabeth of North Hempstead to Sned-

eker, \$210, woodland west of road from Oliver Cornell to Samuel Cornell in Jamaica, joining Skidmore. Witness: Oliver Cornell. He or his son Thomas was a cabinet maker in New York and failed in business, afterwards deputy sheriff under Hayes. 1828, Elizabeth, relict of Thomas, gave deed to Miah Pearsall.

## 2210

CHARLES,<sup>6</sup> of Charles<sup>5</sup> (2092), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1769; d. 1807; m. Catherine<sup>5</sup> Rodman, daughter of John<sup>4</sup> Rodman (Thomas,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>), of Flushing; she d. Feb. 27, 1864. Children (as per will, etc.):

2374 Richard Rodman, b. 1792; *d. s. p.* Aug. 13, 1831.

2375 Phebe, b. 1794; m. Thomas Roe of Jamaica, July 18, 1816.

2376 Charlotte Amelia, b. 1795; m. Hon. Henry J. Hagner.

2377 Adelaide, b. 1798; m. Edward Cossarts.

2378 Alexander, b. 1800; d. before 1845; m. Catherine Magnus.

2379 Thomas Frederick, b. May 21, 1804; d. April 23, 1866; m. Sarah Treadwell Munn, 1829.

1803, deed, Charles and Catherine his wife who is daughter of John Rodman of Flushing, who is son of Thomas Rodman the elder, to Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Appleby, gent, of Flushing. 1807, Charles of Flushing, will, mentions wife Catherine and six children, Richard Rodman Cornell, Phebe Cornell, Charlotte Amelia Cornell, Adelaide Cornell, Alexander Cornell and Thomas Cornell, all under age. Executors: wife, Cornelius Van Wyck, Thomas C. Thorne. Witness: Gilbert Cornell. 1811, Catherine, relict of Charles of Flushing, to S. H. Van Wyck 150 acres in Flushing on the East River or Sound, formerly belonging to John Rodman, deceased. Witness: Richard Cornell. 1854, Catherine, widow of Charles of North Hempstead, will. Body to remain four days unburied and then to be buried in Greenwood Cemetery in the vault belonging to my son Thomas F. Cornell. Mentions children Thomas F. Cornell, grandson Charles M. Cornell, son of Cath-

erine Cornell, daughters Phebe Roe, Adelaide Hagner. She died Feb. 27, 1864. The record says leaving children Adelaide and Phebe both widows, grandchildren Henry Hagner, Brooklyn, Alexander Hagner, Caroline wife of Daniel Smith, Charlotte Adelaide Hagner and Phebe Hagner, children of Charlotte Hagner, deceased, Charles M. Cornell of North Hempstead, John F. D. Cornell, Alexander Cornell, Charlotte, wife of James, Charles and Catherine R. Cornell of Brooklyn, children of Alexander Cornell, deceased, who was a child of testatrix, all of full age.

## 2212

SARAH,<sup>6</sup> of Charles<sup>5</sup> (2092), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1766; d. April 15, 1809; m. John I. Glover, a New York merchant and wealthy Quaker, Jan. 31, 1786. Children (*Glover*):

Sarah, b. April 13, 1788; d. April 2, 1789.

Sarah, b. April 10, 1791; d. young, unmarried.

Deborah, b. July 2, 1792; m. Alfred Pierpont Edwards, grandson of President Edwards of Princeton College.

John, b. Feb. 21, 1794; m. (1) his cousin, Ann Glover, 1816; m. (2) Debbie Ann Sheaff of Philadelphia, 1825.

Alice (twin of above), m. Ebenezer Seely of New Haven.

Ann, b. Sept. 9, 1795; m. William Wells Holley of Stamford, Conn.

Martha, b. Aug. 30, 1797; d. unmarried.

Daniel, b. March 4, 1800; m. Mary S., daughter of Peter Bertram Cruger of New York.

Samuel, b. Aug. 20, 1801; d. unmarried.

Mary, b. Nov. 28, 1802; m. Rt. Rev. Manton Eastburn, Bishop of Massachusetts.

Robert, b. July 9, 1804; d. Aug. 7, 1804.

Francis, b. Aug. 31, 1807; m. Augustus Ludlow.

Phebe, b. April 11, 1809; m. Churchill C. Cambreling; he was Minister to Russia during the Presidency of Martin Van Buren.

## 2214

CHARLES,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (2096), Charles,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 14, 1772; d. about March 16, 1819, in Brooklyn; m. (1) Massie Ann Hicks; m. (2) Mary De Mott. Children:

- 2380 William, m. Keturah Brower.
- 2381 Austin, d. about 1836; m. Jemima Lewis.
- 2382 Issac, m. Sarah Gildersleeve.
- 2383 Hannah, m. Robert Roberdy, a widower of Brooklyn.
- 2384 Laurence, m. ———.
- 2385 Lydia, m. James Crane of Spencerton, New Jersey.
- 2386 Ann, m. John Heyden of Spencerton, New Jersey.
- 2387 Mary, m. John Gildersleeve of Oyster Bay.
- 2388 De Mott or Mott, m. Ann Carman(?).
- 2389 Samuel, m. ———; *d. s. p.*
- 2390 Fanny, m. Rodney Smith, New Haven, Addison Co., Vt.; devisee of her grandfather, Isaac Hicks.

1772, June 10, Thomas Hick named grandson Charles Cornell in will. 1776 and 1800(?), mortgages mention that he lived on road from St. George's Church to Foster's Meadows.

## 2217

ISAAC MILES,<sup>7</sup> of Hallett<sup>6</sup> (2102), James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 4, 1793; d. March 1, 1873; m. Mary Cheeseman, Dec. 4, 1820. Children:

- 2391 Charles M., b. 1821; d. July 6, 1875.
- 2392 Frances E., m. Poyer.

1854, Charles E. (2231) gives by will \$375 to my cousin Isaac M., residing with his son Charles M., Third Avenue, near Harlem, N. Y., also \$1,000 to his son Charles, and \$100 to his daughter Frances, and \$750 to Mary, wife of my cousin. 1867, father's will gives him real estate in North Hempstead. When his father's will was proved, he lived at Bowery Bay, Newtown. 1875, Administration of Isaac M. of North Hempstead to daughter Frances E. Poyer.

**2220**

STEPHEN,<sup>7</sup> Hallett of Hallett<sup>6</sup> (2102), James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. in North Hempstead, March 20, 1799; d. Jan. 2, 1886; m.  
Mary Willis, Jan. 8, 1834, or Feb. 14, 1835; she was b. Feb. 2,  
1813; d. Feb. 15, 1885. Children:

2393 Julia Augusta, b. March 30, 1836; d. March 2, 1899.

2394 Samuel Willis, b. Dec. 16, 1837; m. Margaret Ther-  
esa Wallace, May 17, 1871.

2395 Mary Elvira, b. Nov. 22, 1842.

He was a carpenter by trade. Shortly after his marriage he moved to Brooklyn and built the house, 105 Johnson Street, northeast corner of Laurence Street, where he lived nearly fifty years, till after the death of his wife, 1885. After moving to Brooklyn he was identified with the construction of some of the most prominent buildings of that city, and was at one time employed in the Brooklyn Navy Yard. He was also in the real estate business. He did not long survive his wife, and died at his son's house.

**2223**

JAMES GILBERT,<sup>7</sup> of Hallett<sup>6</sup> (2102), James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 6, 1805; d. May 25, 1875; m. (1) Ellinor Wood, July 7,  
1828, in New York City; she d. Aug. 7, 1829; m. (2) Lydia  
Ann Treadwell, Jan. 4, 1843; she was b. 1820; d. 1890. Chil-  
dren:

By first wife:

2396 James Elwood, b. Aug. 7, 1829; d. July, 1886; m.  
Anna Priscilla Suydam, Oct. 22, 1850.

By second wife:

2397 Elbert Treadwell, b. March 14, 1845. Lived in  
New York.

2398 Clarence Eugene, b. Dec. 5, 1850; m. Alice Weeks  
1872. Lived with his father.

1867, he was devisee of his father, inheriting the Homestead Farm, also devisee of Charles E. (2231). Was a farmer, and in 1865 removed to Brooklyn and engaged in ship building with his brother-in-law, Treadwell. 1868, will dated; proved 1875. Of North Hempstead. To James E., \$300; Elbert T. and Clar-



ence E., \$1,000 each; remainder to wife Lydia Ann. The will was contested but sustained.

**2225**

WILLIAM ALEXANDER,<sup>7</sup> of Hallett<sup>6</sup> (2102), James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 25, 1810; d. before 1856; m. Charity Ann Colyer, April 25, 1836; she was b. Aug. 10, 1814; she m. (2) ——— Boone (see Hallett's will). Children:

2399 Stephen Hallett, b. March 6, 1837. He was a correspondent of Ezra Cornell in 1868.

2400 Elvira Ann, b. April 12, 1841.

2401 William Alexander, b. June 1, 1844.

1850, Administration to Charity Ann, widow.

**2228**

COL. JOHN HENRY,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2103), James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 11, 1799; d. Oct. 25, 1854; m. Amelia Hamilton of Perth Amboy, New Jersey, daughter of William and Sarah (Lewis) Hamilton, Oct. 30, 1824.

2402 Charles Hamilton, b. Dec. 10, 1825; d. April 7, 1859; m. Aleph Brinley of Perth Amboy; no children.

2403 John Henry, b. in New York City, May 8, 1828; d. March 1, 1894, in New York City, aged 65 years; m. Emma Windsor, Feb., 1848; no children. 1848, he was appointed organist in St. John's Chapel (Trinity parish), New York, in which city he had till then pursued his musical studies, especially harmony and composition. Within a year he resigned and went to England, visiting the principal cathedral towns. At York he conformed to the Roman Catholic Church and returning to the United States, entered a religious order in Baltimore. He soon however, left the Roman Catholic Church in intense disgust and became an Agnostic. He again went abroad and made the tour of England, Holland, Germany and France. From 1868 to 1877, he was organist of

St. Paul's Chapel (Trinity parish), and for five years organist of the The Brick Church (Presbyterian), New York City. He was a musical composer and author of marked ability, his principal works being "Theory and Practice of Musical Form," "Easy Method of Modulation," "A Manual of Roman Chant," and "A Congregational Tune Book." On his death-bed he conformed to the Episcopal Church in which he was brought up. He is one of the seven mentioned in *Appleton's Cyclopædia of Biography* for which see above.

- 2404 William Kemble, b. July 24, 1830.
- 2405 Sarah Hamilton, b. Aug. 18, 1832; m. Andrew Foster Higgins, May 5, 1852, insurance agent, New York. One daughter, d. 1898; m. John David Barrett of Staten Island.
- 2406 Richard Mortimer, b. June 1, 1834; m. Margaret Butler McLaughlin, July 20, 1864.
- 2407 Amelia Louisa, b. July 29, 1836; m. Albert Gallatin Stevens, Dec. 23, 1857.
- 2408 Euphemia Lewis, b. June 5, 1840; d. Sept. 20, 1846.
- 2409 Cornelia Ogden, b. Aug. 29, 1842; m. (1) George Shepherd of Perth Amboy, N. J., Aug. 29, 1867; m. (2) Rev. F. Marion McAllister (brother of Ward McAllister).
- 2410 Harriet Matilda, b. in New York, July 5, 1846; m. June 2, 1870, (by his father) Russell Degen Tyng, a descendant of Edwin Tyng, purchaser of Thomas' Boston House, son of Rev. James Higgins Tyng and Augusta Temple Degen. He was in the insurance business and a vestryman of Church of the Holy Communion, South Orange, N. J.; d. Jan. 25, 1882. Children: Fanny, Elizabeth, Constance Dudley, Grace Royal, Harriet Cornell.

1829, Charles E. Cornell, druggist, James H. Cornell, physician, William H. B. Cornell, gentleman, Louisa A., wife of Zalmon Booth, and Sarah Cornell, widow, heirs-at-law of Charles Cornell, deceased, to John H. Cornell of New York,

merchant, deed. 1855, John H., Charles H., William K., Robert M. Cornell, Andrew F. Higgins and Sarah his wife, children of John H. Cornell of New York, deed to Smith. He was book-keeper for William and Rufus Delafield; cashier of West Point Foundry; cashier Mechanics' Banking Association till his death; was largely engaged in real estate transactions, building houses, etc.; a member of Trinity parish and a whig in politics. The printed index of conveyances, New York, has two pages of deeds by him. He died worth \$200,000. This family generally belong to the Episcopal Church.

### 2231

CHARLES EDGAR,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2103), James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. about 1804; d. 1854.

1824, he entered Columbia College but did not graduate. 1829, Druggist (see deed 2228). Studied medicine and practiced a little. 1854, will, New York City, aged 50 years, makes bequest as follows: To Ephraim Valentine who married "my cousin" Ann (2224), deceased, of Westbury; Charles (2391), son, and Frances (2392), daughter, and Mary, wife of cousin Isaac M. (2217); Martha Willis, wife of Willis and daughter of John Titus; Phebe, wife of George Valentine; Jeffry Cornell (2218), "my cousin," son of Hallett; Mary (2220), wife of "my cousin" Stephen; Margaretta (2222), and Maria (2219), "my cousins," daughters of Hallett; James Elwood Cornell (2396), my uncle; James Gilbert (2223); Jane, wife of Edwin Vanderwater and sister of Stephen's (2220) wife; American Bible Society; New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society; Five Points Mission, etc. His estate amounted to about \$20,000.

### 2238

RICHARD,<sup>7</sup> of Lewis<sup>6</sup> (2109), Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1844; m. Mary Doughty (or Hegeman). Children:

- 2411 John Hegeman, b. Nov. 9, 1805; d. Aug. 28, 1857;  
m. Elizabeth Duryea, Jan. 5, 1832 (different family from Deborah Duryea).  
2412 Stephen, m. Deborah Duryea; child Josephine d. age, 12 years.

- 2413 William Henry, d. in California; unmarried.  
 2414 Lewis, m. Caroline Helen Duryea, sister of Deborah.  
 2415 Richard, m. and d. in California.  
 2416 Ellen, m. Benjamin Franklin; children: Eugene Beauharnais, m. Margaret Gilsey; Ellen, m. Adrience; Lydia, m. Raymond, Farlie Thorburn.  
 2417 Augustus, d. in California.  
 2418 Jane, m. Cornelius Duryea; his first wife was Deborah Duryea; he was the father of Deborah and Caroline Duryea, who m. Stephen and Lewis Cornell.  
 2419 Ann, m. Edwin Gates.  
 2420 Susan, m. Edwin Gates.  
 2421 Mary, m. D. Whittemore, New York City.  
 2422 Sarah, b. April 15, 1820; d. in Dutchess Co., m. Matthew R. Mills, of New York.

1819, was sheriff, and 1822 and 1828, candidate for sheriff. 1826, Richard and wife Mary, Flushing, to John Van Nostrand (see No. 2242), deed, south by highway from Plains to Great Neck, north by Henry Cornwell, east by John Cornwell, 5 acres. 1844, administration given to John H. and William H. Cornell.

### 2239

LEWIS,<sup>7</sup> of Lewis<sup>6</sup> (2109), Obediah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Joane Sarton or Saxton. Children:

- 2423 Charles.  
 2424 John.  
 2425 Jane.  
 2426 Emily.

Lived in New York City, and devisee of Elizabeth.

### 2240

JOHN HENRY,<sup>7</sup> of Lewis<sup>6</sup> (2109) Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. about 1857; m. (1) Mary Hegeman; (2) Catherine Hegeman. Children:

- 2427 Richard, b. 1845; m. Ellen, Van Nostrand.

- 2428 Charles Benjamin.  
 2429 Anna Maria, m. Joseph Craft.  
 2430 Rebecca, m. (1) Charles Mapother(?); (2) ———  
 Starr.

Lived in New York City. Devisee of Elizabeth (2243).  
 1857, of New York City, will, wife Mary, children Richard,  
 Charles, Benjamin, Ann Maria and Rebecca Starr, son-in-law  
 Joseph Craft. Witness: Cornelius H. Cornell, etc.

### 2241

WILLIAM HALLETT,<sup>7</sup> of Lewis<sup>6</sup> (2109), Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup>  
 Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 8, 1800; d. Nov. 19, 1874; m. Elizabeth Doughty, Sept.  
 5 or 6, 1819; she was b. Aug. 1, 1794; d. Oct. 2, 1882. Children:

- 2431 John Henry, b. at Bayside, 1820; m. Matilda Lomen,  
 Nov. 20, 1844. Living 1895.  
 2432 Benjamin H., b. 1820 (twin of above); m. Margaret  
 Wright, 1846.  
 2433 Catherine, b. Dec. 19, 1823; m. John Foster, Nov.  
 25, 1843; he d. Jan. 10, 189—; age 86, 8, 23.  
 2434 Cornelia, E., b. Feb. 23, 1837; d. about 1883; m.  
 Thomas Valentine.  
 2435 Jane Peters, b. 1839; m. Jeremiah Valentine.  
 2436 William Lewis, b. July 24, 1841; m. Emily A. Ben-  
 nett, April 27, 1870.

1873, William Hallett, will, of Flushing, wife Elizabeth,  
 children John H., Benjamin H., Jane P., widow of Jeremiah  
 Valentine, Cornelia E., wife of Thomas Valentine, Catherine,  
 wife of John Foster and William L. John H. and William L.  
 Cornell lived on a cross road (1894), about one mile south of  
 Douglaston. William L. is Highway Commissioner. He had  
 a number of ancient deeds, and the information concerning the  
 descendants of Obadiah is derived from them.

### 2245

JANE,<sup>7</sup> of Lewis<sup>6</sup> (2109), Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Charles Peters. Before her marriage with Peters she had

a son, Thomas J. Cornell, who is named in her father's will, although she is not. Children (*Peters*):

- 2436<sup>A</sup> Thomas Jefferson Cornell, m. Ann Van Nostrand.  
Jane C.  
Sarah Maria, m. ——— Canary.

1844 will dated; proved 1856. Elizabeth (2243), of Flushing, will, gives all to Jane C. Peters and Maria Peters. The record names her three brothers: Lewis (2239), John H. (2240), of New York, William H. Cornell (2241). Anna Maria Van Nostrand, widow, Catherine (2244), wife of John Brenem, Jane (2418), wife of Cornelius Duryea, Ellen (2416), wife of Benjamin Franklin, Ann H. Cornell and Valentine H. Peters of Flushing, Stephen H. (2412) and John H. (2411), of Jamaica, Lewis C. Cornell (2414), Sarah Maria (Peters) Canary, William H. Cornell (2413), Charles Augustus Cornell (2417) and Richard Cornell (2415), of San Francisco.

## 2246

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> [Cornwell] (2111), Joseph,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup>  
Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 21, 1773; d. Oct. 27, 1827; aged 54 years; m. Elizabeth Rhodes of Hempstead, April 2, 1794; she d. at Hempstead, April 15, 1844; aged 70 years. Children:

- 2437 Jane, b. 1795; d. July 18, 1847; member of St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn, 1829.  
2438 Mary, b. Feb. 21, 1797; d. Aug. 13, 1828.  
2439 Grace, m. Whitman Mead; removed to New York.  
2440 Rebecca, m. ——— Sterling.  
2441 Elizabeth.  
2442 William R.  
2443 Daniel.  
2444 Ann.

1802, Joseph Cornwell (2248), of Brooklyn, harness maker, to Daniel Rhodes and William Cornwell, tailor, deed lot on Front, near Union Street. Warden and treasurer of St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn. Delegate to Diocesan Convention. 1819(?), Overseer of Poor. 1824, will, wife Elizabeth takes all, till children are 21, names all children above but Jane. Executors: wife, brother Daniel and brother-in-law Robert Rhodes.

**2247**

DANIEL,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> [Cornwell] (2111), Joseph,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup>  
Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 24, 1774; d. Sept. 21, 1842; m. Hannah Nostrand Mitchell, April 27, 1806, at Great Neck, L. I., daughter of Allen and Phebe (Smith) Mitchell. Children:\*

2445 Jane Elizabeth, b. March 7, 1812; d. Dec. 31, 1859; m. William Creed, Oct. 11, 1829; child, Charlotte LeRoy.

2446 Phebe, b. Jan. 6, 1816; d. April 12, 1844; m. Willett Coombs, April 18, 1841; child, Leonard Seaman d. 1843.

2447 Emily, b. Aug. 4, 1818; d. Sept. 20, 1854, unmarried.

2448 Harriett Wardell, b. Jan. 31, 1821, living at Jamaica, 1892, unmarried.

1793, Devisee and executor of his grandmother Hannah. 1824, Executor of brother William. 1802, subscribes for Christ Church, Manhasset. He was clerk of the church 1805. Harriett Wardell above writes, "my parents moved to Jamaica from Success, near Lakeville, (my birthplace), when I was a child." 1825, deed from Thorne, land in Jamaica. 1827, deed to Tyler, land east side of Great Neck, ratified by wife Hannah N. He was tailor, sexton, clerk and vestryman of Grace Church, Jamaica.

**2273**

CATHERINE,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 27, 1790; d. March 20, 1885, at 58 Pierrepont Street, Brooklyn. Buried in the family vault, Greenwood Cemetery, where her parents and nearly all her family repose.

She became a communicant of St. Ann's Church, Oct. 15, 1809, but for many years was connected with Grace Church. After the death of their mother, the three sisters who had before lived in the old home, No. 58 Pierrepont Street (now No. 66), purchased the house No. 58 Pierrepont Street (present number), where they passed the remainder of their lives. They

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\* Taken from Daniel Cornell's family bible, furnished by Charlotte LeRoy Creed, daughter of Jane.

were all zealous in religious and charitable works and greatly respected by all who knew them. In 1858, the three sisters, Catherine, Margaret and Mary made mutual wills devising their estate to the survivor of them. 1884, Nov. 12, Catherine, the survivor of the three, made a will by which with codicils, her estate was devised to her surviving brothers, and the issue of those who had deceased. To Greenwood Cemetery \$600, for the care of the family burial plot. Charles B. Curtis was appointed trustee for the children of Richard R. Cornell. Her surviving brothers were appointed executors. The two survivors, Peter C. and Isaac R., being indisposed to undertake the task, the estate was settled by Charles B. Curtis who found it necessary also to settle the estate of Sarah Cornell, the mother and of the two deceased sisters Margaret and Mary, whose property in part had remained in the possession of Catherine. These estates amounted to: Sarah Cornell \$7,062.99; Margaret and Mary Cornell \$47,314.47; Catherine Cornell \$26,494.97.

### 2274

MARGARET,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 4, 1792; d. June 21, 1859, unmarried, at 58 Pierrepont Street, Brooklyn. (See No. 2273).

1813, she became a communicant of St. Ann's Church.

### 2275

ANN,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 2, 1794; d. Sept. 8, 1848, at 184 Pierrepont Street, Brooklyn; m. Arthur Hirst. No children.

Arthur and Hiram Hirst were from England. They erected the Nassau Whiting and Color Manufactory on Red Hook Lane, near the distillery of Isaac Cornell (2142), and near the mill of John Cornell (2140). This land was purchased 1828, from Simon Cornell, and was near Henry Street and Cornell (Red Hook) Lane. The original deed is still extant and in the possession of the family.



## 2276

WHITEHEAD J.,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 26, 1796, at Red Hook, South Brooklyn; d. Sept. 17, 1846, at Perth, Scotland; m. Juliet Hicks, Aug. 2, 1819; she was b. April 2, 1804; d. Jan. 12, 1894, at 33 Monroe Place, Brooklyn, daughter of John and Martha (Middagh) Hicks. (See Hicks Lineage, Appendix). Children:

2449 John, b. July 29, 1821; d. April 11, 1825.

2450 Eliza Hicks, b. Oct. 14, 1825; d. April 21, 1881; m. Richard Bancker Duyckinck, Dec. 28, 1841.

2451 Juliet Ann, b. Dec. 2, 1827; d. July 24, 1880; m. (1) Moses W. Scott, Nov. 15, 1849; m. (2) Florenz Schetter, March 18, 1861,

2452 John Hicks, b. Oct. 21, 1829; d. Feb. 27, 1886; m. Sarah Lefferts, Feb. 24, 1851.

2453 Ann H., b. Sept. 26, 1823; d. Oct. 15, 1827.

He added "J" to his name to distinguish himself from other Whiteheads of whom eight including two cousins were living at the same time. 1810, takes under grandfather's will, silver tankard, bowl and punch strainer, also 1829, on death of step-mother, \$198.20. 1814, was a member of 2nd Regiment of Artillery of New York City, of which J. V. B. Varick was captain. His certificate of membership is dated May 1. He began his business life as a clerk in New York City, he and his brother Peter C. Cornell going daily from Red Hook to the city in a row-boat. In 1818, he was a dealer in paints and white lead, successively at 20 Fulton Street, New York, 61 Fulton Street, 149 Maiden Lane, 130 Front Street, 196 Front Street, and 175 Front Street. He formed the Union White Lead Co., in which he and his brothers Peter and Isaac were large owners. His residence was 87 Willow Street, Brooklyn, and about 1840, he built the third house in Monroe Place where he made his home and where his widow lived till her death in 1894. He was vestryman of St. Ann's Church (of which his father was a trustee and incorporator in 1787, and for many years a vestryman), from 1834 until his death. He was President of the Brooklyn Bank, Corporator and Trustee of the Brooklyn Library, one of the purchasers of the Brooklyn Ferry, one of the original subscribers to the

Brooklyn Hospital, the Atlantic, Brooklyn and Long Island Banks, the Brooklyn and Long Island Fire Insurance Companies. He also began early to invest in Brooklyn real estate and toward the end of his life had become a very large property holder. In the spring of 1846, his health was impaired from overwork and great business cares. He and his brother Peter C. Cornell with their families went on a sailing vessel to England, through which they travelled to Scotland. At Perth he became very ill of Bright's disease and died after a few days illness, aged 50 years. His body was brought home and is buried in the family plot at Greenwood Cemetery. 1846, will dated and proved. To his nephews George Frederick \$1,000, S. Douglas \$500, John \$500; niece Ellen Hirst Cornell \$500; nephews James F. Clark \$500, John M. Hicks \$500, Henry M. Mali \$500; to John M. Hinton \$300; to Brooklyn Orphan Asylum \$1,000; Brooklyn Institute \$1,000; St. Mary's Episcopal Church \$300; Temperance Society of Brooklyn \$200; Domestic Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church \$300 a year for ten years; to wife, house and furniture in Monroe Place and \$3,000 per annum; to son John \$10,000; son-in-law Richard B. Duyckinck \$5,000; daughter Ann \$5,000. His name appears on the list of the "wealthy citizens" of New York City, published by the *New York Sun* 1846, at \$200,000. The times have changed since then, but in those days that was thought a large fortune.

## 2278

GEORGE LECKY,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 21, 1799; d. Aug. 22, 1874; m. Isabella Sheldon, Nov. 18, 1823, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth (Parsons) Sheldon of Hartford, Conn.; she was b. June 12, 1800; d. Nov. 29 (Thanksgiving Day), 1877, suddenly at No. 9 East 54th St., New York. Children:

2454 Sarah Cortelyou, b. Aug. 27, 1824; m. Andrew E. Douglass, May 13, 1847.

2455 George Frederick, b. Nov. 20, 1832; d. Dec. 1, 1898; m. Agnes Jackson, Nov. 5, 1857.

2456 Henry S., d. young.

2457 Elizabeth, d. young.

1824, Isabella his wife, was a communicant of St. Ann's

Church, Brooklyn, and later he became a communicant of Christ Church, Rye, N. Y. 1827, buys land from Simon Cornell, which in 1830, he sold to Whitehead J. Cornell his brother. Was named executor of Simon his brother, but did not qualify. 1837, was a Corporator of the Brooklyn Library with Whitehead J. (2276), Peter C., David B. Douglass and others. 1852, administrator of Agnes (2279). 1857, Feb. 26, purchased land from O. D. Munn about 20 acres at Rye on Long Island Sound where he built a large house in which his later days were passed and which is still in possession of his family. He was long a vestryman of Christ Church, Rye, and a large stockholder in the Hazard Powder Co. He was killed by a fall from a ladder on which he stood trimming an elm tree on the lane west of the entrance to his grounds at Rye, N. Y.

### 2280

JOHN SEBRING, M. D.,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 22, 1802; d. Oct. 22, 1825, at Natchez, Miss.; m. about July 1, 1825, by. Rev. Mr. Potts of Natchez,\* Mary Fitz Randolph Lewis, daughter of Dr. Jacob Lewis and Deborah Randolph; she was b. 1798; d. Feb. 17, 1853. Child:

2458 Ellen Hirst, b. March 17, 1826; d. Nov. 13, 1883; m. General Daniel D. Tompkins, June 19, 1849.

He was the youngest student Dr. Mott, of New York, ever allowed to graduate from college. At the time of his marriage, when only 23, he was a physician and surgeon in the city of Natchez with a practice amounting to \$2,000 per annum. This he hoped would be greatly increased by his marriage, but unfortunately, he lived but a few months longer, having been seized with yellow fever three months before his only child Ellen Hirst was born. In a letter to his sister Catherine under date of June 15, 1825, announcing his intended marriage, he asked her what she thought of his getting married, and stated that the lady Miss Mary Lewis was one he knew would much please her, as her disposition was very like her own. While in

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\* In a letter to his mother, July 8, 1825, he refers to his marriage which took place a few days previous, but does not give date.

the wilds of the West, he was called upon to perform the awkward operation of extracting a tumor from the throat of an Indian chief which was strangling him. The danger lay in its not being successful, in which case the Doctor would probably have been killed. Undaunted however, he set to work with his knife, and when after a successful operation, the chief rose to his feet and breathed freely. The Indians were so pleased they made him a chief and the family of the Doctor have still the insignia of his rank.

## 2281

PETER CORTELYOU,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 5, 1803; d. May 5, 1885, at No. 222 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn; m. Elizabeth Bunce, Sept., 1834; she was b. July 11, 1810; d. June 4, 1888, daughter of Joel and Jane (Hicks) Bunce. No children.

1827, was engaged in the manufacture of turpentine at Williamsburg where he resided until 1833. At the first village election of Williamsburg, Nov. 5, 1827, he was chosen one of the trustees. This was the only public office he ever held. He had a turpentine store at 141 and 158 Front Street, New York until 1834, when he engaged in the white lead business. He and his brothers Peter, Isaac and Samuel formed the Union White Lead Co., having a store at 175 Front Street, their factory being in Brooklyn. He subsequently, with Col. A. G. Hazard, George L. Cornell and Samuel G. Cornell, established the Hazard Powder Co., New York, their office being for a long time 89 Wall Street. After the death of Col. Hazard he became the President and held the position till his death. He resided in Brooklyn, his house being in Pierrepont Street, facing Monroe Place. This he subsequently sold, and built an elegant and spacious mansion, No. 222 Columbia Heights, overlooking New York City and harbor and standing directly opposite the head of Pierrepont Street. There he passed the rest of his days and there he died. He also had a country place at Rye, N. Y., on Kirby Avenue. He was a director in the Home Life Insurance Co., Brooklyn Gas Co., Union Ferry Co., Atlantic Bank, Packer Collegiate Institute, Brooklyn City Hospital; a corporator, 1839, of the Brook-



PETER CORTELYOU CORNELL.



lyn City Library; a patron of the Long Island Historical Society, vestryman of St. Ann's Church and later of Grace Church, besides holding many other positions of trust. Feb. 15, 1842, he foreclosed at a sale by Master-in-Chancery, the store 116 (then No. 98) Wall Street, New York, for \$13,000; two days later he leased the premises to Aaron Kemp at \$1,200 per annum. This he left by will to his grandnephew who was named after him, and this was sold by his grandnephew for \$45,000. He was very methodical and old-fashioned in his business, and annually made an inventory of his estate and account of his expenditures. His income was assessed for taxation in 1867 at \$37,000, in 1868 at \$39,000, and in 1869 at \$51,000. He appears in the *New York Sun's* list of wealthy New Yorkers, 1865, as worth \$100,000. His will dated Jan. 16, 1883, gave to Grace Church, \$5,000, Brooklyn Hospital \$5,000, Church Charity Foundation \$5,000, Missionary Society (Board of Missions) Protestant Episcopal Church \$5,000, Miss Amy Blatchford (grandniece of his wife) \$2,000; to the children of Benjamin K. True, \$2,000 each; to his wife \$6,000 per annum, with use of house, horses, furniture, etc., free of taxes, repairs, etc.; to Peter C. Cornell, grandson of Samuel G. Cornell, the store 116 Wall Street; to Isaac R., Juliet, widow of Whitehead J., Catherine, Samuel G. and Ellen H. Tompkins (the last three died before him), \$1,000 per annum each; the residue to the descendants of his five brothers, "per stirpes." Executors: Charles B. Curtis, George F. Cornell and Theodore T. Moran. His estate amounted, as per inventory, to \$2,201,389.13. The income of this was distributed quarterly to the heirs, and the principal divided at the death of his widow.

## 2282

ISAAC RUSSELL,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 17, 1805; d. Jan. 19, 1896, at 4 West 53d Street, New York; m. by Bishop Croes in New Brunswick, N. J., Elizabeth Mary Duyckinck, March 15, 1831, daughter of Richard Bancker and Elizabeth Mary (Donnan) Duyckinck; she was b. Feb. 15, 1814; d. May 3, 1899, 121 Madison Avenue, New York (see Duyckinck Lineage, Appendix). Children:

... 2459 Sarah Duyckinck, b. Aug. 6, 1836, in New York;

d. March 26, 1889; m. Theodore Thomas Moran, Sept. 17, 1857.

- 2460 John, b. June 11, 1839, in New York; m. Margaret Katerina Osterberg, widow of James Parkinson Robinson, July 31, 1878.

He left home at an early age to seek his fortune. Was clerk with Hinton and Moore, dealers in paints and oils, New York. Went to New Brunswick, N. J., 1822, when the cholera was raging in New York, entered as clerk in wholesale drug store of Jonathan Ackerman, New Brunswick, N. J., became partner in firm of Ackerman & Cornell. It was in New Brunswick that he found his wife. From here, about 1832, he went to New York, residing in Vesey Street, then in 24 Varick, cor. of Beach (St. John's Square). He was in the drug business, 141 Maiden Lane, and was in the firm of Robinson & Cornell, wholesale druggists. He afterwards joined his brothers Whitehead, Peter and Samuel in the Union White Lead Company of Brooklyn, their office being 175 Front Street, New York. He retired from business, and in 1843, bought of William L. Rogers and others a farm at Weston, N. J. (Somerset Co.) near Somerville. This he aimed to make a model farm. It was beautifully situated on the Millstone River. He built a grist mill and saw mill here, also a wheelwright shop and blacksmith shop. These he rented and established quite a settlement about his place, in the adornment of which he spent considerable money. He kept open house and was given to hospitality. Some of the pleasantest days of the writer's life were spent in this place. Isaac R. Cornell after residing at Weston for over 20 years, sold it by deed, dated May 31, 1864, to Rockhill Robeson for \$50,000, and moved with his wife to New York. His daughter and son-in-law also resided with them most of the time, and after several different residences, finally in company with his son-in-law, Theodore T. Moran, he built a house, No. 4 West 53d Street, New York, and here he lived and ended his days peacefully and quietly, aged 90 years. He was a vestryman of Christ Church, New York, for some time, also of other Episcopal Churches.

### 2283

SAMUEL GARRETSON,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2140), Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 28, 1808; d. at Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1883; buried in



the family vault, Greenwood; m. Sarah Douglass (sister of A. E. Douglas (2454), Sept. 12, 1838; she was b. Aug. 11, 1817; d. July 26, 1877. Children:

- 2461 Samuel Douglass, b. Dec. 2, 1839; m. Lydia Hadfield, Jan. 29, 1862.  
 2662 Edward, b. Oct. 5, 1841; d. Aug. 28, 1842.  
 2463 Richard Rapelyea, b. Feb. 16, 1848; d. Feb. 5, 1885; m. Mary Brooks Scovel, Oct. 14, 1873.

1834, he was engaged in the manufactory of lead pipe, etc., at Glenville, Conn., on the Byram River, two miles from Portchester, N. Y. He purchased the property from his brother George L. and added greatly to it, building houses, dams, roads and other costly improvements. Among other buildings on the place was a chapel, a young clergyman being employed as tutor in his family who held Episcopal service Sunday afternoons in the chapel. This involved him in a controversy with the rector of the parish in whose limits the chapel was located. The writer well remembers visiting the place when a boy and being impressed with the elegance of his uncle's residence and the beauty of the surroundings. He had also a store and office part of the time in New York, the concern being Cornell & Tucker, at No. 158 Front Street, also No. 196. He was for a time associated with his brothers Peter, Whithead and Isaac in the Union White Lead Co. In 1852, he removed to Buffalo, N. Y., where he established the Cornell Lead Co., of which he was president. Was also trustee of Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y., trustee of De Vaux College, warden of St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, N. Y., etc. His portrait on steel is in the *Ellicott Genealogy* and a sketch of his life, also in the *Douglass Genealogy*. 1883, will proved. Executor: Charles B. Curtis.

## 2286

NICHOLAS,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> (2141), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. before 1860; m. Ann Cowenhoven, Sept. 17, 1818. Children:

- 2464 Nicholas.\*  
 2465 William R.

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\* QUERY: Did he marry Gertrude Stryker Van Duyn, Dec. 24, 1867? (See *Doty Genealogy*).

2466 Eliza H., m. Charles D. Holt.

1836, deed, to Pearce land bequeathed by N. R. Cowenhoven to his sister Cornelia, mother of Nicholas, \$6,000. 1841, living at Fulton Avenue and Red Hook Lane. 1860, Rem. C. Cornell administrator of his estate. Catherine Russ distributed \$3,641.52 to children of Nicholas deceased, brother of Rem, *viz.*: William R., Nicholas and Eliza H. Holt and children of Matilda Jewett.

### 2289

MATILDA,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> (2141), Whitehead,<sup>8</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. 1855-6; m. Joseph Jewett, Jan. 10, 1821; he d. Nov. 17, 1824, aged about 40 years, son of Deacon James Jewett of Portland, Maine (one of whose sons Jedediah Jewett was mayor of that city). Children (*Jewett*):

James Joseph, b. Sept. 22, 1821; bap. by Rev. Mr. Onderdonk, rector St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn; d. Nov. 17, 1864; m. Mary Van Rensselaer Jones, daughter of Rev. Nicholas Jones, an Episcopal Minister; she d. April 11, 1881; children, Agnes d. Jan. 11, 1881, Matilda V. R., d. 1880.

William Cornell, b. Feb. 19, 1823; bap. by the Rev. Mr. Feltus, N. Y., Feb. 28, 1824; d. Oct. 27, 1893, in Geneva, Switzerland; m. (1) Alvira Guion of St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20, 1848; (2) Esther Garrison, 1859; (3) Charlotte Berna, 1867. Children by first wife: William Cornell, b. May 25, 1849; d. May 31, 1847, William Cornell, b. Dec. 16, 1853, Stanley, b. May 15, 1855; by third wife: Lotta and May.

She died and was buried at sea, off the coast of Cape St. Lucas, in the winter of 1855-6, while on the way to visit her son, William Cornell and his wife, in San Francisco, Cal., the letter that she wrote just before her death and found in her trunk was dated Manzanilla, Mexico, Dec. 27, 1855.

### 2293

SIMON,<sup>7</sup> of Isaac<sup>6</sup> (2142), Whitehead,<sup>8</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. 1829; m. Maria Cortelyou, May 30, 1815. Children:

- 2467 Phebe Maria, d. Oct. 25, 1898; m. Henry Synson Clarke; residence, 6 East 29th Street, New York; he d. 1889.
- 2468 Hannah, d. 1843, unmarried.

1824, he and Daniel take under father's will, distillery and farm. This was in South Brooklyn, near Court and De Graw Streets. 1827, conveys to George L. Cornell a lot which George L. in 1833, sells to De Graw. 1828, sells to Arthur Hirst (2275), 8,900 square feet south side of Cornell's Lane for \$640. 1829, will, wife Maria; each child (not named) to have \$1,000. Executors: Brother-in-law Adrian, Jacob Cortelyou and George L. Cornell.

**2311**

JOHN WESLEY,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> (2158), Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Oct. 6, 1819; d. Sept. 24, 1886; m. Matilda Coles Bedell, Jan. 30, 1839, at Hempstead, L. I.; she was b. April 29, 1819.  
 Children:

- 2469 John Wesley, Jr., b. Aug. 20, 1843; m. Nellie Beers.
- 2470 Adelaide Lausada, b. April 2, 1840.
- 2471 Frances Adelaide, b. Oct. 3, 1841.
- 2472 Alice Matilda, b. March 26, 1852.
- 2473 Caroline Amanda, b. April 26, 1852; d. Aug. 3, 1852.

He was in the hotel business, most of his lifetime, in New York City; the family are Methodists.

**2315**

HENRY,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> (2158), Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. April 20, 1815; m. Adelia Lausada, April 6, 1836. Children:

- 2474 Kate, b. Feb. 26, 1837.
- 2475 John Wesley, b. June 26, 1838.
- 2476 Col. William Henry, b. May 30, 1842; m. Blanche McFarlain, Oct. 30, 1870.
- 2477 Isaac Henry, b. June 21, 1846.
- 2478 Mary E. b. Nov. 23, 1848.
- 2479 Bell D., b. Oct. 3, 1851.

He emigrated to the Sandwich Islands where he was a sugar planter.

### 2318

TIMOTHY,<sup>7</sup> of John Timothy<sup>6</sup> (2159), Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 17, 1800; d. Feb. 29, 1860; m. (1) Mary Sharp; (2)  
Mary Brower. Child:

2480 Timothy and five children who died in infancy.

### 2320

JEREMIAH,<sup>7</sup> of John Timothy<sup>6</sup> (2159), Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 10, 1804; d. July 14, 1868; m. (1) Abbe Brower; m. (2)  
Catherine Dickenson. Children:

By first wife:

2481 Arethusa, d. in infancy.

2482 Ann Eliza, d. aged about 10 years.

2483 Valentine.

By second wife:

2484 Catherine, d. aged about 9 years.

### 2324

RICHARD,<sup>7</sup> of John Timothy<sup>6</sup> (2159), Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 28, 1811; d. April 26, 1886; m. Mary Ann Boerum.  
Children:

2485 Elizabeth.

2486 Abbe.

2487 Mary Louise.

2488 Martha.

2489 Josephine.

2490 Jane.

### 2325

GILBERT FOWLER,<sup>7</sup> of John Timothy<sup>6</sup> (2159), Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup>  
William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 4, 1814; d. Jan. 5, 1870; m. Mary Ann Dupey of

Staten Island, N. Y., Aug. 16, 1838; she was b. Aug. 16, 1817; d. Jan. 29, 1895. Children:

- 2491 Abraham Dupey, of the Methodist Book Concern, New York.
- 2492 Alice Emily, b. Nov. 14, 1847; d. Dec. 3, 1856.

### 2329

JACOB WEEKS,<sup>7</sup> of John Timothy<sup>6</sup> (2159), Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 5, 1850; d. Nov. 6, 1898; m. Virginia Powell. Child:

- 2493 Millard Fillmore, m. (1) Julia Steward of New York; m. (2) Mary E. Allan of Red Bank, N. J.

He lived No. 28 West 94th Street, New York, and was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery.

### 2333

EGBERT,<sup>7</sup> of George<sup>6</sup> (2171), Richardus,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 10, 1810; d. March 11, 1893; m. (1) Maria Haviland, Jan. 9, 1833; m. (2) ——— Haight. Children:

By first wife:

- 2494 Frederick.
- 2495 Libbie, Auburn, N. Y.

By second wife:

- 2496 Frankie, m. Charles Russell, Newburgh, N. Y.

### 2335

ALBERT,<sup>7</sup> of George<sup>6</sup> (2171), Richardus,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 30, 1816, in Dutchess Co.; d. Jan. 4, 1888; m. Sarah Rebecca Vandever of New Jersey, Oct. 17, 1853. Children:

- 2497 George, d. young.
- 2498 Thomas W., b. Sept. 30, 185—; d. unmarried.
- 2499 Frank Albert, b. June 1864; m. Emma Beatrice Van Duzen. Children: Beatrice and Vera.

He came from Dutchess Co. to New York City in early life and engaged in the dry goods business, and in 1849, was estab-

lished in Greenwich, also in Park Place, Read Street and Leonard Street, and at 349 Broadway, the firm of Cornell & Amerman conducted a large wholesale business. He died in New York of apoplexy, having retired from business some time previous (1883).

**2347**

THOMAS,<sup>7</sup> of Whitehead<sup>6</sup> (2180), Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan 20, 1783; d. 1838; m. Hannah Hewlett of Long Island, Feb. 16, 1805, daughter of William and Elizabeth. Children:

- 2500 George, b. Jan. 10, 1807; d. Oct. 10, 1847; m. Harriet Leslie, May 11, 1828.
- 2501 Elizabeth, b. Nov. 16, 1809; m. Sammons Mott, Sept. 22, 1832, son of Daniel of Rockaway. Devisee of J. B. and W. W. Cornell.
- 2502 Julia Rebecca, b. Jan. 23, 1815; m. (1) William Minor, New York; m. (2) Louis F. Wiggins, New York.
- 2503 Henry, b. Nov. 17, 1811; d. July 23, 1878; m. Rebecca A. Rawlings, Nov. 15, 1832.
- 2504 Whitehead, b. Nov. 20, 1818; m. Charity Miller of New York. Devisee of J. B. Cornell.
- 2505 John Black, b. Feb. 7, 1821; d. Oct. 26, 1887; m. (1) Elizabeth Smith, Sept. 28, 1840; m. (2) Catherine Debevoise, Nov. 27, 1843; m. (3) Minnie R. Sherman, Nov. 12, 1856.
- 2506 William W., b. Jan. 1, 1823; d. March 17, 1870; m. Sarah Hendrix Lyon, April 17, 1843.
- 2507 Daniel Henry, b. 1826; d. 1841, unmarried.

**2349**

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of Whitehead<sup>6</sup> [Cornwell] (2180), Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1793; d. April 25, 1864; m. (1) Eliza Antoinette Morey, May, 1819, daughter of William and Sarah Morey; she d. April 3, 1831; m. (2) Jane E. Wilson, 1839, daughter of Peter Wilson of New York. Children:

By first wife:

- 2508 William Kirby, b. Oct. 14, 1821; d. Aug. 12, 1864; m. Harriet Bloomfield.

- 2509 Charles Whitehead, b. May 25, 1825; d. April 26, 1852.  
2510 Helen Antoinette, b. March 27, 1828; m. Robert F. Silliman of Troy, N. Y. Children: Helen Augusta, Robert Davis.  
2511 Henry Platt, b. May 29, 1829; d. before 1886.  
2512 George W., b. March 20, 1831; m. Irene Van Kuck.

By second wife:

- 2513 James Edward.  
2514 Frank Wilson. Living 1886.  
2515 Mary Kate.  
2516 Isabella Forsyth; d. Aug. 14, 1890; m. John Reid Van Vliet, Oct. 19, 1870, fifth son of Benjamin C. and Persis (Beldug) Van Vliet of Poughkeepsie. Had one child: Virginia, b. April 7, 1871; m. Martin John Insill.  
2517 Frederick.  
2518 Charles Whitehead.  
2519 Robert Melvain, m. ——— Bonell. Child: Robert Bonell.

In religion, the family are mixed Methodist, Presbyterian and Episcopal.

### 2357

WILLIAM A,<sup>7</sup> of Archibald<sup>6</sup> (2188), Charles,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Richard,<sup>1</sup>

d. about May, 1888; m. Jemima Elizabeth Bennett, sister of Emily. Children:

- 2520 Francis William.  
2521 Edwin Bennett.

### 2365

LAWRENCE,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2196), Thomas,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 11, 1802; m. Betsey Field. Children:

- 2522 William, d. young.  
2523 Benjamin, m. ———.

**2366**

WILLIAM TALMAN,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2196), Thomas,<sup>5</sup> of John,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 11, 1804; m. Caroline Bowers. Children:

2524 Anne E.

2525 Charles Bowers. m. ———. Children: Fred'k,  
Mary, Caroline, Grace.

2526 Daniel Lawrence.

2527 Caroline.

2528 Margaret.

**2368**

OLIVER,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2196), Thomas,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 29, 1808; m. Jane Cheeseman of Long Island. Children:

2529 Oliver Talman, b. 1838, New York; m. Alice L.  
Williams.

2530 Letty.

2531 Anne.

2532 Phebe.

**2370**

VINER LEACRAFT,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (2196), Thomas,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 17, 1815; m. Frances Harriet Lane. Children:

2533 Frances Harriet, m. Edwin Alford.

2534 Ida, m. Samuel Howard of Brooklyn. Builder.

2535 John Fletcher, m. Adelaide Fitch.

2536 Charles Bowers, m. Marion Keller.

He is a trunk manufacturer, No. 225 Fulton Street, New  
York.

**2378**

ALEXANDER,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2210), Charles,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1800; d. before 1845; m. Catherine Magnus. Children:

2537 Charles M., b. 1827, d. 1870(?); administrator to  
Eliza J., (widow).



- 2538 Rev. John Ferris Delaplane, b. 1829; d. Sept. 15, 1894, class of '53, General Theological Seminary, New York; assistant minister St. Ann's Church, Brooklyn; became insane; was at Flatbush Insane Asylum, 1861. Transferred to the Kings Park Asylum, May 18, 1889, where he died. Poet and author.
- 2539 Alexander, b. 1836.
- 2540 Charlotte L., b. 1831; m. James Charters.
- 2541 Catherine, b. 1834.

He and his children named in will of his mother.

### 2379

THOMAS FREDERICK,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2210), Charles,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. May 21; 1804; d. April 23, 1866; m. Sarah Treadwell Munn, 1829; she was b. Jan. 6, 1809; d. March 29, 1853. Children:

- 2542 Rev. Thomas Frederick, Jr., M.D., D.D., b. Sept. 23, 1830; d. July 31, 1885; m. (1) Elizabeth Waterman Ransom, July 20, 1854; m. (2) Mary Sammis, April 23, 1868.
- 2543 Charles Rodman, b. March 1, 1832; d. May 21, 1868; unmarried. Administrator to brother Stephen B. M. 1849, assigned a lease.
- 2544 William Treadwell, b. Aug. 26, 1833; d. July 29, 1852; unmarried.
- 2545 Stephen Ball Munn, b. Jan. 16, 1836. Administration granted 1887 to Annie L., his widow; she m. (2) Elliman.

He is named in his mother's will. 1845, Thomas F., merchant in New York, and wife Sarah T., deed reciting death of Alexander Cornell leaving widow. 1866, administration granted to his son Stephen B. M.

### 2380

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2214), William,<sup>5</sup> Charles,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 m. Keturah Brower. Children:

- 2546 George.  
 2547 Charles.  
 2548 Mary Ann, m. David Pangborn of New Market,  
 N. J.  
 2549 Elizabeth, m. Elias Pangborn of New Market,  
 N. J.  
 2550 Jane R., m. Samuel Terry.  
 2551 Hannah, m. John Styles of Ottaway, Ill.

**2381**

AUSTIN,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2214), William,<sup>5</sup> Charles,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
 Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. about 1836; m. Jemima Lewis. Children:

- 2552 Ann Elizabeth, m. Luke C. Ryder.  
 2553 Matilda, m. Daniel Salt, Brooklyn.  
 2554 Lewis.  
 2555 Marietta.

1825, Austin and wife Jemima, deed lot in Cranberry Street,  
 Brooklyn. 1834-36, will wife Jemima, children Elizabeth, wife  
 of Luke C. Ryder, Matilda, Marietta, Lewis. Last three,  
 minors.

**2382**

ISAAC,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2214), William,<sup>5</sup> Charles,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
 Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Sarah Gildersleeve.\* Child:

- 2556 Jacob.

**2384**

LAURENCE,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2214), William,<sup>5</sup> Charles,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup>  
 Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. ———. Children:

- 2557 Laurence of Hempstead.  
 2558 Charles Laine of Hempstead.  
 2559 Caroline, m. ——— Rhodes of Hempstead.  
 2560 Treadwell of Manhasset.  
 2561 Mary, m. ———McCready of Manhasset.

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\* Ann Ryder (spinster), married Isaac Cornell, 1775.

- 2562 Elizabeth, m. ——— McCormick, Kings Ferry,  
Cayuga Co., N. Y.

**2388**

DEMOTT or MOTT,<sup>7</sup> of Charles<sup>6</sup> (2214), William,<sup>5</sup> Charles,<sup>4</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Ann Carman(?); she was b. April 30, 1811. Children:

- 2563 William H., New York.  
2564 Nelson, New York.

**2394**

SAMUEL WILLIS,<sup>5</sup> of Stephen Hallett<sup>7</sup> (2220), Hallett,<sup>6</sup> James,<sup>5</sup>  
Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 16, 1837; m. Margaret Theresa Wallace, May 17, 1871.

Children:

- 2565 Frank Eugene, b. Feb. 18, 1872.  
2566 Henry Albert, b. Aug. 5, 1873; m. Anne Frances  
Higgins, Nov. 16, 1898. Child: James Harper, b.  
Dec. 21, 1899,  
2567 Florence Maria, b. Feb. 15, 1875; m. (1) William  
Thomas Draper; d. June 8, 1898; m. (2) Chas. John  
Witzel, April 24, 1901.  
2568 Stephen Hallett, b. May 19, 1876.  
2569 Vincent Wallace, b. Aug. 11, 1880.

He and his children are all now living in Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Family generally Methodists.

**2396**

JAMES ELWOOD,<sup>5</sup> of James Gilbert<sup>7</sup> (2223), Hallett,<sup>6</sup> James,<sup>5</sup>  
Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 7, 1829; d. July, 1886; m. Anna Priscilla Suydam,  
Oct. 22, 1850, in Brooklyn; she was daughter of Minne and  
Elizabeth W. (Smith) Suydam, and b. Jan. 27, 1832, in Brook-  
lyn. Children:

- 2570 Ella Maria, b. July 11, 1851.  
2571 Minne Suydam, b. April 6, 1854; m. Maggie J.  
McCormack, June 2, 1875.  
2572 Anna Elizabeth, b. Dec. 22, 1856.

- 2573 Carrie Louisa, b. Jan. 13, 1859.
- 2574 Mattie Louisa, b. April 22, 1868.
- 2575 James Gilbert, b. Oct. 1, 1872.
- 2576 Nellie Wood, b. July 13, 1875.

He was real estate agent, No. 44 Court Street, Brooklyn, much interested in Cornell Genealogy, and had collected many old wills and deeds, several of them from his grandfather Hallett and now in the possession of his son Minne S. Cornell. 1854, he was devisee of Charles E. Cornell.

### 2398

CLARENCE EUGENE,<sup>8</sup> of James Gilbert<sup>7</sup> (2223), Hallett,<sup>6</sup> James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 5, 1850, in Mineola, L. I. (one mile north of Hempstead); m. Alice Weeks, daughter of Thomas C. Weeks of Hempstead, 1872. Children:

- 2577 Lulu N.
- 2578 Frederick C.

He was a Republican in politics, Methodist, collector 1891-4, and undertaker.

### 2406

RICHARD MORTIMER,<sup>8</sup> of Col. John Henry<sup>7</sup> (2228), Charles,<sup>6</sup> James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 1, 1834; m. Margaret Butler McLoughlin, step-daughter of the late Judge William M. Patterson, July 20, 1864. Children:

- 2579 Margaret Butler, b. April 20, 1865; m. Robert Barnwell Rhett, M.D., of Charleston, S. C.
- 2580 Salvadore Meade.
- 2581 Amelia Hamilton, m. Gaston Hardie of New York, July 7, 1897.
- 2582 John Henry, is in the employ of the Knickerbocker Trust Co., served in the Porto Rico Campaign under General Miles, as member of City Troop of Philadelphia.
- 2583 William Patterson, M.D., Physician, City Hospital, Blackwell's Island, went as surgeon to the Spanish-American War, was in the City Troop of Philadelphia.

He is a broker, No. 3 Broad Street, New York, and resides at Cornell Hill, Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

### 2407

AMELIA LOUISA,<sup>8</sup> of Col. John Henry<sup>7</sup> (2228), Charles,<sup>6</sup> James,<sup>5</sup>  
Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 29, 1836; m. Albert Gallatin Stevens, Dec. 23 or 25,  
1857. Children (*Stevens*):

John Cornell.  
Francis Gallatin.  
Louisa Newbold.  
Byam Kirby.  
Albert Gallatin.  
Bertha.

### 2409

CORNELIA OGDEN,<sup>8</sup> of Col. John Henry<sup>7</sup> (2228), Charles,<sup>6</sup> James,<sup>5</sup>  
Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 29, 1842; m. (1) George Sheppard of Perth Amboy,  
N. J., Aug. 29, 1867; m. (2) Rev. F. Marion McAllister, Rec-  
tor St. John's Church, Kingston, N. Y., and brother of Ward  
McAllister. Children (*Sheppard* and *McAllister*):

By first husband:

Gertrude Parker, b. in New Jersey, June, 1869;  
m. Christopher Robert Carter, son of Cyrus  
Carter and Josephine Robert, May 23, 1900.

By second husband:

Amelia Hamilton, b. 1877.  
Harriet Cutler, b. 1879.  
Esther Marion, 1884.

This branch of the family is Episcopal.

### 2411

JOHN HEGEMAN,<sup>8</sup> of Richard<sup>7</sup> (2238), Lewis,<sup>6</sup> Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup>  
Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 9, 1805; d. Aug. 24, 1857; m. Elizabeth Duryea, Jan. 5,  
1832. Children:

2584 George Duryea, m. ———; divorced and remarried.

- 2585 Capt. William Duryea, b. about 1840; m. Anne Amelia Van de Water.  
 2586 John Calvin, m. ———; divorced and remarried.

**2427**

RICHARD,<sup>8</sup> of John Henry<sup>7</sup> (2240), Louis,<sup>6</sup> Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1845; m. Joanna E. Saxton or Ellen Van Nostrand.  
 Children:

- 2587 Richard S., b. about 1876.  
 2588 Harold, b. about 1878.  
 2589 Robert, b. 1879.  
 2590 Majore, b. 1887.

Lived in Kenton, Del.

**2436**

WILLIAM LEWIS,<sup>8</sup> of William Hallett<sup>7</sup> (2241), Lewis,<sup>6</sup> Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. July 24, 1841; m. Emily A. Bennett, of Bayside, April 27, 1870, daughter of William J. Bennett; she was b. June 19, 1840.  
 Child:

- 2591 Lewis H., b. July 19, 1874; stenographer to receiver of Union Pacific Railroad, 1895.

He was born where he now lives on the East Alley Road, Flushing, and the place has been in possession of some member of the family for 250 years. He enlisted in Company I., 22d N. Y. Regiment. Is secretary of the Board of Highway Commissioners.

**2436A**

THOMAS JEFFERSON,<sup>8</sup> of Jane<sup>7</sup> (2245), Lewis,<sup>6</sup> Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 m. Ann Van Nostrand, Dec. 13, 1837, daughter of Adrian Van Nostrand; she d. 1901, aged 86 years. Children:

- 2592 Mary, m. George W. Hutton.  
 2593 Jefferson, m. ———.  
 2594 Estelle, m. John Middlecamp.  
 2595 Frances, m. ——— Bowker.

His wife Ann was buried Friday, April 26, 1901, in the Man-

hasset Dutch Reformed Churchyard, of which church she was the oldest member. Her father was a pioneer resident of Little Neck.

### 2450

ELIZA HICKS,<sup>6</sup> of Whitehead J.<sup>7</sup> (2276), John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 14, 1825; d. April 21, 1881; m. Richard Bancker Duyckinck, Dec. 28, 1841 (see Duyckinck Lineage, Appendix).

Children (*Duyckinck*):

Whitehead Cornell, b. Oct. 23, 1843; m. Caroline Hyde Butler, April 20, 1869. Children: Richard Bancker, b. April 20, 1870, Thomas Butler, b. Sept. 21, 1875, Harriet Dennison, b. Oct. 7, 1879. Richard Bancker, b. May 24, 1845; d. Jan. 23, 1851. Edward, b. May 24, 1845; d. Jan. 31, 1851.

Dudley, b. July 12, 1848; d. Oct. 16, 1899, at San Francisco, Cal.; m. (1) Mary A. Hall, April 1, 1875, divorced; m. (2) Ethel Todd, April 30, 1890, daughter of Rev. John E. Todd, Riverside, Cal. Child (by first wife) William Dudley, b. Aug. 30, 1881.

Juliet, b. April 23, 1854; m. Walter Man, Nov. 30, 1881, of New York; he d. April 17, 1889, at St. Gabriel, Cal.

### 2451

JULIET ANN,<sup>6</sup> of Whitehead J.<sup>7</sup> (2276), John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 2, 1827; d. July 24, 1880; m. (1) Moses W. Scott, Nov. 15, 1848 or 1849; m. (2) Florens Schetter, March 18, 1861; he d. May 3, 1886, at Baden Baden, Germany. Children (*Scott* and *Schetter*):

By first husband:

Joseph Warren, b. Nov. 28, 1850; d. Oct. 13, 1888, at Los Angeles, Cal.; m. Bella Kimback, April 14, 1883. Child: Juliet Ann, b. Oct. 22, 1885. William E. Dodge, b. April 22, 1852; m. Marian Johannot, daughter of James, June, 22, 1877.

By second husband:

Charlotte Otto, b. May 9, 1865.

## 2452

JOHN HICKS,<sup>8</sup> of Whitehead J.<sup>7</sup> (2276), John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 21, 1829; d. Feb. 27, 1886, at No. 33 Monroe Place, Brooklyn; m. Sarah Lefferts, Feb. 24, 1851, daughter of James and Eliza (Jones) Lefferts; she was b. July 2, 1834, d. Sept. 2, 1871. Children:

- 2596 Whitehead J., b. Jan. 11, 1852; d. June 22, 1852.
- 2597 Juliet Hicks, b. May 10, 1853; m. Henry Cartwright Brown, Feb. 4, 1874.
- 2598 James Lefferts, M.D., b. June 24, 1861, m. Alice Ferguson, April 29, 1896, daughter of Edward Alexander and Agnes (Moore) Ferguson. He followed the medical profession for some time in Brooklyn and then retired to a farm at Piney Point, Centreville, Md.

## 2454

SARAH CORTELYOU,<sup>8</sup> of George L.<sup>7</sup> (2278), John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 27, 1824; m. Andrew Ellicott Douglass, May 13, 1847, son of David Bates and Ann Eliza (Ellicott) Douglass. He was b. Nov. 18, 1819. Children (*Douglass*):

Isabel, b. in New Brunswick, New Jersey, May 6, 1848; m. Charles Boyd Curtis, Aug. 23, 1876, son of Samuel Fosdick and Amelia (Boyd) Curtis; he was b. Sept. 24, 1827, in Penn Yan, N. Y. Children: Ellicott Douglass, b. Sept. 7, 1877, at Rye, N. Y., Charles Boyd, b. Dec. 6, 1878, at No. 9 East 54th Street, New York, Isabella Woodbridge, b. Aug. 9, 1880, at Newport, R. I., Ronald Eliot, b. March 12, 1882, at No. 9 East 54th Street, New York.

Mr. Douglass was born at West Point, New York, where his father was Professor of Mathematics. He graduated from Kenyon College in 1838, and received his A. M. from there in 1841. He went into business in New York and was long connected the Hazard Powder Company, of which he was President from 1867 to 1876, when he retired from business. He



travelled extensively at various times through almost every part of Europe, as well as Egypt and the Holy Land. He was much interested in literature and art, and had a fine collection of books and pictures which, however, he sold before engaging in the study of American archæology. He was for eighteen years Commodore of the St. Augustine Yacht Club, during which time he explored many of the Florida Indian mounds, and thus formed the nucleus of what finally became the largest private archæological collection in this country. It was particularly complete in its specimens of hematite objects. The collection comprised over twenty-two thousand specimens, and was presented by Mr. Douglass, shortly before his death, to the American Museum of Natural History, where it had long been housed. Mr. Douglass was always an earnest and devoted member of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

**2455**

GEORGE FREDERICK,<sup>6</sup> of George L.<sup>7</sup> (2278), John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup>  
John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 20, 1832; d. Dec. 1, 1898; m. Agnes Jackson, Nov. 5,  
1857, daughter of Dr. Samuel (U. S. N.) and Anna Jackson.

Children:

2599 Annie.

2600 Mary, m. Whitmel T. Taliafero, Dec. 7, 1882,  
Trinity Chapel, N. Y.; divorced Jan. 17, 1898, at  
Poughkeepsie.

He engaged in business in New York and was of the firm of Hall & Cornell, White Lead Manufacturers. He retired from mercantile life and resided for a time at Rye, N. Y., and later at Morristown, N. J. His city residence was No. 24 East 45th Street, New York, where he died suddenly of pneumonia. He was buried in the family vault at Greenwood Cemetery.

**2458**

ELLEN HIRST,<sup>8</sup> of John S.<sup>7</sup> (2280), John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup>  
William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 17, 1826; d. in New York, Nov. 13, 1883, buried in  
the family vault at Greenwood; m. General Daniel D. Tomp-

kins. U. S. A., June 19, 1849, son of Enoch Tompkins (see Tompkins' Genealogy, Appendix). Children (*Tompkins*):

Agnes Cornell, b. May 2, 1850; d. March 18, 1898; m. Henry Feder, Sept. 4, 1882. Children: Henry C., b. Dec. 16, 1884; d. Aug. 27, 1885, Dorothea, b. Feb. 6, 1888; d. 188—, Irene, b. March 12, 1890. Catherine Cornell, b. July 19, 1855; m. Asher D. Middletown, June 17, 1884, by Rev. John Cornell.\* Children: Ellen Cornell, b. Aug. 13, 1885; d. April 15, 1888, Louisa Tompkins, b. Dec. 9, 1887.

1883, will, all to her children. Executor: P. C. Cornell who renounced. Administration granted to Agnes Cornell, daughter, and Charles B. Curtis.

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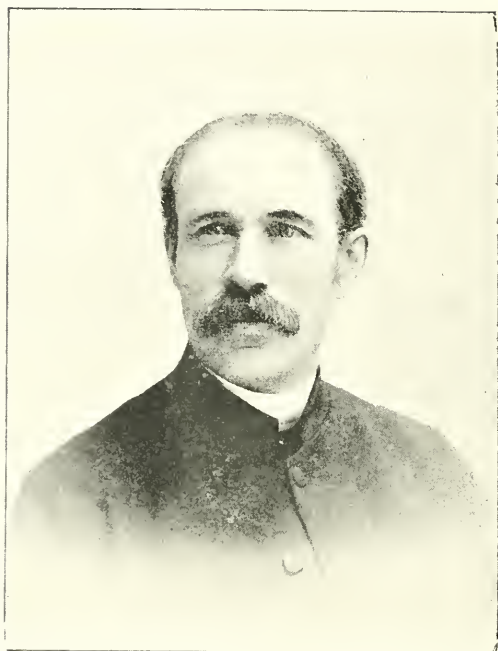
SARAH DUVCKINCK,<sup>6</sup> of Isaac R.<sup>7</sup> (2282), John,<sup>8</sup> Whitehead,<sup>9</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>2</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Aug. 6, 1836, in Vesey Street, New York; d. March 26, 1889, 4 West 53d Street, New York; m. Theodore Thomas Moran, son of Daniel Moran and Marianne (Losson), Sept. 17, 1857, at Weston, N. J.; he d. in New York, April 13, 1897. Buried by his wife in Woodlawn Cemetery. Children (*Moran*):

Isaac Cornell, b. July 12, 1858, at Weston, N. J. Elizabeth Mary, b. March 23, 1860, in New York; m. Edwin Denison Morgan, April 11, 1888, son of Edwin Denison Morgan, M. D., and grandson of Hon. Edwin Denison Morgan, Governor of New York, 1848-62. 1861, Major-General Volunteers. 1863, United States Senator. (See *Morgan Genealogy*.) He was b. Oct. 19, 1854; m. (1) Mary Brewer Penniman, daughter of George H. Penniman; she d. at Newport, Aug. 8, 1886, without issue. His name was Alfred Waterman Morgan, changed to Edwin Denison Morgan (on his father's death at his grandfather's request). Children: Elizabeth Sarah, b. Jan. 18, 1889, at New York; Edwin Denison, b. May 17, 1890, at Hempstead, L. I.; Theodore

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\* See *Parish Register St. Thomas' Church*, New York.





REV. JOHN CORNELL.

Moran, b. April 3, 1894; d. Feb. 5, 1900; Thomas Archer, b. July 3, 1895, at Newport; Katherine Avery, b. Oct. 29, 1898, at Wheatly; Jasper, b. Jan. 28, 1900, at Wheatly.

Sarah D. (Cornell) Moran above, lived with her mother almost continuously from her childhood, and when married she and her husband made their home with her parents, and having all lived together for many years, in death they were not long divided. Theodore T. Moran was a banker and broker in New York, and was for a long time in the firm of Moran Brothers, New York.

**2460**

REV. JOHN,<sup>8</sup> of Isaac R.<sup>7</sup> (2282), John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. in New York, June 11, 1839; bap. Sept. 29, St. Thomas' Church, New York; m. Margaret Katerina (Osterberg) of Stockholm, Sweden, widow of Joseph Parkinson Robinson of Dewsbury, England, July 31, 1878, at Friarn Barnet, near London, Eng. No children.

He was educated at Mr. Churchill's Military Academy, Sing Sing, N. Y. Class of '59, Princeton College, and A. M. 1862; followed Civil Engineering about a year and entered the General Theological Seminary, 1860. Class of '63, ordained Deacon same year by Bishop Odenheimer, of New Jersey, and Presbyter, 1864, by Bishop Horatio Potter, of New York. 1863-4, Assistant Minister Church of the Messiah, Rhinebeck, N. Y. 1864-7, Rector St. Thomas' Church, Ravenswood, N. Y. Resigned and travelled extensively in Europe and visited the Holy Land, Greece, Turkey, etc. 1868, on his return to America he undertook missionary work in the west, under Bishop Randall, being appointed by him Missionary at Laramie, Wyoming Territory and parts adjacent. He was also elected rector of the newly organized St. Matthew's Church there. Subsequently Missionary at Santa Fe, New Mexico, and Hamilton, Nevada. 1871, Rector Trinity Church, Santa Barbara, Cal., where he remained about a year and then accepted a position as Missionary-at-large in northern California, making his residence first at Marysville, then at Wheatland and after that at Yreka, all in northern California. Being on a visit to his

parents in New York he was induced by a friend (Rev. William A. McVickar, D.D.), to take his place temporarily at Nice, France, and began work there. Dr. McVickar soon after resigned, having accepted a call to Christ Church, N. Y., and Mr. Cornell was unanimously elected in his place and remained there the long period of 18 years, from 1876 to 1894, when he resigned and came to America to live. Since his return to America he has not taken any active clerical work, though he often preaches and otherwise assists his clerical brethren. During his ministry, Mr. Cornell has been instrumental in building six churches. He resides at Washington, D. C., his summer home being the Cornell Homestead at Portsmouth, R. I., or part of it, having purchased the undivided half of Mrs. Ellen (Cornell) Smith in 1895, also the other undivided half of David Coggeshall, who represented the other heirs of Albert Cornell, the last resident of the homestead. All this was only a portion of the original grant of Feb. 4, 1646, but it included the burial ground and the site of the old house which was burned down in 1889. He also in 1900 purchased another farm included in the original grant, but there yet remain two more farms belonging to other parties in the limits of the original grant. Mr. Cornell has rebuilt the house on its old site and in very much its original plan; that is, the plan which he understands the old building had till it was changed somewhat, about 50 years before its destruction. For History of the Cornell Grant, see appendix. He has contributed many articles to secular and religious journals, and is the compiler of this Cornell Genealogy.

## 2461

SAMUEL DOUGLASS,<sup>8</sup> of Samuel Garretson<sup>7</sup> (2283), John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 2, 1839; m. Lydia Hadfield at Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 29, 1862, daughter of Robert and Ann Eliza Hadfield, and granddaughter of George Hadfield, M. P., for Manchester, England.  
 Children:

- 2601 Peter Cortelyou, M. D., b. June 28, 1865; m. Alice Gardiner Plympton, June 28, 1892, of Buffalo.
- 2602 Lydia Hadfield, b. June 16, 1867.
- 2603 Douglass, b. Feb. 3, 1869.



VIEW OF THE CORNELL HOMESTEAD.

(Looking West from the house.)





He was born in Fairfield Co., Conn., but came with his father to Buffalo when quite young and has since made that city his home. He graduated with honor at Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y., 1860, and in 1863, took his M. A. degree. He began mercantile life with his father Samuel G. Cornell in the white lead manufacturing business; his father having with others organized a company, which, under the name of the Cornell Lead Works and other names, was successfully conducted till 1888, when S. Douglass Cornell withdrew and retired from active business life. He was for many years connected with the National Guards, New York, having enlisted in the 74th Regiment as a private, and served in various subordinate ranks, remaining on the staff of General Rogers for fifteen years. He was promoted to the position of assistant Adjutant-General and chief of staff with the rank of Colonel. This position he retained until the reorganization of the National Guard and abolition of divisions. He is possessed of much oratorical and dramatic talent, having taken the first prize in elocution at his college, is now the stage manager of the Buffalo Amateurs of which organization he has been a member since 1872. This society has given some splendid entertainments, great credit being due him for the able management of the performances. Colonel Douglass Cornell's home, No. 484 Delaware Avenue, is one of the finest private residences in Buffalo. His beautiful and extensive villa at Cobourg, Canada, is generally his summer abode. He and his family are very popular and prominent socially in Buffalo and well known for their hospitality. The family are Episcopal in religion.

**2463**

RICHARD RAPELVE,<sup>6</sup> of Samuel Garretson<sup>7</sup> (2283), John,<sup>4</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Feb. 16, 1848; d. Feb. 5, 1885, at Rochester, N. Y.; buried in the family vault, Greenwood; m. Mary Brooks Scovel, Oct. 14, 1873, daughter of Dr. John A. and Rebecca (Brooks) Scovel of Detroit, Mich.; she was b. May 30, 1853; divorced; she m. (2) after the death of her first husband, Ricardo de Diaz Albertini of Cuba, July 6, 1886, by Rev. Dr. Lowrey of St. Thomas Church, New York. Children:

2604 Samuel Garretson, b. Oct. 6, 1874; m. Oct. 7, 1899,

in the American Episcopal Church, Florence, Italy, Caroline Margareta Fede, daughter of Nobile Marco Manzi and Lucy Lang. Child: Richard Marco Garretson, b. Nov. 10, 1900.

- 2605 Rebecca Scovel, b. Dec. 7, 1876; m. at Cobourg, Canada, Clive Pringle, son of Roderick R. and Sarah (Stanton) Pringle, July 11, 1901.

He was one of the first vestrymen of "St. Mary's on the Hill," Buffalo, 1872.

### 2469

JOHN WESLEY, JR.,<sup>8</sup> of John Wesley<sup>7</sup> (2311), William,<sup>6</sup> Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 20, 1843; m. Nellie Beers; she was b. June 28, 1868. Children:

- 2606 John Wesley, Jr., 3d.  
 2607 Lovat Frazier.  
 2608 Frank Beers, d. young.  
 2609 Frederick, d. young.

### 2476

COL. WILLIAM HENRY,<sup>6</sup> of Henry<sup>7</sup> (2315), William,<sup>5</sup> Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 30, 1842; m. Blanche McFarlain, Oct. 30, 1870. Children:

- 2610 Blanche Adde, b. Feb. 27, 1872.  
 2611 William Henry, b. Aug. 2, 1875.  
 2612 Kate Loeta, b. Sept. 2, 1877.

He resides at Honolulu, Sandwich Islands. Was Colonel on the staff of King Kamehameha of the Sandwich Islands, and Minister of Finance under Liliuokalani and is now a capitalist in Honolulu.

### 2493

MILLARD FILLMORE,<sup>8</sup> of Jacob Weeks<sup>7</sup> (2329), John Timothy,<sup>6</sup> Timothy,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. (1) Julia Stewart of New York; m. (2) Mary E. Allan, Red Bank, N. J. Children:

By first wife:

- 2613 Virginia Powel, b. Sept. 26, 1883; d. Jan., 1892.

- 2614 Jacob Weeks, b. Oct. 22, 1884; d. Dec. 29, 1891.  
2615 July Van Smith, b. July 5, 1886; d. Jan. 27, 1891.  
2616 Mildred De la Mater, b. Oct. 28, 1889.

By second wife:

- 2617 Millard Fillmore, Jr., b. July 20, 1897.

He lives at Red Bank, N. J. This family is Presbyterian and Universalist.

### 2500

GEORGE,<sup>8</sup> of Thomas<sup>7</sup> (2347), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Jan. 10, 1807; d. Oct. 10, 1847; m. Harriet Leslie, May 11, 1828. Children:

- 2618 Birdsall, b. March 28, 1830; m. Sarah H. Lyon, 1851.  
2619 John R., b. Feb. 5, 1832; d. Jan. 1, 1835.  
2620 Ludlum, b. June 12, 1837.  
2621 Sarah C., b. Aug. 21, 1839; d. Feb. 21, 1846.  
2622 Harriet A., b. Dec. 20, 1843.

He was in the iron business and of the firm of Cornell, Alt-hause & Co. Iron Works, N. Y. 1847, administration granted to his widow Harriet.

### 2503

HENRY,<sup>8</sup> of Thomas<sup>7</sup> (2347), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Nov. 17, 1811; d. July 23, 1878; m. Rebecca Rawlings, Nov. 15, 1834, daughter of John and Sarah, Monmouth, N. J. Children:

- 2623 Julia Rebecca, b. March 10, 1836; d. 1836.  
2624 George Whitehead, b. Dec. 14, 1837; m. Lucy Martin.  
2625 Rebecca, b. Aug. 11, 1840.  
2626 William Hewlett, b. June 17, 1842; unmarried 1892.  
2627 Harriet Elizabeth, b. Jan. 12, 1845.  
2628 John R., b. Jan. 22, 1847.  
2629 Charles Henry, b. July 23, 1849.  
2630 Sarah Hannah, b. Sept. 13, 1851; m. James A. Pollock.  
2631 Wilbur Fisk, b. Sept. 26, 1857.  
2632 Sherman, b. Jan. 15, 1861.

**2505**

JOHN BLACK,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>7</sup> (2347), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. at Far Rockaway, L. I., Feb. 7, 1821; d. at Lakewood, N. J.,  
Oct. 26, 1887; m. (1) Elizabeth Smith, of New York, Sept. 28,  
1840; she d. Sept. 18, 1842, aged 19 years; m. (2) Catherine  
Debevoise, New York, Nov. 27, 1843; she d. March 26, 1853;  
m. (3) Minnie R. Sherman, Nov. 12, 1856, daughter of James A.  
and Margaret (Reed) Sherman. Children:

By first wife:

2633 Mary Elizabeth, b. Feb. 6, 1842; m. Charles Rus-  
sell Leffingwell, Feb. 4, 1875.

By second wife:

2634 Julia Catherine, b. Oct. 9, 1844; m. Francis Asbury  
Jayne, April 21, 1868, at her father's residence  
530 Fifth Avenue, New York.

2635 John Milton, b. Aug. 27, 1847; m. Sarah A. Keen,  
Jan. 9, 1873.

2636 Thomas Irwin, b. Aug. 19, 1851; d. July 2, 1869.

By third wife:

2637 Minnie Irwin, b. Sept. 26, 1857; m. William Hol-  
lingsworth Baker, Aug. 4, 1879. Children: Kath-  
erine, Henry, John Black.

2638 Jay Black, b. Dec. 26, 1858; d. March 1, 1884.

2639 Sherman, b. May 28, 1860; d. Sept. 16, 1860.

2640 Margaret Louise, b. Sept. 9, 1861; m. Lieut. Charles  
Gould Treat, 5th Artillery, U. S. A., Dec. 30,  
1889, at Madison Avenue Methodist Episcopal  
Church. He is the son of Joseph Bradford Treat  
and Priscilla Jane Gould. Children: Joseph  
Bradford, b. March 3, 1892; Margaret, b. March  
16, 1894; Katherine, b. Feb. 8, 1897.

2641 Helen Hawthorne, b. March 5, 1863; d. Feb. 2,  
1864.

2642 Henry Meigs, b. Nov. 12, 1865; d. Nov. 2, 1900, at  
London, Eng.; m. Rose Bretherton of London;  
she d. Jan. 15, 1895, at Hyeres, France, of con-  
sumption.

2643 Helen Harrower, b. March 17, 1875. Lives with  
her mother 274 Fifth Avenue, New York.



JOHN BLACK CORNELL.



At 15 years of age he began the iron business in Centre Street, New York, under the direction of his elder brother George and with his brother William W. Their beginning was small, only one man and a boy being employed in their works. But from this grew one of the largest iron works in the country, employing from 1,000 to 1,200 men, and the firm of J. B. & W. W. Cornell was well known as the most extensive of the kind. He invented an improved method of uniting the sheet metal slats of revolving shutters for store fronts, and in 1856 invented an improvement in making buildings fireproof. At the age of 17 he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church of which he was a devout and liberal member, having served as trustee and president of many of the church societies of that denomination. The Cornell Memorial Church at 76th Street, N. Y., in which he had a Sunday School of 1,500 scholars, was named after his brother William. His charities amounted to more than a million dollars. Mr. Cornell was much esteemed by all who knew him for his intelligence and integrity. Of him it has been well said, he presents an encouraging example of success by straight-forward and legitimate enterprise. (*Harper's Weekly, Appleton's Cyclopædia of Biography, etc.*).

### 2506

WILLIAM WESLEY,<sup>8</sup> of Thomas<sup>7</sup> (2347), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 1, 1823; d. at Fort Washington, New York City, March 17, 1870; m. Sarah Hendrix Lyon, April 17, 1843, daughter of Moses and Catherine. Children:

- 2644 Moses Lyon, b. June 8, 1844; d. Aug. 11, 1844.
- 2645 William Henry, b. July 13, 1845; d. Dec. 18, 1858.
- 2646 Sarah C., b. March 20, 1847; m. Robert Blair Keyser, June 15, 1865. Child: Emma Louisa.
- 2647 Emma Louisa, b. Sept. 17, 1848.
- 2648 Eleanor, b. July 12, 1852.
- 2649 Kate Lyon (adopted daughter), m. Dabney W. Diggs, June 4, 1864.
- 2650 Edward Hubbell, b. April 17, 1855; d. Dec. 4, 1858.
- 2651 Lucy Florence, b. April 7, 1858.
- 2652 William Wesley, b. Nov. 18, 1859.

He was with his brother in the firm of J. B. & W. W. Cornell above described. This firm erected some of the largest iron

fire-proof buildings in New York, among which were the New York Stock Exchange, Netherland Hotel and others. Like his brother he was a liberal member of the Methodist Church, contributing very largely for building churches, etc. He founded Cornell College at Mt. Vernon, Iowa. John B. and William W. Cornell are among the seven honored with a mention in *Appleton's Cyclopædia of Biography*.

### 2508

WILLIAM KIRBY,<sup>8</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (2349), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Oct. 14, 1821; d. Aug. 12, 1864; m. Harriet Bloomfield.  
 Children:

- 2653 William Henry.
- 2654 Charles Morey.
- 2655 George.
- 2656 John Bloomfield, m. Charlotte Glockmyer. Children: William Kirby, George, Helen Louise.
- 2657 Jessie.
- 2658 Harriet Louisa, m. S. C. Staunton, Chicago, Ill. Children: George Cornwell, Dorothy, John Bloomfield.
- 2659 Eliza Antoinette, m. E. Chester Atkins. Children: Marjorie and Helen.

He was twenty years a bookseller in New York.

### 2512

GEORGE W.<sup>8</sup> [Cornwell], of William<sup>7</sup> (2349), Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. in Poughkeepsie, March 20, 1831; m. Irene Van Kuck.  
 Children:

- 2660 Antoinette.
- 2661 Mary Eliza.
- 2662 Irene.
- 2663 Helen.

Educated in Poughkeepsie. Early in life was a clerk with his father in the dry goods business, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Clerk and proprietor in the business forty years. Director



and for twelve years cashier of the Poughkeepsie National Bank; now vice-president of the Poughkeepsie Savings Bank. 1860, a vestryman of Christ Church, now the senior warden. Since 1876 treasurer of the Poughkeepsie Rural Cemetery. In politics a Republican; has never held any political office.

**2529**

OLIVER TALMAN,<sup>5</sup> of Oliver<sup>7</sup> (2368), John,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. in New York, 1838; m. Alice L. Williams. Child:

2664 Frank Tallman, b. 1869, Brooklyn, N. Y. Architect, 125 East 23d Street, New York; residence, Brooklyn. He designed and rebuilt the Cornell Homestead at Portsmouth; unmarried.

He was a farmer on Long Island, also engaged in extensive milk business.

**2535**

JOHN FLETCHER,<sup>5</sup> of Viner L.<sup>7</sup> (2370), John,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Adelaide Fitch. Children:

2665 Frances.

2666 Mary.

**2542**

REV. THOMAS FREDERICK JR., M.D., DD.,<sup>5</sup> of Thomas F.<sup>7</sup> (2379), Charles,<sup>6</sup> Charles,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 23, 1830; d. July 31, 1885; m. (1) Elizabeth Waterman Ransom, July 20, 1854,\* daughter of Rev. Joseph Ransom, Rector of Christ Church, Oyster Bay, N. Y.; she d. Sept. 8, 1862; m. (2) Mary Sammis, April 23, 1868. Children:

By first wife:

2667 William Rodman, b. July 8, 1855.

2668 Frederick Munn, b. July 31, 1857; d. 1889.

By second wife:

2669 Charles Rodman, b. Feb. 12, 1869; d. Jan. 4, 1900.

2670 One daughter, ———.

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\* See Onderdonk's list of marriages.

He was a graduate of the University of the City of New York, and College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, 1853, and Class of '56 General Theological Seminary, New York, and the same year was rector of the Church of the Redeemer, Morristown, N. J., also subsequently rector of St. Mark's Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., Church of the Mediator, and St. Stephen's Church, same city. He was a great scholar and theologian. He died at his residence 598 Quincy Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

### 2571

MINNE SUYDAM,<sup>9</sup> of James Elwood<sup>8</sup> (2396), James Gilbert,<sup>7</sup> Hallett,<sup>6</sup> James,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. April, 6, 1854; m. Maggie J. McCormack. Children:

- 2671 Herbert S., b. May 1, 1876; d. May 2, 1878.
- 2672 James A., b. July 9, 1877; d. April 25, 1879.
- 2673 Minne Suydam, Jr., b. Aug. 9, 1883.
- 2674 Elwood North, b. Aug. 3, 1889.

He is a hat manufacturer 435 West Broadway; residence, Brooklyn. Has valuable wills and documents pertaining to the family which his father collected.

### 2585

CAPT. WILLIAM DURYEA,<sup>9</sup> of John Hegeman<sup>8</sup> (2411), Richard,<sup>7</sup> Lewis,<sup>6</sup> Obadiah,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. about 1840, Manhasset; d. April, —, 1901; m. Annie Ameria Van De Water, daughter of Capt. John Van De Water of Brooklyn. Children:

- 2675 Bertha.
- 2676 William Duryea, Jr., m. Anna Amelia Keyson of Ridgewood, N. J., May 17, 1893. No children.
- 2677 John Van Der Water Duryea, b. Oct. 8, 1870.
- 2678 Theodore Jackson.
- 2679 Mary Lefetre.
- 2680 Edwin Gates.
- 2681 Annie.
- 2682 Peter Duryea.
- 2683 Elizabeth.

He served in the Civil War and was colonel of the Veteran's Association of the 47th Regiment. At one time secretary of

the Atlantic Insurance Co. Twelve years deputy Auditor of the old city of Brooklyn, and a thirty-second degree Freemason. He died at his residence Elton Street, Brooklyn, L. I., of Bright's disease.

### 2597

JULIET HICKS,<sup>9</sup> of John Hicks<sup>8</sup> (2452), Whitehead J.,<sup>7</sup> John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 10, 1853; m. Henry Cartwright Brown, son of Arthur Alexander and Mary Agar (Cartwright) Brown, Feb. 4, 1874.

Children (*Brown*):

John Cornell, b. June 1, 1875; m. Alice Darling Brown, Feb. 3, 1898. Lives in Brooklyn where he is in business. Child: H. C. Brown.

Mary Alexander, b. Feb. 11, 1877; m. Briscoe Clark. One child.

Florens Ann, b. April 29, 1879; m. Samuel Briscoe, Aug. 19, 1898. One child.

Sarah Cartwright, b. Aug. 29, 1881.

Dorothy Lefferts, b. July 14, 1890.

Juliet Duyckinck, b. June 17, 1894.

They live at Breeze Hill, Northport, L. I. Mr. Brown's ancestors came from Belfast, Ireland, where they were a wealthy family and some of them members of Parliament.

### 2601

PETER CORTELYOU, M. D.,<sup>9</sup> of S. Douglass<sup>8</sup> (2461), Samuel G.,<sup>7</sup> John,<sup>6</sup> Whitehead,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 28, 1865; m. Alice Gardiner Plimpton, daughter of George D. Plimpton, June 28, 1892, at Buffalo, N. Y. Child:

2684 Katherine, b. Feb., 1893, in Berlin.

He lives in Buffalo, is a physician and studied medicine at Berlin.

### 2618

BIRDSALL,<sup>9</sup> of George<sup>8</sup> (2500), Thomas,<sup>7</sup> Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 28, 1830; m. Sarah H. Lyon of New York, 1851.

Children:

- 2685 Lizzie Leslie, d. unmarried. Administration granted to her father, 1879.
- 2686 George Birdsall, m. Eleanor E. Jackson, 1882. Children: George Birdsall, Jr., Richard Hewlett, Harold Jackson, Robert Leslie, Elizabeth Leslie, Thomas Whitehead, Francis Sheppard.

**2633**

MARY ELIZABETH,<sup>9</sup> of John Black<sup>8</sup> (2508), Thomas,<sup>7</sup> Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Feb. 6, 1842; m. Charles Russell Leffingwell of New York, son of George Washington and Mary Van Loan Leffingwell (see *Leffingwell Genealogy*), at her father's residence, 530 Fifth Avenue, New York, Feb. 4, 1875. Children (*Leffingwell*):

Russell Cornell, b. Sept. 10, 1878, in New York. Class of 1889 Yale University; now finishing a three years' course in the law school of Columbia University.

Julia Cornell, b. Feb. 21, 1880, in New York.

Helen Cornell, b. March 7, 1883, in Yonkers, N. Y.

**2635**

JOHN MILTON,<sup>9</sup> of John B.<sup>8</sup> (2505), Thomas,<sup>7</sup> Whitehead,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Aug. 27, 1846; m. Sarah Keen, Philadelphia, Jan. 9, 1873. Children:

2687 John Keen, b. April 21, 1877; d. Feb. 12, 1893.

2688 Irwin Hewlett, b. April 27, 1881.

2689 Milton Longacre, b. Feb. 11, 1884.

2690 John Black, b. Sept. 8, 1885.

Educated at the Mt. Washington Collegiate Institute. He entered his father's establishment to learn the business, was soon taken in the concern as a partner, and succeeded his father as its head, eventually becoming the owner, the concern still retained the name of J. B. & J. M. Cornell. His residence is No. 26 East 37th Street, New York, his summer home being Seabright, New Jersey (see *Prominent Families of New York*).

## JOHN CORNELL.

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JOHN,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. (supposed) about 1637; d. about 1704; m. Mary Russell, daughter of John and Dorothy of Dartmouth, Mass., 1669; she was b. 1645. Children:

- 3001 Richard of Scarsdale, b. 26.1, 1678; d. 15.4, 1757; m. Hannah Thorne, 1701.
- 3002 Joshua, b. 1677; m. Sarah Thorne.
- 3003 Mary, b. 1679; m. James Sands, 1697.
- 3004 John, b. 1681; m. Mary Starr.
- 3005 Caleb, b. 1683; d. 1734; m. Elizabeth Hagner, Oct. 10, 1705.
- 3006 Rebecca, b. 1685; m. John Starr of Danbury, Conn.

1673, March 3, Mary Cornell, wife of John Cornell of Plymouth Colony, testified on the trial of her brother Thomas. 1673, July 4, he was one of those appointed by the court at Dartmouth, Mass., to take charge of so much of his brother Thomas' estate as was in Dartmouth. 1676, Oct. 3, the Governor grants to John Cornell "who with his wife and five small children, had been driven from the eastward by the Indians," a tract of 100 acres of land on the west side of Cow Neck. He built a house here, but the land was claimed by the inhabitants of Hempstead, who pulled the house down. Those concerned in this were afterwards indicted and convicted.\* It may have been to quiet the title to this piece of land that Governor Andros issued a patent to John Cornell, Sept. 29, 1677, for 116 acres "near the bottom of Cow Neck, adjoining Cow Bay," with a privilege of acquiring an additional 100 acres. This privilege was exercised when a patent was taken from Governor Dongan, dated Dec. 13, 1686, for 100 acres north of the above and extending to the Sound. A tract of land on the first grant was reserved for a family burying ground. John and his wife were both buried there. 1683, Oct. 11, his land in

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\* See full account in *Onderdonk's Queens County*, pp. 9-10.

Hempstead is rated at £40. 1688, Aug. 25, he was appointed a Justice of the Peace. In 1694, or 1695 he sold part of his farm to Captain John Sands, who gave the place the name of Sands Point. In 1698, he and four others of his family are mentioned in the census of Queens County. 1699, Feb. 9, he and his wife convey to their son Joshua, land adjoining Samuel Sands.\* 1699, Feb. 13, he and his wife convey to their son Richard, land adjoining his dwelling on Cow Neck and adjoining Joshua Cornell.\*

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\* *Queens County Records, A. 171, 172.*

## DESCENDANTS OF JOHN<sup>2</sup> (7).

### 3001

RICHARD,<sup>3</sup> of John<sup>2</sup> (7), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 26.1, 1678; d. 15.4, 1757; aged 79 years; buried at Mamaroneck; m. Hannah Thorne, 1701, daughter of John and Mary (Pearsall) Thorne; she was b. 1678; d. 1756. Children:

- 3007 Mary, b. 7.10, 1703; d. Sept. 15, 1762; m. Edward Sands.
- 3008 Deborah, b. 1.3, 1705; d. 1779; m. Matthew Franklin, 14.3, 1723, brother of No. 3020 and son of Henry and Dorothy (Bowne) Franklin(?). He was a Quaker preacher (see Franklin Lineage, Appendix).
- 3009 Richard, b. 6.10, 1708; d. 1758; m. Mary Ferris, 11.3, 1732.
- 3010 Joseph, b. 4.11, 1712, at Cow Neck; d. 1770; m. Phebe Ferris, 20.4, 1734.
- 3011 Hannah, b. 26.2, 1711; m. Josiah Quimby; he was b. March 21, 1712.
- 3012 Phebe Thorne, b. 6.3, 1715; d. before 1759; m. (1) Ebenezer Haviland, 1735; m. (2) John Williams.
- 3013 John, b. 30.7, 1716; *d. s. p.* 1783-4.
- 3014 Rebecca, b. 30.7, 1716 (twin of above); d. 1735; m. Edward Burling; he was b. 3.12, 1713-4.
- 3015 Elizabeth, b. 15.11, 1717; d. 1795; m. (1) Aaron Palmer, son of Nehemiah; he was b. 1715; Child: Sarah m. Benjamin Ferris; m. (2) Aaron Quimby, Feb. 17, 1740. Child: Mary m. Uriah Field, Jan. 18, 1764 (see *Field Genealogy*).
- 3016 Benjamin, b. 18.9, 1723; d. 25.7, 1771; m. Abigail Stevenson, 17.9, 1742.

In 1702, Richard and his brothers John and Joshua, buy from Thomas Willett for £600, the farm that John, Richard and Caleb lived on, and where they all had ship-yards. 1705, March 10, these three and their wives convey to their brother Caleb, half of this tract with buildings, orchards, etc. It is described as on the west side of Cow Neck. 1703, Feb. 29,

Richard was foreman of the grand jury which ignored the bill against Bownas the Quaker. 1705, Aug. 12, he buys of his brother John for £110, land on the west side of Cow Neck.\* About 1713, he bought 500 acres in Scarsdale from the heirs of Samuel Palmer. It was probably through the Richbills and Motts that Richard became interested in Westchester County.† 1719, it was voted to build a Friends' meeting house at Cow Neck, the place and dimensions to be left to Richard Cornell, William Mott and others. From 1721 to 1726, he was annually elected a fence viewer in Hempstead. 1724, March 31, "Richard Cornell of Cow Neck, Hempstead, Nassau Island," sold to Benoni Merritt of Rye, Westchester Co., 200 acres in Fauconier's Patent (now part of Northcastle).‡ Caleb witnessed this deed which was for £135. 1728, Aug. 24, Richard's name, with about twenty others, is signed to an agreement with the Commissioners of Highways of Cow Neck. Baird§ says that he removed to Westchester in 1725. He owned his farm at Cow Neck, however, until 1730, when he sold it to his son-in-law Edward Sands. 1730, 10.7, joined the Purchase Meeting, Westchester Co., N. Y., with certificate from Westbury, L. I. By the will of his brother-in-law James Sands, it appears that in 1730, he and Richard Cornell owned land together in Goshen, Orange Co. 1733, Dec. 16, he and other Quakers "inhabitants and freeholders of Westchester County," petition against Nicholas Cooper the sheriff, for refusing to allow them to vote. His will is dated Oct. 31, 1756, and was proved April 21, 1757. His four sons, Richard, Joseph, John and Benjamin are to take all his lands in Scarsdale, New

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\* *Queens County Records, B. 2, 189.*

† 1661, June 8, John Richbill purchased from the Indians three necks of land bounded east by Mamaroneck River and west by Mr. Pell's purchase. Pell set up a claim to the land which was finally settled in 1668. Governor Lovelace issued a patent to Richbill. He dying in 1684, his nephews conveyed the great Middle Neck lying in Scarsdale and Mamaroneck to Samuel Palmer whose heirs, after 1713, sold 500 acres to Richard Cornell. About 1764, the heirs of James Delancy began suit against Benjamin, Joseph, Peter and John Cornell, sons and grandsons of Richard, claiming these lands, which claim was not sustained, except a small piece which was west of the Scarsdale line (see *Bolton and Scharff's History of Westchester County*).

‡ *Rye Records, C., 139.*

§ *History of Rye, p. 458.*



Rochelle and Mamaroneck. His five daughters are also mentioned, Phebe, as the deceased wife of John Williams, leaving two daughters, Hannah Griffin and Elizabeth Haviland. The executors named were his son Richard, Edward Burling and John Burling, of whom the first two qualified.\*

He lived in Scarsdale about two miles west of Mamaroneck village on Quaker Ridge, probably a few rods south of the Quaker Church. The towns of Scarsdale, New Rochelle and Mamaroneck join at that point, being separated by the Quaker Ridge Road. His farm was in the three towns. Some of his descendants still live on the farm.

### 3002

JOSHUA,<sup>2</sup> of John<sup>2</sup> (7), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1677; m. Sarah Thorne, sister of Hannah (3001). Children:

3017 Joshua, b. 1696; m. Charity Haight.

3018 John, *d. s. p.*

3019 Samuel, b. 1702; d. 1768; m. Hannah Carman, 1724.

3020 Sarah, m. Henry Franklin, son of Henry and Dorothy (Bowne) Franklin, brother of Matthew (3008), settled near Purchase.

3021 Elizabeth, m. Joshua Franklin.

1699, Feb. 13, Joshua receives from his father John, a deed of  $\frac{1}{3}$  of a lot lying on the east of John's house lot, and adjoining Samuel Sands. He also joined in the deed with his brothers Richard and John to Caleb, in 1705. In 1708 and 1709 he is chosen fence viewer and surveyor of highways for Cow Neck, in Hempstead. A muster roll of Joshua Cornell's Company, of Queens County, dated Oct. 25, 1715, is on file at Albany. 1716, Nov. 5, Capt. Joshua registers an ear-mark for cattle in Hempstead.

### 3003

MARY,<sup>2</sup> of John<sup>2</sup> (7), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1679; m. James Sands of Mattinnicock, L. I., formerly of Rhode Island, 1697; he was b. 1662; d. 1731 or 1733. Son of James and Sarah (Walker) Sands. Interred on his farm.

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\* *New York Wills*, 20: 249.

Sands bought from Richard of Rockaway a farm, being part of that patented 1686 to Richard, and where Sands was buried, 1730. James Sands, will, devised a share of land in Gosheu, Orange Co., held in partnership with Richard (3001). Caleb Cornell (3005) was one of his executors (see Sands' pedigree, appendix, and *Bolton's History*).

### 3004

JOHN,<sup>3</sup> of John<sup>2</sup> (7), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1681; m. Mary Starr of Danbury, Conn.\* Child:

3022 John, b. 1724; d. 1776.

He joined in the deed, in 1705, with his brothers Richard and Joshua to Caleb. 1727, NOV. 13, the highway commissioners of Cow Neck lay out a private road for John Cornell over land of Nathaniel Sands.

### 3005

CALEB,<sup>3</sup> of John<sup>2</sup> (7), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1683; d. 1734; m. Elizabeth Hagner of Flushing, Oct. 10, 1705. Children:

3023 Richardson, b. July 16, 1706; *d. s. p.* Jan. 10, 1732, of small pox.

3024 Caleb, b. March 25, 1708; d. Dec. 16, 1781 (1709-75 Bolton); m. (1) Catherine Thorne; m. (2) Phebe Haight.

3025 Elizabeth, b. Sept. 27, 1711; d. May 10, 1793; m. John Sands, May 12, 1736.

3026 Mary, b. June 19, 1714; d. Dec. 23, 1780; m. Thomas Appleby.

3027 John, b. Oct. 26, 1716; d. Jan. 8, 1790; m. (1) Martha Hewlett, Feb. 13, 1751; m. (2) Phebe Hewlett; marriage license, Dec. 1, 1767.

3028 Susannah, b. 1718; d. young.

3029 Richard, b. May 10, 1720; d. 1772; m. Catherine Dean, Sept. 28, 1742.

3030 William, b. Sept. 15, 1721; d. Nov. 5, 1797; m. Ruth Hewlett, Nov. 2, 1749.

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\* The *Starr Genealogy* gives a Capt. Josiah Starr of Hempstead, 1678-1693, who removed with some of his neighbors to Danbury. But it mentions no daughter Mary.

- 3031 Margaret, b. Feb. 25, 1728; d. Dec. 16, 1808; m. John Willis, Aug. 26, 1749.
- 3032 Joshua, b. May 10, 1726; d. June 20, 1800; m. Hannah Hewlett, Oct. 22, 1758.

1705, he takes a deed from his brothers Richard, Joshua and John. 1724, March 31, he witnesses the deed from his brother Richard to Benoni Merritt. 1727, August 24, he and others release to Richard (3001), part of an old highway on Cow Neck, the line of the road having been changed. In 1733 he was an executor of his brother-in-law, James Sands (see No. 3003). 1739, Feb. 7, he and his wife convey to hisson Caleb "shipwright" for £30, six acres at Cow Neck, adjoining John Sands, etc.\*

### 3007

MARY,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (3001), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 17.10, 1703; d. Sept. 15, 1762; m. Edward Sands of Cow Neck; he was b. 1691; d. March 9, 1746, aged 55 years. Buried at Sands Point. Children (*Sands*):

Ray, d. Feb. 14, 1739.

Henry, b. 1728; d. July 1, 1780; m. Martha Cornell(?), March 14, 1748. (See No. 3059).

Richard, b. 1730; d. Oct. 25, 1798; m. Deborah Griffith.

George, m. Jemima Smith, bond March 6, 1757.

Sybil, b. Sept. 3, 1727; d. March 1, 1759; m. Stephen Thorne, July 27, 1746.

Hannah, m. Dr. David Brooks, bond Nov. 30, 1771; he d. 1794. Their sons established the clothing firm of Brooks Brothers, Catherine Street, New York.

Mary, b. 1733; d. July 28, 1793; m. William Sutton, April 18, 1779.

Deborah, b. 1736; d. Sept. 1, 1762; m. Edward Mott (as his second wife), bond Oct. 13, 1753.

Edward Sands of Cow Neck, Hempstead, L. I., will dated "23.11 mo., called January, 1745"; probated March 27, 1746, New York.† Executors: Joseph Mott, Nathaniel Pearsall; names wife Mary, children, and father-in-law Richard Cornell. His

\* *North Hempstead Records*, 3: 294.

† Liber XV., p. 495.

father's will names Mary, wife of Edward Sands.\* He had a brother Nathaniel Sands. He mentions land bought of his father-in-law Richard Cornell.

### 3009

RICHARD,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (3001), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 6.10, 1708; d. 1758; m. Mary Ferris, 11.3, 1732. Child:

3033 Peter, b. 1732; d. 30.7, 1767; m. Sarah Haviland, May 3, 1751.

In 1720, he registered in Hempstead an ear-mark which had belonged to his grandfather John (7). In 1755, he is registered as owning two slaves. His will ("Richard Cornell of Scarsdale,") is dated 1758, and was proved Aug. 14, of the same year. He leaves to his son Peter, a riding horse given him by his father, and half of his lands in Scarsdale. His lands in Northcastle are to be sold. He makes provision for his granddaughter Mary Cornell, to be paid her when she is eighteen. His wife Mary is to have the residue for life, with reversion to Peter. Executors: wife Mary, son Peter and brother Benjamin (3016), Witnesses: Ebenezer Haviland, Abigail Cornell (3016), and Hannah Cornell (3019).†

### 3010

JOSEPH,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (3001), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 4.11, 1712, at Cow Neck, L. I.; d. 1770; m. Phebe Ferris, daughter of Peter, 20.4, 1734 (by *Friends' Records*). Children:

3034 Joseph, b. 1735; m. Sarah Hadden, 15, 7 mo., 1756.

3035 Hannah, b. 1736; m. James Fowler, 21.12, 1758.

3036 Richard, b. 1738; d. 1748.

3037 Sarah, b. 1739.

3038 Mary, b. 1741; m. John Merritt of Mamaroneck, 17.4, 1766.

3039 John, b. 1743; d. 1817; m. Alice Williams, 1763.

3040 Ferris, b. 1748; d. 1816; m. (1) Anne Cornell (Richard,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>); m. (2) Hannah Quimby; m. (3) Sarah Cox.

3041 Phebe, b. 1750; m. Abijah Haight.

\* But Bolton (*Westchester County*), calls him Rev. Henry Sands.

† *New York Wills*, 21: 83.

In 1755, Joseph Cornell of Mamaroneck and Scarsdale, owned two slaves. Little else is known of him except from his will, which is dated "21st, 11th mo. called November, 1771," and was proved Dec. 30, of the same year. His wife Phebe is to have a negro woman Mercy, "the land where I now live," and land on the east side of the road, between land that was Peter Cornell's (3033) and Benjamin Cornell's (3016) for life. His son Joseph receives a third of his lands in New Hampshire and negro Stephen. John receives land at Horseridge, a salt meadow at Mamaroneck, negro Aaron and a third of the New Hampshire lands. Ferris receives the negro Pomp and the reversion of the home farm. Of his daughters, Sarah and Phebe receive £100 each, and Hannah receives £3. Mary is also mentioned. Executors: wife Phebe, and his sons Joseph and Ferris.\*

### 3012

PHEBE THORNE,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (3001), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 6.3, 1715; d. before 1756; m. (1) Ebenezer Haviland, son of Benjamin of Westchester, N. Y.; he d. 1749-50; m.

(2) John Williams. Children (*Haviland*):

Mary.

Abigail.

Hannah, b. 3.2, 1738; d. 5.7, 1758; m. John Griffin,  
21.4, 1754.

Elizabeth.

Ebenezer.

Thomas.

Benjamin.

These children were all under age at the time of their father's will, and all seem to have died young but Hannah and Elizabeth, they only being mentioned in their grandfather Richard Cornell's will, 1756 (in fact Hannah died aged 20 years). She had no children by her second husband, and Richard's will says: Phebe, deceased wife of John Williams.

### 3013

JOHN,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (3001), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 30.7, 1716; *d. s. p.*, 1783-4.

He is generally known as John Cornell (or in his will Corn-

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\* *New York Wills*, 28: 162.

well) of New Rochelle. In 1759, he deeded to William Cornell (3053), of Phillipsburg half of a tract of 450 acres, which was released to him and Hannah Quimby by Richard, Joseph and Benjamin Cornell and Edward Burling. In 1771, he was executor of his brother Benjamin. In 1775, he sold his farm on Quaker Ridge to his nephew Stephen (3044), whose descendants were still living on it in 1892. His will is dated the "8th day of the 10th month, called October, 1771." It was proved April 23, 1784. All his property goes to his nephew Benjamin Haviland, except the specific legacies. His brother Joseph and his sisters Rebecca Burling and Elizabeth Quimby, as well as his niece Mary, wife of William Cornell, are each to receive £100. Other legatees are the grandchildren of his brother Richard: Thomas, Richard, Haviland and Ebenezer, and the children of his brother Benjamin: Hannah, wife of John Burling, Jr., Jane, Stephen, Deborah, wife of Willett Bowne, Ann, Phebe, Abigail and Benjamin.\*

His farm was in the town of New Rochelle, on the west side of the Quaker Ridge road, about a mile north of the Quaker Meeting House in Scarsdale. He was eccentric and died in a fit. After his death money was found in unexpected places, closets, goose nests, etc.

### 3014

REBECCA,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (3001), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 30.7, 1716; m. Edward Burling of Long Beach, son of Edward and Phebe (Ferris) Burling; he was b. 3.12, 1713-4. 1771, devisee of brother John; both witnessed will of brother Benjamin, also Edward Burling, Jr. Children (*Burling*):

Hannah, b. 11.2, 1736.

Phebe, b. 11.2, 1736, twin of above; m. Jesse Hallock, 19.9, 1765.

Sarah, b. 14.12, 1737-8; m. Joseph Griffen, 21.3, 1766.

Edward, b. 31.3, 1740.

Rebecca, b. 4.8, 1742; m. Richard Titus, 18.1, 1770.

Grace, b. 2.1, 1744-5; m. David Hallock, 18.5, 1769.

Richard, b. 24.3, 1747; d. 22.5, 1747.

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\* *New York Wills*, 36: 397. Also in *Pelletreau's Westchester Wills*, p. 275.

Martha, b. 14.4, 1748.

Richard, b. 6.10, 1750; m. Charity Haviland, 4.12, 1776.

Deborah, b. 10.3, 1754; d. 23.7, 1756.

Deborah, b. 3.1, 1757; d. 2.4, 1759.

Samuel, b. 9.9, 1760.

### 3016

BENJAMIN,<sup>4</sup> of Richard<sup>3</sup> (3001), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 18.9, 1723; d. 25.7, 1771; m. Abigail Stevenson, 17.9, 1742, daughter of Stephen, deceased, of Rye and Jane Clements of Rye; she was b. 29.9, 1727; d. 17.10, 1805. Children:

3042 Hannah, b. 8.9, 1744; m. John Burling, Jr., 9.1, 1767. He witnessed will of Peter (3033).

3043 Jane, b. 18.9, 1746; m. Joseph Griffin, 16.4, 1772.

3044 Stephen, b. 1.2, 1749; d. 3.15, 1802; m. Margaret Haviland, 17.8, 1775.

3045 Deborah, b. 27.4, 1751; m. Willett Bowne of Flushing, 6.9, 1769; he was b. 8.6, 1745. Child: William, b. 15.3, 1771; she died and he married again before 1785. Devisee of John (3013).

3046 Ann, b. 10.9, 1753; m. Benjamin Haviland of Harrison, 16.1, 1777; he d. in Canada. Devisee of John (3013.)

3047 Phebe, b. 25.10, 1755; m. John Gibb, 10.10, 1774, of Phillipsburg (see No. 3013).

3048 Sarah, b. 14.1, 1758; d. 11.4, 1764.

3049 Abigail, b. 14.1, 1758; d. about 1820.

3050 Benjamin, b. 22.6, 1760; d. 10.8, 1760.

3051 Benjamin, b. 23.8, 1761; d. May 20, 1841; m. (1) Alice Sutton, 19.3, 1783; m. (2) Pamela Farrington, 9.5, 1804.

3051A Sarah, b. 4.11, 1764.

In 1758, he was executor of his brother Richard. 1768, April 30, he was one of a committee to build a new Quaker meeting house at Mamaroneck. His will is dated March 27, 1763, and was proved Aug. 9, 1771. His lands are to be divided between his two sons, Stephen and Benjamin. All his daughters are named and were then minors. Sarah is to be support-

ed by his wife and the other children. Executors: wife Abigail, daughter Hannah and brother John. Witnesses: Edward Burling, Edward Burling, Jr., and Rebecca Burling, wife of Edward, Sr.\* Abigail Cornell survived her husband over thirty years, and her will was proved Nov. 5, 1805, being dated earlier in the same year. She mentions her daughters Abigail, Jane Griffin, Ann Haviland and Phebe Gibb, as well as her grandchildren Catharine Hosier, John Burling and William Bowne. Executors: son Benjamin and her grandson William H. Cornell.†

### 3017

JOSHUA,<sup>4</sup> of Joshua<sup>3</sup> (3002), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1696; m. Charity Haight. Children:

3052 Joshua, b. 1726; d. 1775; m. Hannah Harrison.

3053 William, b. Dec. 3, 1728; d. March 24, 1799; m. Mary Quimby, 15.7, 1748.

3054 John, b. 1738; d. 1813; m. (1) Mary Quimby(?); she was b. Feb. 22, 1738; m. (2) Mary Ann Allen.

3055 Charity, b. 1732; m. Barak Cornell (3056).

Some authorities say there was no daughter in this family. Some of John's family went to Canada, and their descendants still live there.

### 3019

SAMUEL,<sup>4</sup> † of Joshua<sup>3</sup> (3002), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1702; d. 1768; m. Hannah Carman, 1724; she d. 1777. §

Children (as per will):

3056 Barak, b. about 1725; d. 1800; m. (1) Charity Cornell (3055); m. (2) Mary Clark.

3057 John, *d. s. p.*

3058 Joshua.

3059 Martha, b. 1726; d. 1759; m. ——— Sands.

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\* *New York Wills*, 28: 57.

† *Westchester County Wills*, F. 168.

‡ Bolton calls him Samuel of Cow Neck, Hempstead; but the will describes him as of Flushing where (near Success and Little Neck) his descendants still reside. Bolton gives him a daughter Martha, m. Henry Sands, which is doubtful, as she is not named in the will of Samuel or Hannah.

§ Hannah Carman may have been daughter of Caleb, whose will 1745 names daughter Hannah and executors, my brothers-in-law John (3018), and Joshua (3017) Cornell.



His will is dated April 6, 1768, and proved May 18 of the same year. He describes himself as of Flushing. His wife Hannah takes £500, three negroes, etc. His three granddaughters, Mary, Hannah and Abigail Sands each take £100. His two grandsons, Comfort and Samuel Cornell receive the farm he bought of Samuel Rodman, "where I now reside," containing about 200 acres, also salt and fresh meadows, all in Flushing. His son Barak takes £500. His two negroes are to be sold, but to choose their own masters. Executors: wife Hannah, brothers-in-law, John Carman and Joshua Carman. Only his wife qualified.\* His wife Hannah's will is dated Nov. 26, 1776, and was proved March 11, 1777. Besides her son Barak, she mentions as grandchildren, Hannah, Henry, Mary, Barak, Joshua and John Cornell, Hannah Brucks and Abigail Sands. Her son Barak is sole executor.†

### 3022

JOHN, † of John<sup>3</sup> (3004), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1724; d. 1776; m. ———. Children:

3060 Comfort.

3061 Mary, m. ——— Dibblee.

3062 Samuel, had a daughter Mary who m. Comfort Starr of Danbury, a merchant, who d. 1764. The same person that Comfort Sands was named after.

He fell from his horse when the British burned Danbury, 1776, and died aged 53 years.

### 3024

CALEB,<sup>4</sup> of Caleb<sup>3</sup> (3005), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 25, 1708; d. Dec. 16, 1781; m. (1) Catherine Thorne, daughter of Joseph and Catherine; she was b. Oct. 13, 1714; m. (2) Phebe Haight, widow of John, July 21, 1743; she d. April, 1750. Children (as per Bolton):

3063 Joseph, b. Oct. 13, 1734; d. unmarried. Devisee of Joseph Thorne.

\* *New York Wills*, 26: 299.

† *New York Wills*, 34: 152.

‡ Some authorities call him the son of John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>. The author being uncertain about the Starr-Cornell lineage would be glad of any information on the subject.

- 3064 Richardson, b. Oct. 15, 1741; m. Tabitha Long-fellow of Falmouth, Mass.
- 3065 Stephen, b. June 23, 1744; d. 1804; m. Mary Platt, June 2, 1776.
- 3066 Caleb, b. June 27, 1748; d. Aug. 4, 1802; m. Free-love Demilt, March 25, 1774.
- 3067 Aspinwall, b. about 1750; d. after 1825; m. (1) Jane Mitchell, Nov. 16, 1783; m. (2) Priscilla Mitchell (her sister).
- 3068 Catherine, m. Wessell Sells, Feb. 25, 1773, son of James of Brookhaven. Had two children.

1738, Nov. 2, he signed an order as one of the Justices of the Peace of Queens County.\* 1748, Dec. 17, Caleb Cornell, Jr., of Cow Neck, shipwright, buys 124 acres on Cow Neck from Samuel Sands and his wife Elizabeth for £520. The will of Abel Smith in 1751 mentions "the 12 acres of timber land I bought of Caleb Cornell." Joseph Thorne, in his will dated Aug. 1, 1751, makes Caleb an executor. 1756, July 29, all of his children except Joseph were baptized in St. George's Church, Hempstead. In 1768, he advertised a runaway slave. In 1781, he again appears as Justice of the Peace. 1764, Jan. 23, Joseph and Richardson Cornell of New York, procured £7,000 worth of goods which they converted into cash and fled to Long Island. They shut themselves up in the house of Henry Sands and shot an officer who attempted to capture them.†

The names Richardson and Aspinwall probably come from the Sands family.

### 3025

ELIZABETH,<sup>4</sup> of Caleb<sup>3</sup> (3005), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 27, 1711; d. May 10, 1793; m. John Sands (John,<sup>3</sup> James,<sup>2</sup> Henry,<sup>1</sup>), May 12, 1736; marriage license, May 10, (see Sand's Lineage, Appendix). Children (*Sands*):

John, b. Feb. 22, 1737; d. June 25, 1811. Was Lieut.-Colonel, 1772.

Cornell, b. April 26, 1739; d. Aug. 3, 1793.

Elizabeth, b. May 8, 1742; d. Sept. 13, 1747.

\* *Hempstead Printed Records*, 3: 219.

† *Onderdonk, Queens County*, p. 34.

Robert, b. Feb. 13, 1745; d. March 8, 1825; no male issue.

Comfort, b. Feb. 26, 1748; bap. St. Paul's Chapel, New York, 1767; d. Sept. 22, 1834, Hoboken, N. J.

Stephen, b. 1750; d. 1787.

Richardson, b. June 13, 1754; left no male issue.

Joshua, b. Oct. 12, 1757; d. Sept. 13, 1835; left male issue.

She survived her husband and was buried by him in the Sands graveyard at Cow Neck. Comfort and Joshua were merchants in New York. Comfort Sands was a member of the Provincial Congress in 1775, and held other important posts during the war of 1776-83. From him are descended the Jays of Rye, N. Y. (see *Bolton's History*).

### 3027

JOHN,<sup>4</sup> of Caleb<sup>3</sup> (3005), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 26, 1715; d. Jan. 8, 1790; m. (1) Martha Hewlett, Feb. 13, 1751; m. (2) Phebe Hewlett; marriage license, Dec. 1, 1767, (by whom he had no children); they were sisters of Ruth (see 3030) and Hannah (3032). Children (as per Bolton):

3069 Charles, *d. s. p.* Devisee of James (3080), 1825.

3070 Hewlett, b. Dec. 31, 1750 or Jan. 1, 1751; d. June 3, 1828; m. Elizabeth Willis; marriage license, July 31, 1782.

1759, June 8, Phebe Hewlett witnesses a deed from Joshua Cornell to his brother Caleb. Lewis Hewlett's will dated March 28, 1763, mentions his daughters Phebe Cornell, Ruth Cornell (3030) and Hannah Cornell (3032), and his grandson Hewlett Cornell. He has already given Phebe a negro slave Nancy. In 1782, John Cornell and his son were listed to cut four cords of wood for the British troops.

### 3029

RICHARD,<sup>4</sup> of Caleb<sup>3</sup> (3005), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 10, 1720; d. 1772; m. Catherine Dean, Sept. 28, 1742; she d. Feb. 16, 1794. Children:

3071 Caleb Cornwell of New York City, mariner, and Madeline Headley of New York City, spin-

- ster, m. Nov. 17, 1763; surety on bond, Joseph Cornell, New York City, merchant. He is called by Bolton, a Captain R. N.; d. on British man-of-war.
- 3072 Elizabeth, spinster, New York City, m. Samuel Marsh of Philadelphia, shipwright, March 9, 1774.
- 3073 Mary, b. 1744; m. William Miller or Butler, marriage license, Aug. 9, 1776 (see Judah,<sup>5</sup> Edward,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).
- 3074 Margaret, m. (1) George Graham; m. (2) William Cook.

1752, Nov. 24, William Cornell and wife Catherine, Margery Sackett, widow, daughters of John Dean, deceased, and other children of Dean, give a deed of a lot on Sackett Street (Montgomerie Ward). 1767, April 18, Richard Cornwell of New York City, ship carpenter, gives to his brother John Cornwell, a power-of-attorney to collect debts.

### 3030

WILLIAM,<sup>4</sup> of Caleb<sup>3</sup> (3005), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 15, 1721; d. Nov. 5, 1797; m. Ruth Hewlett, Nov. 2, 1749; she was b. June 25, 1721; d. Oct. 27, 1808. Children (as per will and partition):\*

- 3075 Elizabeth, b. June 28, 1752; d. 1823; m. Charles Cornell (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>) of Troy or Bay Side, 1772.
- 3076 Lewis, b. March 3, 1757; d. Aug. 21, 1804, at Flushing; m. Elizabeth Sands, Sept. 25, 1785.
- 3077 Samuel, b. June 10, 1759; d. July 17, 1801; m. Martha Paterson, Nov. 16, 1786.
- 3078 Joshua, b. Jan. 16, 1762; d. Jan. 24, 1822, at Flushing.
- 3079 Charles Paterson, b. May 1, 1765; d. 1839; m. Ann Fleet of Jamaica, Nov. 19, 1791.

In 1775, he owned four slaves in Hempstead. He appears to have been a loyalist in 1775, and in 1779 it is ordered that

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\* Bolton says William and Ruth had Samuel and Elizabeth only, and that Joshua and Hannah had Joshua, d. 1822, Lewis and Charles.

he shall be paid for wood cut on his premises for the British troops. In 1784, he was an assessor and fence viewer in Hempstead, and had been previously, in 1781, a Justice of the Peace. 1786, June 6, "William Cornwall" appears on the bond of "Lewis Cornwall" as loan officer. 1788, Sept. 4, he recovers a judgment against Stephen Thorn for £418.12. His will is not dated and was not proved until Nov. 4, 1823, many years after his death. All the witnesses were then dead and it was proved by the testimony of James Cornwell of North Hempstead, who testified to the handwriting of the testator and one of the witnesses, and said that he had written this will at testator's request. He left £500 to his wife; his sons Lewis and Samuel received only 10s. as they had already received their shares; Elizabeth received £250, and the residue went to Joshua and Charles. These two with his nephew James Cornell, were appointed executors, but only Charles qualified, (Joshua had died the year before). Witnesses: "Joshua Cornwell," Richard Baker and Susannah Baker.

### 3031

MARGARET,<sup>4</sup> of Caleb<sup>3</sup> (3005), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 25, 1728; d. Dec. 16, 1808; m. John Willis, Aug. 26, 1749. Children (*Willis*):

Cornwell, b. March 24, 1772\*. Devisee of James.

William, b. March 18, 1749; d. in New York.

Joshua, b. Sept. 24, 1752; d. in New York.

Richard, b. Feb. 24, 1756; d. Sept. 15, 1757.

Elizabeth, b. Aug. 8, 1758; d. May 23, 1844; m.

Hewlett Cornell (3070).

John, b. Jan. 3, 1764; d. March 26, 1833; m. Phebe  
Cornwell (3167).

Charles, b. June 4, 1767; d. 1835.

Mary, b. Nov. 11, 1774; m. (?) ——— Barker, (see  
will of James 3080).

### 3032

JOSHUA,<sup>4</sup> of Caleb<sup>3</sup> (3005), John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 10, 1726; d. June 20, 1800; m. Hannah Hewlett, Oct. 22, 1758, marriage license, April 24, 1758; she was b. Aug. 23, 1725; d. March 8, 1795, daughter of James Hewlett. Child:

\* Cornwell Willis owned the 100 acres patented to John Cornwell in 1686.

- 3080 James, b. March 16, 1766; d. Nov. 21, 1825, "æ. 59, 8, 5" (tombstone at Cow Neck). Was a bachelor.

1759, June 8, Joshua Cornell of Cow Neck and his wife Hannah, convey to their brother Caleb, shipwright, 20 acres of land joining Caleb's homestead. The deed recites that this land had been conveyed to Joshua by William Cornell, who had bought it from John O'Neal Sands, eldest son of Nathaniel Sands. Witnesses: Phebe Hewlett and Lewis Hewlett. In 1781, he had 10 acres of woodland on Cow Neck. He also witnessed the will of his brother William, but died before the will was proved. 1784, July 13, Joshua Cornell of Hempstead, yeoman, and his wife Hannah, convey 12 acres in Hempstead, to Thomas Thorne.

### 3033

PETER,<sup>6</sup> of Richard,<sup>4</sup> (3009), Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1732; d. July 30, 1767; m. Sarah Haviland, May 3, 1751; she was b. 1734; d. March 17, 1787; she m. (2) Joshua Hatfield, 1774. Children:

- 3081 Mary, b. March 30, 1753; m. Nathan Palmer, May 21, 1772, son of Benjamin of Mamaroneck. Devisee of grandfather. Twelve children.
- 3082 Thomas, b. Oct. 19, 1754; d. 1817; m. Hannah Lynch, June 1, 1779.
- 3083 Richard, b. Feb. 4, 1760; d. Dec. 12, 1840, at Auburn, N. Y.; m. (1) Elizabeth Angevin; m. (2) Nancy Purdy.
- 3084 Ebenezer, b. Dec. 20, 1761; d. 1794; m. Elizabeth Purdy.
- 3085 Haviland, b. July 1, 1764; d. Feb. 5, 1844; m. (1) Mary Gale; m. (2) Lavinia Storms.

1758, under his father's will, of which he was one of the executors, Peter takes half of his lands at Scarsdale. In 1762, Sarah, wife of Peter Cornell is mentioned in the will of her father Thomas Haviland. Peter's will is dated March 4, 1767, and was proved Aug. 22. He calls himself of Scarsdale, yeoman. He leaves to his wife all the lands her father left her by his will, and a negro girl Bet. His five children are all minors. Executors: uncle Benjamin Cornell and

James Horton, Jr. Witness: John Burling, Jr.\* Peter was buried at the Quaker meeting house on the Post Road, Mamaroneck.

### 3034

JOSEPH,<sup>6</sup> of Joseph<sup>4</sup> (3010), Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. about 1735; m. Sarah Hadden, daughter of Job Hadden and Elizabeth Griffen of Mamaroneck, 15.7, 1756.† Children (as per *Scharff, Westchester Co.*):

- 3086 Susannah, b. 1757; m. Newberry Fowler.
- 3087 Deborah, b. 1760; m. Jonathan Fowler.
- 3088 Richard, b. 1762; d. 1795.
- 3089 Jonathan, b. 1764; d. 1834; m. (1) Lydia Carpenter; m. (2) Jemima Acker.
- 3090 Willett, b. 1770; m. Mary Cock.

### 3039

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> of Joseph<sup>4</sup> (3010), Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1743; d. 1817; m. Alice Williams, marriage license, Nov. 22, 1763; she was b. 1744; d. 1830. Children (as per Bolton):

- 3091 Isaac, b. 1767; d. 1832; m. Sarah Bennett.
- 3092 John L., b. 1781; d. 3.21, 1849; m. (1) Margery Williams; m. (2) Hannah Anderson.
- 3093 Margaret, b. 1765; d. 1831; m. (1) Isaac Horton; m. (2) William Anderson.
- 3094 Phebe, b. 1769; d. young.
- 3095 Mary, m. (1) David Mann; m. (2) Rev. Samuel Hallett.
- 3096 Phebe, d. 1774.
- 3097 Sarah, m. James Varian.
- 3098 Elizabeth, m. James Varian.

### 3040

FERRIS,<sup>6</sup> of Joseph<sup>4</sup> (3010), Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1748; d. 1816; m. (1) Anne Cornell; m. (2) Hannah Quimby; m. (3) Sarah Cox. Children:

- 3099 Richard, b. 1774; d. 177-.

\* *New York Wills*, 26: 47.

† See *Records of Friends' Meeting*, Harrison. Bolton gives date of marriage, 1735.

3100 Joseph, b. 1776. Living 1816.

3101 Thomas I., b. 1779; d. April 16, 1859, aged 79 years; m. (1) Amy Fisher; m. (2) Gulielma Wood.

3102 Samuel B., b. 1782; m. Martha Bonnett.

1783, Dec. 22, at the first election in the Manor of Scarsdale, he was elected Overseer of Highways and "Pounder." In 1791, he frees two slaves. His will is dated the 23d of the 5th month, 1812, and was proved Feb. 3, 1816. His wife Sarah is to have the use of a third of his farm, which is then to go to Thomas I. and Joseph, the former of whom is to maintain the latter; \$30 is left to his niece Susan Merritt.\*

### 3044

STEPHEN,<sup>o</sup> of Benjamin<sup>4</sup> (3016), Richard,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1.2, 1749; d. 3.15, 1802; m. Margaret Haviland, daughter of William of Harrison's Purchase, Aug. 16, 1775; she d. 3.24, 1847. Children;

3103 William Haviland, b. 10.15, 1776; d. 2.25, 1850; m. Dorcas Carpenter, 11.17, 1802.

3104 Deborah, b. 8.10, 1778; d. 10.1, 1804 (in childbed); m. John Schuman, 1803; he m. (2) Martha Carpenter, sister of Dorcas.

3105 Richard, b. 4.19, 1784; d. 4.2, 1798.

3106 Mary, b. 8.24, 1783; d. 4.10, 1784.

3107 Stephen, b. 5.28, 1785; d. 9.13, 1813; m. Hannah Titus, 18.10, 1810.

3108 Benjamin, b. 6.5, 1788; d. 3.22, 1854; m. Sarah Titus, 7.20, 1815.

3109 Mary, b. 1.24, 1791; d. 11.13, 1837; m. Henry Griffin, 4.19, 1810, had son Stephen, grandson Charles Field.

3110 Abigail, b. 10.6, 1793; d. 2.17, 1814; unmarried.

3111 Samuel S., b. 8.21, 1796; d. 5.5, 1867; m. Hannah Carpenter, Jan. 1 or Jan. 20, 1820.

At the first election for the Manor of Scarsdale, Dec. 22, 1783, he was elected one of the assessors, and was re-elected the next year. His will is dated the 3rd day of the 8th month

\* *Westchester County Wills*, H. 86.



called August, 1801, and was proved April 25, 1802. He gives his moveables to his wife, and provides that the executors may put his children to trade if they think best. His son William is to have the south sixty acres of his farm, and to pay £120 to each of his sisters, to Deborah within a year, and to Mary and Abigail as they come of age. Stephen and Benjamin are each to have 80 acres when they come of age. The remainder is to go to Samuel when he comes of age. Executors: wife, son William and son-in-law [brother-in-law?] Richard Burling. Annexed to the record is a receipt for the original to the Surrogate, with the signature, "Margaret Cornell, acting executrix."

He owned about 400 acres at Quaker Ridge which he bought in 1775 from John (3013).

### 3051

BENJAMIN,<sup>5</sup> of Benjamin<sup>4</sup> (3016), Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Aug. 23, 1761; d. May 20, 1841; m. (1) Alice Sutton, 19.3,  
 1783, daughter of William and Dorcas (Clapp) of Greenwich,  
 Conn.; m. (2) Pamela Farrington of Flushing, 9.5, 1804.  
 Children:

By first wife:

- 3112 John, b. 1783; d. 1864; m. (1) Sarah Matthews; m.  
 (2) Ann Porter.
- 3113 Jesse, b. 1785; d. 1805.
- 3114 Jane, b. 1787; d. 1830; m. Daniel Arnold.
- 3115 Silas, b. Nov. 29, 1789; d. May 7, 1864; m. Sarah  
 Mott, Dec. 12, 1815.
- 3116 Phebe, b. 1791-2; d. June 22, 1872; m. Stephen  
 Underhill of New York, son of Daniel and Sarah  
 Reese Cox Underhill of New Castle (see *Bolton's  
 History*).
- 3117 Thomas, b. 1794; d. 1797.
- 3118 Dorcas, b. Dec. 7, 1796; d. March 23, 1878; m.  
 Joseph Arnold of Arnolddown, Ulster Co., Jan.  
 16, 1823; child Jane, b. Aug. 1, 1831; m. Stephen  
 Griffin, Sept. 3, 1857.

By second wife:

- 3119 Thomas Tom, b. 1807; d. 1823.

- 3120 Mary F., b. 1809; d. 1874; m. Edward Field(?).  
 3121 Benjamin, b. 1813; d. 1814.

1783, Dec. 22, he was elected town clerk at the first election in the Manor of Scarsdale, and was re-elected the next year. He was later supervisor of Scarsdale. He inherited his father's farm and house, but built a larger house on the Mamaroneck road. His will is dated Nov. 30, 1839, and was proved in 1842, after a long contest. In substance it said: "Having been informed that my wife Pamela has become entitled to a portion of the estate of her sister Catherine Tom, and it being all the property my said wife will have for her support, I therefore bequeath to my wife all that may come from the estate of said Catherine Tom." It appeared that although Benjamin was once very well-to-do and had often acted as executor and administrator, he latterly lost most of his property and was boarding with David H. Bownes. The will was contested chiefly by Stephen Underhill and his wife Phebe, daughter of the testator, but undue influence was not established. His wife's share was one-seventh of \$38,000.\* Pamela Cornell made a will, Oct. 4, 1843, leaving everything to her daughter Mary F.† His portrait is in the *Mott Family* and in *Scharff's History of Westchester Co.*

### 3052

JOSHUA,<sup>5</sup> of Joshua<sup>4</sup> (3017), Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1726; d. 1775; m. Hannah Harrison.‡ Children:

- 3122 Samuel, b. 1761; d. 1812; m. Eleanor Hunt, 15.10,  
 1783.  
 3123 Charity, b. 1759; d. 1776.  
 3124 Sarah, b. 1762; d. 1810; unmarried.  
 3125 Joshua, b. 1765; d. 1825; m. Rebecca Haight.  
 3126 Phebe, b. 1768; m. James Hallett, N. Y.; she d.  
 7.22, 1854(?).  
 3127 John, b. 1769; d. 3.21, 1849; unmarried.  
 3128 Hannah, b. 1775; d. 1777.

\* See *Westchester County Wills*, Y, 480-506.

† *Westchester County Wills*, 38: 595.

‡ She was daughter of John, the original patentee of the town of Harrison.

- 3129 Mary, b. 1776; m. William Cromwell, Canada. Children: Jameson, Robert B., m. Anne Cornell, and John C. m. Eliza Cornell, daughter of Elisha Cornell (3293).

His will is dated Jan. 25, 1771, and was proved Jan. 10, 1776. It describes him as of North Castle, and mentions his wife and all the children who were born at the date of the will. Executors: brothers William of the Manor of Phillipsburgh and John of Greenwich, Conn.

The will of John Cornell (3127) was proved in Stamford, March 26, 1849. He describes himself as of Greenwich, and divides his estate equally between his sisters Phebe Hallett of New York and Mary Cromwell of Canada, and the children of his brothers Samuel and Joshua. Executors: James Field and William C. Field.

### 3053

- WILLIAM,<sup>5</sup> of Joshua<sup>4</sup> (3017), Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 3, 1728; d. March 24, 1799; m. Mary Quimby, 15.7, 1748, daughter of Josiah and Hannah of Mamaroneck; she was b. May 5, 1730; d. May 29, 1809. Children:
- 3130 Richard, b. April 4, 1751; d. July 3, 1812; unmarried, deficient in intellect.
  - 3131 Quimby, b. 23.5 or May 11, 1749; d. 19.7, 1827; m. Hannah Underhill, 17.3, 1768.
  - 3132 James, b. Jan. 1, 1753; d. 1839; m. (1) Elizabeth Chadeayne, Dec. 10, 1780; m. (2) Phebe Smith.
  - 3133 John, b. Dec. 20, 1755; d. Jan. 11, 1778; *d. s. p.*\*
  - 3134 William, b. Nov. 19, 1757; d. March 24, 1799; m. Esther Underhill, 8.6, 1781.
  - 3135 Daniel, b. Feb. 3, 1760; d. Dec. 26, 1854; m. (1) Elizabeth Birdsall, 28.3, 1781; m. (2) Mercy Bowman.
  - 3136 Josiah, b. Feb. 3, 1760 (twin of above) m. (1) Susannah Birdsall, Dec. 19, 1781; m. (2) Ann Reynolds, Dec. 21, 1784.
  - 3137 Mary, d. May 29, 1809.

In 1759, he buys from John (3013), of New Rochelle, an undivided half of 450 acres which was released to John and

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\* John(?) of Greenwich, married Miriam Latham.

Hannah Quimby (3011) by Richard (3009), Joseph (3010) and Benjamin (3016) Cornell and Edward Burling (see No. 3014). He seems to have been a large landholder in Westchester County, for in 1770 he bought 386 acres from Benjamin Smith, Caleb Fowler and Joseph Sutton, and in 1772 two parcels, one from Joseph Sutton and the second, a small one from Anne Chambers, as well as another parcel somewhat later from Obadiah Palmer. His house was for a time Washington's headquarters during the revolution. In 1776, he was executor for his brother Joshua. In 1786, he bought from Samuel Palmer of Bedford, Gilbert Palmer of Cortlandt Manor, Obadiah Palmer, James Palmer and Mary Palmer of Greenwich, land bounded by Benjamin Clapp, the Byram River and the Colony line. The deed describes him as of Phillipsburg, but this land is apparently in Greenwich, Conn., between King Street and the Byram River, so that he probably removed hither about this date and spent the remainder of his life here. His will is dated May 6, 1797, and was proved April 10, 1799. He leaves £200 and his household goods and moveables to his wife, who is to provide for their son Richard.\*

### 3056

BARAK,<sup>5</sup> of Samuel<sup>4</sup> (3019), Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>,  
b. about 1725; d. 1800; m. (1) Charity Cornell (3055) his  
cousin, m. (2) Mary Clark. Children:

By first wife:

- 3138 Comfort, d. 1782; m. Elizabeth Embree of Flushing.  
3139 Joshua, d. young.  
3140 Samuel, b. July 7, 1754; d. Nov. 5, 1784, at Middletown, N. J.; m. Sarah Miller, Oct. 19, 1774.

By second wife:

- 3141 Henry, b. about 1755; d. about 1828; m. Sarah Coe.  
3142 John, d. Feb. 28, 1847; m. Letitia Field, Feb. 10, 1813.  
3143 Hannah, m. (1) Jaffrey (or Japheth,<sup>5</sup> Stephen,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>) Cornell; m. (2) ——— Shinott.

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\* *Westchester Wills, B, 381.*

- 3144 Joshua, d. about 1850; m. Ann Van Nostrand.  
 3145 Mary, m. John Hicks of Success (Elizabeth,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).  
 3146 Barak, m. Jan. 15, 1786, Susan Pettit of Hempstead.  
 3147 Stephen, m. Mary Wiggin, March 15, 1800.

1772, Nov. 14, Barak and his wife Mary make a mortgage for £785 to Henry Wooley and Daniel Thorne, as executors of Joseph Cornell (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), deceased, of land "where the said Joseph lately lived," partly in Hempstead and partly in Flushing on the road from Great Plains to Little Neck, about 240 acres on Success Pond.\* 1788, April 1, he mortgaged the same property to John Suydam for £304.\* 1793, May 11, he and James Smith convey to his son Barak, 60 acres near the Court House at North Hempstead. This deed is signed "Baruch Cornell."† His will is dated Aug. 6, 1794, and was proved Jan. 10, 1801. He leaves a negro to his wife, but gives the greater part of his property to Henry, Barak, Joshua and John; Comfort and Samuel being excluded.‡

### 3065

STEPHEN,<sup>5</sup> of Caleb<sup>4</sup> (3024), Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 23, 1744; d. 1804; m. Mary Platt, June 2, 1776, marriage license, Dec. 30, 1775 (daughter of Ephenetus).

Children:

- 3148 Ephenetus P.,§ m. Ann Knapp.  
 3149 Stephen, d. about 1834; m. Elizabeth Brown.  
 3150 Catherine.  
 3151 Maria, m. John Moorehouse.||  
 3152 Sarah, m. Chas. Gardiner.¶

1756, July 29, he was baptized at St. George's Church, Hempstead, with four of his brothers and sisters. 1785, Dec. 5, Stephen Cornell, yeoman, of North Hempstead, and Mary his wife, convey to Capt. Charles Cornell his wife's shares in certain land left her by her father Ephenetus Platt on the highway from Great Plains to Dr. Platt's. On July 6, 1801, at Lenox, Mass., Stephen Cornell of Hempstead frees two slaves.

\* *Queens County Mortgages, B. 162; D. 143.*

† *Queens County Deeds, Z. 220.*

‡ *Queens County Wills, B. 24.*

§ 1830, he buys land at Success from Dodge.

|| See will of Stephen (3149).

¶ See will of Stephen (3149).

## 3066

CALEB,<sup>2</sup> of Caleb<sup>1</sup> (3024), Caleb,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 27, 1748; d. Aug. 4, 1802; m. Freelove Demilt, March 25, 1774, daughter of Obadiah and named in his will, 1805; she was b. March 13, 1759; d. May 23, 1813. Children:

- 3153 Richardson, b. 1780; d. May 25, 1867; m. Martha Cornell (3166), Nov. 25, 1815.
- 3154 Phebe, b. 1784; d. Oct. 6, 1850.
- 3155 Catherine.
- 3156 Mary, m. Henry Laton or Latting, Nov. 10, 1813.

1756, July 29, he was baptized at St. George's Church, Hempstead. In 1776, he was 2nd Lieutenant in Lieut.-Colonel Sands' regiment of colonial troops; but after the war in 1790, we find him claiming a bounty among the non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the 1st and 2nd Regiments and Col. Lamb's Artillery Regiment. His will is dated May 15, 1802, and was proved Nov. 4 of that year. He leaves a third of his estate to Richardson and gives the use of the rest to his wife. He mentions also his three daughters. Executors: son Richardson, Hewlett Cornell and his kinsman John W. Seaman.\*

## 3067

ASPINWALL,<sup>2</sup> of Caleb<sup>1</sup> (3024), Caleb,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. about 1750; d. after 1825; m. (1) Jane Mitchell, Nov. 16, 1783; m. (2) Priscilla, her sister. Children:

- 3157 Robert.
- 3158 Joseph.
- 3159 Priscilla, m. ——— Sills.
- 3160 Mary, m. ——— Mooney.
- 3161 Jane, m. Joseph Silby.

1756, July 29, he was baptized at St. George's Church, Hempstead. In 1776, he signed a declaration in support of the Continental Congress, and was a 2nd Lieutenant in Lieut.-Colonel John Sands' regiment. He lived in Rutgers Street, New York, from about 1795 until 1816. In 1804, he appears as a witness in the trial of one Hoog for bigamy. In 1814, he was part owner of the sloop *Amelia*, and sailed with Robert G. Cornell

\* *Queens County Wills*, B. 125.

(possibly his son) and others, with a cargo of grain from Long Island to Rhode Island. He was captured by the British off Block Island, and all were put ashore, except Robert G. Cornell and two others. The vessel was taken to Halifax as a prize. Aspinwall Cornell was indicted for treason and tried before Judge Brockholst Livingston in the United States Court, but was acquitted by the jury without leaving the box.\* 1818, Feb. 7, Aspinwall Cornell of New York, and Singleton Mitchell of North Hempstead, give a deed as executors of Joseph Mitchell.† In 1825, he was a devisee of James Cornell (3080), whose will says that he was then residing in Pennsylvania.

### 3070

HEWLETT<sup>5</sup> [Cornwell], of John<sup>4</sup> (3027), Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Dec. 31, 1750 (or the next day); d. June 3, 1828; m. Elizabeth Willis, daughter of John (see No. 3031); marriage license, July 31, 1782; she was b. Aug. 8, 1758; d. May 22, 1844. Children:

- 3162 John, b. Sept. 22, 1783; d. Feb. 6, 1873; m. Miriam W. Treadwell, March 18, 1812.
- 3163 Charles W., b. June 11, 1791; d. April 17, 1814.
- 3164 Walter J., b. April 17, 1799; d. March 3, 1865; m. Sarah Allen, March 2, 1819.
- 3165 Margaret, b. Dec. 16, 1785; d. March 27, 1865; m. Whitehead Mitchell.‡
- 3166 Martha, b. Oct. 16, 1788; d. May 12, 1868; m. Richardson Cornwell (3153).
- 3167 Phebe, b. Feb. 18, 1797; d. Dec. 2, 1867; m. John Willis (see No. 3031).

In 1763, his grandfather Lewis Hewlett (see No. 3027), leaves him a share of his estate.§ In 1776, he was a private in Lieut.-Colonel Sand's regiment. In 1802, he was one of the subscribers to build Christ Church, Manhasset, L. I. An inventory of his estate, dated 1828, is in the Surrogate's Office of Queens County. In 1825, he had also been a devisee of James Cornell (3080).

\* See *Onderdonk, Queens County*, p. 99.

† *Queens County Records*, P. 128.

‡ Administration on his estate was granted to Charles W., the only son, in 1863.

§ *Queens County Wills*, E, 165.

His wife's will, of which her brother Cornwell Willis was executor, was proved Sept. 12, 1846. She mentions all of her children, except Charles W. who had died previously, besides grandchildren, William J. and Elizabeth, children of John Willis, Phebe Elizabeth, daughter of Whitehead Mitchell, and Elizabeth, daughter of Richardson Cornwell.\*

### 3076

LEWIS<sup>5</sup> [Cornwall], of William<sup>4</sup> (3030), Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. March 3, 1757; d. Aug. 21, 1804; m. Elizabeth Sands, Sept. 25, 1785, daughter of Col. John,<sup>6</sup> (John,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> James<sup>1</sup>); she was b. 1759; d. July 15, 1796. Children:

- 3168 Augustus, b. June 16, 1791; d. Aug. 14, 1840; m. Sophia Williams.
- 3169 Grace, b. July 19, 1793; m. (1) Ely Magruder, 1814, of Georgetown, D. C.; m. (2) Fanning B. Tucker, and after her death he m. Anne Moore, daughter of Joshua and Ann (Ascough) Sands, who was b. July, 1781.

In 1776, he appears as a sergeant of militia. 1786, June 6, he made a bond as loan officer, which was signed also by William Cornell (3030) and others. In 1792, he subscribed £3 towards building a Union Hall (school) at Jamaica. In 1793, we find him called major, and he is presiding at public meetings, on committees, etc. In 1790, he had been a candidate for the legislature, to which he was finally elected in 1796. 1804, June 7, he conveys to Aaron Duryea for \$200, five acres of salt meadows in Flushing, bounded on the west by the brook that divides Flushing from Newtown.† His will is dated July 3, 1804, and was proved Aug. 5 of that year. It mentions his two children. Executors: John Sands of Brooklyn and James Cornwell of New York.‡ The latter subsequently advertised for sale Lewis Cornwell's farm of 300 acres, at the head of Flushing Bay, called Spring Hill.

\* *Queens County Wills.*

† *Queens County Deeds, L. 324.*

‡ *Queens County Wills, B. 202.*



## 3077

SAMUEL<sup>5</sup> [Cornwall], of William<sup>4</sup> (3030), Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. June 10, 1759; d. July 17, 1801; m. Martha Paterson, Nov. 16, 1786; she was b. Feb. 28, 1765; d. Feb. 26, 1846; daughter of Matthew Paterson, founder of the town of Patterson,\* Putnam Co., formerly Franklin, Dutchess Co. Children:

- 3170 James Hewlett, b. Dec. 19, 1788; d. May 20, 1864; unmarried.
- 3171 Sarah Paterson, b. Aug. 26, 1787; d. Feb. 23, 1872; m. James Paterson, her cousin, son of James B. Paterson.
- 3172 Emma, b. Jan. 22, 1791; d. June 26, 1876.
- 3173 Jane, b. Dec. 29, 1792; d. July 11, 1858.
- 3174 Eliza, b. Jan. 26, 1795; d. April 15, 1868.
- 3175 Mary Thorp, b. Aug. 2, 1797; d. Oct. 10, 1878; m. Ralph Dunning, M. D., of Sharon, Conn., June 5, 1827.
- 3176 Samuel Matthew, b. Feb. 22, 1800; d. May 15, 1867; m. Sarah N. Hayt, Oct. 18, 1843.

He was possibly a private in Lieut.-Colonel Sands' regiment in 1776 when, however, he was only seventeen. In 1795, he was Town Clerk of Patterson. In 1785, he had bought from his brother Lewis (3076), a farm at the junction of Muddy Creek and Croton River, which Lewis had previously purchased from Pell. In 1886, the farm was owned by James H. Cornwall, a grandson of Samuel. He was killed by the fall of the roof of a house.

## 3078

JOSHUA<sup>5</sup> [Cornwall], of William<sup>4</sup> (3030), Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Jan. 16, 1762; d. Jan. 24, 1822.

He was a bachelor. In 1790, he was one of the executors of his brother-in-law, Charles Cornell of Flushing (of Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>). 1799, May 1, he and his brother Charles mortgage for £500 to John Rapelye, 50 acres in Flushing on the road from Flushing to Jamaica, with build-

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\* The town is spelt Patterson, and the family after whom named Paterson.

ings.\* In 1802, he subscribes to the building of Christ Church, Manhasset. 1803, Feb. 1, he mortgages to C. G. Bogert for \$3,375, land on Cow Bay.† The mortgage was evidently paid off by Joshua, for we find a deed of this same parcel dated Nov. 8, 1826, in a partition suit, reciting that Archibald Cornell and Nelly his wife, Gordon Corning and Arabella his wife, Gershon Cook and Ann his wife, and Samuel P. Huntington and Jeanette his wife are entitled to a quarter of it, that Augustus Cornell and Grace Magruder own another quarter, the children of Samuel (3077) a third quarter, and Charles P. Cornell the balance. The deed is to the latter for \$6,750. 1822, March 18, administration on his estate was granted to his brother Charles P. and Archibald Cornell (Charles,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).

### 3079

CHARLES PATERSON,<sup>5</sup> [Cornwall], of William<sup>4</sup> (3030), Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 1, 1765; d. 1839; m. Ann Fleet, Nov. 19, 1791, near Jamaica, and settled between Jamaica and Flushing. Children:

3177 Charles Fleet, *d. s. p.*

3178 William Warren, d. 1837.

1799, May 1, he and his brother Joshua mortgaged 50 acres in Flushing for £500 to John Rapelye. 1822, March 18, he was appointed one of the administrators of the estate of his brother Joshua. In 1823, he was executor of his father. 1829, Aug. 21, he and his wife sell to Warren Cornwall of Flushing, evidently his son, for \$2,000, No. 19 Fulton Street, New York. In 1837, he was administrator of his son William Warren's estate. His will is dated Aug. 5, 1837, and was proved April 8, 1839. Samuel Cornwall of Orange Co., N. Y., and Benjamin W. Strong of Flushing were the executors. His farm at Bay Side, Flushing, was to be sold, but the farm he lived on was to be used to support Charles Higgins and Ann Higgins, infant children of Susan Higgins, formerly Susan Cummings,

\* *Queens County Mortgages, F. 237.*

† *Id.*, G. 260. A deed of this piece with the same date and parties is recorded also in *Queens County Deeds, H. 109.*

who were to take the rest of the estate when they came of age. The will was unsuccessfully contested.\*

### 3080

JAMES,<sup>5</sup> of Joshua<sup>4</sup> (3032), Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 16, 1766; d. Nov. 21, 1825. Was a bachelor.

In 1797, he proved the will of his uncle William (3030). In 1802, he subscribed toward the building of Christ Church, Manhasset. In 1804, he was executor of his cousin Lewis (3076). In 1820, he was assessed for \$8,000 in New York City. His will styles him as of Cow Neck. It is dated Feb. 4, 1823, and was proved Nov. 29, 1825. He appears to have been a wealthy man, and leaves his property to a large circle of relatives. Richardson Cornwell (3153) is to have 100 acres at Cow Neck, which was bought from John Sands; to Cornwall Willis, "the lower part of my farm at Cow Neck, called Grove Hill," 180 acres adjoining Richardson, but he was to pay \$100 to widow Mary Barker (see No. 3031) and to support an old family black man, Francis; to Hewlett Cornwell (3070), 200 acres of the south part of the farm, charged with certain legacies, a store and lot in Fulton Street, New York, to be sold, and the proceeds to be paid to widow Elizabeth Cornell (3070), of Flushing; to Charles P. Cornwall (3079); to the children of the late Lewis Cornwall (3076), and to the children of the late Samuel Cornwall (3077). He also owned property in Beekman Street, Franklin Street and Banker, lately Bedlow Street. He left various specific bequests, including one of \$1,000 to Christ Church, Hempstead. The remainder of his estate was then to be divided between Lewis Hewlett (see No. 3027), of Cow Neck, Martha Hewlett, widow of Charles, William Willis (see No. 3031), his brother John Willis, Aspinwall Cornell (3067), and Ephenetus and Stephen Cornwell, sons of the late Stephen Cornwell. Executors: John R. Willis of New York, Samuel Mott of Cow Neck, and Sylvanus Smith of Herricks, of whom only the first two qualified.

### 3082

THOMAS,<sup>5</sup> of Peter<sup>5</sup> (3033), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 19, 1754; d. 1817; m. Hannah Lynch, June 1, 1779; she was b. 1762; d. 1813. Children:

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\* *Queens County Wills, Q. 92, seq.*

- 3179 Peter, b. March 21, 1780; d. Nov. 12, 1860; m. (1) Margaret Gedney, March 27, 1806; m. (2) Mary Catherine (Snyder) Woodmancie, Feb. 11, 1804.  
 3180 Sarah, b. April 15, 1782; m. John Bates.  
 3181 Hester, b. June 2, 1787; m. Timothy Haviland.  
 3182 Samuel J., b. Aug. 25, 1792; d. 1823.  
 3183 Thomas Lynch, b. Sept. 24, 1802; d. 1884; m. Emeline Lawrence.

1783, Dec. 22, he was elected Assessor and fence viewer at the first election held in the Manor of Scarsdale. His will is dated Feb. 21, 1805, and was proved Feb. 20, 1817. He mentions all his children but leaves most of his property to Peter, who, with his son-in-law John Bates was executor.\*

### 3083

RICHARD,<sup>6</sup> of Peter<sup>5</sup> (3033), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Feb. 4, 1760; d. Dec. 12, 1840, at Auburn, N. Y.; m. (1) Elizabeth Angevine;† m. (2) Nancy Purdy. Children:

By first wife:

- 3184 Caleb, b. Feb. 10, 1792, at Harrison, Westchester Co., N. Y. Living 1868; m. Ann Robinson.  
 3185 Richard, b. Sept. 10, 1796; d. Nov. 1, 1843; m. Phebe Knoxton.

By second wife:

- 3186 Ebenezer.  
 3187 John G., unmarried.  
 3188 Elizabeth, m. Jesse Seymour.  
 3189 Sarah Ann, m. John Seymour, twin brother of Jesse.  
 3190 Deborah, m. Isaac Lewis, Auburn, N. Y.  
 3191 Nancy, m. Hiram Postwick, Auburn, N. Y.

He was in the American Revolutionary Army. 1868, John G., and Elizabeth were settled in California.

\* *Westchester County Wills, D.* 380.

† The Angevine Pedigree is given in *Bolton's History*. Elizabeth was the daughter of Eli.

**3084**

EBENEZER,<sup>6</sup> of Peter<sup>6</sup> (3033), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Dec. 20, 1761; d. 1794; m. Elizabeth Purdy, who survived  
him. Child:

3191A Susan, m. Michael S. Meyers. Lived in Auburn,  
N. Y.

**3085**

HAVILAND,<sup>6</sup> of Peter<sup>6</sup> (3033), Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. July 1, 1764; d. Feb. 5, 1844; m. (1) Mary Gale; she was b.  
July 18, 1766; d. March 18, 1826; m. (2) Lavinia Storms; she  
d. July 31, 1858. Children:

By first wife:

3192 Dorothy, b. Dec. 19, 1786; d. March 23, 1817; m.  
Joseph Griffin.

3193 Haviland, b. Jan. 18, 1801; m. Ann Hulbert Dil-  
lingham, Feb. 23, 1825.

3194 Peter, b. Jan. 26, 1789; d. Feb. 1, 1862; m. Sarah  
Matthews.

3195 Thomas, b. Jan. 24, 1792; m. Amy Merritt.

3196 Sarah, b. Jan. 30, 1795; m. Carpenter, son of Gil-  
bert Merritt, living, 1868 at Addison Hill, Steu-  
ben Co.

3197 Mary, b. March 21, 1798; m. Benjamin Archer.

3198 Ebenezer, b. Feb. 26, 1804; d. June 4, 1821.

3199 Elizabeth, b. Nov. 18, 1806; m. William H. Gerard;  
two children.

3200 Abigail Jane, b. June 13, 1809; m. William H.  
Gerard. Three children.

By second wife:

3201 Phebe, b. Sept. 30, 1830; m. William Parks of  
Bedford.

The will of Haviland Cornell of Northcastle was proved  
Jan. 12, 1844. It mentions only his wife Lavinia and his  
daughter Phebe, who was still a minor.\*

**3089**

JONATHAN,<sup>6</sup> of Joseph<sup>6</sup> (3034), Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1764; d. 1834; m. (1) Lydia Carpenter; m. (2) Jemima  
Acker. Children:

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\* *Westchester County Wills*, 27: 383.

- 3202 Caleb, b. 1790; m. Phebe Lamoree.  
 3203 Joseph, b. 1793; m. Deborah D. Merritt.  
 3204 Zeno, b. 1795; d. young.  
 3205 Zeno, b. 1796; m. Mary Brown.  
 3206 Philip Ward.  
 3207 Deborah.  
 3208 Sarah D., m. Isaac L. Carpenter; he was b. about  
 1794; d. June 2, 1886; son of Caleb and Freelove  
 (Lamarreaux) Carpenter.

**3090**

WILLETT,<sup>6</sup> of Joseph<sup>5</sup> (3034), Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1790; m. Mary Cock.\* Children:

- 3209 Daniel, m. Frances P. Halstead.  
 3210 Ambrose, m. Sarah Halstead.  
 3211 Charity, d. 1834; m. James Tompkins.  
 3212 Sarah, d. 1832; m. Stephen Brady.  
 3213 Rebecca.  
 3214 Lydia, m. D. W. Chase.

**3091**

ISAAC,<sup>6</sup> of John<sup>5</sup> (3039), Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1767; d. 1832; m. Sarah Bennett. Children:

- 3215 David M., b. 1798; m. Elizabeth Clive.  
 3216 Charles, m. Maria Champenois.  
 3217 Mary, b. 1792; m. Caleb Ward.  
 3218 Margaret, b. 1793; m. Jonathan Carpenter, Sept.  
 15, 1814.  
 3219 Susan A., b. 1801; m. William Varian.  
 3220 Susannah, m. Timothy Calver.

**3092**

JOHN L.,<sup>6</sup> of John<sup>5</sup> (3039), Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1781; d.(?) 3.21, 1849; m. (1) Margery Williams; m. (2) Han-  
 nah Anderson. Children:

- 3221 George, b. 1814; d. 1816.

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\* Elizabeth Cock, daughter of Andrew and Sarah (Lawrence) Cock,  
 m. ——— Cornell (*Lawrence Genealogy*).

- 3222 Margaret, b. 1806; m. Edwin Underhill. Children:  
Alfred and Henry.
- 3223 Sarah, b. 1808; m. Lancaster Odell, son of James  
and Abby Hunt.
- 3224 Mary, b. 1809; d. 1832; unmarried.
- 3225 Alice, b. 1810; d. 1838; m. William Champenois.
- 3226 William, b. 1812; m. Susan Secor.
- 3227 Elizabeth, b. 1814; d. 1832.
- 3228 John, b. 1816.
- 3229 Susan.
- 3230 Ann.
- 3231 Elizabeth.

## 3101

THOMAS I.,<sup>4</sup> of Ferris<sup>5</sup> (3040), Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1779; d. April 16, 1859; m. (1) Amy Fisher, daughter of  
Samuel, about 1816; m. (2) Guliema Wood; she was b. Oct.  
24, 1782; d. May 3, 1842; aged 60 years. Children:

By first wife:

- 3232 Richard, b. Aug. 25, 1804; d. Sept. 10, 1862; m.  
Mary Antoinette Philips.
- 3233 Anne, b. 12.7, 1807; d. 20.4, 1872; m. Daniel Griffin,  
son of Joseph and Phila Miller, 27.10, 1825.  
Children: Martha F., Mary, Charles, Esther F.,  
Anne C., of Mamaroneck.
- 3234 Esther Fisher, b. Dec. 18, 1808; d. Aug. 14, 1812.
- 3235 Amy, b. June 3, 1812; d. young.

By second wife:

- 3236 Mary Wood, b. March 26, 1818; d. May, 1888; m.  
Allen Rosella. No children.
- 3237 Charles, b. Oct. 3, 1819; m. Elizabeth Underhill.
- 3238 Phebe, b. Dec. 11, 1822; d. Feb., 18, 1889; m. Daniel  
Hunter. Two daughters.
- 3239 Henry, b. Dec. 29, 1824; m. (1) Rachel (Tompkins)  
Cornell, widow of Stephen (3247). Child:  
Mariana, b. Sept. 23, 1860, in New Rochelle,  
lived at Peekskill; m. (2) Mary ——, after re-  
moving to Oakland, Cal.

- 3240 Robert Field, b. Oct. 30, 1826; m. Lizzie Perine. Children: Henry, living at Harrison, N. Y., married, and child Emma.

His will was proved in 1859, and in it he calls himself of Scarsdale. Executors: Richard Carpenter and Miah Field. He is said to have lived on the Fenimore Cooper farm in Scarsdale. He and his second wife are buried in the Friends' Cemetery in Harrison, near Rye Lake.

### 3102

SAMUEL B.,<sup>6</sup> of Ferris<sup>5</sup> (3040), Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. 1782; m. Martha Bonnett. Children:

- 3241 Arthur, b. 1821.  
 3242 Elizabeth, b. 1823; unmarried.  
 3243 Hannah, b. 1825.  
 3244 Rachel, b. 1829.

He lived on Quaker Ridge, Scarsdale, where Richard Cornell now lives, 1892.

### 3103

WILLIAM HAVILAND,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (3044), Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 10.15, 1776; d. 2.25, 1850; m. Dorcas Carpenter, 11.17, 1802, daughter of Joseph Carpenter and Mary Clapp of Rye; she was b. Jan. 22, 1778; d. Nov. 16, 1827. Children:

- 3245 Deborah, b. 3.10, 1808; m. Henry M. Carpenter.  
 3246 Mary, b. 19.3, 1812; d. 1890; m. Jacob Miller. He lives in Mamaroneck.  
 3247 Stephen, b. 21.1, 1815; d. June 15, 1852; m. Rachel Tompkins, Aug. 17, 1841.  
 3248 William, b. 30.9, 1818, in Scarsdale; d. Aug. 1, 1891; m. (1) Sarah Theall, 1842; m. (2) Elizabeth, her sister.  
 3249 Charles, b. 22.3, 1806; d. 21.4, 1806.

His will is dated March 26, 1850, and was proved April 7, 1856. He calls himself of Scarsdale. His sons Stephen and William were the executors.\* He lived in Scarsdale, just south of the Quaker Meeting House.

\* *Westchester Wills*, 37: 380.



**3107**

STEPHEN,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (3044), Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 5.28, 1785; d. 9.13, 1813; m. Hannah Titus, 18.10, 1810; she d. 1.7, 1849, aged 57 years, at Kingsbury, Washington Co., N. Y.; she was sister of Sarah (see No. 3108). Children:

3250 Richard Titus, b. 27.9, 1811; m. (1) Phebe Ann Mott, 29.4, 1836; m. (2) Amy Ann Cornell (3524), 16.9, 1846.

3251 Stephen, b. 1.6, 1814; d. 23.5, 1814.

**3108**

BENJAMIN,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (3044), Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 6.5, 1788; d. 3.22, 1854; m. Sarah Titus (sister of No. 3107), 7.20, 1815, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Field) at New Rochelle. Child:

3252 Mary H., b. 7.11, 1818; m. Nelson Walbridge, son of Thomas N., 1.1, 1853. They had a daughter Julia Cornell Walbridge.\*

He was a farmer in Westchester Co., N. Y.

**3111**

SAMUEL S.,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (3044), Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 8.21, 1796; d. 5.5, 1867; m. Hannah Carpenter, Jan. 1, or 2.20, 1820, daughter of Jonathan and Esther Coles; she was b. July 29, 1796; d. Dec. 15, 1872. Children:

3253 Rebecca, b. 30.11, 1820; d. Feb. 10, 1893; unmarried.

3254 Richard C., b. 11.1, 1822; m. Phebe Sutton Mott, Aug. 8, 1850.

3255 Elizabeth, b. 5.10, 1827; m. Peter J. Boyd, son of Peter, grandson of James Boyd of Quaker Ridge; she lives (1892) in Harlem.

3256 Stephen J., b. 4.10, 1830; d. April 8, 1900; m. Caroline Samson.

3257 Henry G., b. 1832; m. Harriet Robertson. No children.

His will describes him as of New Rochelle. He gives his wife a third of his estate, and leaves to his son Richard C., his

\* See *Walbridge Genealogy*.

farm in Carmel which he bought of Jacob Willetts. All his children are mentioned in the will. Executors: nephew Stephen C. Griffin and his sons Richard C. and Henry G.

### 3112

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> of Benjamin<sup>4</sup> (3051), Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1783; d. 1864; m. (1) Sarah Matthews; m. (2) Ann Porter.  
Children:

- 3258 William H., of Newtown, L. I.
- 3259 Elizabeth, m. Henry Hackett.
- 3260 Andrew Jackson.
- 3261 Alice, b. 1809.
- 3262 Jesse, b. 1817.
- 3263 Ann Maria, b. 1821.
- 3264 Sarah, b. 1828.
- 3265 Arvine, b. 1831.
- 3266 Emeline, b. 1834.
- 3267 John H., b. Feb., 1844; d. March 12, 1878; m.  
Letitia J. W. Caldwell, 1864.

### 3115

SILAS,<sup>6</sup> of Benjamin<sup>5</sup> (3051), Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Nov. 29, 1789; d. May 7, 1864; m. Sarah Mott, Dec. 12, 1815;  
she was b. April 4, 1791; d. March 17, 1872, and was a daughter  
of Adam and Ann Mott. Children:

- 3268 Thomas Clapp, b. 7.1, 1819; d. Dec. 29, 1894; m.  
Jane E. Bashford, May 2, 1850.
- 3269 James Mott, b. 13.10, 1820; d. at Morrisania, 5.9,  
1868; m. Elizabeth A. Leavens, Kingston, Can-  
ada, 26.4, 1858; she was a widow, b. 1830; d. 1863.
- 3270 Richard Mott, b. at Flushing, 15.5, 1822; d. 1823.
- 3271 Anne Mott, b. at Greece, near Rochester, 26.7,  
1824; d. March, 1872; m. at Rochester, Aaron  
Barnes, son of Samuel and Letitia Barnes, 13.4,  
1847.
- 3272 Sarah Alice, b. at Greece, 11.4, 1830; d. at Roches-  
ter, 15.12, 1874; m. at Rochester, 13.1, 1859, Eben-  
ezer Walbridge, son of Herman and Mary  
(Hoskins) Walbridge. Four children.

He was a pupil of the Friends' School at Nine Partners where he met his wife. They taught school at Flushing after their marriage, and in 1823, removed to Rochester. The journey was made by sloop to Albany, and then by stage and the Erie Canal. He settled on a farm of 56 acres, about four miles northwest of Rochester and near the Erie Canal. Here he cleared the land, built a house and went into the nursery business and farming. He also taught school in his house and did surveying. In 1836, he opened a surveyor's office in Rochester and bought a house, No. 9 Kent Street, Rochester, for \$2,000, where he removed the same year. The farm was rented and some years later sold. In 1847, he became superintendent of the Rhode Island Quaker School at Providence, his daughter Alice assisting him. In 1852, he returned to Rochester and occupied his old home, 9 Kent Street. He resumed the business of surveyor and civil engineer and was an active member of the Society of Friends till his death. His widow then went to live with her daughter Mrs. Walbridge, at Toledo, Ohio, and subsequently to Yonkers where she died. Silas and his wife Sarah and their son James are buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Rochester. The family have been Quakers for many generations.

### 3122

SAMUEL,<sup>o</sup> of Joshua<sup>o</sup> (3052), Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1761; d. 1812; m. Eleanor Hunt, 15.10, 1783, daughter of  
Aaron of Westchester Co. Children:

- 3273 Aaron, d. unmarried.
- 3274 Isaac, d. unmarried.
- 3275 Rebecca, d. unmarried.
- 3276 Phebe, d. unmarried.
- 3277 Charlotte, d. unmarried.
- 3278 Harrison, m. Charity Earl.
- 3279 Eden.
- 3280 John.
- 3281 Sarah, m. James Hazard.
- 3282 Haydock, m. Mary Ann Dickinson.

He lived at Smith's Clove, Orange County, N. Y.

### 3125

JOSHUA,<sup>o</sup> of Joshua<sup>o</sup> (3052), Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 25.9, 1765; d. 20.9, 1825; m. Rebecca Haight. Children:

- 3283 Jesse, b. 1796; m. Ann Wortman.  
 3284 William, b. 1799; m. (1) Phebe F. Carpenter, 28.4,  
 1825; m. (2) Sarah Ann Williamson, 18.9, 1845;  
 m. (3) Phebe (Babcock) Cornell, Oct., 1864.  
 3285 John H., m. Rachel Webster; *d. s. p.*  
 3286 Samuel P., m. Julia Schooley.  
 3287 Lydia, m. Hugh D. Webster.  
 3288 James, d. unmarried.  
 3289 Mary G., m. Mordecai Reynolds; *d. s. p.*  
 3290 Phebe, d. unmarried.

He was born and lived in Westchester Co. He exchanged his farm there for freighting business on the Hudson River at Peekskill, which proved a failure. In 1824, he moved to Otterville, Canada, with all his children, except Jesse, who afterwards followed him, and William. He bought a farm in Canada, but died soon after, and his sons John and Samuel, aged 18 and 15, cared for the farm, and with so much energy, that they soon had five farms and a good mercantile business.

### 3131

QUIMBY,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (3053), Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 23.5 or May 11, 1749; d. 19.7, 1827; m. Hannah Underhill,  
 daughter of Jacob (both of Phillips Manor),\* 17.3, 1768; she  
 was b. 27.3, 1750; d. 21.6, 1818. Children:

- 3291 Jacob, b. 11.1, 1769; d. 14.2, 1824; m. Mary Car-  
 penter.  
 3292 Mary, b. 27.3, 1771; m. Ephraim Otis.  
 3293 Elisha, b. 22.2, 1773; m. Anna Green.  
 3294 Mathew, b. 3.3, 1775; d. 2.2, 1857; m. Sarah Hal-  
 stead.  
 3295 William, b. 15.12, 1777; d. 26.12, 1850; m. Amy  
 Doty, 26.1, 1803.  
 3296 Amy, b. 3.3, 1779; m. John Hull.  
 3297 Quimby, b. 22.11, 1790; d. 7.12, 1818; unmarried.  
 3298 John, b. 3.1, 1793; m. Amy Dean, 23.5, 1815.

### 3132

JAMES,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (3053), Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Jan. 1, 1753; d. 1839; m. (1) Elizabeth Chadeayne, Dec.  
 10, 1780; m. (2) Phebe Smith. Children:

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\* *Marriage Records of the Society of Friends, Harrison, N. Y.*

- 3299 Abraham, b. March 1, 1784; d. 1862; m. Mary Brady, 1808.
- 3300 Oliver, b. Dec. 15, 1785; m. Mary Dickinson.
- 3301 Sarah, b. Oct. 27, 1781; m. William R. Van Cortlandt; she was his second wife. Children: Oliver, James, Elizabeth, Stephen, John, William.\* (See Van Cortlandt Lineage, Appendix).

His will is dated March 27, 1821. Has a codicil dated three years later. It was proved March 11, 1839. He describes himself as of New Castle. He leaves his wife some furniture and \$40 a year, and divides his farm between his two sons.†

### 3134

WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (3053), Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Nov. 19, 1757; d. March 24, 1799; m. Esther Underhill, 8.6, 1781; daughter of Thomas of Chappaqua. Children:

- 3302 Solomon. Devisee of his grandfather. He bought land in Phillipsburg.
- 3303 Charity, m. Nathaniel Thorne.
- 3304 Sarah, m. Henry Young.
- 3305 Joel, b. March 2, 1790; m. Ann Tilson, Feb. 2, 1814.
- 3306 Aaron, d. unmarried.
- 3307 Mercy, m. William Johnson, Orange Co., N. Y.
- 3308 William.
- 3309 Deborah, m. Solomon Lewis, Orange Co., N. Y.
- 3310 Mary, m. Oliver Smith, Orange Co., N. Y.

### 3135

DANIEL,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (3053), Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. in Westchester County, Feb. 3, 1760; d. Dec. 26, 1854; m. (1) Elizabeth Birdsall, 28.3, 1781, daughter of Zephaniah of Phillipsburg; she d. Sept. 6, 1799, m. (2) Mercy or Mary Bowman. Children:

- 3311 Mary, b. June 18, 1782; m. Reuben Clark, Orange Co., N. Y. Eleven children.

\* *Bolton's History of Westchester Co.*

† *Westchester County Wills, V. 498.*

- 3312 Phebe, b. March 4, 1784; m. George Fritts. Eight children.
- 3313 Anna, b. July 7, 1786; m. Benjamin Reynolds of Indiana. Sixteen children.
- 3314 Rebecca, b. April 24, 1788; m. Nathaniel Brown. Eleven children.
- 3315 Daniel, b. May 20, 1792; d. 1877; m. (1) Sarah Johnson; m. (2) Kesiah F. Seaman.
- 3316 Josiah, b. Oct. 15, 1794; m. Catherine Miller.
- 3317 Birdsall, b. Aug. 21, 1799; d. unmarried.

He lived at Pleasant Valley, twelve miles above Newburgh, whence he removed to Nine Partners and later to Smith's Clove where he died.

### 3136

JOSIAH,<sup>6</sup> of William<sup>5</sup> (3053), Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Feb. 3, 1760; m. (1) Susannah Birdsall, Dec. 19, 1781, daughter of Zadock of Cortlandt Manor; m. (2) Ann Reynolds, daughter of Richardson Reynolds, Dec. 21, 1784. Children:

- 3318 Birdsall, m. Mary Selleck of Ulster County.
- 3319 Susannah, b. 1785; m. Hezekiah Ferguson.
- 3320 Hannah, m. Richard Wilde.
- 3321 Dorcas, m. Daniel Coddington.
- 3322 Richardson.
- 3323 Phebe, m. Stephen Eustis.
- 3324 Esther, m. ——— Carpenter.
- 3325 Lydia, m. ——— Carpenter.
- 3326 Mary, m. Abraham Lockwood.
- 3327 Reynolds, m. Dorcas Young.

They were Quakers.

### 3138

COMFORT,<sup>6</sup> of Barak<sup>5</sup> (3056), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> d. 1782; m. Elizabeth Embree of Flushing, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Embree. Children:

- 3328 Robert Comfort, d. 1844; m. Amy Lovett.
- 3329 Abigail, b. July 16, 1776; d. Nov. 2, 1854; m. (1) Jacob Doty, June 9, 1795; m. (2) Israel Corse, 4.11, 1810.

- 3330 Alice, b. Aug. 13, 1779; m. Peter Townsend, Jan. 10, 1798, son of Peter and Hannah (Hawxhurst) Townsend. Children: Elizabeth C., George E., and Robert B., who m. Mary Whittemore. They had a daughter Anne who m. W. B. Lawrence.

His will is dated Aug. 1, 1782, and was proved March 24, 1783. He leaves his household goods to his daughters who are minors. Executors: his wife, Joseph Lawrence and Jacob Suydam of Flushing.\* His farm seems to have belonged partly to him and partly to his brother Samuel, for in the same year (1783), we find offered for sale by Samuel and the executors of Comfort, "The valuable and pleasant farm of Samuel and Comfort Cornell, lately deceased, three miles east of Flushing, on the road to the Plains," containing 200 acres of clear and woodland, 16 acres of salt meadows, two orchards, and a pond of standing water at the north and south ends of the farm, etc.† His wife Elizabeth also left a will which was probated in 1823. It names several of her grandchildren, including Elizabeth Cornell Townsend, George Embree Townsend, Jacob F. Doty and Elizabeth C. Clark, wife of Charles Clark. Executors: her son Robert C. Cornell, James Lovett, Benjamin Clark and John L. Embree.

### 3140

SAMUEL,<sup>6</sup> of Barak<sup>5</sup> (3056), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. July 7, 1754; d. Nov. 5, 1784, at Middletown, N. J.; m. Sarah Miller, Oct. 19, 1774; she was b. Dec. 7, 1753; d. Aug. 29, 1838, daughter of Lieut. Miller of White Plains, Adjutant of Col. Drake's regiment.‡ Children:

- 3331 Elijah, b. Feb. 4, 1780, at Flushing; d. 1864; m. Mary Willis, Dec. 16, 1802.  
 3332 Samuel M. H., b. 1784; d. 1803.

\* New York Surrogate's Office, *Wills*, 35: 244.

† See *Onderdonk's Queens County*, p. 61.

‡ A facsimile of his commission and a view of his house (Washington's Headquarters) is in *Magazine of American History*, Oct., 1892. The article was prepared by Thomas L. Cornell of Birmingham, Conn. (See also *New York Genealogical Record*, 22: 129).

- 3333 Charity,\* b. 1776; d. Feb. 7, 1858; m. John Franklin, Sept. 23, 1795, (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>9</sup> Henry,<sup>2</sup> Matthew,<sup>1</sup>) at Deal, near Long Branch, by Rev. Mr. Bennett. Children: Sarah, m. Lefferts, Lloyd, Walter, Mary Jane, Samuel Cornell, John A., Sidney S., Emily, Ann E., Caroline Louise, Cornell S., Jenet E., Caroline Louisa, m. William S. Hastie, son of William S. Hastie, S. C., (see Franklin Lineage, Appendix).
- 3334 Ann, b. 1778(?); m. (1) Capt. Obadiah Bostwick; m. (2) John Fraher.
- 3335 Zipporah, b. 1782; d. 1800.

He was a captain in the Revolutionary Army.

### 3141

HENRY,<sup>6</sup> of Barak<sup>5</sup> (3056), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. about 1755; d. about 1828; m. Sarah Coe of White Plains, N. Y. They had no children.

In 1777, he was a devisee under the will of his grandmother Hannah Cornell. 1799, June 7, he bought of George Cornell (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>) of North Hempstead, for £165, land at Hempstead on the north side of Great Plains, on the road from Benjamin Smith's to Great Neck.† In 1802, he subscribes towards the building of Christ's Church, Manhasset, and on May 14 of that year, he witnesses a mortgage of his brother Barak of property on or near the line of Flushing and North Hempstead. 1804, Feb. 20, he and his wife mortgage to Lewis Hicks for £200, land at Hempstead at a place called Grassy Pond. There was only 1¾ acres, so that the amount of the mortgage seems large.‡ 1811, Feb. 5, he and his wife and his brother John make a mortgage to Benjamin Treadwell on land which seems to be the same as that mortgaged by his brother Barak in 1802.§ 1828, Oct. 28, administration on his estate was granted to Joseph Dodge. Henry seems, however, to have left a will, for in 1829 we find a deed from his executor

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\* She was not a Quaker, but joined them after her marriage. Their country seat was at the old Dutch settlement of Flatbush.

† *Queens County Deeds*, G. 485.

‡ *Queens County Mortgages*, G. 149.

§ *Queens County Mortgages*, I. 138.



to his wife Sarah, of land on Success Pond and elsewhere, subject to the use of the land by Mary Cornell. 1829, May 1, Sarah Cornell conveyed a half interest in this property to C. Allen. It was the land mortgaged above in 1802 and 1811, and appears to have belonged to Henry's father Barak, in which Mary, Barak's second wife, still had a dower interest.\*

### 3142

JOHN,<sup>6</sup> of Barak<sup>5</sup> (3056), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. Feb. 28, 1847; m. Aletta (Letty or Letitia) Field, Feb. 10,  
1813; she was b. March 14, 1795; d. Aug. 27, 1881. Children:

- 3336 Ann, b. March 1, 1814; m. Charles Herrick.  
3337 Barak, b. April 11, 1815; d. Sept. 13, 1892; m.  
Mary Ann Howe.  
3338 John, b. May 4, 1817; d. June 4, 1890; m. Julia  
Haviland, 1847.  
3339 Emeline, b. March 18, 1819; d. Sept. 3, 1850; m.  
Edward Penny of New York.  
3340 Sarah, b. Feb. 23, 1821; d. Nov. 29, 1841.  
3341 Samuel, d. young, Dec. 23, 1841; unmarried.

1831, July 18, John Cornell of Flushing buys from his brother Barak, one-eighth of three parcels of land at Success in Flushing, of which Henry (3141), their brother had died, seized. This was part of the farm of Barak (3056) their father, and his wife Mary still had dower in it.† His will, in which he calls himself of Flushing, is dated Nov. 8, 1846, and was proved April 12, 1847. He leaves to his son John "who lives with me, the westerly part of the farm where I reside," in the eastern part of the town of Flushing and extending into the town of Hempstead, "beginning at the northwest corner adjoining the highway that runs from Nostrand's tavern, south to the highway known as the new road, joining William and Sarah Van Nostrand," sixty acres; also an acre and three-quarters of swamp land, and eight acres south of the North Hempstead and Flushing turnpike. "There is a family burying-ground on the southwest part of the farm which I reserve to my family."

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\* For the last two deeds, see *Queens County Deeds*, Z. 1, 214.

† *Queens County Deeds*, B. 280.

After the death of his wife Aletta, the residue of his estate is to be divided equally between his son "Baruch," his daughter Ann, wife of Charles Herrick of New York, and Emeline, wife of Edward Penny of New York. Executors: wife and son John. Witnesses: Albert Van Nostrand, Daniel Van Nostrand.\*

He lived a mile and a half south of the present Little Neck station.

### 3144

JOSHUA,<sup>6</sup> of Barak<sup>5</sup> (3056), Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. about 1850; m. Ann Van Nostrand. Children:

- 3342 Mary, b. 1788; m. Cornelius Cornell.†
- 3343 William, b. May 2, 1792; d. April 5, 1880; m. (1) Maria Briggs; m. (2) Clarissa Farrington; m. (3) Caroline (Morey) Heroy, Nov., 1853.
- 3344 Henry, m. Fanny Parker.
- 3345 Jane, m. Charles Wooley.
- 3346 Phebe, m. Robert Gwyer.
- 3347 John Nostrand, m. Angelica Gardner.

Devisee of his grandmother. He lived at Foster's Meadow and Little Neck.

### 3149

STEPHEN,<sup>6</sup> of Stephen<sup>5</sup> (3065), Caleb,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. about 1834; m. Elizabeth Brown. Child:

- 3348 Sarah Ann.

His will is dated April 3, 1834, and describes him as a ship carver of New York. He mentions his daughter Sarah Ann and his sister Maria Morehouse. Executor: Charles Gardner.

In a New York directory for 1796, there appears a Stephen Cornwell, shipwright, at 40 James Street.

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\* *Queens County Wills*, 4: 175.

† Cornelius Cornell was supposed son of George and nephew of Morris and Margaret (Gedney) Cornell, but not traced back to Thomas.<sup>1</sup> The author will be grateful to anyone who will furnish his descent.

**3153**

RICHARDSON<sup>6</sup> [Cornwell], of Caleb<sup>5</sup> (3066), Caleb,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1780; d. May 25, 1867, aged 87 years; m. Martha Cornell (3166), Nov. 25, 1815; she was b. 1788; d. May 12, 1868.

Children:

3349 Richardson, b. 1807; d. June 10, 1832.

3350 Elizabeth, m. Wessel S. Smith, April 19, 1850.

Devisee of James (3080). His will is dated 1855, and was proved in 1867. It describes him as of North Hempstead, and mentions his wife Martha and his daughter Elizabeth, wife of Wessel S. Smith.

**3162**

JOHN<sup>6</sup> [Cornwell], of Hewlett<sup>5</sup> (3070), John,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 22, 1783; d. Feb. 6, 1873; m. Miriam W. Treadwell, March 18, 1812; she was b. Nov. 5, 1792; d. 1867. Children:

3351 John Hewlett, b. March 30, 1816; d. Dec. 27, 1887; m. Susan Reynolds.

3352 Mary Treadwell, b. Jan. 26, 1820; m. Joseph Lawrence Hewlett, Jan. 20, 1836. Children: Mary T., b. Nov. 25, 1840; d. Nov. 6, 1881, and Estelle, b. March 30, 1845.

His will is dated Nov. 2, 1868, and was contested after his death. He left \$10,000 to his daughter Mary T. Hewlett, and mentions also a granddaughter Marian Parker, wife of Richard B. Parker, a granddaughter Margaret Cornell, and a grandson John H. Cornell. Executor: John Hewlett Cornell. Witnesses: Wessel T. Smith and Ebenezer Townsend.

**3164**

WALTER J.,<sup>6</sup> of Hewlett<sup>5</sup> (3070), John,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 17, 1799; d. March 3, 1865; m. Sarah Allen, March 2, 1819; she was b. Nov. 26, 1791; d. Oct. 3, 1874. Children:

3353 Hewlett, b. July 29, 1824; d. Dec. 21, 1865.

3354 Daniel Allen, b. June 5, 1827; m. Emeline Skidmore, Dec. 4, 1850.

Letters of administration on the estate of William J. Cornell of North Hempstead were granted to his eldest son Hewlett in 1865, and in 1866 (after Hewlett's death), they were granted to Daniel A.

**3168**

AUGUSTUS<sup>6</sup> [Cornwell], of Lewis<sup>6</sup> (3076), William,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 16, 1791; d. Aug. 14, 1840; m. Sophia Williams.  
Children:

3355 Elizabeth Ashhurst, b. March 19, 1828; d. March 31, 1830.

3356 Sophia Augusta, b. Nov. 5, 1830; d. Jan. 24, 1831.

3357 Richard.

He was a commission merchant in New York City. There are on record in Queens County two receipts given by Augustus and his sister Grace, to Joshua Sands and James Cornwell, the executors of their father's estate, who were to hold the property until their majority. Administration on his estate was granted in 1841 to John F. Seaman. Augustus is there called of North Hempstead.

**3176**

SAMUEL MATTHEW<sup>6</sup> [Cornwall], of Samuel<sup>6</sup> (3077), William,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 22, 1800; d. May 15, 1867; m. Sarah N. Hayt, Oct. 18, 1843; she was b. Feb. 21, 1811; d. April 15, 1893. Children:

3358 James Hewlett, b. June 27, 1845; m. Isabel Wheeler, Sept. 30, 1868.

3359 Samuel Hayt, b. June 23, 1855; d. March 25, 1860.

He was a Ruling Elder of the Presbyterian Church, Patterson, and a farmer.

**3179**

PETER,<sup>7</sup> of Thomas<sup>6</sup> (3082), Peter,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 21, 1780; d. Nov. 12, 1860; m. (1) Margaret Gedney, March 27, 1806; she was b. May 27, 1786; d. Feb. 27, 1829,

daughter of John and Mary (Lyon) Gedney; m. (2) Mary Catherine Snyder, widow of John Woodmancie, Feb. 11, 1833; she was b. June 11, 1804. Children:

By first wife:

- 3360 Cornelia Ann, b. Oct. 5, 1809; m. Daniel Horton, Aug. 21, 1833. Children: John Cornell, Peter Augustus, Cornelia Jane, Thomas Henry, Josephine, Mary Catharine.
- 3361 John Gedney, b. July 23, 1812; m. Gertrude Freer, Sept. 12, 1832.
- 3362 Thomas, b. Jan. 23, 1814; d. March 30, 1890; m. Catharine Ann Woodmancie, Feb. 27, 1840.
- 3363 Hannah Maria, b. April 26, 1816; m. Hiram Schoonmaker. Children: Thomas Cornell, Peter, Anna, Hiram.
- 3364 Nathaniel Tompkins, b. April 28, 1818; m. Caroline Tillson.
- 3365 Anthony Wiley, b. Feb. 14, 1820; m. Mary Crozier.
- 3366 Elizabeth A., b. June 17, 1822; m. Charles Hardenburgh. Children: Mary Jane, Margaret, Lucinda, Catharine, Cornelia, Grace, Anna, Gazina, Ralph.
- 3367 Mary Amelia, b. July 17, 1824; m. Col. F. Young. Children: Alice, Horace, Edwin (m. Mary Estella Cornell), Mary.
- 3368 Charlotte A., b. July 17, 1826; d. in infancy.
- 3369 Margaret Gedney, b. Sept. 18, 1828; m. Stephen B. ———. No children.

By second wife:

- 3370 Richard, b. March 4, 1834; d. in infancy.
- 3371 Joseph, b. March 4, 1836; d. Nov. 12, 1898; m. (1) Isabella Grant, Sept. 15, 1860; m. (2) Ella Mary Grant, Nov. 9, 1870.
- 3372 Sarah Betts, b. April 24, 1838; m. De Witt C. Overbaugh, Aug. 14, 1867. Children: Augusta Cornell, Genevive, Chester B., Catharine C., Beulah, Joseph C., Henrietta M.
- 3373 Caroline Tillson, b. Feb. 23, 1840; m. Benjamin B. Hoornbeck, Jan. 26, 1865. Children: Thomas, Kenyon, Henrietta.

- 3374 Henrietta, b. Nov. 3, 1844; m. Simon Wood, June 11, 1872. Children: Joseph, Catharine C.
- 3375 Augusta, b. Feb. 3, 1847; m. John C. Bogardus, M. D., Dec. 22, 1870. Children: Mary Ella, William, Augusta C., John C., Ella C.

He lived in White Plains, but moved to Kingston, on Round-out Creek, where his son Thomas joined him.

### 3183

THOMAS LYNCH,<sup>7</sup> of Thomas<sup>6</sup> (3082), Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Sept. 24, 1802; d. 1884; m. Emeline Lawrence of Tarrytown.

He changed his name to Thomas Wildey Cornell. He removed to Ulster County, where he obtained wealth and position.

### 3184

CALEB,<sup>7</sup> of Richard<sup>6</sup> (3083), Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 10, 1792, at Harrison, Westchester Co., N. Y.; m. Ann Robinson, of Mamaroneck, daughter of Thomas and Sarah; she d. April 12, 1844, at Auburn, N. Y. Children:

- 3376 Elizabeth Ann, b. Sept. 17, 1816, at Mamaroneck; m. John E. Patten of Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1836. Seven children.
- 3377 Thomas Robinson, b. Feb. 15, 1818; m. Frances Chelles, July 1, 1846.
- 3378 Edwin, b. Jan. 16, 1820; m. Sarah Elizabeth Bedell, Nov. 3, 1852.
- 3379 Richard, b. Sept. 16, 1823, at Mamaroneck; m. Elizabeth Williams, Aug. 23, 1854, at Union Village, Washington Co., N. Y. Removed to Michigan. No children.
- 3380 Sarah Maria, b. June 24, 1826, in New York; m. Albert Loomis (son of Orrin and Ada Loomis), of West Springfield, Mass. Five children.
- 3381 Hester Adelaide, b. Oct. 1, 1830, in New York; d. 1883.

- 3382 William Henry, b. Feb. 15, 1835, in New York; d. March 16, 1854, at Havana.
- 3383 John, b. Feb. 19, 1837, at Auburn; m. Mary Elizabeth Jones. Lives at Larchmont, Westchester Co., N. Y.

**3185**

RICHARD,<sup>7</sup> of Richard<sup>6</sup> (3083), Peter,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 10, 1796; d. Nov. 1, 1843; m. Phebe Knoxton (or Noxon) of Beekman, Dutchess Co., N. Y.

He left a widow and one son at Patterson, N. Y.

**3193**

HAVILAND,<sup>7</sup> of Haviland<sup>6</sup> (3085), Peter,<sup>6</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 18, 1801, at New Castle, N. Y.; m. Ann Hulbert Dillingham, daughter of Henry and Jerusha (Strong) Dillingham of Yorktown, Feb. 23, 1825; she was b. Jan. 15, 1810.

Children: \*

- 3384 Stephen D., b. April 1, 1826; m. Catharine D. Griffin, Feb. 22, 1848.
- 3385 William Henry, b. March 31, 1828; m. Cora D. Curtis, Oct. 30, 1856.
- 3386 Ebenezer H., b. Jan. 13, 1831, in New York; d. May 30, 1866, at Bennington, Wyoming Co., N. Y.; m. Mary Elizabeth Gillette, daughter of Culver M. and Nancy (Boyd) Gillette, at Alden, Erie Co., N. Y., Dec. 12, 1856. No children.
- 3387 Wallace D., b. Jan. 7, 1834, in New York; d. Nov. 8, 1834.
- 3388 Mary Ann, b. Aug. 24, 1836, at Tyre, Seneca Co., N. Y.; m. Isaac Van Allen, Dec. 24, 1855, at Middlebury, Wyoming Co., N. Y.
- 3389 George W., b. Sept. 4, 1839; m. Matilda B. Blackman.
- 3390 M. D. Lafayette, b. Oct. 31, 1843, at Middlebury.
- 3391 Matilda, b. Oct. 31, 1843 (twin of above); d. same day.

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\* Bolton gives to Haviland the children of his brother Thomas (3195).

- 3392 Charles W., b. Oct. 22, 1846 (or 1847), at Middlebury. Lives with his father. He lived first in New York City, where he built one of the first houses in Twentieth Street. He moved to Middlebury, Wyoming County, and later to Addison Hill, Steuben County.

**3194**

PETER,<sup>7</sup> of Haviland<sup>6</sup> (3085), Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 26, 1789; d. Feb. 1, 1862; m. Sarah Matthews; she was b. Sept. 28, 1796; d. Jan. 23, 1847. Children:

- 3393 Mary M., b. Oct. 12, 1814.  
 3394 Haviland G., b. Jan. 25, 1817. Postmaster, Addison Hill, N. Y., 1867.  
 3395 Ruth Ann, b. Feb. 20, 1819.  
 3396 William Henry, b. April 28, 1821; d. Aug. 5, 1821.  
 3397 James S., b. Aug. 17, 1822.  
 3398 John M., b. Sept. 20, 1824.  
 3399 Sarah Jane, b. Sept. 12, 1826; d. Oct. 28, 1864.  
 3400 Joseph G., b. Nov. 26, 1828.  
 3401 Peter J., b. Dec. 3, 1831.  
 3402 William Henry, b. June 22, 1833.  
 3403 Stephen Augustus, b. May 26, 1836.

**3195**

THOMAS,<sup>7</sup> of Haviland<sup>6</sup> (3085), Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 24, 1792; m. Amy Merritt. Children:

- 3404 Peter.  
 3405 Elizabeth Dearborn.  
 3406 Mary (or Maria) Ann, m. Samuel Dearborn.  
 3407 Sarah.  
 3408 Delia  
 3409 George W.  
 3410 Barney.  
 3411 Ann.

He lived and died at Scarsdale.



**3202**

CALEB,<sup>7</sup> of Jonathan<sup>6</sup> (3089), Joseph,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1790; m. Phebe Lamoree. Children:

3412 Jane, b. 1813.

3413 Isaac, b. 1815.

3414 George L., b. 1821, Rochester, N. Y.

3415 Merritt G., b. 1823.

3416 Deborah, b. 1825.

**3203**

JOSEPH,<sup>7</sup> of Jonathan<sup>6</sup> (3089), Joseph,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1793; m. Deborah D. Merritt. Children:

3417 Theodore, b. 1819; d. 1822.

3418 Jonathan H.

3419 Caleb.

3420 Richard.

3421 Lydia, m. Lewis Rogers.

3422 Caroline.

3423 Emeline, d. 1823.

3424 Deborah S.

**3205**

ZENO,<sup>7</sup> of Jonathan<sup>6</sup> (3089), Joseph,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1796; m. Mary Brown. Children:

3425 Anna Maria, b. 1822.

3426 ———, b. 1824.

**3209**

DANIEL,<sup>7</sup> of Willett<sup>6</sup> (3090), Joseph,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Frances B. Halstead. Children:

3427 Cordelia.

3428 Mary Elizabeth.

3429 Ann Augusta.

**3210**

AMBROSE,<sup>7</sup> of Willett<sup>6</sup> (3090), Joseph,<sup>6</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Sarah Halstead Children:

- 3430 Jonathan H.
- 3431 Willett.
- 3432 Albert, b. 1818.

**3215**

DAVID M.,<sup>7</sup> of Isaac<sup>6</sup> (3091), John,<sup>6</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1798; m. Elizabeth Clive. Children:

- 3433 Isaac, b. 1822.
- 3434 John C.
- 3435 Daniel.
- 3436 Mary Elizabeth, b. 1819.
- 3437 Sarah Ann, b. 1820.
- 3438 Hester.
- 3439 John B.
- 3440 Margaret.

**3216**

CHARLES,<sup>7</sup> of Isaac<sup>6</sup> (3091), John,<sup>6</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Maria Champenois. Children:

- 3441 Esther.
- 3442 Albert W.

**3232**

RICHARD,<sup>7</sup> of Thomas I.<sup>6</sup> (3101), Ferris,<sup>6</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 25, 1804; d. Sept. 10, 1862; m. Mary Antoinette  
Philips; she d. Sept. 2, 1854, aged 47 years. Children:

- 3443 Eliza Philips, m. Albert Keith Smiley, July 8, 1857.  
He was principal of the Friends' School, Providence, R. I., and later founded the Lake Mahonk House, N. Y. He organized the Mahonk Indian Conferences, and in 1879 was appointed by President Hayes a member of the Board of Indian Commissioners.

- 3444 John, d. July, 1832, aged 4 months.  
 3445 Anne, d. Jan., 1836, aged 2 years.  
 3446 Mary Annette.  
 3447 Albert, d. Sept., 1841, aged 18 months.  
 3448 Adrian, d. April 12, 1854, aged 12 years.  
 3449 Amy Fisher.

He and his wife and four children are buried in the Quaker Burying-ground, Harrison, Westchester Co., N. Y. Their children are mostly Episcopal.

**3247**

STEPHEN,<sup>7</sup> of William Haviland<sup>6</sup> (3103), Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 21.1, 1815; d. June 15, 1852; m. Rachel Tompkins, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Coles) Tompkins, Aug. 17, 1841; she was b. June 21, 1821; d. Oct. 17, 1883; m. (2) Henry Cornell (3239). Children:

- 3450 William Henry, b. Aug. 14, 1842; m. Philena D. Baker, Dec. 11, 1872.  
 3451 Charles W., b. Jan. 21, 1845; m. Lucy Nevens Ireland, Sept. 18, 1878.  
 3452 Samuel Tompkins, b. April 15, 1847; d. Jan. 29, 1865.  
 3453 Albert, b. Feb. 24, 1849; d. Feb. 18, 1901; m. Anne Davis, March 11, 1873.  
 3454 Stephen, b. April 15, 1852; d. Feb. 26, 1853.

Stephen and his wife were born and died in Scarsdale. Rachel died in the old homestead opposite the Quaker Meeting house. All the children were originally Quakers, but have changed their religion; some are Episcopal and some Methodists.

**3248**

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of William H.<sup>6</sup> (3103), Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 30.9, 1818, in Scarsdale; d. Aug. 1, 1891, in Mamaroneck; m. (1) Sarah Theall of Rye, 1842, daughter of William; she d. Dec. 7, 1848; m. (2) Elizabeth Theall, her sister; she was b. May 23, 1830; d. Jan. 21, 1892. Children:

By first wife:

- 3455 William Thomas, b. Nov. 11, 1845; m. Lucinda Vail Rushmore.  
 3456 Edwin Theall, b. Nov. 28, 1848; m. Mary F. Robinson, daughter of Edward C. and Sarah Jane (Fraser) Robinson. In the Bank of America, N. Y.

By second wife:

- 3457 Frank S., b. Dec. 31, 1857; unmarried.  
 3458 Frederic Le Brun, b. Nov. 19, 1860; d. Jan. 5, 1895; unmarried.  
 3459 Howard M., b. Dec. 24, 1863; d. 1880.  
 3460 Ella Louise, b. Dec. 24, 1863 (twin of above); unmarried.

He was born in Scarsdale, but lived and died in Mamaroneck. He was originally a Quaker, but became a Methodist in early life, and was a trustee of the Methodist Church in Mamaroneck.

### 3250

RICHARD TITUS,<sup>7</sup> of Stephen<sup>6</sup> (3107), Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 27.9, 1811; m. (1) Phebe Ann Mott, 29.4, 1836, daughter of William, in Saratoga County, N. Y.; she d. 4.1, 1841; m. (2) Amy Ann Cornell (3524), 16.9, 1846, at Clinton, Dutchess Co., N. Y. Children:

- 3461 William T., b. June 11, 1837; m. Abbie L. Wilson, May 30, 1860.  
 3462 Stephen W., b. July 9, 1839; d. Aug. 26, 1839.  
 3463 Robert R., b. Aug. 21, 1843, at Kingsbury, Washington Co., N. Y.  
 3464 Hannah Titus, b. Oct. 13, 1845.  
 3465 Phebe Ann, b. July 13, 1847.  
 3466 Rebecca T., b. Jan. 23, 1851.  
 3467 Matilda, b. Sept. 2, 1853, at Clinton, Dutchess Co., N. Y.  
 3468 Stephen W., b. Sept. 5, 1857, at Clinton.

He lived with his second wife at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

**3254**

RICHARD C.,<sup>7</sup> of Samuel S.<sup>6</sup> (3111), Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup>  
Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 11.1, 1822; m. Phebe Sutton Mott, Aug. 8, 1850. Children:

3469 Franklin J., b. May 22, 1852; d. Aug. 31, 1867.

3470 Stephen Samuel, b. Feb. 25, 1856; m. Sarah W.  
Disbrow, Oct. 1, 1881.

3471 Walter Howard, b. July 17, 1858; m. Mary Car-  
penter, June 25, 1891.

3472 Carrie Samson, b. Jan. 18, 1861; d. Feb. 17, 1867.

In 1856, he witnessed the will of William H. Cornell (3103). He lived on Quaker Ridge, New Rochelle, on part of the farm bought in 1775, by his grandfather Stephen (3044), from John (3013). A picture of his house called the "Cornell Homestead," is in *Scharff's History of Westchester County*. He was formerly a Quaker, but became a Methodist.

**3256**

STEPHEN J.,<sup>7</sup> of Samuel S.<sup>6</sup> (3111), Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup>  
Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 4.10, 1830; d. April 8, 1900; m. Caroline Samson, daughter  
of Stephen; she d. Oct. 20, 1900, aged 63 years. Child:

3473 Herbert L.

He was interested in the Brooklyn Gas Works, and resided  
at 516 Madison Street, Brooklyn.

**3267**

JOHN HENRY,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (3112), Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup>  
John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb., 1844; d. March 12, 1878; m. Letitia J. W. Caldwell,  
1864. Children:

3474 William A. Lawyer, 93 Nassau Street, New York.

3475 George.

3476 Henry G. Broker.

He lived originally at Rye Neck, Mamaroneck, N. Y., but  
removed early to New York.





Thomas C. Cornell

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near Kingston, Canada, where he met his wife, a widow with three children. In 1866, he established an office in Morrisania, and took his three step-sons into business with him. He died suddenly of congestion of the lungs, brought on by overwork.

### 3278

HARRISON,<sup>7</sup> of Samuel<sup>6</sup> (3122), Joshua,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Charity Earl. Children:

- 3479 Samuel.
- 3480 John.
- 3481 Hannah.
- 3482 Sarah, m. William Cornell (3556).

### 3283

JESSE,<sup>7</sup> of Joshua<sup>6</sup> (3125), Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1796 or 1797; m. Ann Wortman of New Jersey. Children:

- 3483 William, b. 1820; d. 1899; m. Emeline Cornell (3517), 19.9, 1844.
- 3484 James, m. ——— Orris.
- 3485 Henry, m. Esther Susan. Children: Mary, m. Thomas J. Crayne, and Charles, m. Celia Howell. Lives in San Jose, Cal.
- 3486 John, d. unmarried.
- 3487 Charity, m. (1) Nelson Walker; m. (2) Nicholas Clapp. Lived near Mendon Center, Monroe Co., N. Y. Children: Esther, m. John Holdridge, and Charity, who lived with her step-mother at Honeoye Falls, N. Y.
- 3488 Rebecca, m. William Reynolds of Otterville, Canada. Child: Alena.
- 3489 Samuel, m. Jennie ———. Children: Minnie and ———; his wife m. (2) ——— Rector, and lived in Oakfield, Wis.

He moved to Canada and became a farmer. Was a Quaker preacher toward the end of his life, and all his children were Quakers.

**3284**

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of Joshua<sup>6</sup> (3125), Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 21, 1799; d. Sept. 28, 1877; m. (1) Phebe F. Carpenter, 28.4, 1825, daughter of Benjamin and Freelove (Fowler) Carpenter; she d. May 11, 1844; m. (2) Sarah Ann Williamson of Poughkeepsie, 18.9, 1845; she d. Sept. 29, 1863; m. (3) Phebe (Babcock) Cornell of Rochester, Oct. 28, 1864, widow of Daniel H. Cornell (3510); her first husband was David Wing. Children:

By first wife:

- 3490 John Joshua, b. 20.9, 1826, at Poughkeepsie; m. (1) Judith H. Russell, 29.9, 1846, daughter of Daniel and Lavina (Haviland) Russell; she was b. 7.10, 1822; d. April 5, 1884; he m. (2) Eliza V. Himey of Richmond, Ind., 24.9, 1885. No children. He remained on his father's farm at Mendon, Monroe Co., N. Y., until 1892, when he moved to Baltimore. He sold the farm in 1897, entered the Quaker ministry in 1856, and travelled extensively in this cause, and that of temperance, of which he was a strong advocate.
- 3491 Sarah Ann, b. Dec. 3, 1828; d. July 31, 1850, unmarried.
- 3492 Lydia P., b. 17.5, 1833; d. 17.7, 1834.
- 3493 James B., b. Oct. 4, 1836; d. Oct. 26, 1836.

By second wife:

- 3494 Charles G., b. May 23, 1847; d. May 3, 1859.

He was engaged in the freighting business on the Hudson river at Poughkeepsie, from which he retired with a competency in 1842, when he removed to Mendon, Monroe Co., N. Y.

**3286**

SAMUEL P.,<sup>7</sup> of Joshua<sup>6</sup> (3125), Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Julia S. Schooley of South Norwich, Oxford Co., Canada. Children:

- 3495 Edward, m. Louisa Brown of New York. They lived in New York and had one son.  
3496 Phebe, m. Robert Doughty.  
3497 Caroline, d. about 1882; m. Gervis Goodwin. Children: Charles E., Ellen J., Emma C., Louise, Alice M., Edith M., William, Phebe F.  
3498 Rachel, unmarried.  
3499 Francis, unmarried.

**3291**

JACOB,<sup>7</sup> of Quimby<sup>6</sup> (3131), William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1.11, 1769, in Dutchess County; d. 14.2, 1824; m. Mary Carpenter, daughter of Zeno; she was b. Sept. 13, 1771. Children:

- 3500 Phebe.  
3501 Lydia.  
3502 Mark, m. Ann ———. Lives in Harrison, Westchester Co., N. Y., half a mile north of Purchase Post Office. He was a grocer in New York.  
3503 William E.  
3504 Anna Maria, b. Jan. 12, 1810, in Clinton, Dutchess Co., N. Y.; m. James Wing. Child: John D. Wing of New York. They were prominent Quakers.  
3505 Stephen.

**3293**

ELISHA,<sup>7</sup> of Quimby<sup>6</sup> (3131), William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 22.2, 1773; m. Anna Green, daughter of Zophar Green of Nine Partners;\* she was b. Dec. 4, 1774. Children:

- 3506 Mary M., b. Aug. 10, —; m. John Taylor, Oct. 24, 1822.

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\* Nine Partners was so named from the nine persons who received a grant of land there in 1697. These men were: Caleb Heathcote, James Emmett, Henry Filkins, Henry Teneyck, Augustus Graham, William Creed, John Olsen, David Marshall, David Jansen. The grant was in Dutchess County, and extended for eight or ten miles along the Hudson River. It was divided in 36 lots of 3,400 acres each, and 9 water lots.

- 3507 Zophar, b. March 30, 1800; d. young.  
 3508 Hannah, b. July 14, 1801; m. Benson Lossing,  
 Aug. 19, 1819. Had two sons and a daughter.  
 3509 Phebe, b. April 30, 1803; d. 1824.  
 3510 Daniel H., b. Oct. 10, 1804; m. Phebe W. Babcock,  
 widow of David Wing, Feb. 24, 1844 (see No. 3284).  
 No children.  
 3511 Henry J., b. June 9, 1806; m. Hannah A. Eastman,  
 Oct. 9, 1839. No children.  
 3512 Amy C., b. May 23, 1808; m. John V. Burnham,  
 Jan. 11, 1832. Children: Daniel and Mortimer.  
 None of the family now living.  
 3513 Anna Green, b. Nov. 9, 1810; m. Robert B. Crom-  
 well, Jan. 16, 1834. None of the family now liv-  
 ing (see No. 3129).  
 3514 Sarah, b. Dec. 15, 1812; d. young.  
 3515 Eliza M., b. Jan. 4, 1815; m. John C. Cromwell,  
 Sept. 17, 1833. None of the family now living  
 (see No. 3129).  
 3516 Jane, b. July 15, 1818; m. Don Carlos McGregory,  
 Nov. 12, 1846. One daughter.  
 3517 Emeline P., b. Oct. 3, 1820; m. William Cornell  
 (3483), 19.9, 1844.

He was a farmer and a Quaker. He removed from Dutch-  
 ess Co. to Otterville, Ontario, Canada.

### 3294

MATTHEW,<sup>7</sup> of Quimby<sup>6</sup> (3131), William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 3.3, 1775; d. 2.2, 1857; m. Sarah Halstead, daughter of  
 Daniel Halstead of Westchester Co., N. Y. Child:

- 3518 Hannah, m. Jacob Bedell (or Beadle).

### 3295

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of Quimby<sup>6</sup> (3131), William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 15.12, 1777; d. 26.12, 1850, at Clinton; m. Amy Doty, 26.1,  
 1803, daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Carpenter) Doty, at  
 Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; she was b. Oct. 24, 1782. Children:

- 3519 Elizabeth, b. June 15, 1805; d. 1843.
- 3520 Hannah Doty, b. 6.5, 1807; d. Aug. 8, 1898; m. Joseph M. Howland, 26.9, 1827, at Clinton.
- 3521 Mary, b. 1809; m. James C. Skidmore, Nov. 25, 1829.
- 3522 Margaret B., b. April 5, 1813; m. Solomon A. Howland, Aug. 26, 1835.
- 3523 Caroline, b. July 20, 1815; m. William G. Barker, Feb. 26, 1834; he was b. in Canada, 1800.
- 3524 Amy Ann, b. May 5, 1819; m. Richard T. Cornell (3250), Sept. 16, 1842.
- 3525 Robert D., b. May 12, 1822; d. March 10, 1896; m. Thirza E. Moore, daughter of Peter, June 3, 1847. Child: Amy Ann, b. 1850, at Clinton. He was captain of a Hudson River Steamer. Lived at Poughkeepsie, and died suddenly of paralysis at Rhinebeck.
- 3526 William Hull, b. May 12, 1822 (twin of above); d. Feb. 14, 1874; m. Mary Browning, daughter of Jeremiah, Sept. 3, 1845, at Hudson, Columbia Co., N. Y. He lived and died at Clinton.

He was a farmer and lived at Clinton, Dutchess Co., N. Y. He and his wife were zealous Quakers and are buried in the Quaker cemetery at Clinton.

**3298**

JOHN,<sup>7</sup> of Quimby<sup>6</sup> (3131), William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 3.1, 1793; m. Amy Dean, 23.5, 1815. Children:

- 3527 Edward H., b. June 17, 1816; m. Hannah Wilde of Saratoga Co.
- 3528 David B., b. July 27, 1818; m. Sarah O'Brien of Saratoga.
- 3529 Joseph D., b. Aug. 7, 1820.
- 3530 William D., b. Oct. 10, 1822; d. Aug. 9, 1840.
- 3531 Phebe Jane, b. July 28, 1827; d. April 5, 1850; m. Parris O'Brien.
- 3532 Garwood L., b. May 5, 1830; d. Feb. 19, 1867; m. Matilda Stevens.

- 3533 Edmund, b. April 21, 1833; m. Anna Mitchell of Nine Partners.

**3299**

ABRAHAM,<sup>7</sup> of James<sup>6</sup> (3132), William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 1, 1784; d. 1862; m. Mary Brady, 1808. Children:

- 3534 Sally Ann, b. 1808; d. young.  
 3535 John, b. 1809 or 1810; d. 1832; m. Betsey Smith.  
 3536 Jacob G., b. 1811; m. Margaret McCord.  
 3537 James b. 1813; d. 1878; m. Margaret Tompkins, Dec., 1839.  
 3538 Eliza Ann, b. 1815; d. unmarried.  
 3539 Deborah, b. 1819; d. unmarried.  
 3540 Sarah, b. 1820; m. John Vail. Children: Hannah m. Nathan Fflewellyn, Oliver, Edgar, Elias, Ida.  
 3541 Oliver C., b. 1821; m. Sarah Louise Miller, April 29, 1849.

He was a farmer in New Castle, Westchester Co., but toward the end of his life, exchanged his farm for a house in Sing Sing.

**3300**

OLIVER,<sup>7</sup> of James<sup>6</sup> (3132), William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 15, 1785; m. Mary Dickinson. Children:

- 3542 Nathaniel, b. Jan. 17, 1815; d. April 1, 1889; m. (1) Margaret Orser, Oct. 8, 1836 or 1876; m. (2) B. J. Howe, Aug. 14, 1892. He came into possession of his father's farm in New Castle, and increased it to over 400 acres, part of it extending into Yorktown. He was a successful farmer, a Methodist, and took an active part in local politics, having been School Trustee, Roadmaster, and Supervisor of Yorktown. He is buried in Chappaqua cemetery. No children.\*

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\* See *Scharff's History of Westchester Co.*

- 3543 Elizabeth, b. June 21, 1812; m. Nathaniel Dickinson Fflewelwyn. Children: Oliver C., Nathaniel D., Mary C.

He removed from New Castle to Yorktown, where he purchased a farm.

### 3305

JOEL,<sup>7</sup> of William<sup>6</sup> (3134), William,<sup>8</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 2, 1790; m. Anna Tillson, Feb. 2, 1814; daughter of Timothy and Sarah (Mills) Tillson. Child:

- 3544 William Tillson, d. 1863; m. Elizabeth Wood.

### 3315

DANIEL,<sup>7</sup> of Daniel<sup>6</sup> (3135), William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 20, 1792, at Pleasant Valley, Ulster Co.; d. 1877, at Woodbury, Orange Co.; m. (1) Sarah Johnson; m. (2) Keziah F. Seaman. Children:

By first wife:

- 3545 William J., m. ———. Had son Hampton. Chipewewa Falls, Wis.  
3546 Elizabeth, living 1868; m. ——— Cheesborough; he d. 1865.  
3547 Birdsall, b. June 9, 1823; m. Mary Van Kirk, June 10, 1847.  
3548 Rebecca.  
3549 Susan, m. William Ryder, Orange Co.  
3550 Ann, m. Christian Mead. Wisconsin.  
3551 Sarah.

By second wife:

- 3552 Charles S., b. Jan. 18, 1845; m. Sarah A. Lefferts, Jan. 8, 1873; she d. Jan. 12, 1886. Child: Martha K. He removed from Long Island to Washingtonville, Orange Co., near Newburg, N. Y., where he was a farmer.

**3316**

JOSIAH,<sup>7</sup> of Daniel<sup>6</sup> (3135), William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 15, 1794; m. Catharine Miller. Children:

3553 Charity, unmarried 1868.

3554 James.

3555 Esther.

3556 William, m. Sarah Cornell (3482), of Harrison.

3557 Mary Ann, m. Charles Ryder.

3558 Rebecca, unmarried 1868.

3559 Elizabeth, m. Reuben Birdsall, Westchester Co.

**3318**

BIRDSALL,<sup>7</sup> of Josiah<sup>6</sup> (3136), William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

m. Mary Selleck, Ulster Co. Children:

3560 Nathaniel, b. 1810; m. ———. Child: Benjamin, lives in Edinburg, Christian Co., Ill.

3561 Hiram, b. 1815; m. Sarah Ann Haight of Ulster Co., about 1839.

3561A Millicent, m. ——— Hoffman.

3561B Susan.

**3328**

ROBERT COMFORT,<sup>7</sup> of Comfort<sup>6</sup> (3138), Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

d. May, 1844; m. Amy Lovett. Child:

3562 George James, m. Caroline Cornelia Greele (Elliot).

In 1815, he was assessed in New York on \$20,000. He was an Alderman in 1834, a Quaker, and interested in many good works. He was President of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, and died suddenly of apoplexy in that office. His will is dated Sept. 12, 1840, and was proved June 9, 1844. It mentions his wife Amy and his son George James, who is under age. Executors: brother-in-law James Lovett, Robert White, Jr., Augustus Greele, and George James Cornell.

**3329**

ABIGAIL,<sup>7</sup> of Comfort<sup>6</sup> (3138), Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 16, 1776; d. Nov. 2, 1854, in New York; m. (1) Jacob



Doty, June 9, 1795; he was b. July 13, 1772; d. Nov., 1779; m. (2) Israel Corse, April 11, 1810, son of David and Elizabeth; he was b. Jan. 24, 1769, at Chestertown, Md.; d. March 30, 1842, in New York City. Children (*Doty* and *Corse*):

By first husband:

Betsey Cornell, b. July 16, 1796.

Sally Titus, b. Dec. 11, 1797; d. May 18, 1798.

Jacob, b. March 16, 1799.

By second husband:

Israel, b. June 18, 1811, d. Feb. 21, 1819.

Robert, b. April 19, 1814; d. Aug., 1815.

Mary Louise, b. Feb. 15, 1816; d. April, 1851, in Columbia, Tenn.; m. William H. Polk, June 29, 1847 (brother of James K. Polk, President of the United States) by Rev. Dr. Hall, at his brother's house, 52 Broadway, New York City.

Israel, b. Oct. 24, 1819, in Vandewater Street, New York City; d. at Sayville, L. I., July 13, 1885; m. Catharine Ketchum, Oct. 7, 1846, at Westpoint, Conn., daughter of Morris Ketchum.

Children: Angeline Burr, Israel, Mary Abigail, Katharine Ketchum, Margaret Ketchum.

The family were originally Quakers, but most of them now belong to the Episcopal Church.

### 3331

ELIJAH,<sup>7</sup> of Samuel<sup>6</sup> (3140), Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 4, 1780, at Flushing; d. 1864; m. Mary Willis, Dec. 16, 1802; she was b. 1786, at Westbury, L. I. Living, 1870, with son Samuel M. at Catskill. Children:

3563 Samuel Mott, b. Dec. 25, 1806; d. 1883; m. (1) Caroline Howland of New Bedford, Mass.; m. (2) Jane Gardner of Troy.

3564 William Willis, b. 1809; d. Nov. 3, 1895; m. (1) Elizabeth Tait; m. (2) Sarah Drake.

3565 Sidney, b. April 30, 1815, in New York City; d. May 21, 1900; m. Sarah Ann Van Nostrand, Jan. 24, 1838.

- 3566 Walter W., b. 1819; d. 1824.  
 3567 Ann, b. 1804; d. 1807.  
 3568 Elizabeth Ann, m. William Binns, 1839, of Eng-  
 land. No children.  
 3569 Mary Jane, b. 1823; unmarried.

In the early part of the last century, he was engaged in the hardware business in New York City, the business being carried on after his death by his son Samuel M., and only closed in 1870 by his grandson Thomas L. (3684). In 1815, manumits a slave. Witness: De Witt Clinton.

**3337**

BARAK,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (3142), Barak,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 11, 1815; d. Sept. 13, 1892, at Providence, R. I.; m.  
 Mary Ann Howe, daughter of Thomas Howe of New York  
 City. Child:

- 3570 Josephine, m. Charles E. Taylor of Providence,  
 R. I.

He lived in New York the greater part of his life. 1835-  
 1855, had several deeds recorded in New York.

**3338**

JOHN,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (3142), Barak,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 4, 1817; d. June 4, 1890; m. Julia Haviland, 1847.  
 Children:

- 3571 John Henry, b. Oct. 20, 1850; m. Emma Potter.  
 3572 Mary Aletta, b. Sept. 20, 1856.  
 3573 Ella Augusta. b. Oct. 22, 1858; m. George A.  
 Barter.  
 3574 George Walley, b. Aug. 23, 1861; m. Jessie Pearson.  
 3575 William Haviland, b. April 27, 1866; m. Nellie  
 Bennum.  
 3576 George W., b. June 22, 1868; m. Amelia House-  
 man. Lives at Little Neck.  
 3577 Edward Field, b. April 10, 1873; d. young.

In 1894, his widow was still living at Little Neck on the farm that belonged to his grandfather Barak (3337). His sons John Henry and William Haviland also lived with him at Little Neck.

**3342**

MARY,<sup>7</sup> of Joshua<sup>6</sup> (3144), Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1788; m. Cornelius Cornell, only child of George and Charlotte Cornell; he was b. 1787. Children:

Olive, d. in infancy.

William Henry, m. Catharine Slidell. Alderman; Presidential elector, 1852.

Anna Maria, d. young.

George Washington, m. Catharine Redfield.

Charlotte, d. young.

John Lott, m. Ruth Bayliss.

Stephen Henderson, m. Charity A. Carpenter, dau. of Henry Mead Carpenter and Deborah Cornell.

Mary, m. William A. Freeborn, New York.

Charles Griffin, m. Catharine McMunn.\*

Helen C., m. Dr. George Wood Jewett, 56 E. 127th Street, New York.

Robert Gwyer,† m. Mary C. Banta; she was bap. Dec. 24, 1836.

Phebe Ann, m. Henry Delavan Grant.

The ancestry of Cornelius has not been traced. He had a brother or uncle Morris. He may be a grandson of George,<sup>5</sup> (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).

**3343**

WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> of Joshua<sup>6</sup> (3144), Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 2, 1792; d. April 5, 1880; m. (1) Maria Briggs of West-

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\* He was Councilman in 1858, a member of the State Senate in 1862, and a member of Assembly in 1873.

† His wife was a daughter of Albert Zabriskie and Mary Ann (Hosper) Banta. She was b. Dec. 24, 1836. He was a commission merchant in New York for many years, a Baptist and prominent in church matters. Children: Theodore Banta, b. Jan. 23, 1861; m. Augusta Moore, Dec. 22, 1891; Caroline, b. June 29, 1864; Grace Sayre, b. Feb. 19, 1866, m. James Bull, Dec. 15, 1890; Robert Gwyer, b. Sept. 13, 1875; Bessie, b. Sept. 19, 1878.

chester County; m. (2) Clarissa Farrington; m. (3) Caroline (Morey) Heroy, Nov., 1853, widow of Lavinius C. Heroy. Children:

By first wife:

- 3578 Samuel Merwin, b. Oct. 28, 1814; m. Mary E. Spicer.  
 3579 William Edgar, b. 1819; d. about 1885; m. Amelia T. Archer, May 22, 1848.

By second wife:

- 3580 Mary Ann, b. 1825; d. 1859; unmarried.  
 3581 Eugene Elijah, b. Nov. 29, 1835; m. Harriett M. Harris.  
 3582 Clarissa Josephine, b. about 1836; m. Dr. Charles Wesley Bates, Hempstead. Two children.  
 3583 James Hammond, b. 1838; m. Margaret E. Abrams.

By third wife:

- 3584 Caroline Matilda, m. William Creed, Pearsalls, Long Island.

About 1865, he bought a farm at Pearsalls, Long Island, where his eldest son was living in 1895. He was probably born at Success and spent the early part of his life there.

### 3351

JOHN HEWLETT,<sup>7</sup> of John<sup>6</sup> (3162), Hewlett,<sup>6</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 30, 1816; d. Dec. 27, 1887; m. Susan Reynolds. Children:

- 3585 Miriam W., b. Sept. 17, 1845; d. Sept. 16, 1887; m. Richard B. Parker.  
 3586 Margaret, b. Aug. 26, 1853; m. H. R. Searing.  
 3587 John Hewlett, b. Dec. 10, 1860; m. Mary C. Burr.

From 1835 until 1844, he was Captain and Paymaster in the 2nd Regiment, 1st Division, New York Volunteers.

**3354**

DANIEL ALLEN,<sup>7</sup> of Walter J.<sup>6</sup> (3164), Hewlett,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 5, 1827, at Cow Bay; m. Emeline Skidmore, Dec. 4, 1850, daughter of William and Martha Skidmore; she d. Oct. 20, 1879. Children:

3588 Martha, b. May 27, 1856; d. Feb. 11, 1897, at Sands Point; m. Robert L. Morrell, June 27, 1883. Child: Allen, b. March 15, 1885.

3589 Walter J., b. Jan 10, 1864; m. Amelia Goddard Powell, Feb. 3, 1885; she was b. in Brooklyn, June 26, 1864, daughter of William J. and Helen (Goddard) Powell. Child: Lilian Emeline, b. Nov. 30, 1886.

3590 William Skidmore, b. July 27, 1866; m. Julia Estelle Smith of Port Washington, June 1, 1887.

He inherited a farm of 300 acres from his father, most of which he has sold in plots. He was a Commissioner of Highways and belonged to the Protestant Episcopal Church.

**3358**

JAMES HEWLETT<sup>7</sup> [Cornwall], of Samuel Matthew<sup>6</sup> (3176), Samuel,<sup>5</sup> William,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 27, 1845; m. Isabel Wheeler, Sept. 30, 1868, daughter of N. W. Wheeler, M. D.; she was b. Feb. 21, 1848 or 1849.

Children:

3591 Egbert Wheeler, b. March 6, 1871; d. Oct. 24, 1896, in New Haven, Conn. Class of '92, Sheffield Scientific School, Yale. Afterwards in the engineering department of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co, and then with the Southern New England Telephone Co.

3592 Nathan Wheeler, b. Sept. 25, 1874; d. Aug. 14, 1875.

3593 Matthew Paterson, b. June 16, 1876.

The family are Presbyterians. He was class of '62, Yale. Was in business in Wall Street until 1873, and then went to his grandfather's farm in Dutchess Co., which he now owns, and which has been in the family since 1785.

**3362**

THOMAS,<sup>5</sup> of Peter<sup>7</sup> (3179), Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup>  
John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 23, 1814, at White Plains; d. March 30, 1890, at Rondout; m. Catharine Ann Woodmancie, Feb. 27, 1840, daughter of his step-mother; she d. May 15, 1897, aged 75 years. Children:

- 3594 Mary Augusta, b. Jan. 23, 1842; m. Samuel D. Coykendall of Rondout. Children: Thomas C., Harry, Edward, Frederick, Catharine, Robert Bayard, Frank.
- 3595 Peter Gedney, b. July 31, 1846; d. Sept. 16, 1846.
- 3596 Hiram Schoonmaker, b. April 29, 1849; d. May 2, 1849.
- 3597 Cornelia Lucy, b. July 9, 1854; d. Jan. 2, 1902; m. Robert Bayard Carpenter, Dec. 19, 1877. No children. Lived at 135 West 72d Street, New York City.

He went to New York when a boy, but in 1837 he moved to Kingston and entered the Hudson River freighting business. He began with one sloop, but eventually controlled almost the whole of the freighting and steamboat business on the river. He was elected to Congress in 1866 and 1880 by large majorities, and was a Presidential Elector for Benjamin Harrison. He was a founder and president of the First National Bank of Rondout and of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company and other local enterprises. His will was dated Sept. 30, 1889, and named his wife and his nephew Edwin Young as executors, but the former renounced. The estate amounted to between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000, and has been the subject of much litigation. He was a Baptist, though his ancestors had been Quakers.\*

**3364**

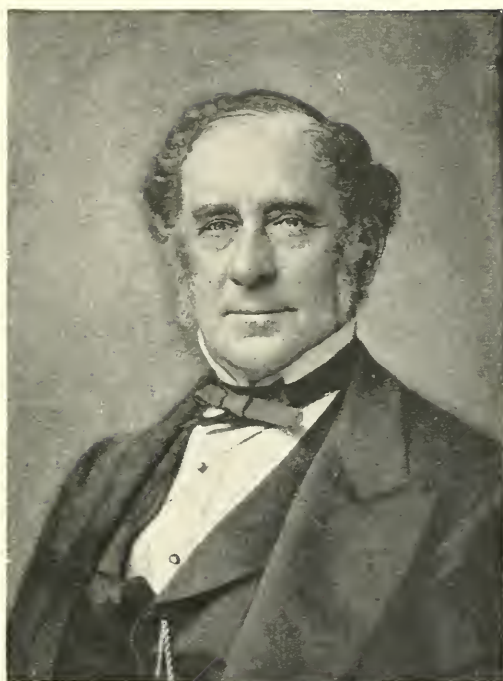
NATHANIEL TOMPKINS,<sup>8</sup> of Peter<sup>7</sup> (3179), Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup>  
Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 28, 1818; m. Caroline Tillson. Children:

- 3598 Oliver Tillson, m. Armie Morgan.

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\* See *Adam and Anne Mott, their Ancestors and their Descendants*, by Thomas C. Cornell.



Truly Yours friend  
Thomas Corwin





- 3599 Phebe Almira.
- 3600 Thomas Woodmancie.

**3365**

ANTHONY WILEY,<sup>8</sup> of Peter<sup>7</sup> (3179), Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup>  
Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 14, 1820; m. Mary Crozier. Children:

- 3601 Catharine.
- 3602 John.
- 3603 Mary.
- 3604 Thomas.

**3371**

JOSEPH,<sup>8</sup> of Peter<sup>7</sup> (3179), Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup>  
John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 4, 1836, at Rosendale, Ulster Co.; d. Nov. 12, 1898,  
in New York City; m. (1) Isabella Grant, of Stamford, N. Y.,  
Sept. 15, 1860; m. (2) Ella Mary Grant, Nov. 9, 1870 (no rel-  
ation to first wife). Children:

By first wife:

- 3605 Mary Belle, b. Aug. 28, 1861; m. Edwin Young of  
Albany, N. Y. He was killed by an accident  
while riding in Albany. Children: Isabella  
Cornell, b. Jan. 20, 1884, Mary Cornell, b. May  
20, 1887.
- 3606 Samuel Joseph, b. Oct. 4, 1863; d. Dec. 24, 1899;  
m. Lillian J. Benton, Dec. 15, 1886.

By second wife:

- 3607 Peter Grant, b. Dec. 25, 1871; m. (by Rev. Robert  
Morris Kemp) Emma Verona Schiers, June 22,  
1898, daughter of John Henry Schiers.
- 3608 Grant, b. Dec. 18, 1873.
- 3609 Joseph, b. Feb. 16, 1875.
- 3610 Frederick, b. June 20, 1876.

He received his education in the district schools, and in  
1852 went into partnership with his half-brother Thomas. They  
operated a line of steamboats between Rondout and New York,  
and were quite successful. In 1871, he left this and bought

the Catskill line of steamers which he operated for two years. He then sold out again, and with George W. Horton and Thomas D. Abrams, founded the Citizens Line. He was also president of the New Brunswick, Amboy and New York Steamboat Company, the Keyport Steamboat Company, and the Keyport Transportation Company, being one of the best known steamboat men in the country. He was also proprietor of the new Grand Hotel in the Catskill Mountains, and of the Grant House, near Catskill Village. He died very suddenly after having amassed a large fortune. His residence was No. 26 West 54th Street, N. Y.

### 3377

THOMAS ROBINSON,<sup>6</sup> of Caleb<sup>7</sup> (3184), Richard,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup>  
Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 15, 1818, in Scarsdale; m. Frances Chelles, July 1,  
1846. Children:

3611 Sarah, b. June 11, 1847.

3612 John, b. June 28, 1849.

### 3378

EDWIN,<sup>6</sup> of Caleb<sup>7</sup> (3184), Richard,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup>  
John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 16, 1820, in Mamaroneck; m. Sarah Elizabeth Bedell,  
Nov. 3, 1852, daughter of Solomon and Sarah Bedell of Long  
Island. Children:

3613 Clarence Washington, b. May 1, 1856.

3614 Emerson Lincoln, b. May 19, 1865.

3615 Alberta Mary, b. May 2, 1868.

1868, he was in the grocery business, No. 274 Bleecker  
Street, corner of Carmine, New York.

### 3384

DR. STEPHEN D.,<sup>6</sup> of Haviland<sup>7</sup> (3193), Haviland,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup>  
Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 1, 1826, at Yorktown; m. Catharine D. Griffin, Feb.  
22, 1848, at Bedford, N. Y., daughter of Peter M. and Sarah  
M. (Holmes) Griffin. Children:

3616 Stephen Eugene, b. March 26, 1850, at Bedford.

- 3617 Griffin P., b. July 5, 1852, at Mount Vernon, N. Y.
- 3618 Henry D., b. Sept. 6, 1854, at Mount Vernon.
- 3619 Phineas, b. Dec. 18, 1856, at Bedford.
- 3620 Emma C., b. Nov. 18, 1859, at Brooklyn.
- 3621 Anne L., b. Aug. 27, 1865, at Brooklyn.

### 3385

WILLIAM HENRY,<sup>5</sup> of Haviland<sup>7</sup> (3193), Haviland,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup>  
Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 31, 1828, in New York City; m. Cora D. Curtis, Oct.  
30, 1856, at Buffalo, daughter of Almaine and Elizabeth  
(Chase) Curtis; she d. Sept. 4, 1867. Children:

- 3622 Benjamin D., b. Feb. 28, 1858, at Marilla, Erie Co.
- 3623 William G., b. June 21, 1860, at Middlebury,  
Wyoming Co.
- 3624 Nellie D., b. at Warsaw, Wyoming Co.

### 3389

GEORGE W.,<sup>5</sup> of Haviland<sup>7</sup> (3193), Haviland,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup> Richard,<sup>4</sup>  
Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 4, 1839, at Tyre, Seneca Co.; m. Matilda D. Black-  
man, at Marilla, Erie Co., daughter of Ambrose and Eliza  
(Worden) Blackman. Children:

- 3625 Rose Matilda, b. Oct. 14, 1864, at Marilla.
- 3626 Tillie, b. Jan. 5, 1866.
- 3627 Stephen G., b. May 25, 1867, at Alden, Erie Co.

### 3450

WILLIAM HENRY,<sup>5</sup> of Stephen<sup>7</sup> (3247), William Haviland,<sup>6</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 14, 1842; m. Philena D. Baker, Dec. 11, 1872; she was  
b. Nov. 12, 1852. Children:

- 3628 Stephen B., b. Oct. 12, 1873.
- 3629 Alice C., b. April 30, 1879; d. Nov. 30, 1879.
- 3630 Edward D., b. Dec. 7, 1882; d. July 13, 1883.
- 3631 Henry T. (twin of above).
- 3632 Louisa W., b. Aug. 24, 1889.

His residence is in Brooklyn.

**3451**

CHARLES W.,<sup>8</sup> of Stephen<sup>7</sup> (3247), William Haviland,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup>  
Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 21, 1845; m. Lucy Nevens Ireland, Sept. 18, 1878; she  
was b. April 28, 1848. Children:

3633 Ward Ireland, b. Nov. 1, 1881.

3634 Charles Tompkins, b. May 4, 1883.

His residence is in East Orange, N. J.

**3453**

ALBERT,<sup>8</sup> of Stephen<sup>7</sup> (3247), William Haviland,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup>  
Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 24, 1849; d. at New Rochelle, Feb. 18, 1901; m. Anna  
E. Davis, March 11, 1873; she was b. Dec. 16, 1849. Children:

3635 Albert Miller, b. March 13, 1874.

3636 Marian, b. Aug. 19, 1876 or 1879; m. Charles J.  
Kammermeyer, Aug. 17, 1897. One daughter.

3637 Howard Irvin, b. Dec. 20 or 30, 1884.

3638 Ruby May, b. Dec. 2, 1886.

He lived at Upper New Rochelle.

**3455**

WILLIAM THOMAS,<sup>8</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (3248), William Haviland,<sup>6</sup>  
Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 11, 1845; m. Lucinda Vail Rushmore. Children:

3639 Lillian Rushmore, b. 1880; m. Edward Taggart  
Child, April 27, 1901, in New York.

3640 Florence Seney, b. 1883.

3641 Thomas Rushmore, b. 1885; d. Jan. 9, 1892.

He is cashier of the Lincoln National Bank, New York.

**3461**

WILLIAM T.,<sup>8</sup> of Richard Titus<sup>7</sup> (3250), Stephen,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup>  
Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 11, 1837; m. Abbie L. Wilson, May 30, 1860, at Brook-  
lyn. Children:

3642 Richard T., b. March 8, 1861, at Mobbett's Hill,  
Dutchess Co.,

3643 William Mott, b. Sept. 20, 1865.

**3470**

STEPHEN SAMUEL,<sup>6</sup> of Richard C.<sup>7</sup> (3254), Samuel S.,<sup>6</sup> Stephen,<sup>5</sup> Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Feb. 25, 1856; m. Sarah W. Disbrow, Oct. 1, 1881. Children:

- 3644 Ella Wacona, b. Sept. 17, 1882.
- 3645 Louisa Disbrow, b. July 14 or 16, 1884.
- 3646 Howard Walter, b. July 13 or 31, 1891.

He has a farm of about thirty acres at New Rochelle, north of his father's.

**3483**

WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> of Jesse<sup>7</sup> (3283), Joshua,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1820; d. 1899; m. Emeline P. Cornell, 19.9, 1844 (see No. 3517).  
 Children:

- 3647 Henrietta, b. 9.3, 1845; m. David Purvis, 1.9, 1873.  
 Child: George.
- 3648 George, b. 6.28, 1860; m. Mary J. Hill, Aug. 20, 1889. No children.
- 3649 Emily, b. 11.8, 1862; m. Jonah D. Zavitz, Ontario, Canada. Children: Clara J., Edwin, Helen, Russell, William.
- 3650 Jennie, teacher in Friends' Central School, Philadelphia.

He was a merchant in Otterville, Ontario, Canada, for many years.

**3506**

MARY M.,<sup>6</sup> of Elisha<sup>7</sup> (3293), Quimby,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Aug. 10, —; m. John Taylor, Oct. 24, 1822, of Pelham, Ontario, Canada. She was his second wife. Children (*Taylor*):

- Elisha Cornell, m. (1) Caroline Moore, 1844; m. (2) Hannah Cox about 1871. Children (by first wife): Sarah Jane, (m. Rev. James F. Barker, Baptist minister, June 14, 1865); Adelaide, Mary, John Brewster, William, Azubah, Adelaide Adell, Lydia, Elisha, Caroline J., Allen E.,

Lochlin Hume, James Barker. By (second wife): Nathan, Martha, Maude, Nellie, Charles J., Alberta, Lily. (In all twenty.)

Jacob, b. 1828; m. Nancy Harris. Children: Twins, d. young, Alonzo, Charles, Harry, Frank, Fred, Ella.

Mary of Elisha, died aged about 38 years, and is described as a very pious and devoted wife and mother. She was a member of the Society of Friends (Quakers).

### 3520

HANNAH DOTY,<sup>8</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (3295), Quimby,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 6, 1807; d. Aug. 8, 1898; m. Joseph M. Howland, Sept. 26, 1827. Children (*Howland*):

Elizabeth, b. 1.17, 1830; m. Elias Hicks, son of Samuel S. Hicks of Pleasant Valley, Dutchess Co.; he was b. Feb. 20, 1825. Lives in Rochester, N. Y. Children (all living in Rochester): Clinton Chapman Hicks, b. 5.17, 1847 or 1857(?); m. Hannah M. White, 3.24, 1869 or 1879(?); Franklin Burnette Hicks, b. 6.23, 1859, m. Julia M. Elridge, 2.28, 1883; Otis Moffett Hicks, b. 2.22, 1862, m. Maria Julia Plumb.

Robert, b. 7.11, 1833; d. 7.21, 1833.

Amy, b. 7.18, 1834; m. Albert K. Spencer. Children: Belle D. and Meritt Howland.

Delia, b. 7.20, 1841; m. Christopher H. Plumb. Children: William H., Robert J., Almon H., Minnie J., Watson J.

Joseph M. Howland was a carpenter and moved early to Wayne Co., N. Y. He was a Quaker and an elder of the meeting. He and his wife who died at the age of 91 years and 3 months, were the last of the old-fashioned Quakers in that part of the country. She always wore the gray costume with a poke bonnet.

### 3535

JOHN,<sup>8</sup> of Abraham<sup>7</sup> (3299), James,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1809 or 1810; d. 1832; m. Betsy Smith. Child:

- 3651 John Smith,\* m. Anna Maria Hale of Mt. Kisco, N. Y. Children: George and William of Staten Island, two and perhaps three others.

**3536**

JACOB G.,<sup>6</sup> of Abraham<sup>7</sup> (3299), James,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1811; m. Margaret McCord or Mary Purdy. Children:

- 3652 Aaron.
- 3653 Willett.
- 3654 Sarah C.
- 3655 Joshua.
- 3656 Ezra.

He settled on a farm in the town of Cortlandt, Westchester Co., which was afterwards taken for the Croton Reservoir. The Cornell Dam on the Croton River was then named after him.

**3537**

JAMES,<sup>6</sup> of Abraham<sup>7</sup> (3299), James,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1813, in New Castle, Westchester Co.; d. 1878; m. Margaret Tompkins of Yorktown, Dec., 1839. Children:

- 3657 Mariana, b. in New Castle; m. John Travis. Child: Mariana, b. 1861, Bedford; d. 1884.
- 3658 Herbert James, b. 1843 in New Castle; d. 1863. Enlisted in the army in 1861, and d. unmarried.
- 3659 Harrison Abraham, b. 1847; m. Mary Elma Jordan.
- 3660 Purdy Tompkins, b. 1850; m. Harriet Parker.
- 3661 Anne, b. 1855 at New Castle; d. 1871.

He lived first in New Castle, but moved to Bedford in 1867.

**3541**

OLIVER C.,<sup>6</sup> of Abraham<sup>7</sup> (3299), James,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1821; m. Sarah Louisa Miller, at Sing Sing, New York, April 29, 1849, daughter of William Miller. Children:

- 3662 Rev. Henry A., b. Jan. 31, 1852; m. Augusta Yeomans, Jan. 1, 1873.

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\* Some authorities say his name was John Jacob and that he married Mary Purdy and his children were those of No. 3536.

- 3663 Abraham C., b. Aug. 23, 1853; d. March 29, 1892; m. Eva See, 1873.
- 3664 Robert M., b. June 9, 1854; m. Hester Warren, 1877.
- 3665 Mary Elizabeth, b. Nov. 29, 1860; m. Leonard K. Paulding. Children: Earl, d. young, Henry.
- 3666 Olive D., b. July 4, 1865; m. (1) Charles Stephan of Sing Sing; m. (2) Edwin R. Smith, of Poughkeepsie. No children. Living at Astoria, L. I.
- 3667 Alice Matilda, b. Nov. 24, 1873; m. Thomas Ward, of Troy, N. Y., May, 1891. Lives in Lansingburgh, N. Y. Children: Earl, Olive.

**3544**

WILLIAM TILLSON,<sup>8</sup> of Joel<sup>7</sup> (3305), William,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1863; m. Elizabeth Wood, daughter of Stephen and Phebe Wood of Mt. Kisco, N. Y. Children:

- 3668 William Henry, b. Nov. 20, 1848; d. Aug. 23, 1849.
- 3669 Mary Jane, b. Nov. 20, 1848; d. Jan. 1, 1849.
- 3670 Stephen Wood, b. Nov. 26, 1854, at Clintondale, N. Y.; m. Florence Reynolds, June 19, 1877.

**3561**

HIRAM,<sup>8</sup> of Birdsall<sup>7</sup> (3318), Josiah,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1815 in Ulster County; m. Sarah A. Haight of Ulster Co., about 1839. Children:

- 3671 Elena and others.

In 1857, he removed to Missouri with four daughters and one son. He was in the War of the Rebellion on the Confederate side, and in 1871 was a farmer in Fulton, Callaway Co., Mo.

**3562**

GEORGE JAMES,<sup>8</sup> of Robert Comfort<sup>7</sup> (3328), Comfort,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1859; m. Caroline Cornelia Elliott, adopted daughter of her uncle Augustus Greele. Children:



- 3672 Robert Clifford, b. 1853 in New York; m. Malvina Helen Lamson, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth (Marshall) Lamson. Class of '74, Columbia College. A. M. and LL.B., 1876. Lawyer, New York City. 1895, July, appointed City Magistrate by Mayor Strong for ten years. Is a Unitarian.
- 3673 Amy, d. aged 16.
- 3674 Edith, b. 1851; m. L. Sidney Smith. He is a lawyer in New York City.

He was a Republican, a Member of the Assembly in 1849, and a candidate for Lieutenant-Governor in 1858. His will, dated in 1857, names six executors, and contains stringent provisions against his daughters marrying without the consent of the executors.

**3563**

SAMUEL MOTT,<sup>6</sup> of Elijah<sup>7</sup> (3331), Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Dec. 25, 1806; d. July 17, 1883, in Catskill; m. (1) Caroline J. Howland of New Bedford; m. (2) Jane Gardner of Troy, N. Y. Child:

- 3675 Mary Elizabeth, m. Henry Hopkins.

**3564**

WILLIAM WILLIS,<sup>6</sup> of Elijah<sup>7</sup> (3331), Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>6</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 1809; d. Nov. 3, 1895; m. (1) Elizabeth Tait; m. (2) Sarah Drake of Plainfield, N. J. Children:

By first wife:

- 3676 William.

By second wife:

- 3677 Thomas L.  
3678 Mary.  
3679 Walter.  
3680 Sarah.  
3681 Eliza.  
3682 Elizabeth.

**3565**

SIDNEY,<sup>8</sup> of Elijah<sup>7</sup> (3331), Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. April 30, 1815, in New York City; d. May 20, 1899; m. Sarah Ann Van Nostrand, Jan. 24, 1838; she was b. July 11, 1814, daughter of Foster and Christina\* (Tiers) Van Nostrand of New York. Children:

3683 Emma, d. young.

3684 Thomas Lavender, b. Dec. 5, 1839; m. (1) Elizabeth Eugenia Shelton; m. (2) Anita Merrill Kellogg, April 17, 1895.

3685 Samuel Mott, m. Rebecca Gold, daughter of Matthew Gold. Lives in Guilford, Conn.

3686 Anna.

3687 Sidney, b. Jan. 17, 1857; d. Jan. 1, 1876.

He was one of the old time merchants of New York, and a typical gentleman of the old school. He was in the hardware business from about 1840, and lived on Brooklyn Heights. He had a country place at Newton, Conn., which he finally made his permanent home. He was a director in the Brooklyn Bank and in the Long Island Safe Deposit Company.

**3578**

SAMUEL MERWIN,<sup>8</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (3343), Joshua,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Oct. 28, 1814, in New York City; m. Mary E. Spicer. Children:

3688 Cornelia Matilda, b. about 1862; d. unmarried.

3689 William, b. about 1863; d. young.

3690 Ida Mary, b. May 27, 1866; m. Giles Mainwaring.

3691 William, b. Feb. 17, 1868; m. Kate Rockwell Stacey.

3692 Samuel Merwin, b. April 22, 1873.

3693 Beulah Morey, b. Nov. 15, 1875; d. unmarried.

3694 Frederick Garfield, b. 1881.

Resides at Pearsalls, Long Island.

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\* She was daughter of Cornelius Tiers and Nancy Barnes.

**3579**

WILLIAM EDGAR,<sup>8</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (3343), Joshua,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup>  
Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1819; d. 1885; m. Amelia T. Archer, May 22, 1848, of  
Mount Vernon. Child:

3695 Phebe, m. twice.

His wife was a Quakeress, and is buried at Chappequa.

**3581**

EUGENE ELIJAH,<sup>8</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (3343), Joshua,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup>  
Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 29, 1835, in New York City; m. Harriet M. Harris of  
New York, formerly of Saratoga Co. Children:

3696 William E., b. 1859; m. Mary E. Roberts. Five  
children:

3697 Alice M.

3698 Clara Matilda, d. unmarried.

3699 Evangeline.

**3583**

JAMES HAMMOND,<sup>8</sup> of William<sup>7</sup> (3343), Joshua,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup>  
Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1838; m. Margaret E. Abrams (her mother was cousin of  
William). Children:

3700 Clara, b. about 1876.

3701 James Hammond, b. about 1879.

**3587**

JOHN HEWLETT,<sup>8</sup> of John Hewlett<sup>7</sup> (3162), John,<sup>6</sup> Hewlett,<sup>5</sup> John,<sup>4</sup>  
Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 10, 1860; m. Mary C. Burr of Cold Spring, N. Y.,  
daughter of William and Mary; she was b. May 7, 1863.  
Children:

3702 John Willard, b. July 27, 1884.

3703 Solomon or Selemna, b. April 16, 1886; d. July 4,  
1886.

3704 Audrey, b. May 16, 1887.

- 3705 Hewlett, b. Sept. 28, 1889.  
 3706 John Hewlett or William Hewlett, b. Oct. 3, 1894;  
 d. Oct. 9, 1894.

**3606**

SAMUEL JOSEPH,<sup>9</sup> of Joseph<sup>8</sup> (3371), Peter,<sup>7</sup> Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Peter,<sup>5</sup>  
 Richard,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Oct. 4, 1863; d. Dec. 24, 1899; m. Lillian J. Benton of  
 Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 15, 1886. Children:

- 3707 Joseph Delmonte, b. Jan. 11, 1888.  
 3708 Lillian Benton, b. June 8, 1890.

He resided in Kingston, N. Y.

**3659**

HARRISON ABRAHAM,<sup>9</sup> of James<sup>8</sup> (3537), Abraham,<sup>7</sup> James,<sup>6</sup>  
 William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1847 at New Castle; m. Mary Elma Jordan, daughter of  
 Richard and Sarah M. (Griffin) Jordan, Dec., 1869; she was  
 b. 1847. Children (all born at Golden Bridge, N. Y.):

- 3709 Charles Jordan, b. 1870; m. Edith Carpenter of  
 White Plains, 1891. Moved to Madison, N. J.  
 Child: Mildred, b. 1893 at White Plains.  
 3710 Herbert James, b. 1872. Dentist, 167 West 71st  
 Street, New York City.  
 3711 Harrison Abram, b. 1875; m. Millie Naramore of  
 Ansonia, Conn., 1897. Moved to Montclair, N. J.,  
 1899.  
 3712 Bailey Jordan, b. 1877.

He lives at Croton-on-Hudson.

**3660**

PURDY TOMPKINS,<sup>9</sup> of James<sup>8</sup> (3537), Abraham,<sup>7</sup> James,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>5</sup>  
 Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1850 at New Castle; m. Harriet Parker of Golden Bridge.  
 Children:

- 3713 Mary, b. 1879 at Golden Bridge.  
 3714 George Herbert, b. 1888 at Brewsters, N. Y.

He removed in 1886 from Golden Bridge to Brewsters.

**3662**

REV. HENRY A.,<sup>9</sup> of Oliver C.<sup>8</sup> (3541), Abraham,<sup>7</sup> James,<sup>6</sup>  
William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 31, 1852; m. Augustaf Yeomans, Jan. 1, 1873. Child:

3715 Theodore, b. Sept. 20, 1879, at Hartford, N. Y.  
Class of 1903, Brown University.

He graduated from Madison University, in 1872, and from Hamilton Theological Seminary in 1875. Ordained to the Baptist ministry at Sing Sing, in Nov., 1873. He has been pastor successively at Rutherford, N. J., for two years, Hartford, N. Y., for two years, Wappingers Falls, N. Y., for seven years, Athens, N. Y., for four years, Keesvile, N. Y., for two years, Chelmsford, Mass., for three years, and is now residing in Providence, R. I., as acting pastor of the Second Richmond Baptist Church at Shannock.

**3663**

ABRAHAM C.,<sup>9</sup> of Oliver C.<sup>8</sup> (3541), Abraham,<sup>7</sup> James,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>6</sup>  
Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Aug. 23, 1853; d. March 29, 1892, in New York City; m.  
Eva See, 1873, at Tarrytown, N. Y. Children (born at  
Rochester, N. Y.):

3716 Frederick, b. Aug. 8, 1874.

3717 Clarence, b. July 12, 1879.

He lived for several years at Rochester, N. Y., where both his children still live, but he has removed to Boston, Mass.

**3664**

ROBERT M.,<sup>9</sup> of Oliver C.<sup>8</sup> (3541), Abraham,<sup>7</sup> James,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>6</sup>  
Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. June 9, 1854; m. Hester Warren, 1877, at Sing Sing, N. Y.  
Children:

3718 Ralph, b. March 4, 1878.

3719 George W., b. Aug. 6, 1881.

3720 Bessie, b. Sept. 29, 1883.

He resides in New York City.

**3670**

STEPHEN WOOD,<sup>9</sup> of William Tillson<sup>8</sup> (3544), Joel,<sup>7</sup> William,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Nov. 26, 1854, at Clintondale, Dutchess Co., N. Y.; m. Florence Reynolds, June 19, 1877, daughter of Elias and Jane Reynolds of Croton Lake, N. Y. Children:

- 3721 Emily Wood.
- 3722 William Augustus.
- 3723 Esther R.
- 3724 Alice.

He has been in the lumber and manufacturing business in Pleasantville, Westchester Co. The family are Quakers.

**3684**

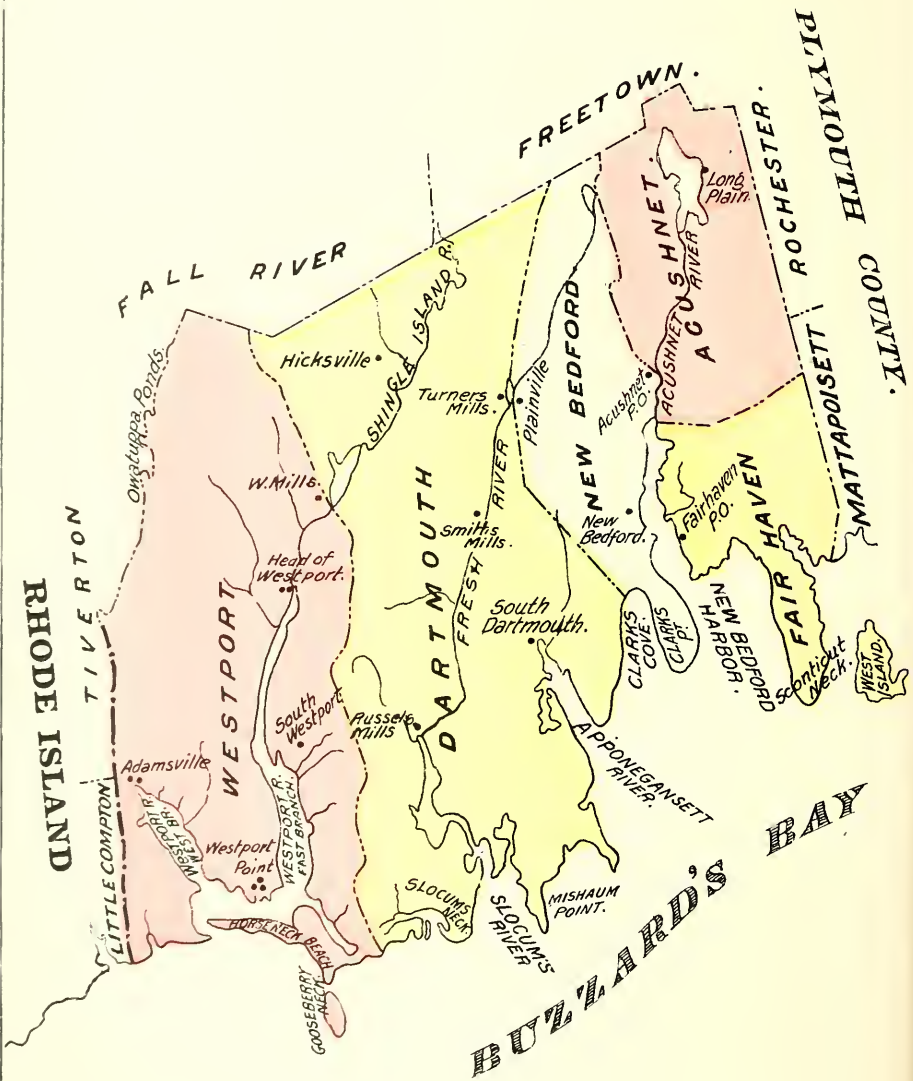
THOMAS LAVENDER,<sup>9</sup> of Sidney<sup>8</sup> (3565), Elijah,<sup>7</sup> Samuel,<sup>6</sup> Barak,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 5, 1839, in New York City; m. (1) Elizabeth Eugenia Shelton, Feb. 24, 1863, daughter of Edward Nelson and Mary Jane (De Forest) Shelton; she was b. July 31, 1841; m. (2) Anita Merrill Kellogg, April 17, 1895. Child:

- 3725 Edward Shelton, b. Jan. 14, 1864; m. Eleanor Witherspoon, Nov. 3, 1886, daughter of Rev. Orlando Witherspoon. Children: Sidney, Alice Witherspoon, Edward Shelton, Thomas Lavender and John Witherspoon.

He moved from New York City to Brooklyn, and his health failing, went to Birmingham, Conn. He was president of the Cornell and Shelton Company, and of the National Folding Paper Box Company of New Haven and New York. He is much interested in the family genealogy, and has furnished much information to the author.



# MAP OF DARTMOUTH, MASS.





## SAMUEL CORNELL.

### 10

SAMUEL,<sup>2</sup> of Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 1642 or earlier; d. before 1715; m. ———. Children:

- 4001 Thomas, b. 22.9, 1685; d. 1763; m. (1) Catharine Potter, March 5, 1716; m. (2) Mary Russell, 1755.
- 4002 Samuel, b. 11.1, 1688; d. 1740; m. (1) Deborah ———, about 1713; m. (2) Rebecca ———, 1730.
- 4003 Comfort, a daughter, b. Dec. 4, 1691.

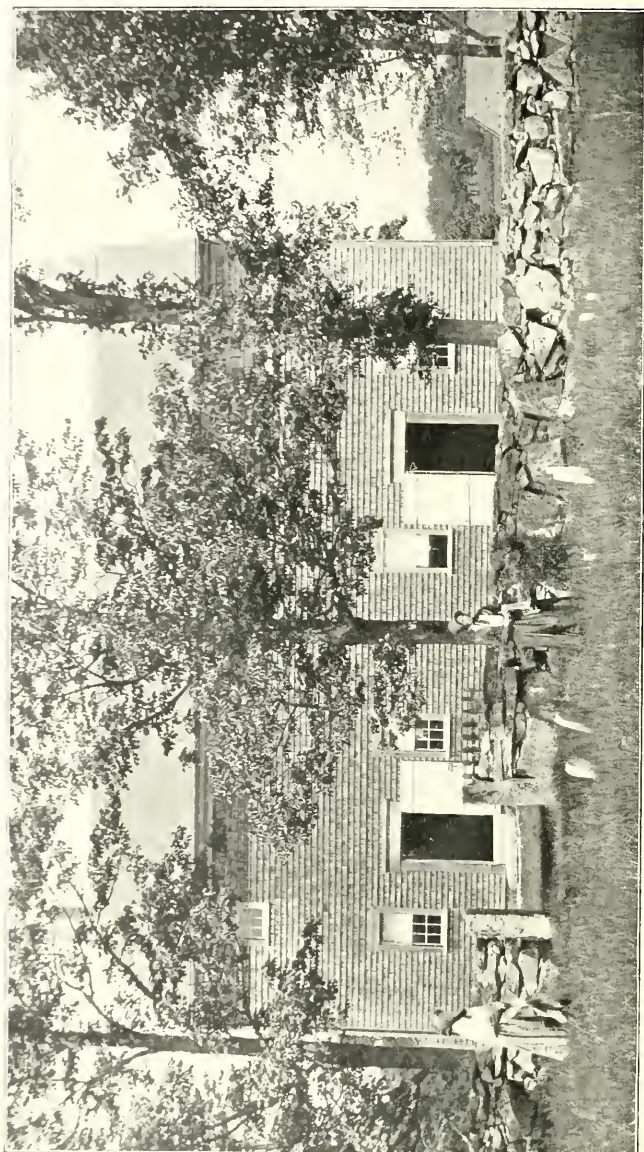
In 1664, Nov. 21, Joshua Cornell (8) of "Accookset in New Plimouth," conveys to Samuel Cornell of the same place, for £24, two parcels of land at "Acookset, Acushnet and parcels adjacent, one parcel being a sixt part of a share of land in the afores<sup>d</sup> Purchase land with all ye privileges comonages meadows and all other Immunityes thereunto belonging which said sixt part was given me by my Mother Mrs. Cornell. The other parcel being twenty acres more or less which I bought of William Earle as by his deed doth appear," to be holden as of the Manor of East Greenwich. 1669, March 21, "Rebecca Cornell, widow to the late deceased Mr. Thomas Cornell (1) of Portsmouth on Rhoad Island, to my loving sonn Samuel Cornell, now an inhabitant in the town of Dartmouth,\* in New plimouth, do freely willingly and of my own voluntary mind really and fully give grant enfeoff and confirm unto my said sonn Samuel Cornell, a certain parcel or tract of land (by me purchased since the decease of my aforesaid husband) conteyning the one-sixt part of a lot or share or proportion of land within the aforesaid town of Dartmouth, part whereof is already laid out at the place commonly called Cookset, and now in the possession of my said son Samuel." Witnesses: Joshua Coggeshall, Thomas

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\* Dartmouth lies across the bay from Portsmouth. It was purchased from Wesamequen or Massasoit and his son Wamsutta by a deed dated New Plymouth, Nov. 29, 1652. The tract embraced all the shore for three miles east from the Acushnet River, extending "from the sea upward to go so high that the English may not be annoyed by the hunting of the Indians in any sort." This tract was divided among the original patentees in shares of many hundred acres.

Cornell (2), Philip Allin. 1670, May 29, he appears in the census of the inhabitants of the town of Dartmouth, Mass. In 1682, he was constable there. In 1684, he took the oath of fidelity. In 1685, there was a law suit against Thomas Cornell, Samuel Cornell, David Wilcox and John Russell. In 1688, May 17, there was an agreement between Samuel and his cousin (nephew) Thomas,<sup>3</sup> (Thomas,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>) as to the boundary line between them, there having been "a great difference between us." His will is dated May 3, 1699, and was proved April 5, 1715. He calls himself of Dartmouth, and leaves to his eldest son Thomas, his dwelling house and adjoining land, "with all my meadows upon three little Islands, with six acres at the point called Pottoswatuxet," all in Dartmouth. Samuel received land lying between James Sisson and James Tripp, with 50 acres of undivided lands; To his son Thomas a chest and a box and a small bible which was his mother's, feather bed and andirons; to his daughter Comfort £40 in New England silver, to be paid £5 when she became 18, and £5 each year thereafter until paid. Executors: "my loving coson [nephew] Thomas Cornell of Portsmouth and my coson George Cadman of Dartmouth."





APPONEGANSETT MEETING HOUSE (DARTMOUTH).

## DESCENDANTS OF SAMUEL<sup>2</sup> (10).

### 4001

THOMAS,<sup>3</sup> of Samuel<sup>2</sup> (10), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 22.9, 1685; d. 1763; m. (1) Catharine Potter, March 5, 1716,\*  
daughter of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Stokes) Potter; m. (2)  
Mary Russell, 1755. Children:

4004 Rebecca, b. Aug. 3, 1717; m. Edward Wing, March  
14, 1740.

4005 Peleg, b. Dec. 9, 1719; d. about 1782; m. Mary  
Russell, Jan. 13, 1739.

4006 Susannah, b. May 13, 1722; m. Richard Gifford,  
April 30, 1750, son of Christopher and Mary Gif-  
ford of Dartmouth.

4007 Joshua, b. June 22, 1724; d. 1788; m. Susannah Gif-  
ford, daughter of Christopher and Mary Gifford,  
15.1, 1749.

4008 Catharine, b. June 22, 1724; d. before her father.†

4009 Elizabeth, b. July 17, 1729; m. ——— Gifford.

He was a Quaker. Probably the Thomas who signs as clerk  
at "Monthly Meeting at our Meeting House, 6mo., 15d., 1709."  
Apponegansett Meeting House, Dartmouth, Mass.

There are a number of deeds of Thomas Cornell of Dart-  
mouth on record, running from 1708 to 1750. His will dated  
May 25, 1763, was proved Aug. 2 of that year. He leaves to his  
wife Mary all the household goods she brought with her when  
she came to live with him, and all the notes of hand for money  
made or indorsed to her; to his son Peleg, he left the home-  
stead, except half an acre and eight rods bought of William  
Cadman, and a salt meadow bought of Jeremiah Deval, with  
half of his cedar swamp; To Joshua, the farm bought of Chris-  
topher Gifford, and Pine Island; to his daughters Rebecca  
Wing and Susannah Gifford, £25 each; to his granddaughter  
Elizabeth Gifford, daughter of his daughter Elizabeth Gifford,  
deceased, £10. Executor: son Peleg. Witnesses: James  
Wilkes, Benjamin Wing.

\* See the *Leonard Book*.

† See *Austin's Genealogical Dictionary*.

**4002**

SAMUEL,<sup>3</sup> of Samuel<sup>2</sup> (10), Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. 11.1. 1688; d. 1740; m. (1) Deborah ———, about 1713; m. (2) Rebecca ———, 1730. Children:

By first wife:

- 4010 Samuel, b. Jan. 20, 1714. In 1759, he was in Dutchess Co., N. Y. Deed from his father, 1740.
- 4011 John, b. Nov. 7, 1716.
- 4012 George, b. March 23, 1718-9; m.(?) Mary Eddy, May 16, 1737 (see William,<sup>4</sup> Stephen,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).
- 4013 Grizel, b. Jan. 29, 1721; m. George Thomas.
- 4014 Job, b. May 27, 1723.
- 4015 Phebe, b. July 16, 1724.
- 4016 Paul, b. July 12, 1726.
- 4017 Elizabeth, b. Oct. 13, 1729.

By second wife:

- 4018 Rebecca, b. Sept. 30, 1731.
- 4019 Deborah.
- 4020 Zilpah.

A number of deeds from him are recorded in the old records of Dartmouth, Mass., from 1715 to 1740. In 1739, there is a deed from Samuel Cornell, Paul Cornell, George Thomas and his wife Grizel Cornell, Elizabeth Cornell, Deborah Cornell and Zilpah Cornell, all of Crumell's Precinct, in the county of Dutchess, New York, to Joseph Wing, the homestead which belonged to their late father, Samuel Cornell.

**4005**

PELEG,<sup>4</sup> of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (4001), Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 9, 1719; d. about 1782; m. Mary Russell, 1 m., 13, 1739, in Friends' Meeting; she was b. 10 m., 20, 1723, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Tucker) Russell (Joseph,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Ralph,<sup>1</sup>) (see Russell Lineage, Appendix). Children:

- 4021 Rebecca, b. Jan. 1, 1741; m. George Borden.
- 4022 Thomas, b. Oct. 18, 1742; d. about 1804; m. Catharine Wilcox, March 28, 1765.

- 4023 Abraham, b. Aug. 28, 1744; d. Feb. 18, 1825; m. Priscilla Sanford, Jan. 21, 1775.
- 4024 Lydia, b. Nov. 6, 1746. She had an illegitimate son Pardon, b. Dec. 30, 1766, who was nursed by Lydia's mother when son Nathaniel was 20 days old.
- 4025 Experience, b. May 7, 1749; m. Bennett Cook, July 15, 1772, and moved to Berne, Albany Co., N. Y.,
- 4026 Catharine, b. April 14, 1751; d. Aug. 17, 1832; m. Justus Kirby, Dec. 27, 1769. Children: Catharine, Abner, Lydia and Elizabeth (see Kirby Lineage, Appendix).
- 4027 David, b. July 19, 1753. Went to Albany Co., N. Y., thence to Onondago Co.
- 4028 Joseph, b. Oct. 18, 1755; m. ———.
- 4029 Peleg, b. Dec. 12, 1757; d. about 1812; m. (1) Meribah Smith, June 22, 1784; m. (2) Nancy Anthony, Nov. 15, 1792 or 1799; m. (3) Miriam Smith, April 29, 1810.
- 4030 Elizabeth, b. Sept. 20, 1759.
- 4031 John, b. July 30, 1763; d. April 3, 1845; m. Mehitabel Allen, 4mo., 11, 1788.
- 4032 Nathaniel, b. Dec. 10, 1766; d. May 18, 1838; m. Elizabeth Landuff.
- 4033 Holder, b. Aug. 14, 1768; m. Fanny Sanford. Child: Mary.
- 4034 Gideon.

Many deeds of his, especially to his children, are recorded in Dartmouth, chiefly between 1768 and 1782. David, Joseph, Nathaniel and Holder moved to Albany Co., New York, where they settled first in Berne, and later in Rensselaerville.

#### 4007

JOSHUA,<sup>4</sup> of Thomas<sup>3</sup> (4001), Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. June 22, 1724; d. 1788; m. Susannah Gifford, 15.1, 1749,\*  
 daughter of Christopher and Mary Gifford of Dartmouth;  
 she d. 1815. Children:

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\* See *Friends' Records* and *Leonard Book*, (MSS) Dartmouth.

- 4035 Christopher, b. Feb. 27, 1750; d. March 25, 1823;  
m. Sarah Kirby, May 19, 1776.
- 4036 Gideon, b. 1753; d. April, 1836, at Union Springs,  
N. Y.; m. Ruth White, Sept. 13, 1778.
- 4037 Stephen, d. 1829; m. Rhoda White, April 27, 1781.
- 4038 Daniel, m. Mary, daughter of Daniel Allen in  
Westport, mo., 15, 1797.
- 4039 Ruth.\*

His will describes him as of Westport, Bristol County, Mass., and is dated June 6, 1788, proved Oct. 7 of that year. His wife Susannah is to have the use of the west end of his dwelling house, and half of his looms, etc. All the children are mentioned. Stephen is to have land bounded on the north by Abraham Cornell. Ruth is to live in the house as long as she remains single.

His wife Susannah Cornell also made a will in 1815 which mentions all her children.

## 4012

GEORGE,<sup>4</sup> of Samuel<sup>3</sup> (4002), Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 23, 1718-19; m. (?) Mary Eddy of Middletown,  
May 16, 1737. Children:

- 4040 Ebenezer, b. July 18, 1738; m. Peace Macomber.
- 4041 Mehitabel, b. Dec. 27, 1740.
- 4042 William, b. Jan. 16, 1744; m. Phebe Snell in Dartmouth.
- 4043 Seth, b. July 10, 1751; m. Phebe Shaw, 1770. One daughter.
- 4044 Ruth, b. Jan. 10, 1754; m. James Brownell, son of Robert, April 27, 1775.
- 4045 Elizabeth, b. Dec. 29, 1756; m. Samuel Soule. She died of cancer and was buried on Elemuel Cornell's farm in Guilford, N. Y.
- 4046 George(?), m. Lydia Davis, March 18, 1779.†

There are several deeds supposed to be from him recorded in Dartmouth, and dated between 1754 and 1783. It is not certain that this George was the son of Samuel (4002). George,<sup>4</sup>

\* 1827, Ruth to Daniel, deed of Westport land bequeathed to her by Joshua. Both call themselves of Westport.

† George of Dartmouth, m. Ruth Bonner, Jan. 31, 1776.



of Samuel<sup>3</sup> (4002), m. Mary Eddy and was of Dartmouth. This George m. Mary ———, and may have been of Middletown.

### 4022

THOMAS,<sup>6</sup> of Peleg<sup>4</sup> (4005), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Oct. 18, 1742; d. about 1804; m. Catharine Wilcox, March  
28, 1765; pub. Feb. 14, in Westport. Children:

4047 Lydia, b. Feb. 14, 1766; d. Dec. 24, 1852; m. Isaac<sup>6</sup>  
Howland (Philip,<sup>6</sup> Seth,<sup>4</sup> Henry,<sup>3</sup> Seth,<sup>2</sup> Henry<sup>1</sup>,)  
in Westport, 12mo., 30, 1784; he was b. 6mo., 30,  
1763. Was a substantial farmer. Had son Philip  
who m. No. 4054.\*

4048 Meribah, b. Sept. 27, 1769; unmarried 1804.

4049 Mary, b. Sept. 4, 1776; m. William Case, Nov. 4,  
1801.

4050 Stephen, b. 2mo., 5d., 1774; d. about 1829; m. Ruth  
Kirby, Feb. 10, 1801.

He lived in Westport. His will dated Nov. 10, 1804, mentions his daughters Meribah Cornell, Lydia Howland, Mary, wife of William Case, and his son Stephen.

### 4023

ABRAHAM,<sup>6</sup> of Peleg<sup>4</sup> (4005), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Aug. 28, 1744; d. Feb. 18, 1825; m. Priscilla Sanford, Jan.  
21, 1775. Child:

4051 Cynthia, b. Sept. 20, 1778; m. William White, Esq.,  
of Westport, March 26, 1795, son of Peleg<sup>3</sup> and  
Rachel (Cornell) White (George,<sup>2</sup> William,<sup>1</sup>).  
They had eleven children.†

There are deeds of his recorded in Dartmouth, dated between 1769 and 1810.

### 4028

JOSEPH,<sup>6</sup> of Peleg<sup>4</sup> (4005), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Oct. 18, 1755; m. ———. Children:

4052 Deborah, m. ——— Lindsley.

\* See *Howland Genealogy*.

† See *The Kirbys of New England*, by Rev. M. E. Dwight.

4053 Obed, d. about 1857.

He moved in 1810 to Berne, Albany Co., N. Y., and later to Onondaga Co., N. Y.

#### 4029

PELEG,<sup>5</sup> of Peleg<sup>4</sup> (4005), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 12, 1757; d. about 1812; m. (1) Meribah Smith, June 22, 1784; m. (2) Nancy Anthony, Nov. 15, 1792 or 1799(?); m. (3) Miriam Smith, April 29, 1810. Children:

- 4054 Lydia, b. Dec. 15, 1784; m. (1) Philip Howland, 12m., 3, 1807 (see No. 4047); m. (2) Thomas Winslow.
- 4055 Giles, m. (probably) Phebe Kirby.\*
- 4056 Christopher.†
- 4057 Stephen, b. Oct. 5, 1792; d. before 1821.
- 4058 Benjamin.‡ In 1821, he was of Scipio, Cayuga Co., N. Y., and moved later to Linden, Genessee Co., N. Y.
- 4059 Mary, b. April 10, 1799; d. Jan. 4, 1881; m. Stephen Howland, May 17, 1842.
- 4060 Ann or Amy, b. Aug. 4, 1800.
- 4061 Meribah, b. Dec. 29, 1801; d. Aug. 18, 1841; m. Stephen Howland, March 24, 1824. No children.
- 4062 John Anthony, b. March 13, 1803.
- 4063 Peleg, b. April 25, 1805; m.(?) Catherine ———.
- 4064 Anna, b. April 6, 1807.
- 4065 Nancy A., b. Oct. 24, 1808; m. William Allen.

There are several deeds of his on record dated from 1782 until the date of his death. He calls himself of Westport. His wife conveyed several pieces of property as his administratrix, in 1812. In 1822, Isaac Howland as guardian of the five minor children, conveyed certain lands held in common by them and Thomas Winslow and A. Barrett.

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\* See *The Kirby's of New England*.

† In 1818, he conveyed to A. Barrett his interest in the estate of his late father Peleg of Westport.

‡ In 1821, Benjamin Cornell of Scipio, Cayuga Co., N. Y., conveys to I. Howland "one undivided eleventh of one-twelfth part of all the real estate that my father, Peleg Cornell of Westport, died seized of, being the same that descended to my brother Stephen Cornell late of Westport."

## 4031

JOHN,<sup>5</sup> of Peleg<sup>4</sup> (4005), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. July 30, 1763; d. April 3, 1845; m. Mehitabel Allen, daughter of Ebenezer, 4mo., 11d., 1788; pub. 11.17, 1787.\* (See Allen Lineage, Appendix.) Children:

- 4066 Abraham, b. May 12, 1790.  
 4067 Abraham, b. Sept. 1, 1791; d. Sept. 13, 1881; m. Hannah Howland, Jan. 14, 1816.  
 4068 Priscilla, b. Nov. 19, 1794; d. Sept. 12, 1877; m. Thomas Smith, Feb. 1, 1816; he was b. 7.12, 1790.  
 4069 Allen, b. March 21, 1797.  
 4070 Eliphel, b. Sept. 17, 1800; d. March 4, 1801.  
 4071 Mehitabel, b. Jan. 3, 1803; d. April 3, 1873; m. Tucker Smith, 5mo., 23d., 1822, son of Collins and Hannah Smith. Ten children, of whom was Humphrey H. H. C. Smith; m. Lucy Ann Crapo, daughter of Governor Henry H. Crapo of Michigan (see John Smith Lineage, Appendix).  
 4072 John, b. May 11, 1806.  
 4073 Mary P., b. March 23 or 29, 1808; m. William S. Howland, 5.2, 1829. Child: Nathaniel, m. Hattie, daughter of Tucker and Mehitabel (Cornell) Smith.†

In 1835, he made a deed of certain property to his daughters Priscilla and Mehitabel, wives of Thomas Smith and Tucker Smith.

## 4032

NATHANIEL,<sup>5</sup> of Peleg<sup>4</sup> (4005), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Dec. 10, 1766; d. May 18, 1838; m. Elizabeth Landuff.  
 Children:

- 4074 Nathaniel, b. Nov. 23, 1797; m. Martha Peck, Dec. 28, 1817.  
 4075 Joseph Russell, b. Dec. 22, 1800.  
 4076 Sally, b. March 20, 1802.  
 4077 Lydia, b. April 12, 1803.  
 4078 Eliza, b. Nov. 18, 1805.

\* QUERY: Did he m. (1) Meribah Mosher, Sept. 20, 1781?

† See *Howland Genealogy*.

- 4079 Mary, b. April 20, 1807.  
 4080 Abigail, b. May 6, 1809.  
 4081 Eliza, b. July 10, 1810; d. Nov. 5, 1855.

He was a sea-faring man.

### 4035

CHRISTOPHER,<sup>6</sup> of Joshua<sup>4</sup> (4007), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Feb. 27, 1750; d. March 25, 1823; m. Sarah Kirby, May 19,  
 1776, daughter of Wesson Kirby (Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Robert,<sup>3</sup> Rich-  
 ard,<sup>2</sup> Richard,<sup>1</sup>) and Hannah White of Westport; she was b.  
 April 11, 1755; d. May 18, 1835. Children:\*

- 4082 Mary, b. July 5, 1777; m. Henry Palmer. No chil-  
 dren.  
 4083 Abigail, b. Oct. 24, 1780; d. May 27, 1834; m. James  
 Tripp, Dec. 20, 1801.  
 4084 Sophia, b. July 5, 1785; m. Benjamin Wing, son of  
 Prince Wing, May 11, 1811.  
 4085 Lydia, b. Aug. 13, 1791; d. March 27, 1842; m.  
 James Tripp.  
 4086 Susannah, b. Sept. 25, 1796.  
 4087 Lucy, m. Anthony Davis, Feb. 11, 1817.

### 4036

GIDEON,<sup>6</sup> of Joshua<sup>4</sup> (4007), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. 1753; d. April, 1836, at Union Springs, N. Y.; m. Ruth  
 White, Sept. 13, 1778, daughter of Jonathan White (William,<sup>2</sup>  
 William<sup>1</sup>), of Dartmouth, and Abigail Thurston; she was  
 b. 1758; d. 1835, and sister of Rhoda (see No. 4037).† Chil-  
 dren:

- 4088 Asa, m. Sarah Kirby. Nov. 5, 1807, daughter of  
 William<sup>6</sup> Kirby (Wesson,<sup>5</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> Robert,<sup>3</sup>  
 Richard,<sup>2</sup> Richard<sup>1</sup>), and Audrey Gifford.  
 4089 Joshua of Scipio, Cayuga Co., N. Y., m. Sarah  
 White, June 8, 1809, in Westport, Mass., daugh-  
 ter of Sylvanus<sup>3</sup> White (George,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>), and  
 Mary Gifford.

In 1796, we find a deed from Ruth Cornell, wife of Gideon

\* See *The Kirby's of New England*.

† See *Westport Record* and *Kirby's of New England*.

of Cambridge, Washington Co., N. Y., to Peleg Cornell and others of land in Dartmouth and Westport. In 1829, Gideon and his wife Ruth of Scipio, N. Y., convey to Pardon Cornell of Westport, the Gideon Cornell homestead, with a lot adjoining it, devised to the grantors by Joshua (4007).

### 4037

STEPHEN,<sup>5</sup> of Joshua<sup>4</sup> (4007), Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas.<sup>1</sup>  
d. 1829; m. Rhoda White, April 27, 1781, daughter of Jonathan and Abigail White. Children:

- 4090 William W.
- 4091 Stephen K.

1829, his will was proved. He calls himself of Westport and mentions his two sons.

### 4040

EBENEZER,<sup>5</sup> of George<sup>4</sup> (4012), Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. July 18, 1738, in Dartmouth; m. Peace Macomber. Children:

- 4092 Patience, b. June 25, 1762; d. young.
- 4093 Lydia, b. June 18, 1765; m. Green Hall and moved with Elemuel and Benjamin to Guilford, Chenango Co., N. Y. Children: John, Dinah, Patience, Rachel, Rufus, Gideon, Anna, Mary, Lydia.
- 4094 Elemuel, b. July 6, 1767; d. Oct. 7, 1848; m. Ruby Phillips, 1787.
- 4095 Benjamin, b. June 20, 1772.
- 4096 Daniel, b. March, 1774.
- 4097 Rachel, b. May 8, 1775.
- 4098 Benjamin, b. March 4, 1782.

He emigrated from Dartmouth and settled in East Town thirty miles from Albany, N. Y.

### 4050

STEPHEN,<sup>6</sup> of Thomas<sup>5</sup> (4022), Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. 2m., 5d., 1774; d. about 1829; m. Ruth Kirby, Feb. 10, 1801,

daughter of Stephen,<sup>o</sup> Kirby (Recompense,<sup>4</sup> Robert,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Richard<sup>1</sup>), and Sarah Lawrence.\* Children:

- 4099 William W., b. Aug. 13, 1801.
- 4100 Stephen K., b. Feb. 9, 1808; d. Dec. 17, 1868.
- 4101 Catherine, b. April 21, 1811.

#### 4067

ABRAHAM,<sup>o</sup> of John<sup>o</sup> (4031), Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup> b. Sept. 1, 1791; d. Sept. 13, 1881; m. Hannah Howland, Jan. 14, 1816, daughter of Nathaniel; she d. 5.17, 1856. Children:

- 4102 Joseph H., b. March 23, 1818.
- 4103 Jethro S., b. March 18, 1820; d. Sept. 1, 1848.
- 4104 Sarah H. b. March 24, 1823; d. Jan. 28, 1869.
- 4105 John, b. Oct. 6, 1826. Lost at sea, April 22, 1850.
- 4106 Phillip A., b. March 25, 1836; m. Abbe ———.  
Child: Hannah H., b. May 23, 1861.

In 1866, he was taxed \$114.65.

#### 4074

NATHANIEL,<sup>o</sup> of Nathaniel<sup>o</sup> (4032), Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Nov. 23, 1797, in Rutland, Vt.; m. Martha Peck, Dec. 28, 1817, daughter of Elisha; she was b. July 24, 1800. Children:

- 4107 Lyman Peck b. Jan. 31, 1818; m. (1) Matilda Brill, April 26, 1846; m. (2) Ophelia Cornell, May 16, 1858.
- 4108 Lewis, b. Oct. 15, 1820; m. Lois H. Estis.
- 4109 Elizabeth L., b. April 15, 1822; m. Henry Delisse.
- 4110 Eunice, b. July 18, 1823; m. Henry H. Burch.
- 4111 Emily, b. July 22, 1825; m. Evan Pease (or Keese).
- 4112 Elam, b. May 15, 1828; m. Lydia Loomis.
- 4113 Harriet, b. July 18, 1829; d. Dec. 28, 1833.
- 4114 Martha, b. Jan. 20, 1831; m. Richard Pelton.
- 4115 Harriet Ann, b. Oct. 15, 1833; m. Daniel Moser.
- 4116 Rosanny, b. Sept. 1, 1837; unmarried.

He moved from Vermont to Onondaga County, where all the children were born.

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\* *Kirby's of New England.*







## 4094

ELEMUEL<sup>6</sup> of Ebenezer<sup>5</sup> (4040), George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. July 6, 1767, in Dartmouth, Mass.; d. Oct. 7, 1848; m. Ruby Phillips, 1787; she was b. Sept. 6, 1771; d. May 21, 1852; she m. (2) Elemuel Mosher. Children:

- 4117 Nancy, b. Nov. 30, 1789; d. June 11, 1869; m. Richard Perkins.
- 4118 Daniel, b. Sept. 2, 1791; d. April 18, 1871; m. (1) Catharine Hagarman, Jan. 2, 1816; m. (2) Sarah F. Claghorn.
- 4119 Edward, b. May 17, 1793; d. July 19, 1849; m. (1) Louise Miles; m. (2) Wrexaville Long.
- 4120 Persis Maria, b. Dec. 30, 1797; d. Oct. 13, 1869; m. Seth D. Richmond, 1822.
- 4121 Mercy, b. Feb. 22, 1801; d. March 3, 1867; m. Richard Perkins, Nov. 29, 1827.
- 4122 Elihu B., b. March 2, 1803; d. Sept. 3, 1892; m. (1) Phebe Amelia Root; she d. June 24, 1870; m. (2) Hannah Thompson, Nov. 22, 1871.

## 4107

LYMAN PECK,<sup>7</sup> of Nathaniel<sup>6</sup> (4074), Nathaniel,<sup>5</sup> Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Jan. 31, 1818; m. (1) Matilda Brill, April 26, 1846; m. (2) Ophelia Cornell, May 16, 1858. Children:

By first wife:

- 4123 James Leroy, b. April 18, 1847.
- 4124 Milton Gray, b. Sept. 20, 1849.
- 4125 Alice, b. May 30, 1851.
- 4126 William H., b. July 31, 1853.
- 4127 Mary Alvina, b. July 11, 1856.

By second wife:

- 4128 Adna, b. July 29, 1859.
- 4129 Hattie, b. Dec. 6, 1861.
- 4130 Frank Elmer, b. Sept. 28, 1868.

## 4118

DANIEL,<sup>7</sup> of Elemuel<sup>6</sup> (4094), Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Sept. 2, 1791; d. April 18, 1871; m. (1) Catherine Hagarman, Jan. 2, 1816; she was b. Oct. 29, 1796; d. Feb. 13, 1845; m. (2) Sarah F. Claghorn; she was b. Feb. 2, 1819. Children:

By first wife:

- 4131 Daughter, b. Aug. 30, 1816; d. Sept. 7, 1816.  
 4132 Cornelia, b. Dec. 9, 1818; m. Abner Wood, Oct. 5, 1841. Living at DeKalb, Ill. Child: Oliver.  
 4133 Garret Elemuel, b. Nov. 25, 1822; d. Aug. 2 or 22, 1856; m. Corinne Wescott, Sept. 11, 1845.  
 4134 Albion Marcus, b. May 29, 1826; m. Sally Ann Holmes, March 24, 1850. Child: Howard.  
 4135 Martha Maria, b. April 26, 1828; d. March 1, 1846.  
 4136 Daughter, b. March 11, 1830; d. March 17, 1830.  
 4137 Catherine Elizabeth, b. Sept. 10, 1832; m. ——— Gasley. Children: two sons and one daughter.  
 4138 Ruby Adelia, b. April 1, 1834; m. Miles Houck, Sept. 16, 1856. Child: Handy, m. Lydia Mills.  
 4139 LeRoy DeWitt, b. Feb. 8, 1837; m. Martha Hoag.

By second wife:

- 4140 LeGrand, b. July 24, 1846; m. Nellie Hovey.

He died from a stroke of apoplexy.

### 4119

EDWARD,<sup>7</sup> of Elemuel<sup>6</sup> (4094), Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. May 17, 1793; d. July 19, 1849; m. (1) Louisa Miles; she was b. Feb. 18, 1795; d. Dec. 6, 1834; m. (2) Wrexaville Long; she was b. Sept. 1, 1803; d. Jan. 4, 1880; she m. (2) Joseph P. Chamberlin. Children:

By first wife:

- 4141 Francis Russell Edward, b. Nov. 17, 1821; d. May 23, 1881; m. Eliza Ophelia Burgess, Nov. 12, 1845.

By second wife:

- 4142 William Burgess, b. Dec. 11, 1837; d. Oct. 3, 1887; m. Henrietta Wolford, Oct. 29, 1861.

He was a practising physician in Chenango Co., N. Y., and was a member of the State Legislature in the '40s. The family are Presbyterians.

## 4120

PERSIS MARIA,<sup>7</sup> of Elemuel<sup>6</sup> (4094), Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup>  
Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Dec. 30, 1797; d. Oct. 13, 1869; m. Seth D. Richmond of  
Butternuts, N. Y., 1822. Children (*Richmond*):

Orson, b. Feb. 19, 1824; m. Euphemia Guernsey  
(an authoress of some repute), Aug. 19, 1846.  
Children: Catherine, Mary, Nelson.

Henry.

Catherine, b. Sept. 28, 1848; m. W. S. Moore of  
Mount Upton, Oct. 3, 1866. Children: Harriet, b.  
July 9, 1868; m. Rev. J. W. McGowan, March 1,  
1892, no children: Mary, b. March 10, 1870; m.  
Robert Andrews, N. Y. City, Sept. 5, 1894;  
Orson, b. March 15, 1878.

## 4121

MERCY,<sup>7</sup> of Elemuel<sup>6</sup> (4094), Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup>  
Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. Feb. 22, 1801; d. March 3, 1867; m. Richard Perkins, Nov.  
27, 1827; he was b. Nov. 13, 1785; d. Aug. 12, 1857. Children  
(*Perkins*):

Oliver, b. Sept. 13, 1820; d. Aug. 23, 1831.

Calista, b. Oct. 28, 1830; m. Abram Hurlbert, Nov.,  
1857. Five children.

Eunice, b. Jan. 10, 1834; m. John Dunlap, Oct. 29,  
1878. No children. Reside in Texas.

This branch of the family were farmers. Richard Perkins  
was killed by a fall from a maple tree which he was trimming.

## 4122

ELIHU B.,<sup>7</sup> of Elemuel<sup>6</sup> (4094), Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup>  
Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>

b. March 2, 1803; d. Sept. 3, 1892, aged 89 years; m. (1) Phebe  
Amelia Root; she d. June 24, 1870; m. (2) Hannah Thomp-  
son, Nov. 22, 1871. Children:

4143 Nancy, b. 1830.

- 4144 Marion, b. 1835; m. John Frone, Feb., 1852. Child:  
William, b. 1853; d. 1896; m. Mattie Root.
- 4145 Albert, b. 1835.
- 4146 Adelia, b. 1846.

**4133**

GARRETT ELEMUEL,<sup>8</sup> of Daniel<sup>7</sup> (4118), Elemuel,<sup>6</sup> Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup>  
George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Nov. 25, 1822; d. Aug. 2 or 22, 1856; m. Corinne Wescott,  
Sept. 11, 1845; she was b. April 23, 1828. Children:

- 4147 Martha, b. May 4, 1847; d. May 5, 1865.
- 4148 Fenimore Cooper, b. Dec. 18, 1850; m. Alice Clark  
of Richfield Springs. Child: Lee Delos, b. 1884.
- 4149 Eve, b. Nov. 22, 1854; d. Feb. 15, 1878.

His widow married (2) De Calvos Graves, (3) Dr. Green, and  
(4) Dr. Bowen, by none of whom, however, did she have any  
children. She and her son Fenimore are living in Norwich,  
N. Y.

**4139**

LEROY DEWITT,<sup>8</sup> of Daniel<sup>7</sup> (4118), Elemuel,<sup>6</sup> Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup>  
George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Feb. 8, 1837; m. Martha Hoag. Children:

- 4150 Elmer.
- 4151 Edgar, m. (1) Kittie Hoag; m. (2) Millie Brown.  
Child (by first wife): Frank.
- 4152 Carrie.
- 4153 Charles.

**4141**

FRANCIS RUSSELL EDWARD,<sup>8</sup> of Edward<sup>7</sup> (4119), Elemuel,<sup>6</sup>  
Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Nov. 17, 1821; d. May 23, 1881, at Minneapolis, Minn; m.  
Eliza Ophelia Burgess, Nov. 12, 1845. Children:

- 4154 Frank Burgess, b. Feb. 28, 1848. He is a lawyer  
residing in Minneapolis.
- 4155 Carrie, b. 1858; m. Calvin Kalkhoff.

He was a lawyer of considerable prominence. He served  
one term in the New York State Legislature and was sub-

sequently a member of the Minnesota Legislature. He was also Attorney General of Minnesota and finally a Judge of the Supreme Court of that State until his death.

**4142**

WILLIAM BURGESS,<sup>6</sup> of Edward<sup>7</sup> (4119), Elemuel,<sup>6</sup> Ebenezer,<sup>6</sup> George,<sup>4</sup> Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>  
b. Dec. 11, 1837; d. Oct. 3, 1887; m. Henrietta Walford, Oct. 29, 1861, daughter of Peter Walford, an early settler and capitalist of Minneapolis. Children:

4156 Mary, b. July 30, 1863.

4157 Annie, b. May 25, 1869.

4158 William Burgess, b. Jan. 1, 1877.

At the time of his death he was Western Manager of the North British and Mercantile Insurance Company, and lived in Chicago. This branch of the family is Presbyterian.



# APPENDIX.

## LINEAGES.

### COGGESHALL LINEAGE.

The name Coggeshall is of quite an ancient origin, dating almost from the conquest, and at that time the family were large land holders.

John Coggeshall, the common ancestor of the name in this country, came from Essex Co., England. In the early records of that county, the name is often found. At one time this family were possessed of ten estates.

He arrived at Boston, taking passage on the ship *Lyon*, Sept. 16, 1632. In the following Nov., was made a freeman of the Colony. Soon after his arrival he connected himself with the church in Roxbury, on the records of which both his name and that of his wife Mary are found. He soon removed to Boston but his stay there was short, being obliged to leave on account of his religious belief, he taking the side with Anne Hutchinson. He was one of the original settlers of Portsmouth, R. I., where, after starting a settlement, he with others, removed to the southern part of the Island of Aquidneck, where the town of Newport now is. At the union of the four towns, Newport, Portsmouth, Providence, and Warwick, he was made the first President.

1 JOHN COGGESHALL was b. in England and d. at Newport, R. I., Nov. 27, 1647. He was buried on his own land in Newport, where his descendants have erected a monument to his memory, and enclosed the little family burial ground with a neat and substantial stone-wall. It is situated on Coggeshall Avenue near Victoria Avenue. The children of John and Mary Coggeshall were:

John, b. about 1618; d. Oct. 1, 1708, Newport, R. I.

2 Joshua, b. about 1623; d. May 1, 1688, Portsmouth, R. I.

Ann, b. about 1625; d. March 6, 1687, Newport, R. I.

Hanniel, a daughter, bap. May 3, 1635, Boston, of whom nothing more is known.

Wait, bap. Sept. 11, 1636, Boston; d. May 9, 1718.

Bedaiah, a son, bap. July 30, 1637, Boston.

2 JOSHUA, of John,<sup>1</sup>

b. in England, came to this country with his parents. After his father's death he removed to Portsmouth, R. I., and purchased a farm on the western side of the Island where he resided till his death. The greater portion of the farm included in the original purchase, was held by his descendants till within a few years. He was twice married, (1) to Joan West, Newport, Dec. 22, 1652; she d. April 24, 1676, aged 41 years; his (2) wife was Rebecca Russell, to whom he was married June 21, 1677. Children:

Mary, b. Feb. 1655.

- 3 Joshua, b. May, 1656; d. 1723.  
 Josias, b. Nov., 1662.  
 Daniel, b. April, 1665.  
 Humility, b. Jan., 1670.  
 John, b. Dec., 1659; d. May 1, 1727.  
 Caleb, b. Dec., 1672.  
 Isaac.

- 3 JOSHUA, of Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>1</sup>  
 was b. Portsmouth, R. I.; his (1) wife was Sarah ———, to whom he was  
 married May, 13, 1681; she d. March 20, 1697; his (2) wife was Sarah  
 ———, whom he married Aug. 26, 1697. Children:

By first wife:

- Joshua, b. May 13, 1681, Newport; d. Aug. 2, 1727.  
 Thomas, b. March 29, 1686, Newport; d. young.  
 Elizabeth, b. March 29, 1686, Newport.  
 John, b. Dec. 14, 1683, Newport.  
 4 Thomas, b. June 24, 1688, Newport; d. Jan. 26, 1771.  
 Josiah, b. Dec. 12, 1690, Newport.  
 Richard, b. Feb. 11, 1692, Newport.  
 Mary, b. March 15, 1695, Newport.

By second wife:

- Caleb, b. July 25, 1698, Newport.  
 Sarah, b. March 22, 1700, Newport.  
 James, b. March 17, 1701, Newport; d. April 15, 1769.  
 Benjamin, b. Jan. 31, 1705, Newport; d. Dec. 17, 1710.  
 Ann, b. Nov. 18, 1707, Newport.  
 Waite, b. Jan. 11, 1709, Newport.  
 Comfort, b. April 22, 1711, Newport.  
 Benjamin, b. Nov. 15, 1714, Newport.

- 4 THOMAS, of Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. June 24, 1688; d. Jan. 26, 1771; m. Mercy, daughter of Gideon Free-  
 born, Newport, March 11, 1708; she was b. 1691; d. May 26, 1776. He re-  
 sided in Middletown, R. I., and was a farmer. He and his wife were both  
 buried in the Coggeshall grounds in Middletown. Children:

- Elizabeth, b. Aug. 30, 1710; d. Sept. 29, 1797.  
 Comfort, b. Sept. 17, 1712; d. Dec., 1778.  
 Mercy, b. June 30, 1714; d. young.  
 Sarah, b. Aug. 20, 1715.  
 Wait, b. Jan. 4, 1717.  
 Mary, b. March 27, 1720.  
 5 Joshua, b. March 11, 1722; d. Sept. 24, 1786.  
 Mercy, b. Feb. 23, 1724.  
 Gideon, b. April 20, 1726; d. Oct. 27, 1801.  
 5 Thomas, b. Aug. 26, 1728; d. Jan. 17, 1803.  
 Hannah, b. May 20, 1731; d. March 22, 1811.



- 5 JOSHUA, Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. March 11, 1722, Middletown; d. Sept. 24, 1786; buried in Coggeshall  
 grounds in Middletown; m. (1) Sarah Bailey, Jan. 12, 1743; m. (2) Ann  
 Dennis, Jan. 2, 1752. Children:  
 Thomas, b. Aug. 30, 1744, Middletown; d. 1829.  
 Ruth, b. June 26, 1747, Middletown; d. Nov. 14, 1747.  
 Mercy, b. Sept. 14, 1762, Middletown; d. March, 1844.  
 Sarah, b. Sept. 25, 1752, Middletown; d. March 1, 1788.
- 6 Joseph, b. Aug. 16, 1754, Middletown; d. Oct. 7, 1830.  
 Ann, b. June 1, 1764, Middletown; d. Dec. 21, 1842.  
 Elizabeth, b. Oct. 14, 1756, Middletown; d. Sept. 3, 1828.  
 George, b. March 17, 1759, Middletown; d. Nov. 16, 1762.  
 George, b. June 8, 1767, Middletown; d. Aug. 14, 1843,  
 Mary, b. July 14, 1761, Middletown.
- 5 THOMAS, of Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Aug. 26, 1728; d. Jan. 17, 1803; m. Hannah Cornell, July 4, 1750. Chil-  
 dren:  
 John, b. May 7, 1751; d. 1799.  
 Josiah, b. Aug. 13, 1752.
- 6 William, b. Jan. 7, 1757; d. Jan., 1829.
- 6 JOSEPH, of Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Aug. 16, 1754; d. Oct. 7, 1830; m. Elizabeth Horswell. Children:  
 Noel, b. March 31, 1777, Middletown; d. Aug. 4, 1853.  
 Anne, b. Jan. 28, 1786, Middletown; d. Nov. 4, 1856.  
 John P., b. April 13, 1794, Middletown; d. April 30, 1830.  
 Joshua, b. Dec. 25, 1788, Middletown.  
 Ruth, b. Aug. 27, 1780, Middletown; d. Sept. 15, 1867.  
 Abraham C., b. March 15, 1797, Middletown; d. March 9, 1873.
- 7 Joseph, b. June 5, 1783, Middletown; d. Aug. 30, 1871.  
 Sarah, b. Sept. 18, 1791, Middletown; d. Jan., 1859.
- 6 WILLIAM, of Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. Jan. 7, 1757; d. Jan., 1829; m. Deborah Horswell. Children:  
 Mary.  
 Ruth.  
 Elizabeth, m. Hicks Cornell, Jan. 28, 1819.
- 7 Thomas, m. Susie Cornell, daughter of Samuel Cornell.  
 Deborah.
- 7 JOSEPH, of Joseph,<sup>6</sup> Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>1</sup>  
 b. June 5, 1783; d. Aug. 30, 1871; m. Lydia, daughter of Samuel Cornell.  
 Children:  
 Alanson, b. Jan. 3, 1817; d. Sept. 17, 1833.  
 Elizabeth, b. Sept. 17, 1833; d. July 13, 1858.
- 7 THOMAS, of William,<sup>6</sup> Thomas,<sup>5</sup> Thomas,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>1</sup>  
 m. Susie Cornell. Children:  
 Lydia, b. Dec. 26, 1820; m. Carmi Harrington.

Thomas, Jr., b. Dec. 21, 1823.

John, b. April 25, 1827; d. May 17, 1855.

Ruth, b. Jan. 6, 1830; m. James Sweet.

William, b. Dec. 18, 1833; m. (1) Martha, daughter of Abraham Coggeshall; m. (2) Susan Huddy.

#### LAWRENCE LINEAGE.

Two brothers, John, aged 17 years, and William, aged 12, and a sister Mary, aged 9, came in the ship *Planter* with John Winthrop, Jr., in 1635, to Plymouth, Mass. They brought a certificate from their minister at St. Albans, Hertfordshire. They are said to have been descended from

1 JOHN LAWRENCE who d. in 1538, and was buried in the Abbey of Ramsay.

2 JOHN LAWRENCE, the elder brother, b. in 1618, at Great St. Albans. He became a patentee of Hempstead in 1644; of Flushing in 1645; removed to New Amsterdam in 1658; Commissioner of Boundaries between New England and the Dutch Provinces to treat with the General Court, Hartford, 1663; Alderman, New York, 1665; Mayor, New York, 1672; member King's Council, 1674-98; Mayor again in 1691; Judge Supreme Court, 1692-99; m. Susannah ———. Children:

Joseph.

3 John, Jr., m. Sarah (Cornell) Van Brugge.

Thomas, unmarried.

Susannah, m. (1) Gabriel Minvielle, Jan. 25, 1676; m. (2) Wm. Smith.

Martha, m. Thomas Suawsell.

Mary, m. Wm. Whittingham.

2 WILLIAM LAWRENCE, second brother, b. 1623, at Great St. Albans, England; d. 1680. Patentee Flushing, L. I., 1645; captain, 1655; commanded foot company of Flushing, 1673. Children:

By first wife (name unknown):

Elizabeth, m. Thomas Stevenson, 1672.

William, Jr., m. Deborah Smith.

3 John, m. Elizabeth Cornell.

3 JOHN LAWRENCE, JR., m. as her (3) husband Sarah Cornell (daughter of Thomas Cornell), b. Essex, England; she m. (1) Thomas Willett; m. (2) Charles Bridges (called on Dutch records Carel Van Brugge).

3 JOHN LAWRENCE, d. 1714; m. (2) Elizabeth Cornell (Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>). Children:

4 Richard.

Elizabeth, m. ——— Ford.

Mary, m. ——— Briggs.

Deborah.

Sarah.

Charity.

Benjamin.

4 William, m. Charity Cornell.

4 RICHARD LAWRENCE, served in a Company of Flushing Militia in 1715.  
Child:

William.

4 WILLIAM LAWRENCE, m. 1741, Charity<sup>4</sup> (Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>)  
Cornell. Children:

Catharine, b. May 11, 1742.

Violetta, b. Feb. 15, 1743.

William, b. Jan. 16, 1745.

Charles, b. Feb. 1, 1748.

Richard, b. Jan. 5, 1752.

Daniel, b. Jan. 8, 1755.

Oliver.

#### LAWRENCE FAMILY OF NEW JERSEY.

Captain James Lawrence, the hero of the Chesapeake, killed in 1813, was of another branch of Lawrences, known as the New Jersey Lawrences, his ancestor was first of Long Island, so that it is possible they were all of same stock originally.

1 WILLIAM LAWRENCE, was b. in England; he was at Newtown, L. I., 1645; he moved to Middletown, N. J., May 1, 1666; he m. (1) Hannah Townsend in England; m. (2) Elizabeth Scudder, 1693, daughter of John Scudder of Newtown, L. I., and widow of John Alburdis of L. I. Children:

James, m. Mehitable Alburdis.

William, m. Ruth Gibbons.

Benjamin.

2 Elisha, m. Lucy Stout.

John, m. Rachel ———.

Joseph, m. Rachel Curtiss.

Hannah, m. Joseph Grover.

William Lawrence of Middletown was Deputy to General Court of New Jersey in 1672.

2 ELISHA LAWRENCE, son of William Lawrence and his first wife Hannah Townsend, b. 1666; d. April 25, 1724; m. Lucy Stout. Children:

Hannah, b. 1695; m. Richard Salter.

Elizabeth, m. Joseph Salter.

Sarah, m. John Ember.

Rebecca, m. ——— Walton.

Joseph.

3 Elisha, b. 1700.

John, b. 1708; m. Mary Hartshorn, 1730.

Elisha Lawrence was Representative to the Assembly, 1721.

- 3 ELISHA LAWRENCE, b. Aug. 5, 1700; d. March 7, 1791; m. Elizabeth Brown. Children:

Elizabeth, b. 1728; m. Dr. James Newell.  
 Elisha, b. 1746; d. 1799; m. Rebecca Redmond.  
 Lucy, b. 1749; m. Nathaniel Lewis.  
 Ann, b. 1751; m. Reynold Keen.

4 John Brown.

- 4 JOHN BROWN LAWRENCE, b. in New York; d. in Canada; m. (1) ——— Leonard; m. (2) ——— Tallman. Children:

By first wife:

Elizabeth, m. Michael Kearney.

By second wife:

Sarah, m. James Goelette.  
 Catharine, m. Jackson B. French.  
 Anne, m. John Parker of Perth Amboy.  
 William Franklin, d. unmarried.  
 John, m. Mary A. Waddel.  
 Lucy, d. unmarried.  
 Mary, m. Robert Boggs of New Brunswick.

5 James, Captain in U. S. Navy.

John Brown Lawrence was Treasurer State of New Jersey, directly after the Revolution.

- 5 JAMES, Captain U. S. Navy, b. Oct. 1, 1781; d. June 1, 1813; m. Julia Montandever, 1808. Children:

Mary, b. 1811; d. at Florence, Italy, Sept. 3, 1843; m. Lieut. William Preston Griffen, U. S. Navy, 1838.  
 James, d. in infancy.

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#### THE WHITEHEAD LINEAGE.

- 1 DANIEL WHITEHEAD, or WHYTHEAD as he subscribed himself, was born in 1603, whether at Dorchester in Dorsetshire or at some place in York-shire, England, has not been positively ascertained. He is supposed to have emigrated to the Connecticut Colony with his brothers Samuel and Stephen who settled in New Haven, while he removed to Long Island, becoming a resident of Hempstead some time prior to 1650. He married Jeanne Skidmore. To judge from the records of his numerous purchases of land from the Indians and others, he was a man of considerable wealth. He bought land at Smithtown, Sept. 29, 1650, at Huntington, April 2, 1653, at Oyster Bay, Sept. 20, 1654. In 1666, Governor Nichols granted to him and others the first Newtown Patent. He was made a freeholder Nov. 4, 1666, and was chosen town-surveyor. He was also a magistrate. He resided on a large farm at Mashpeth Hills during the latter part

of his life and died there in Nov. 1668 at the age of 65. His estate was administered by Stephen Van Cortlandt, as his wife (named as sole executrix in his will) declined to serve. Children:

David.  
Jonathan.  
Thomas.  
2 Daniel.  
Adam.  
Jemima.  
Elizabeth.

2 DANIEL WHITEHEAD, generally known as Major Daniel, b. in 1646; and d. in 1704; m. Abigail Stevenson, daughter of Thomas and Maria (Bullock, widow of William Bernards) Stevenson; she d. in Sept. 1717.\* He was one of the patentees of Jamaica, L. I., where he settled and became an extensive property holder. He was a Major in the Colonial Troops, a Majesty's Justice and a representative of Queens County in the Colonial Assembly. He was a strong partisan of King James and a bitter opponent of Leisler. He was apparently a man of great prominence in the social and political life of Long Island. Children:

3 Jonathan.  
Thomas.  
Deborah.  
Elizabeth.  
Mary.  
Amy.  
Mercy.  
Abigail.

3 JONATHAN WHITEHEAD of Jamaica, L. I., b. 1672, and d. July 26, 1739; m. Sarah, July 23, 1697, daughter probably of Robert Field, Jr., and —— of Newtown. In 1703, he became a Majesty's Justice and was a member of the Colonial Assembly, representing Queens County, from 1705 to 1709. Children:

Daniel.  
4 Abigail.  
Charity.  
Thomas.  
Benjamin.  
Sarah.  
Deborah.  
Susannah.

4 ABIGAIL WHITEHEAD, b. 1702; m. John Cornell, January 29, 1722 (see Whithead Cornell Duyckinck's notes).

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\* She was the divorced wife of Daniel Denton. The children by her first marriage were: Daniel, (m. Deborah ——), and Abigail m. Benjamin Stebbins. Some authorities say she was daughter of Edward and Ann Stevenson (see Rev. Evelyn P. Bartow's notes).

## THORNE LINEAGE.

- 1 WILLIAM THORNE, made freeman at Lynn, Mass., May 2, 1638, Flushing, L. I., 1645, with seventeen others, patentees under Gov. Kieft, had plantation at Gravesend, 1646; at Jamaica, 1657.

Arms of Thorne family of Devon, England, viz: Argent, a fess gules between three lions rampant sable. Crest, a lion rampant sable. Motto: *Principes Obsta.*

The name of William Thorne's wife was Sarah; parentage unknown. Children:

- 2 William, m. Winifred Linington.  
 John, m. Mary Parsell, 1664.  
 Joseph, m. Mary Bowne before 1680.  
 Samuel, m. Susannah.  
 Susannah, m. John Kissam.

- 2 WILLIAM THORNE, JR., signed the remonstrance of inhabitants of Flushing, Dec. 27, 1657, against illiberal treatment of Quakers by the Dutch Governor, (the original on file at Albany). He became early a resident of Madnan's Neck (now Great Neck), town of Hempstead; probably died 1688, and was buried on his farm.

Hempstead records show, 1684, "Winifred, wife of William Thorne, enters an action for defamation against Hannah, wife of John Cornwell." She was alive in 1706, at date of the will of her son Richard, and died about 1713. She was daughter of Henry and Catharine (Ellison) Linington. Children:

- 3 Richard, m. Phebe Denton, 1699.  
 Margaret, m. Rev. Thomas Rattoon.  
 (?) Elizabeth, m. Richbell Mott, 1696.  
 (?) Sarah, m. Roger Pedley, 1698.

- 3 RICHARD THORNE obtained a marriage lincense in New York, Aug. 29, 1699, to marry Phebe Denton (probably daughter of Richard Denton, Jr.): died 1706. Will dated Nov. 28, 1706. Children:

- 4 Richard, m. Alicia Van Wyck, 1725.  
 Hannah, m. Cornelius Van Wyck.  
 Mary, m. John Pudney, 1722.  
 Phebe, m. Micah Smith, 1725.

The record of this branch is not further given by Mr. Eaton, but the writer (George W. Cocks) has compiled from various sources a record believed to be approximately correct.

"1725, May 6, by license, Richard Thorne and Altie Van Wyck, both of Hempstead." (*Poyer's Parish Register, Jamaica, L. I.*).

Alicia was daughter of Doctor Theodorus and Altie (Brinckerhoff) Van Wyck. Children (bap. St. George's Church, Hempstead, N. Y.):

- Phebe, m. (?) John Morrell, Aug. 7, 1726.  
 Richard, probably died young, July 20, 1721.  
 5 William, m. Martha Cornell, Aug. 1, 1731.

Richard, m. Sarah Waters, Jan. 2, 1740.

John, m. (?) Mary Allen, Nov. 20, 1746.

Richard Thorne died 1762 or 1763.

William Thorne and Martha Cornell were married at St. George's Church, Hempstead, May 9, 1754. She being daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Doughty) Cornell. No baptisms of their children appear on the record of St. George's Church. George W. Cocks states that the list of children as shown on Mrs. Warren's paper, No. 10, corresponds with those mentioned in the will of William, 1805, and adds the following data: Sarah, m. Benjamin Tredwell; Richard, m. Elizabeth Peters, 1776(?); Thomas C., m. Elizabeth Kissam, 1786; John, m. Mary Van Wyck, 1780(?).

Dr. Theodorus Van Wyck, above mentioned, was of Madnans Neck, now Great Neck, Town of North Hempstead, Queens Co., N. Y., b. Sept. 19, 1668; d. Sept. 4, 1758. Justice of Peace, 1718 to 1753; Supervisor, 1726; m. Margretia Brinckerhoff, April 29, 1693; she was b. 1675; d. Aug. 27, 1741, daughter of Abraham and Aeltie (Strycker) Brinckerhoff, and granddaughter of Joris (Dircksen) and Susannah (Dubbles) Brinckerhoff and of John and Lambertie (Sebring) Strycker, son of Cornelius (Barentse) Van Wyck of Flatbush, L. I., probably from "Wyk" in North Brabant; emigrated 1660; member Dutch Church, 1677; took oath of allegiance 1687, m. (1) Anna, daughter of Rev. Theodorus Polhemus and Catherine Van Werven his wife; m. (2) Jannetje —, 1684, (see papers in *New York Genealogical and Biographical Record*, 1888, p. 153, 1889, p. 77, prepared by Rev. W. H. Eaton, with the assistance of George W. Cocks, and *Lineage in American Ancestry*, Vol. XI, furnished by George W. Cocks).

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#### BAYARD LINEAGE.

1 THE REVEREND NICHOLAS BAYARD, D. D., is the first of whom there is record. He was an eminent Huguenot professor, a Doctor of Divinity in charge of the French Church at Antwerp, prior to 1590. It is supposed that he m. Blandina Condi of an illustrious French family, and that they were the direct ancestors of the American Bayards. Their son:

2 THE REVEREND LAZARE BAYARD, m. Judith Beyens, 1607, of a noble Belgian family, originally from North Brabant. He was educated at Leyden, and was a Huguenot clergyman of distinction. His first church was at Breda. Children:

Judith, bap. at Breda, Nov. 16, 1608.

Rebecca, bap. at Breda, Sept. 30, 1609.

3 Samuel, bap. at Breda, Dec. 12, 1610.

Louis, bap. Jan. 16, 1612.

Paul, bap. Feb. 1, 1613.

Cataline, bap. March 2, 1616.

Daniel, bap. Dec. 3, 1617.

3 SAMUEL BAYARD, b. at Breda; bap. at the Walloon Church, Dec. 12, 1610; d. 1646; m. Anna Stuyvesant, daughter of the Rev. Balthazar Stuyvesant,

and sister of Gov. Peter Stuyvesant, at Amsterdam, Oct. 21, 1638. Samuel Bayard had a college education and became an opulent merchant of Amsterdam. After his death, his widow, with four children, sailed on the "Princess" with her brother, Gov. Peter Stuyvesant, arriving in New Amsterdam, May 11, 1647. Children:

Catharine, b. at Bergen op Zoon; m. William de Meyer, in New York, Oct. 3, 1678.

Petrus, b. in Alphen, near Utrecht; m. Blandina Kiersted, in New Orange, Nov. 28, 1674.

Balthazar, b. in Amsterdam; m. Marritje Loockemans, in New Amsterdam, Nov. 12, 1664, daughter of Govert Loockemans, and niece of Mrs. Olaf Van Cortlandt.

4 Nicholas, b. in Alphen; m. Judith Varleth, in New Amsterdam, May 23, 1666.

4 NICHOLAS BAYARD, b. in Alphen; m. Judith Varleth in New Amsterdam, May 23, 1666, daughter of Caspar Varleth, whom Savage calls a "Dutchman of some consequence in Hartford in 1656." Judith Varleth was imprisoned in Hartford, in 1662, "on a pretended accusation of witchery," but was released through the influence of Gov. Stuyvesant. Nicholas Bayard held the following offices: Clerk to the Secretary of New Amsterdam, 1654; English Secretary, 1657; Commissary of Imports and Exports, 1663; Secretary of the Province, 1673; Receiver General, 1673; Mayor of New York, 1685; Member of the Council for many years. In his will dated May 9, 1704, he calls himself "of the City of New York, merchant," names in his will wife Judy and son Samuel. They had only one son :

5 SAMUEL BAYARD, bap. Sept. 5, 1669; d. 1746; m. Margaret Van Cortlandt, March 12, 1696, daughter of Stephanus Van Cortlandt and Gertrude Schuyler; she was bap. July 29, 1674. Samuel Bayard was a member of the Colonial Assembly, New York, 1713-1715; Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, Bergen Co., New Jersey, 1711. His will was probated May 1, 1746. Children (all but one were baptized in New York):

Judith, bap. in New York, Dec. 13, 1696; m. Rip Van Dam, Jr., Sept. 18, 1719.

Nicholas, bap. in New York, Aug. 28, 1698; m. Elizabeth Rynders, July 3, 1729.

6 Stephanus, bap. May 31, 1700.

Geertruyd, bap. in Hackensack, N. J., Oct. 4, 1701; m. Hon. Peter Kemble.

Margaretta, d. young.

Margaretta, d. young.

Samuel, } twins, d. young.

Jacobus, } bap. in New York, July 1, 1711.

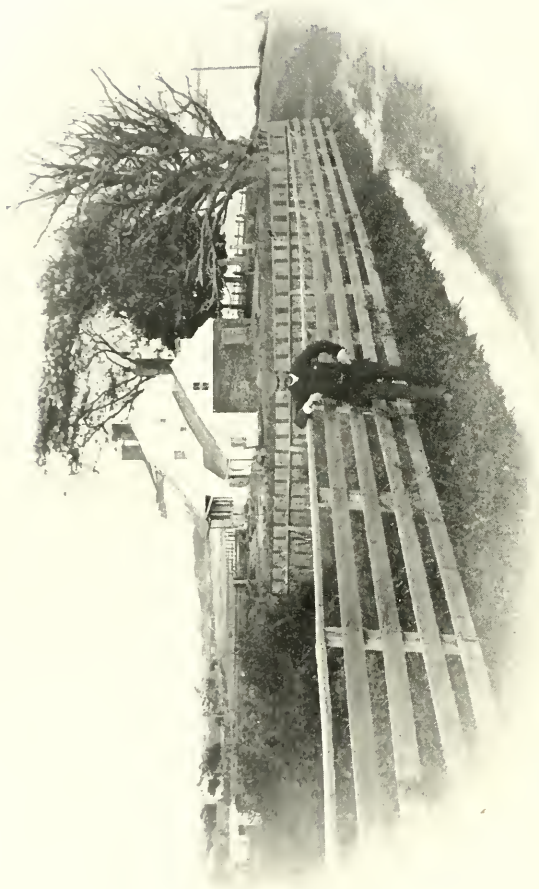
Samuel, bap. in New York, July 24, 1715.

Margaretta, bap. in New York, May 24, 1719; m. Jacobus Van Home, Dec. 16, 1742.

Anna, bap. in New York, Aug. 7, 1720.







THE CORTELYOU HOMESTEAD.

(Courtesy of "The Churchman.")

6 STEPHANUS BAYARD, bap. May 31, 1700; m. Alida Vetch, March 12, 1725, only child of Samuel Vetch (a Scotchman living in Boston) and his wife Margaret Livingston, daughter of Robert Livingston (1st Lord of the Manor). Samuel Vetch was Colonel in the Expedition against Canada, 1709-11; Commissioner of Treaties from Massachusetts, 1705; Adjutant General, 1709; commanded the Massachusetts forces. Stephanus Bayard was Mayor of New York, 1744; member of the Governor's Council, 1746-47. In his will dated Jan. 31, 1753, he styles himself "of Bergen Co., E. N. Jersey, Yeoman." In the codicil, Dec. 17, 1753, he calls himself "Gentleman." Children:

Samuel, bap. Jan. 16, 1726.

Nicholas, bap. Oct. 22, 1727.

7 William, bap. June 15, 1729.

Stephen, bap. March 5, 1731.

Stephanus, bap. Oct. 15, 1732.

Nicholas, bap. April 16, 1735.

Vetch, bap. Sept. 15, 1736.

Nicholas, bap. April 26, 1738.

Robert, bap. July 15, 1739.

Margaret, bap. Aug. 30, 1741.

7 WILLIAM BAYARD, bap. June 15, 1729; m. Elizabeth Cornell, daughter of Samuel Cornell. Children:

Catharine, b. 1786; d. 1813; m. Duncan P. Campbell.

Susan, b. 1787; d. Oct. 11, 1814; m. Benjamin Woolsey Rogers, Dec. 10, 1807; he d. Dec. 12, 1859, aged 84 years.

William, b. 1788; d. March 9, 1875; m. Catharine Hammond, 1812.

Maria, b. 1789; d. Oct. 23, 1875; m. Duncan P. Campbell, 1817, (her brother-in-law).

Justine, b. 1793; d. 18—; m. Joseph Blackwell, 1811.

Robert, b. 1797; m. Elizabeth McEvers, 1820.

Harriet Elizabeth, b. Feb. 12, 1799; d. July 19, 1875; m. Gen.

Stephen Van Rensselaer, Jan. 2, 1817, eldest son of Stephen Van Rensselaer (the last Patroon) and Margaret Schuyler.

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#### CORTELYOU LINEAGE.

1 JACQUES CORTELYOU, the common ancestor of the Cortelyou family in this country, emigrated from Utrecht in the Netherlands about 1652. He resided in New Amsterdam until 1657, when he received from Gov. Nicol the Nyack patent for a tract of land in New Utrecht, on Long Island, where he remained until his death, in 1693. He was allotted Plantation No. 10 when the village of New Utrecht was laid out, was also interested in a large tract of land on the Passaic River in New Jersey. He was a Huguenot, and came over to this country as private tutor to the children of Cornelis Van Werckhoven. He m. Neeltje, daughter of Cornelis Gerrits and Machtelje (Huyken) Van Duyn. As a surveyor he attained

the highest reputation, and was appointed Surveyor-general of the Colony in 1657, and it is supposed made the first map of the present City of New York. He represented New Utrecht in the Hempstead Convention of 1665, was Vendue-master of the County in 1672 and a Justice of the Peace in 1685. The Labadists, in their Journal, mention their visit to Jacques Cortelyou, the Surveyor of New Utrecht, "who had recently built an excellent stone house, the best dwelling in the place"—his previous home having been destroyed by fire in 1675.

- 2 PIETER CORTELYOU, b. 1664, d. April 10, 1757. He followed his father's profession of surveyor and also cultivated a portion of his lands; 1687 took the oath of allegiance. About 1710 he, in company with several other neighbors, purchased the "Harlingen Tract" in Somerset County, New Jersey. He m. Diewintje (or Deborah) De Witt, 1693-4.
- 3 JACQUES CORTELYOU, b. 1698; d. Oct. 10, 1757 (same year as his father); m. Jacomintje, daughter of Jason Van Pelt, April 25, 1718.
- 5 PETER CORTELYOU, b. Oct. 3, 1722; d. March 27, 1777; m. Angenientje (or Agnes), daughter of Simon and Angenientje Van Dyck (De Hart), Jan. 8, 1743.
- 5 SIMON CORTELYOU, b. March 11, 1746; d. Aug. 15, 1828; m. (1) Sarah, daughter of Barent and Hannah (Carman) Van Wyck, May 20, 1763; m. (2) Mariah Bogert, widow of Jacques Barkeloo. By his first wife he had Sarah, who m. John Cornell May 6, 1787. (See W. C. Duyckinck's Notes.)

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#### THE HICKS LINEAGE.

- 1 ROBERT HICKS landed at Plymouth from the ship *Fortune* Nov. 11, 1621. He was a leather dresser from Bermondsey Street, Southwark, London. His father, James Hicks, was a lineal descendant of Ellis Hicks, who was knighted by Edward, The Black Prince, on battlefield of Poitiers, Sept. 9, 1356, for bravery in capturing from the French a set of colors. Robert Hicks' wife Margaret (Winslow), with their children, followed on the ship *Ann*, arriving at Plymouth in June, 1622.\* They settled first at Duxbury, Mass., but permanently at Plymouth, where he died March 24, 1647. His will, and that of his widow, is on record in that city.
- 2 JOHN HICKS moved from Weymouth, Mass., to Newport, R. I., in 1637, and from there to Long Island about 1642. In Oct., 1645, Gov. Kieft granted to him and others a patent for the Township of Flushing. He m. (1) Herodias Long; and (2) Florentje Carman; (3) Rachel Starr, all his children being by his first wife. He died at Hempstead, L. I., in June, 1672, and his will is recorded in the Surrogate's office of New York County. He took a leading position in the affairs of the Colony, and was appointed to fill many of the most important offices.

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\* The ship *Fortune* followed the *Mayflower*, bringing over the parts of families left behind by those who came in that famous vessel the year before (see Benjamin D. Hicks' Circular).

- 3 THOMAS HICKS, b. 1640; d. 1740; m. (1) Mary, widow of John Washburn and daughter of Richard Butler, of Stratford, Conn., 1660; m. (2) Mary, only daughter of Thomas Doughty, of Flushing, L. I. He was Captain of the Militia in 1686, and the first Judge of Queens County. His name appears in connection with almost every public measure for many years.
- 4 JACOB HICKS, b. 1669; d. 1755; m. Hannah, daughter of ——— Carpenter, 1701. Was Captain of the Queens County Company in 1735. Resided at Hempstead, L. I.
- 5 SAMUEL HICKS, b. Oct. 1702; d. May 10, 1735; m. Martha, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth (Jackson) Doughty, 1723.
- 6 SAMUEL HICKS, b. March 29, 1739; m. Mary, daughter of John and Joanna Middagh, of Brooklyn.
- 7 JOHN MIDDAGH HICKS, b. May 17, 1751; d. March 29, 1829; m. Eliza, daughter of John and Amy (Willis) Hicks. He inherited with his brother, Jacob M. Hicks, the Middagh farm, which is now the First Ward of the City of Brooklyn. By converting this property into streets and village plots the two brothers became very wealthy and were the prominent men of the locality.
- 8 JULIET HICKS, b. April 28, 1803; d. Jan. 12, 1894; m. Whitehead J. Cornell, of Brooklyn. (See W. C. Duyckinck's Notes.)

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#### THE DU YCKINCK LINEAGE.

- 1 EVERT DU YCKINCK came to this country at an early date from Borchon, North Brabant, Holland, in the service of the Dutch West India Company; resided for some time at Fort Good Hope (now Hartford, Conn.), where he was injured in a sortie of the English against the Dutch Colonists in 1640; m. Hendrickie Simons, of Noordthorn, Sept. 9, 1646, at the old Dutch Church in New York. In 1643 he was granted a patent of land in Flatbush, L. I., by Director Stuyvesant, and also a lot near the present New York Cotton Exchange, where he resided until his death, about 1700. He was a man of wealth and of considerable importance in the Colony.
- 2 EVERT DU YCKINCK, bap. Oct. 30, 1650, in the old Dutch Church, New York; went to Holland, and in 1679 returned with his wife, Cornelia Jacobson Toll, and his two children, on the *Charles*. He was a sea captain, and after returning from a voyage to Jamaica and the Barbadoes died in New York in 1680. His widow remarried, and thus the old family bible passed into the hands of the Beekman family, who now have possession of it.
- 3 EVERT DU YCKINCK, b. in Amsterdam, Holland, July 23, 1677; m. Elsie, daughter of Andries and Vrutwie (Van Vorst) Meyer, in New York, Feb. 3, 1704. He purchased 700 acres of land in New Jersey, on the Raritan River, where he spent the remainder of his life.

- 4 EVERT DU YCKINCK, bap. May 12, 1706; m. Aafje, daughter of Johannes and Sarah (Van Laar) Hardenbroeck, Dec. 21, 1729. He resided upon the extensive farming lands which he inherited from his father until his death, in 1782.
- 5 JAMES DU YCKINCK, bap. January 8, 1841, was a resident of New Brunswick N. J.; d. Sept. 24, 1822, and on the church register is inscribed: "A respectable inhabitant of this city;" m. Mary, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Brokaw) Taylor, Nov. 5, 1772.
- 6 RICHARD BANCKER DU YCKINCK, b. Aug. 3, 1780; d. May 25, 1874; m. at New Brunswick, N. J., to Elizabeth Mary, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Dudley) Donnan. He retired from business and removed to Somerville, N. J., and afterwards to Brooklyn, N. Y., where he died.
- 7 RICHARD BANCKER DU YCKINCK, b. Nov. 1, 1816; m. Eliza H., daughter of Whitehead J. and Julia (Hicks) Cornell, at Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 28, 1841. (See W. C. Duyckinck's Notes.)

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#### TOMPKINS LINEAGE.

Their original American ancestors emigrated from the North of England during the time of religious persecution in that country and landed in Plymouth, whence they afterwards removed to Concord, Mass. Their arms were: Azure on a chevron between three moor cocks, close, or, as many cross crosslets, sable crest, a unicorn's head erased, per fesse, argent and or, armed and maned of the last, gorged with a chaplet of laurel vert.

- 1 JOHN TOMPKINS, of Concord, Mass., removed to Fairfield, Conn., Sept., 1644; m. ———. Child:
- 2 JOHN TOMPKINS, of Concord, b. 1642, living in 1672; removed to Fairfield, Conn., and subsequently settled at Eastchester, N. Y.; m. ———. Child:
- 3 NATHANIEL\* TOMPKINS, d. about 1735; m. Elizabeth Hanna. Child:
- 4 STEPHEN TOMPKINS, m. Anne ———. Children:
- 5 JONATHAN GRIFFIN TOMPKINS, of Fox Meadows, now Scarsdale, N. Y., † b. June 8, 1736; d. May 22, 1823; m. at Scarsdale, Sarah Hyatt, marriage license Oct. 27, 1758. He was a member of the Provincial Congress for Westchester County, 1776 and 1777; member of the Council of Safety, 1777 and 1778; ‡ member of Assembly, 1780, 1781, 1782 and 1786, 1787, 1791,

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\* The name Nathaniel occurs in Eastchester in 1665.

† Scarsdale acquired its name from the Heathcot family, who originally came from Scarsdale, Derbyshire, England. "More onward," says the learned Camden (describing that part of Derbyshire), "we see Chesterfields in Scarsdale—that is, in a dale enclosed with rocks, for crags were called scars by the Saxons."

‡ The Council of Safety used to meet in a church in Harlem, and when the British took possession they adjourned to the old Court House at White Plains. While in the exercise of his duties Tompkins was once observed by a scouting party, which at once gave chase, and, being better mounted, were about to overtake him, when he plunged down a steep hill, made a sudden turn in the road, and managed to elude his pursuers by dismounting and secreting himself in a swamp.

1792; Supervisor, 1783\*; Regent of the University, 1787 to 1808; County Judge Westchester County, 1793 and 1798; Delegate to the Convention of 1801. Children:

Caleb, b. Dec. 22, 1759.

6 Enoch, b. Aug. 21, 1771; d. April 4, 1843.

Daniel D. Tompkins, twice elected Governor of New York, and Vice-president of the United States from 1817 to 1825, when Monroe was President.

6 ENOCH TOMPKINS, b. Aug. 21, 1771; d. April 4, 1843; m. Mary Barker at Scarsdale in 1793. Child:

7 Daniel D., b. Nov. 30, 1798; d. in Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 26, 1863.

7 DANIEL D. TOMPKINS, b. Nov. 30, 1798; d. in Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 26, 1863. Buried at Troy, N. Y., with full military honors. Class of 1820, West Point. He distinguished himself in the Florida War while Captain of the First U. S. Artillery, and was brevetted Major Sept. 11, 1836, for gallant and meritorious conduct against the Indians. He was Colonel during the first two years of the War of the Rebellion. At the time of his death he was Assistant Quartermaster-General of the U. S. Army stationed at New York; m. (1) Caroline Pierce; m. (2) Ellen Hirst Cornell, June 19, 1849, daughter of Dr. John Sebring Cornell and Mary Fitz Randolph Lewis. She was b. in Brooklyn March 17, 1826; d. in New York Nov. 15, 1883. Children:

8 Agnes Cornell, who m. Henry V. Feder, and d. March 18, 1898, leaving a daughter, Irene Feder, surviving.

Catharine Cornell, who m. Austin Dickinson Middleton of New York, June 17, 1884, eldest son of John Nathaniel Butterfield Middleton, of Bermuda, for many years a merchant of New York and resident of Brooklyn. They have but one child living, Louise Tompkins Middleton, b. Dec. 9, 1887. Their daughter, Ellen Cornell Middleton, b. Aug. 13, 1885; d. April 15, 1888, (see A. D. Middleton's Notes).

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#### FRANKLIN LINEAGE.

1 MATTHEW FRANKLIN came from England to America 1680, and settled in New York; m. Philadelphia ———, who d. April 23, 1715.

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\* The first independent election for officers of the Manor of Scarsdale took place on Dec. 22, 1783. In pursuance of an act of the Legislature, passed Oct. 23, 1779, entitled, "An act to provide for the temporal government of the southern part of the State, whenever the enemy shall abandon or be dispossessed of the same, and until the Legislature can be convened," etc. The town met on the aforesaid day at the house of Jonathan Griffin, near the usual place of holding said meetings; then and there the inhabitants proceeded to choose town officers by a majority vote: Jonathan Tompkins, Supervisor; Benjamin Cornell, Clerk; Stephen Cornell and Thomas Cornell, Assessors; Israel Herriott, Constable and Collector; Ferris Cornell and Samuel Fisher, Overseers of the Highway; Ferris Cornell, Pounder; John Compton and Thomas Cornell, Fence and Sewage Viewers.—*Bolton's History of Westchester County*, Vol. II., p. 250.

- 2 HENRY FRANKLIN, m. (1) Dorothy Bowne, of Flushing, March 27, 1689; she d. 1690; m. (2) Sarah Cook, b. Sept. 20, 1672; d. Oct. 24, 1750.
- 3 THOMAS FRANKLIN, b. Jan. 20, 1703; d. Dec. 25, 1773; m. Mary Pearsall, Dec. 8, 1726.  
 Matthew m. Dorothy (or Deborah) Cornell.  
 Henry m. Sarah Cornell.
- 4 SAMUEL FRANKLIN, b. Nov. 17, 1737; d. Sept. 4, 1807; m. Esther Mitchell, of Philadelphia, July 1, 1762. The family were planters until Samuel became a merchant. He and his brother Walter (whose mansion in Franklin Square, New York, was occupied by Washington when first elected President of the United States) were very wealthy and owned their own vessels, which were the first vessels that were sent to China from America. Vice-president De Witt Clinton and his brother George married daughters of Walter Franklin. The Franklins have never succeeded in trade, and their great firm failed. Since then they have been professional men or members of the army or navy.
- 5 JOHN FRANKLIN, b. Feb. 28, 1775; d. April 20, 1842; m. Charity Cornell, Sept. 23, 1793; she d. Feb. 7, 1858, aged 83 years.  
 Sarah, b. June 27, 1796, in New York; d. Flatbush, L. I., Aug. 19, 1832.  
 Walter, b. Sept. 15, 1798, in Flatbush, L. I.; d. New York, Dec. 11, 1817.  
 Mary Jane, b. Dec. 18, 1799, in New York; d. New Orleans, La., Jan. 22, 1855.  
 Samuel, b. Jan. 22, 1802, in New York; d. Clairborne, Ala.  
 John A., b. May 2, 1804, in New York; d. Columbus, Miss., July 25, 1870.  
 Sidney S., b. Oct. 15, 1806, in Mt. Airy, N. Y.; d. Columbus, Miss., Oct. 5, 1886.  
 Emily, b. Aug. 14, 1808, in Flatbush, L. I.; d. Flatbush, L. I., Feb. 13, 1859.  
 Ann E., b. March 16, 1810, in Flatbush, L. I.; d. Walnut, Ia., Feb. 14, 1880.
- 6 Caroline Louise, b. June, 1811, in Flatbush, N. Y.; died Pendleton, S. C., Oct. 18, 1865.  
 Cornell S., b. Dec. 6, 1812, in Flatbush. The last survivor of these twelve children.  
 Janet E., b. March 23, 1815, in Flatbush; d. Flatbush Aug. 15, 1832.
- 6 CAROLINE LOUISE FRANKLIN, b. June 11, 1811; d. Oct. 18, 1865; m. William S. Hastie.
- 7 WILLIAM S. HASTIE, 2<sup>d</sup>, b. June 9, 1843; m. Julia Drayton Nov. 22, 1870.  
 8 Drayton Franklin, b. Sept. 7, 1871.  
 Marie Clinton, b. Jan. 27, 1873.  
 Ella Drayton, b. Sept. 16, 1875.



Carlisle Norwood, b. Jan. 1, 1878.

This family is not related to Benjamin Franklin, the philosopher and statesman, but is of the same family as the English explorer of the Arctic.

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SANDS LINEAGE.

1 JAMES SANDS, b. in England, 1622; d. on Block Island, March 13, 1695; buried there in the public graveyard; m. Sarah Walker, in England, 1645, daughter of John Walker of Rhode Island and Catherine Hutchinson, (daughter of Edward Hutchinson). Tradition says he came from Reading, (Berkshire), England, and landed at Plymouth, Mass., 1638. He is supposed to be a descendant of Edwin Sandys, Archbishop of York, and Sir William Sandys of Bath, England. 1642, engaged in building a house for William Hutchinson at Eastchester, Westchester Co., N. Y. Moved to Portsmouth, R. I.; grants of land there, 1643 and 1644. 1655, Freeman of Portsmouth. 1657, Commissioner from Portsmouth at the General Court. 1661, he and his family sailed from Taunton, Mass., for New Shoreham, (Block Island), where they settled. 1663-4, constable at Block Island. 1665, deputy from Block Island. 1670-1, tax rater. 1690, Nov. 15, deed to his son John, of land on Block Island. 1694, June 18, will dated; proved May 6, 1695, on record at Block Island. Child:

2 JOHN SANDS, b. in America, 1649; d. March 15, 1712, (intestate) on the Home Farm at Cow Neck; buried in the Sands graveyard; m. Sybil Ray, at Block Island, daughter of Simon Ray; she d. 1733, and was buried by her husband. 1674, had a grant of land at Portsmouth, R. I. 1678, 1680, 1681, Deputy to the General Assembly from Block Island. 1691, moved from Block Island to Cow Neck. 1691, Dec. 25, purchased of Richard Cornell (Thomas,<sup>1</sup>) of Rockaway and Elizabeth his wife; consideration, £200 500 acres on Cow Neck. This farm was included in a patent taken out by Richard, 1686, from Gov. Dongan. The farm of his brother Samuel, adjoining this one, was part of the land purchased. He gave his descendants a graveyard of about half an acre, north of his house. He left the Home Farm to his son Nathaniel, his widow remaining on the same till her death. Children:

3 John, b. Jan. 22, 1683 or 1684; d. Aug. 15, 1763; m. Catherine Guthrie, 1706.

Nathaniel, b. 1687; d. May 10, 1750.

Edward, b. 1691; d. March 9, 1746; m. Mary Cornell (Richard,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>). Settled at Cow Neck.

George, b. 1694; *d. s. p.*

Dorothy, b. 1703; d. 1765; m. ——— Bowne.

Edward, d. June 14, 1708, at Block Island: buried in the public graveyard by his father. Child: Sarah, m. Teddiman Hall of Block Island.

Samuel, b. about 1656; d. 1730; m. ——— Ray, 1679, daughter of Simon Ray and sister of Sybil. Child: one son. He and his wife are buried on his farm at Cow Neck.

Sarah, m. Nathaniel Niles, Feb. 14, 1671, at Block Island.  
 James, b. 1673; d. 1733;\* m. Mary Cornell, (John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas,<sup>1</sup>) 1697.  
 Removed to Matinicock about 1694 or 1696. Will proved  
 Jan. 19, 1733. Executors: Caleb Cornell and Samuel Under-  
 hill. His daughter Zerviah m. Aaron Smith, son of Job  
 and grandson of Richard Smith, patentee of Smithtown, L. I.  
 From them is descended Amanda Smith of Buffalo, N. Y.,  
 who m. Edward Clinton Hawks, June 5, 1879, counsellor-  
 at-law and a descendant of Isaac Allerton of the *Mayflower*.  
 Mercy, b. on Block Island; m. Joshua Raymond, April 29, 1683.  
 Moved to New London, 1704.

3 JOHN SANDS, b. on Block Island, Jan. 22, 1683 or 1684; d. Aug. 15, 1763, on  
 the Home Farm, Cow Neck; buried in the Sands graveyard; m. Cath-  
 erine Guthrie, at Newport, R. I., Sept. 9, 1706, daughter of Robert Guthrie;  
 she d. 1769, buried by her husband. He moved from Block Island about  
 ten years after his marriage, to a farm at Cow Neck, where he built a  
 house and remained till 1733, when he moved to the Home Farm which  
 he bought of his brother Nathaniel. 1759, Feb. 27, will dated; proved  
 Sept. 30, 1763.† Children:

- 4 John, b. 1708; d. 1760; m. Elizabeth Cornell, 1736.  
 Robert, b. Dec. 26, 1710; *d. s. p.*, April 12, 1735; buried at Cow  
 Neck.  
 Edward, b. Jan. 17, 1711-12; d. Oct. 21, 1778. Ancestor of  
 all the Sands at present on Block Island.  
 Mary, b. 1715; d. March 15, 1724.  
 George, b. 1717; *d. s. p.* Jan. 15, 1777; buried at Cow Neck.  
 Anne, b. March 16, 1719; m. ——— Brooks.  
 Nathaniel, b. Nov. 30, 1731; d. Aug. 1783.  
 Joshua, b. March 22, 1725; d. March 28, 1787.  
 Simon, b. July 12, 1727; d. April 5, 1782; m. Catharine Tread-  
 well, daughter Elizabeth m. Lewis Cornwall.  
 Gideon, b. Oct. 22, 1729; d. April 20, 1770; buried at Cow Neck.  
 Mary, b. 1732; d. Feb. 19, 1755; m. ——— Guilford.  
 Benjamin, b. Nov., 1735; d. Oct. 24, 1824.

4 JOHN SANDS, b. Jan. 1, 1708 or 1709, on Block Island; d. Nov. 22, 1760, on  
 the Inland Farm, Cow Neck; m. Elizabeth Cornell (Caleb,<sup>4</sup> Caleb,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup>  
 Thomas,<sup>1</sup>) May 12, 1736. In 1733, settled on the Inland Farm, where all  
 his children were born. He and his wife died there and were buried in  
 the Sands graveyard, 1760, Oct. 9, will dated; proved Dec. 12.‡ At his  
 death the farm passed to his eldest son John. Children:

- 5 John, b. Feb. 22, 1737; d. June 25, 1811.  
 Cornwell, b. April 26, 1739; d. Aug. 3, 1793.  
 Elizabeth, b. May 8, 1742; d. Sept. 13, 1747.

\* See Mrs. E. C. Hawk's notes. Some authorities give different dates.

† Recorded in the Surrogate's Office, N. Y., L. 24, Fol. 224.

‡ Recorded in the Surrogate's Office, N. Y., L. 22, Fol. 363.

Robert, b. Feb. 13, 1745; *d. s. p.* March 8, 1825,  
 Comfort, b. Feb. 22, 1748, on the Inland Farm, Cow Neck; bap.  
 in St. Paul's Chapel, New York, 1767; d. Sept. 22, 1834;  
 m. (1) Sarah Dodge, June 3, 1769, daughter of Wilkie Dodge,  
 by the Rev. Samuel Seabury; m. (2) Cornelia Lott, Dec. 5,  
 1797. Eighteen children in all of whom Cornelia m. Nathaniel  
 Prime of New York, from whom are descended the Jays of Rye,  
 N. Y.\*

Stephen, b. Jan. 16, 1750; d. Jan. 31, 1787.

Richardson, b. June 13, 1754.

Joshua, b. Oct. 12, 1757; d. Sept. 13, 1835.

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#### VAN CORTLANDT LINEAGE.†

- 1 OLOFF (or OLAF STEVENSE) VAN CORTLANDT, first of his name in this country, came from Wyk-by-Dowestede, Holland, on the *Haring*, with William Kieft, in 1638. He was the son of Steven and Catharine; b. 1610; d. Sept. 4, 1683; m. in New Amsterdam Annetje Lockerman, of Turnhout, Holland, Feb. 26, 1642 (sister of Govert Lockerman), who d. May 14, 1684. He was one of the "Eight Men," 1645; President of the "Nine Men," 1650; Commissioner of Indian Affairs, 1645; Commissioner of Boundaries, 1654; Schepen, 1645; Burgomaster, 1656-8-9, 1662-3-5; member of Gov. Andros' Council, 1674. He had six children, the eldest of whom,
- 2 STEPHANUS VAN CORTLANDT, b. May 7, 1643; d. Nov. 23, 1700; m. in Albany, Gertrude, daughter of Philip Pieterse Schuyler, of Albany, Oct 3, 1671. Stephanus Van Cortlandt was the first native born Mayor of New York. He built the Van Cortlandt Manor House on the Croton River, and was the first Lord of the Manor of Cortlandt. He purchased of the Indians in 1677 the land which, in 1686, was erected into "the Lordship and Manor of Cortlandt" by Gov. Dongan, in the reign of William III. of England. This grant is in the possession of the family at the Van Cortlandt Manor House, Croton. Stephanus Van Cortlandt was Mayor of New York in 1677, and for three terms; Captain of Troop of Horse, 1684; Colonel Kings County Militia, 1693; first Judge of the Admiralty, 1677; member of Council, 1686-88; Department Secretary and Register of Province, 1688; Chancellor, 1696; Chief Justice Supreme Court, Senior Warden Trinity Church, New York, etc., etc. He left eleven children. His seven daughters married the first men in the Colony. His eldest son,
- 3 PHILIP VAN CORTLANDT, b. Aug. 9, 1683; d. in New York, Aug. 21, 1748; m. Catharine de Peyster, daughter of Abraham, 171c, who was Treasurer of the Colony in 1706, member of the Council, Mayor, Colonel of a Regiment, etc.

\* See *Descent of Comfort Sands*, by Temple Prime, Mrs. E. C. Hawk's notes, etc.

† References—*Doc. Col. Hist. State of N. Y.*, Vol. I., pp. 247-431; *New York Gen. and Bio. Rec.*, Vol. VIII., pp. 12-18; *History Van Cortlandt Family in Scharf's Westchester County*, Vol. II., p. 423; *Brodhead's History of New York*, O'Callaghan's *New Netherlands*, Vol. I., p. 90; *Lamb's History City of New York*, etc., etc.

Philip Van Cortlandt was Colonel of the Kings County Militia, member of Kings Council, 1730; Commissioner of Indian Affairs, 1740. His eldest son,  
 4 STEPHEN VAN CORTLANDT, b. Oct. 26, 1711; d. Oct. 17, 1756; m. Mary Walton Ricketts in New York, May 6, 1738, daughter of William Ricketts (or Rickards), who was a Captain in Oliver Cromwell's Army, and of Mary Walton, his wife, who was the daughter of William Walton, a prominent and wealthy citizen of New York of English birth. Children:

Philip.

5 William Ricketts.  
 Catharine.

Stephen Van Cortlandt's elder son, Philip, m. Catharine Ogden, and espoused the British side in the War for Independence. He d. at Hailsham, England, in 1814. Had twenty-three children. The younger son of Stephen,

5 WILLIAM RICKETTS VAN CORTLANDT, became head of the family. Was b. March 13, 1742; m. Elizabeth Kortwright, of Harlem, whose ancestors were here at an early date, Jan. 3, 1765. Their eldest son,

6 WILLIAM RICKETTS VAN CORTLANDT, JR., m. (1) ——— Storm; m. (2) Sarah<sup>7</sup> Cornell (James,<sup>6</sup> William,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Joshua,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>). Children:

Oliver.

James.

Elizabeth.

Their son, Oliver Van Cortlandt, m. C. Hyatt, is living and has children. <sup>98</sup>

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#### VAN CORTLANDT MANOR.

The Van Cortlandt Manor (estate of Stephanus Van Cortlandt) was one of the great Manors. The purchase did not begin till 1683. It was erected into a Manor June 17, 1697, by William III., through Gov. Fletcher. It ran east from Croton Bay to the Connecticut line, and included, besides the whole of the northern part of Westchester County (86,213 acres), a tract on the west bank of the Hudson (1,500 acres)—in all, 87,713 acres. The Manor of Cortlandt was devised by Stephanus Van Cortlandt at his death (1700) to his eleven surviving children in equal shares (except that Johannes, the oldest son, received, in addition to his equal share, what is now Verplanks Point on the Hudson, a tract of 2,500 acres). It remained undivided many years. The widow of Stephanus, Gertrude Schuyler, outlived her husband twenty-three years, and there was a tacit agreement that during her life nothing should be done towards splitting up the estate. Oliver, one of the eleven heirs, died childless, willing his interest to his brothers and sisters. The Manor then had ten property interests. After the death of Stephanus there was always a recognized head of the Van Cortlandt family. But there never was a second Lord of the Manor. Johannes, the eldest son of Stephanus, died young, leaving one child, Gertrude; m. Philip Verplank, a descendant of one of the early Dutch settlers of New Amsterdam. He was a surveyor,

and by agreement of the heirs (1730) was appointed to lay out the Manor into thirty lots, and these were divided among the several parties; but his survey was confined to the Manor north of the Croton River. Then (1733) all of Westchester County north of the Croton River, and between that stream and the Connecticut line, was appraised for \$48,000. This territory now includes the towns of Cortlandt, Yorktown, Somers, North Salem, Lewisboro and part of Pound Ridge. Its taxable value is now several millions. In 1753 the Manor lands south of the Croton River were divided. The heirs-at-law entering into enjoyment of their individual properties as partitioned to them, gradually leased the lands to settlers or sold them in fee. The subsequent history of the great Van Cortlandt estate is well represented by the share which fell to Stephen de Lancy, son of the Chief Justice (over 7,000 acres). This he laid out into farms, as a rule of 200 acres, and leased them. Notwithstanding the complete partition of the estate, the "Lordship and Mannour" of Courtlandt, as erected by Gov. Fletcher (1697) remained. It was a distinct political division, and was separated from the rest of Westchester County more than the other Manors, and had the exceptional right of sending its own representative to the Provincial Assembly. This did not cease till 1788, when Westchester County was divided into townships, and Cortlandt Manor ceased to exist. Representation did not begin till 1734. Philip Verplank was first chosen for that office. His successor was Pierre Van Cortlandt, who served during the rest of the Colonial era.

After the death of Johannes and Oliver, the first and second sons of Stephanus Van Cortlandt, Philip, b. 1683, became head of the family. He was a merchant in New York. He was clear-headed, of good ability and great decision of character, and from 1730 to 1746 member of the Gubernatorial Council. His eldest son, Stephen, d. young, leaving his son, Philip, the next head. But this second Philip preferred military affairs, entered the British army and fought against American independence. He went to England after the war, and his children became allied with the nobility of that land. But it is a singular fact that of his twenty-three children no male descendant now represents him. His uncle, Pierre (youngest son of first. Philip and grandson of Stephanus), ultimately became the leading member of the family. He was b. 1712, and lived in the Manor from boyhood, making that his permanent residence; and he d. in the Manor House and was buried in the Van Cortlandt Cemetery. In 1749 he m. Joanna, daughter of Gilbert Livingston and granddaughter of Robert, first Lord of the Livingston Manor. He had four sons and three daughters. Van Cortlandt Manor House is now occupied by his great-grandson, Mr. James Stevenson Van Cortlandt. The Yonkers branch of the Van Cortlandt family was founded by Jacobus, younger son of Oloff Stevense Van Cortlandt, and brother of Stephanus, first Lord of the Manor, b. 1658. He m. Eva, stepdaughter of the first Frederick Philipse, purchased (1699) from his father-in-law fifty acres, to which he added several thousand more, and in 1700 dammed up Tippet's Brook, thus creating the Van Cortlandt Lake, erected the Van Cortlandt Mill, which was used as a grist-mill till 1889, when it came into the possession of New York City.

Jacobus, in his will, bequeathed to his only son, Frederick Van Cortlandt, his "farm, situate, lying and being in a place called and known by the name of Little or Lower Yonkers."

Frederick, b. 1698; m. Francina, daughter of Augustus and Ann Maria (Bayard) Jay. Frederick built the Van Cortlandt House now in the possession of the Colonial Dames, a fine specimen of Colonial architecture, and, like the Philipse Manor House, in perfect preservation. Six children were b. to Frederick Van Cortlandt and his wife Francina, of whom Jacobus was the oldest, b. March 3, 1727, and who became the proprietor of the Little Yonkers estate. He Anglicized his name to James; died childless, 1800. Little Yonkers passed to his brother Augustus, and after his death the principal portion of it, including the mansion, was held by the family of his daughter Anna, who m. Henry White (the White heirs of Augustus assuming the name of Van Cortlandt by requirement of the will) till purchased by New York City (see *Shonnard and Spooner's History of Westchester County, Bolton's History*) and Mrs. Catherine (Van Cortlandt) Matthew's notes, etc.

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#### KIRBY LINEAGE.

- 1 RICHARD KIRBY of Sandwich, Mass., was first at Lynn, Mass. Removed in 1637 to Sandwich, Mass. He early espoused the cause of the "Quakers," and 1658-60 suffered severely in fines for this offense. Some time after 1660, he removed to Dartmouth, Mass., where he died (intestate) before July 21, 1688. His wife's name was Jane, by whom he had two sons: Richard and Recompence.
- 2 RICHARD KIRBY of Dartmouth, Mass., embraced the principles of the Society of Friends and suffered at Sandwich, Mass., together with his father during the persecution, 1658-60. Some time after 1660, he removed to Dartmouth, Mass., where he died. His will was dated Jan. 30, 1708, and was proved April 4, 1720. He m. (1) Patience Gifford, Oct. 9, 1665, daughter of William Gifford of Sandwich, Mass., who died before Dec. 2, 1678, when he m. (2) Abigail, widow of Zoeth Howland, who died before 1708. By his first wife he had two sons: John and Robert.
- 3 ROBERT KIRBY of Dartmouth, Mass., b. May 10, 1674; m. Rebecca Potter, daughter of Nathaniel Potter of Portsmouth, R. I. His will was dated March 26, 1755, and was proved March 10, 1757. His widow died in 1773. They had five sons; Nathaniel, Ichabod, Recompence, Silas and Robert.
- 4 NATHANIEL KIRBY of Dartmouth, Mass., d. 1648; m. Abigail Russell, March 25, 1731; b. June 25, 1712, daughter of James and Rebecca (Howland) Russell of Dartmouth, Mass. James Russell, b. May 7, 1687, was the son of Jonathan Russell of Dartmouth (the son of Hon. John Russell of Dartmouth, Mass., and Hassadyah Smith, b. Jan. 11, 1656, daughter of Lieut. John Smith of Dartmouth, Mass.) They had two sons: Wesson and Justus.
- 5 JUSTUS KIRBY of Westport, Mass., b. April 28, 1746; d. Jan. 5, 1831; m. Catherine Cornell, Dec. 27, 1769; she was b. April 14, 1751; d. Aug. 27, 1832,

daughter of Peleg Cornell of Dartmouth, Mass. They had four children: Luthan, Abner, Lydia and Elizabeth.

- 6 ELIZABETH KIRBY, b. Oct. 1, 1781; d. June 31, 1866; m. Robert Sherman of Westport, Mass., Nov. 2, 1807; he was b. 1785; d. Aug. 5, 1821, aged 36 years; son of Preserved Sherman. Their daughter Catherine, b. Jan. 1812; d. Sept. 9, 1893, aged 81 years; m. Stephen Cornell of Westport, Mass.; he was b. 1806; d. Dec. 17, 1866, aged 60 years, 22 days (gravestone).

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#### RUSSELL LINEAGE.

- 1 RALPH RUSSELL, from Pontipool, England (see *Bailey's History*, Vol. 2, p. 268, and *Ricketson's History of New Bedford, Mass.*)
- 2 JOHN RUSSELL, d. 2mo., 13, 1634-5 (o. s.); m. Dorothy; she d. 1637. John Russell bought of Captain Miles Standish one share in Dartmouth, Mass., and set up an iron forge. He represented Dartmouth in 1665, to the Old Colony Court at Plymouth Hill. Will dated 1mo., 19, 1687, and probated 4mo., 21, 1695.
- 3 JOSEPH RUSSELL, b. 5mo., 6, 1650; d. 12mo., 11, 1739; m. ———; she was b. 6mo., 6, 1657; d. 9mo., 25, 1737. Joseph,<sup>3</sup> will dated 3mo., 11, 1736; probated 12mo., 18, 1739, and gives his wife Elizabeth and sons Joseph,<sup>4</sup> and John,<sup>4</sup> twin brothers, that were born in Russell garrison during the Indian War, 11mo., 22, 1678, the Woolen Mill and to build a dam above their brother Benjamin's Grist Mill, but not to damnify said Benjamin, and gives Benjamin the Grist Mill and 17 acres of land and House thereon. All at "Russell's Mills" in Dartmouth.
- 4 JOSEPH RUSSELL, b. 11mo., 22, 1678; m. (2) Mary<sup>3</sup> Tucker; she was b. 12mo., 1, 1683; d. 12mo., 5, 1769, daughter of Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Henry<sup>1</sup> Tucker. Joseph<sup>4</sup> Russell owned the most valuable portions of the land on which the city of New Bedford is built, and of whom Mr. Rotch bought in 1765 (see *Ricketson's History*).
- 5 MARY RUSSELL, daughter of Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Joseph,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Ralph<sup>1</sup> Russell, b. 10mo., 20, 1723; m. Peleg Cornell, 1mo., 13, 1739; son of Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup> Cornell. All of Dartmouth, Mass. (see *Friend's Record*, p. 303).
- JOHN CORNELL, son of Peleg,<sup>4</sup> and Mary<sup>5</sup> (Russell) Cornell, m. Mehitable<sup>6</sup> Allen, April 18, 1788, daughter of Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> Ebenezer,<sup>4</sup> Ebenezer,<sup>3</sup> Ralph,<sup>2</sup> George<sup>1</sup> Allen, the last of Sandwich, 1637.
- MEHITABLE<sup>7</sup> CORNELL, daughter of John,<sup>5</sup> and Mehitable<sup>6</sup> (Allen) Cornell, m. Tucker Smith, May 23, 1822, son of Collins,<sup>5</sup> and Hannah (Tucker) Smith (see *Cornell Genealogy*).
- H. H. H. CRAPO SMITH, son of Tucker,<sup>6</sup> and Mehitable<sup>7</sup> (Cornell) Smith, m. Lucy<sup>6</sup> A. Crapo, Dec. 15, 1858, daughter of Gov. Henry Howland<sup>5</sup> Crapo, son of Jesse,<sup>4</sup> Peter,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Peter<sup>1</sup> Crapo of Rochester, Mass. Peter,<sup>1</sup> m. Penelope<sup>4</sup> White, May 31, 1704, (see *Rochester Records*, p. 50); and Penelope<sup>4</sup> White was the daughter of Samuel,<sup>3</sup> Resolved,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup> White

of the Mayflower of 1620, and of the original Pilgrim Company (see *White Genealogy* by Thomas H. White, and *Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth*, by W. T. Davis, also see *Slocum Genealogy*, pp. 192 to 197.

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#### ALLEN LINEAGE.

- 1 GEORGE ALLEN, buried 5mo., 2, 1648; m. Catharine Collins: buried Sandwich, Mass. He was in Lynn in 1636, and in Sandwich in 1637. He was Deputy to Plymouth, 1641 and 1642. (See *Bowden's History of the Quakers*.)
  - 2 RALPH ALLEN, m. Ester Swift, daughter of William and Joan Swift of Bocking, England. Ralph<sup>2</sup> Allen, 15mo., 10, 1663, bought of Gov. William Bradford and his mother Alice Bradford, one-half share in Dartmouth for ten pounds sterling. (*Plymouth*, Vol. 5, p. 457.) Sarah Warren, widow of Nathaniel Warren of Plymouth, sold Ralph<sup>2</sup> Allen, 29, 4mo., 1672, one-half share in Dartmouth at "Barnes her Joy" Dartmouth, for thirty-three pounds sterling. (*Plymouth Records*, Vol. 3, p. 213.)
  - 3 EBENEZER ALLEN, m. Abigail ———. He gave five pounds sterling toward building the first Apponegansett Meeting House, 11mo., 6, 1698-9 (o. s.) His will, dated 4mo., 8, 1725, probated 5mo., 18, 1725, gives to his son Ebenezer, one-eighth share in Dartmouth.
  - 4 EBENEZER ALLEN, b. 1mo., 16, 1690; m. Margaret Williams. His father Ebenezer,<sup>3</sup> by his will, dated 4mo., 8, 1725, and probated 5mo., 18, 1725, gives him one-eighth of a share in Dartmouth lands. Ebenezer,<sup>4</sup> his will dated 3 mo., 1, 1759, probated 11mo., 3, 1778.
  - 5 EBENEZER ALLEN, m. Elephal<sup>5</sup> Tucker, b. 2mo., 28, 1739; daughter of Henry,<sup>4</sup> Henry,<sup>3</sup> Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Henry<sup>1</sup> Tucker (see *New England Historical and Gen. Register*).
  - 5 METITABLE<sup>6</sup> ALLEN, daughter of Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> Ebenezer,<sup>4</sup> Ebenezer,<sup>3</sup> Ralph,<sup>2</sup> George<sup>1</sup> Allen, b. 12mo., 4, 1763; d. 6mo., 17, 1839; m. John Cornell, 4mo., 11, 1788, son of Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup> Cornell.
- MEHITABLE<sup>6</sup> CORNELL, daughter of John,<sup>5</sup> Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup> Cornell, m. Tucker Smith, 5mo., 23, 1822, son of Collins,<sup>5</sup> Henry,<sup>4</sup> Humphrey,<sup>3</sup> Deliverance,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup> Smith, (see *Smith Genealogy*).

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#### JOHN SMITH LINEAGE.\*

- 1 JOHN SMITH of Plymouth and Dartmouth, Mass. "John Smith, called Junior, put in an appearance as early as 1643 and enrolled to 'bare Arms.'"
 

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(see "*Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth*," by Hon. W. T. Davis, President of the Plymouth Society, pp. 172 and 245). He m. (1) Deborah daughter of Arthur and Margaret (Reed) Howland, Jan. 4, 1648. Arthur Howland and Henry Howland were brothers of John Howland, of the *Mayflower*, 1620 (see *Howland Genealogy*). "John Smith, Jr., of Plymouth, and Deborah, his wife, were fined ten shillings for attending Quaker meetings." (*Plymouth Records*, 3mo., 1, 1659). Children:

Hasadiah, b. 1mo., 11, 1650; m. Jonathan<sup>3</sup> Russell, 2mo., 5, 1678, son of John,<sup>2</sup> (Ralph<sup>1</sup> Russell), all of Dartmouth.

2 John, Jr., b. 10mo., 1, 1651.

Josiah, b. 7mo., 16, 1652; married Mary Pratt, 5mo., 25, 1687.

Eliezer, b. 4mo., 20, 1654; m. Ruth Sprague, 8mo., 12, 1680.

Hezekiah, b. 2m., 8th, 1656; d. 2mo., 28, 1726-7 (o.s.); m. Mary ——— (see *Apponegenset Friends' Records*, p. 62, and *Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth*).

2 JOHN SMITH, at Dartmouth, Mass., m. Ruhamah, daughter of Richard<sup>1</sup> Kirby. She was sister to Richard,<sup>2</sup> Jr., and Recompense<sup>2</sup> Kirby, and the latter was called "brother-in-law" in John<sup>1</sup> Smith's will. Children:

3 Deliverance, d. June 30, 1729; m. Mary,<sup>2</sup> daughter of Peleg,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup> Tripp, the latter of Portsmouth, R. I.

Gersham, d. 4mo., 3, 1718; m. Rebecca Ripley, 6mo., 6, 1695,

Judah, d. 10mo., 9, 1733; m. Mary ———.

Eliashub, m. Dinah Allen<sup>1</sup> 6mo., 24, 1704 (see *Friend's Records*, p. 148).

Hannah. Her father's will names and gives to her.

Sarah. Her father's will names and gives to her.

Deborah. Her father's will names and gives to her, a minor at his death.

Mahitable, m. John, 7mo., 17, 16—, son of John<sup>1</sup> Ralph<sup>2</sup> Russell and James Burrell (second husband), 3mo., 14, 1704-5 (o.s.) (see *Friends' Records*, p. 151).

Dartmouth, Mass., records say: "The 15th of the 1m., 1692, John Smith, Sr., died in the 74th year of his age, and was buried the 17th day of same month," in his "old homestead, Hill Meadow burial place." His will, dated 6mo., 8, 1691, probated 1mo., 26, 1693-4 (o.s.) at Taunton, appoints Ruhamah, his wife, sole executrix, with Deliverance, his son, executor, and says of his six sons: "I have given to every of them lands already stated, which is sufficient for them; and have everyone of them a sufficient deed under my hand and seal, and devise my brother-in-law, Reompense Kirby, to be my overseer" (see vol. I. of *Wills*, at Taunton, Mass.)

3 DELIVERANCE SMITH,\* son of John<sup>1</sup> and Ruhamah (Kirby), his second wife d. June 30, 1729; m. Mary ———; she d. 3mo., 19, 1776. Children:

4 Humphrey, b. 2mo., 13, 1705; died 11mo., 4, 1777; m. Mary Wilcox, 4mo., 1, 1731.

\* *Society of Friends' Records*, vol. I., p. 76, of Dartmouth (see the family records in detail).

- Mary, b. 11mo., 14, 1706-7 (o.s.); m. John Goddard 2mo., 1, 1732.  
 Alice, b. 8mo., 29, 1698; d. 10mo., 22, 1783.  
 Peleg, b. 3mo., 27, 1700; d. 8mo., 3, 1772; m. Mary Howland  
 (see *Howland Genealogy*).  
 John, b. 5mo., 11, 1693.  
 Deborah, b. 5mo., 13, 1695; m. Eliezer Slocum 7mo., 20, 1716,  
 (see *Slocum Genealogy*).  
 Ann, b. 10mo., 16, 1695; d. 9mo., 20, 1729; m. Beriah Goddard, of  
 Portsmouth, R. I., 4mo., 30, 1720.  
 George, b. 6mo., 27, 1701; d. 7mo., 17, 1789; m. Phebe Thornton  
 5mo., 11, 1767.  
 Hope, b. 11mo., 23, 1703; m. Thomas Briggs 12mo., 20, 1729.  
 Abigail, b. 2mo., 10, 1709; m. Thomas Briggs.

Deliverance Smith was buried in the "old homestead Hill Meadow burial place;" also his wife. He was a faithful adherent of the Society of Friends, and suffered much persecution for his religion. He was one of the original proprietors of Dartmouth, Mass., and his old homestead was surveyed and set off to him by Samuel and Benjamin Hammond, Commissioners of Her Majesty's Court of Quarter Sessions for the County of Bristol, 5mo., 25, 1711; and the boundary line of the north and west are the same to this day; also in part on the east and south, and have passed from generation to generation in regular succession down to Benjamin T. Smith, the eighth generation, now in possession, 1901.

- 4 HUMPHREY SMITH, son of Deliverance,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup> Smith, m. 4mo., 1, 1731 (see *Friends' Records*, p. 245), Mary, daughter of Jeremiah and Mary (Mallett) Willcox, of Newport, R. I. She was b. 11mo., 1, 1709 (o.s.), d. 11mo., 14, 1757 (n.s.) (*Society of Friends' Records*, vol. 1, pp. 77 and 245; see the family records in detail). He d. 11mo., 4, 1777, and was buried in the "old homestead Hill Meadow burial place;" also his wife. Children:
- Daniel, b. 7mo., 26, 1745; m. Rebecca, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Allen) Cornell 4mo., 25, 1764 (see *Cornell Genealogy*).
- Humphrey, b. 12mo., 4, 1740; m. Rebecca, daughter of Holder,<sup>4</sup> Peleg,<sup>3</sup> Giles,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup> Slocum, 3mo., 25, 1767 (see *Slocum Genealogy*).
- 5 Henry, b. 7mo., 22, 1738; d. 12mo., 9, 1801; m. Cynthia,<sup>5</sup> daughter of William,<sup>4</sup> Daniel,<sup>3</sup> William,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup> Wood, May 4, 1763, the latter of Plymouth.
- Abigail, b. 4mo., 21, 1743; m. Stephen, son of Jethro Hathaway, 8mo., 9, 1764; she was buried at the "old homestead Hill Meadow burial place."
- 5 HENRY SMITH, son of Humphrey,<sup>3</sup> Deliverance,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup> Smith; m. Cynthia<sup>5</sup> Wood 5mo., 4, 1763 (William,<sup>4</sup> Daniel,<sup>3</sup> William,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup> (see *Friends' Society Records of Dartmouth*). She was b. 7mo., 9, 1742; he was b. 7mo., 22, 1738; d. 12mo., 9, 1801; both buried in the "old homestead Hill Meadow burial place." He was County Commissioner, as found on certified maps of surveys, etc.;

also Selectman of Dartmouth for one or more terms of office. Children:

6 Collins, b. 7mo., 21, 1765; d. 3mo., 17, 1822; m. Hannah,<sup>6</sup> daughter of Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Abraham,<sup>4</sup> Henry,<sup>3</sup> Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Henry<sup>1</sup> Tucker, all of Dartmouth (see *Friends' Society Records* and *New England Historical and Genealogical Record*).

Henry, b. 7mo., 16, 1777; d. 7mo., 10, 1813; m. Mary Almy, 10mo., 2, 1800.

Rebecca, b. 6mo., 11, 1768; m. Giles<sup>6</sup> Slocum, 8mo., 19, 1790, son of Giles,<sup>5</sup> Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Peleg,<sup>3</sup> Giles,<sup>2</sup> Anthony<sup>1</sup> Slocum (see *Slocum Genealogy*).

Mary, b. 4mo., 7, 1780; m. Joseph Ricketson.

Hannah, b. 3mo., 24, 1775; d. 11mo., 9, 1811; m. Abijah Packard, 3mo., 10, 1796.

Deborah, b. 4mo., 12, 1771.

William, b. 2mo., 16, 1773.

Henry,<sup>4</sup> m. (2) Abigail<sup>5</sup> Russell, 10mo., 26, 1785, daughter of Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> Joseph,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> Ralph<sup>1</sup> Russell, all of Dartmouth, Mass. (*Friends' Records*, p. 556).

6 COLLINS SMITH, son of Henry,<sup>4</sup> Humphrey,<sup>3</sup> Deliverance,<sup>2</sup> John,<sup>1</sup> m. Hannah Tucker Jan. 2, 1788, daughter of Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> Abraham,<sup>4</sup> Henry,<sup>3</sup> Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Henry<sup>1</sup> Tucker, all of Dartmouth (see *New England Historical and Genealogical Record*, *Society of Friends' Records*, Dartmouth, Vol. I., p. 726. See the family records in detail). He d. 3mo., 17, 1822, and was buried in the "old homestead Hill Meadow Burial place;" also Hannah, his wife, and the whole family are buried at the same place. Children:

Humphrey, b. 8mo., 1, 1789; d. 10mo., 2, 1807; unmarried.

Sylvia, b. 4mo., 25, 1791; d. 2mo., 5, 1810; m. Paul Howland, son of Gideon and Catherine Howland (see *Howland Genealogy*).

7 Tucker, b. 7mo., 25, 1793; d. 4mo., 6, 1873; m. Mehitable<sup>6</sup> Cornell, 5mo., 23, 1822, daughter of John,<sup>5</sup> Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup> Cornell of Portsmouth, R. I., 1640 (see *Cornell Genealogy*).

Benjamin R., b. 7mo., 21, 1795; d. 11mo., 6, 1871. Bachelor.

Cynthia, b. Dec. 2, 1797; d. March 27, 1827; m. Daniel Howland, Jr., 1 mo., 1821 (see *Howland Genealogy*).

Rebecca, b. Aug. 22, 1800; m. Bradford Howland, 5mo., 6, 1824, (see *Howland Genealogy*).

Hannah, b. Oct. 12, 1803; d. Nov. 6, 1822; unmarried.

Abraham T., b. Nov. 9, 1806; d. Sept. 12, 1807. Child.

7 TUCKER SMITH, son of Collins,<sup>5</sup> Henry,<sup>4</sup> Humphrey,<sup>3</sup> Deliverance,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup> Smith, m. Mehitable<sup>6</sup> Cornell, 5mo., 23, 1822, daughter of John,<sup>5</sup> Peleg,<sup>4</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup> Cornell of Portsmouth, R. I., 1640 (see *Cornell Genealogy*). Tucker Smith d. April 6, 1873, and Mehitable,<sup>5</sup> d. April

3, 1873, and buried in the "old homestead Hill Meadow burial place." Both were members of the Society of Friends.

"A house well conducted in every detail,  
Is a mark of a family of unspotted name."

Children:

Hannah, b. Sept. 12, 1823; d. April 23, 1839; unmarried.

Collins, b. Sept. 6, 1825; d. Dec. 12, 1833. Boy.

H. H. H. Crapo, b. Jan. 9, 1828; m. Lucy A. Crapo, Dec. 15, 1858, daughter of Gov. Henry Howland Crapo; b. in Dartmouth, Mass., May 24, 1804; Governor of Michigan two terms, 1864-1868 (see *Slocum's Genealogy*).

Abraham, T. B., b. March 13, 1830; d. Oct. 24, 1871; m. Susan B. Harrington, Nov. 19, 1856.

Rebecca H., b. Sept. 14, 1832; m. John C. Weeks, May 12, 1853. Benjamin C., b. March 8, 1835; d. Nov. 16, 1873; m. Julia S. Sisson, Nov. 20, 1856.

Mary Hetty, b. Aug. 24, 1837; m. Nathaniel Howland, Nov. 20, 1856.

Cynthia, b. July 14, 1840; d. March 18, 1842.

John C., b. Oct. 24, 1842; d. Oct. 29, 1842.

Amelia A., b. Feb. 10, 1846; d. Jan. 17, 1865; unmarried.

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## LAND GRANTS.

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### TRANSLATION OF GOV. KIEFT'S PATENT OF CORNELL'S NECK, 1646, NOW CLASON'S POINT, WESTCHESTER, N. Y.\*

We, William Kieft, Director General and the Council, in behalf of the High and Mighty Lords, the States General of the United Netherlands, the Prince of Orange and the Noble Lords, the Managers of the Incorporated West India Company, in New Netherlands residing, by these presents do publish and declare that we, on this day, the date underwritten, have given and granted unto Tomas Coornal a certain piece of land lying on the East River, beginning from the Kill of Bronck's land, East South East along the River, extending about half a Dutch Mile from the River till to a little Creek over the Valley (Marsh) which runs back around this land, with the express condition and terms that the said Tomas Coornel, or they who to his action hereafter may succeed, the Noble Lords and Managers aforesaid shall acknowledge as their Lords and Patrons, under the Sovereignty of the High and Mighty Lords the States General; and unto their Director and Council here, shall in all things be conformed, as all good citizens are in duty bound. Provided, also that he shall be furthermore subject to all such burdens and imposts as by their Noble Lords already have been enacted, or such as hereafter may yet be enacted, Constituting over the same, the afore-

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\* See *Adam and Anne Mott* by T. C. Cornell.





CORNELL'S NECK.

Looking South across Long Island Sound (College Point and Flushing Bay in the distance).





CORNELL'S NECK.

Looking North (the Neck Road coming from the Point).



said Tomas Cornel in our stead, in the real and actual possession of the aforesaid piece of land, giving him by these presents the full might, authority and special license, the aforesaid piece to enter, cultivate, inhabit and occupy in like manner as he may lawfully do with others, his patrimonial lands and effects, without our, the grantors, in the quality as aforesaid, thereunto any longer having, reserving or saving any part, action or control whatever; but to the behoof as aforesaid, from all desisting from this time and forever more, promising furthermore this their Transport, firmly, invariably and irrevocably to maintain, fulfill and execute; and furthermore to do all that in equity we are bound to do, without fraud or deceit, these presents are by us undersigned and confirmed with our seal of red wax here underneath suspended. Done in the Fort Amsterdam, in New Netherland, this 26th July, A.D., 1646.

WILLIAM KIEFT.

By order of the Noble Lords, the Director-General and the Council of New Netherland.

CORNELIUS VAN TRIENHOVEN, Secretary.

Translation of book of Dutch Patents, G. G., 1630 to 1649, page 351.

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GOV. NICOLL'S PATENT OF 1667, TO THE ELDER WILLIAM WILLETT OF CORNELL'S NECK.\*

Richard Nicolls, Esq., Governor General under his Royal Highness James, Duke of York and Albany, etc., of all his territory in America; to all to whom these presents shall come; greeting:

Whereas, there is a certain parcell of land contained within a neck commonly called, and known as Cornell's Neck, lying and being on the Maine towards the Sound or East River, being bounded on the west by a certain Creek or Rivolette, which runs to the Black Rock and so into Bronck's Creek or Rill; then the neck stretching itself east southeast into the sound, is bounded in the East by another Rivolette which divides it from the limits of Westchester, and a line being drawn from the head of each Rivolett where, with a narrow strip the said Neck is joined to the main land, it closes up the neck and makes the north bounds thereof, and whereas, there was heretofore a patent or Ground brief granted by the Dutch Governor William Kieft unto Thomas Cornell for the said Neck (where among other things) it is mentioned to be bounded along the River about half a Dutch mile,† which said Patent or Ground brief so granted as aforesaid bears date the 26th day of July, 1646, now the Right, Title and interest in the premises being devolved on Sarah Bridges, the daughter of the said Thomas Cornell, deceased, who having made proof of her Title at law, hath

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\* See *Adam and Anne Mott* by T. C. Cornell.

† About two miles English. But this seems to be a mistranslation of the Dutch grant given in a previous page, which makes the tract "extend about half a Dutch mile from the River to a little Creek." The Neck does in fact extend about two miles back from the East River and about two miles along the shore line.

by deed of gift made over the same with all her interest therein unto William Willett, her eldest sonne—for a confirmation thereof unto the said William Willett, in his possession and enjoyment of the premises. Know Yee, that by virtue of the commission and authority unto me given by his Royal Highness, I have given, Ratified, confirmed and granted, and by these presents do give, Ratify, Confirm and Grant unto said William Willett, his heirs and assigns, all the aforesaid Parcell and neck of land so bounded as aforesaid, together with all woods, marshes, meadows, Pastures, Waters, lakes, Creeks, Rivoletts, fishing, hunting and fflowing, and all other profits, commodities and emoluments of the said parcell and Neck of land, belonging or in anywise appertaining, with their, and everytheir appurtenances, and of every part and parcel therof. To have and to hold the said parcell and Neck of land and premises unto the said William Willett, his heirs and assigns, unto the proper use and behoof of the said William Willett, his heirs and assigns forever. Paying and Rendering such duty and acknowledgment as now are, or hereafter shall be constituted, and established by the laws of this government, under the obedience of his Royal Highness and his heirs and successors. Given under my hand and seal at Fort James, in New York, in the Island of Manhattan, the 15th day of April in the 19th year of his Majesty's reign. Annoy D'n'i 1667.

RICHARD NICOLLS.

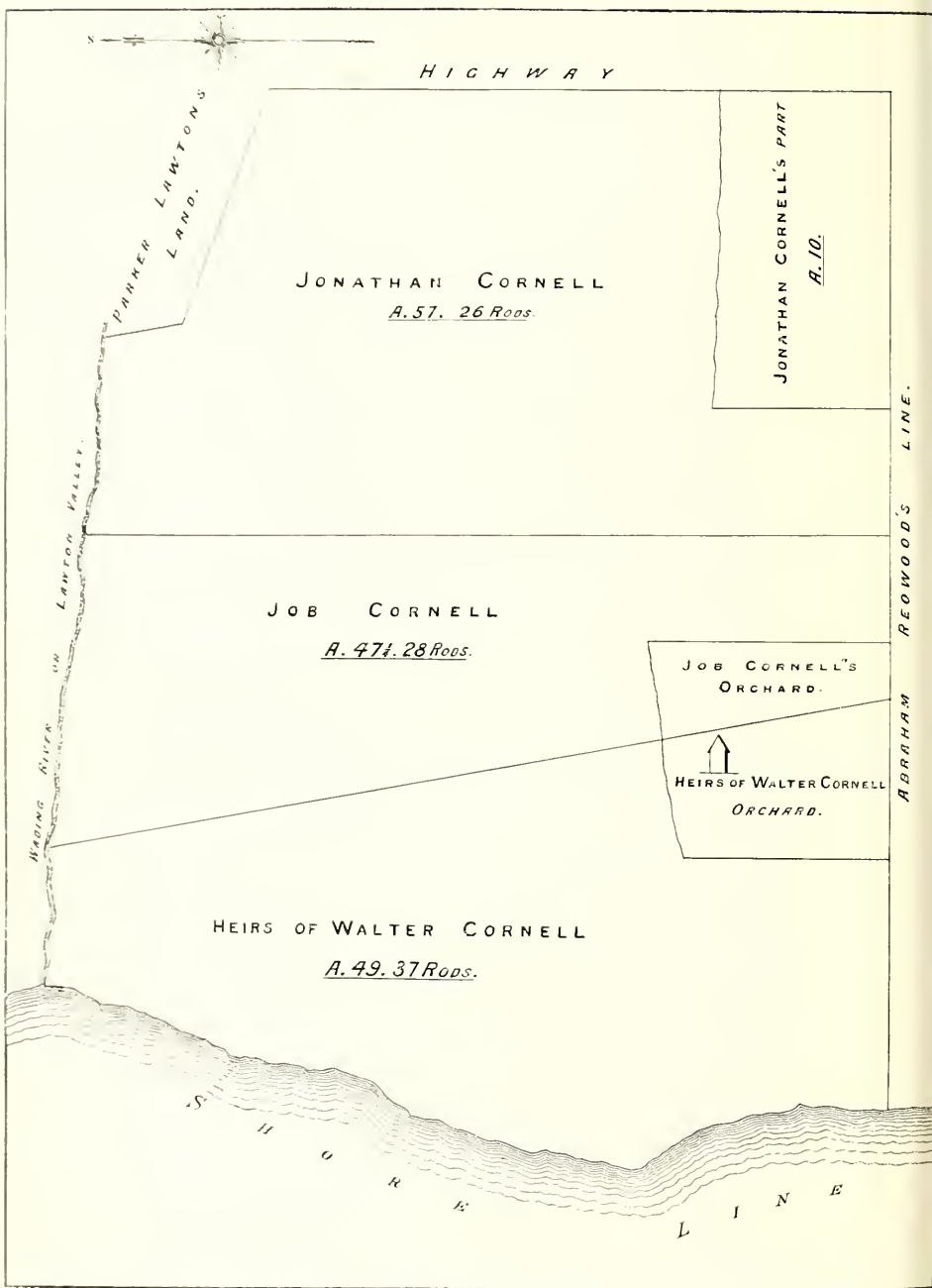
Recorded by order of the Governor, the day and year above written—endorsed "A Patent granted unto Mr. William Willett for Cornell's Neck." (*Albany Records*).

#### HISTORY OF THE CORNELL GRANT AT PORTSMOUTH, R. I.

Feb. 4, 1646, the Freeman of the town of Portsmouth granted to Thomas Cornell, Sr., a tract of land lying "on the South side of the Wading River, and so as to run from the river towards the land that was laid out to Edward Hutchinson." It has been supposed by some that this grant was the square now formed by the Wading River (or Lawton Valley), the present main road, the Redwood Farm and the Bay. But this is not exactly the case, for although the shore line of Narraganset Bay and the Redwood Farm were evidently the two sides to this square, the other two boundaries are not so evident. In the early deeds the northern boundary is described as the Wading River, and the eastern one as the common or undivided lands and the highway, and this is sometimes called the highway to the mill. Thomas<sup>3</sup> Cornell gave by deed to his son George the estate bounded south by the land of Daniel Coggeshall, westerly by the salt water or bay, northerly by the Wading River and land of John Shieve, easterly by undivided land or a highway. This highway was in Rebecca Cornell's deed to her son, called the common. The undivided land was that land given to George Lawton for building a grist mill.

As the lot was then called undivided land, it is most likely to have remained unfenced and open with the highway and common land, for in 1714, John Mumford surveyed and plotted this common, and the committee

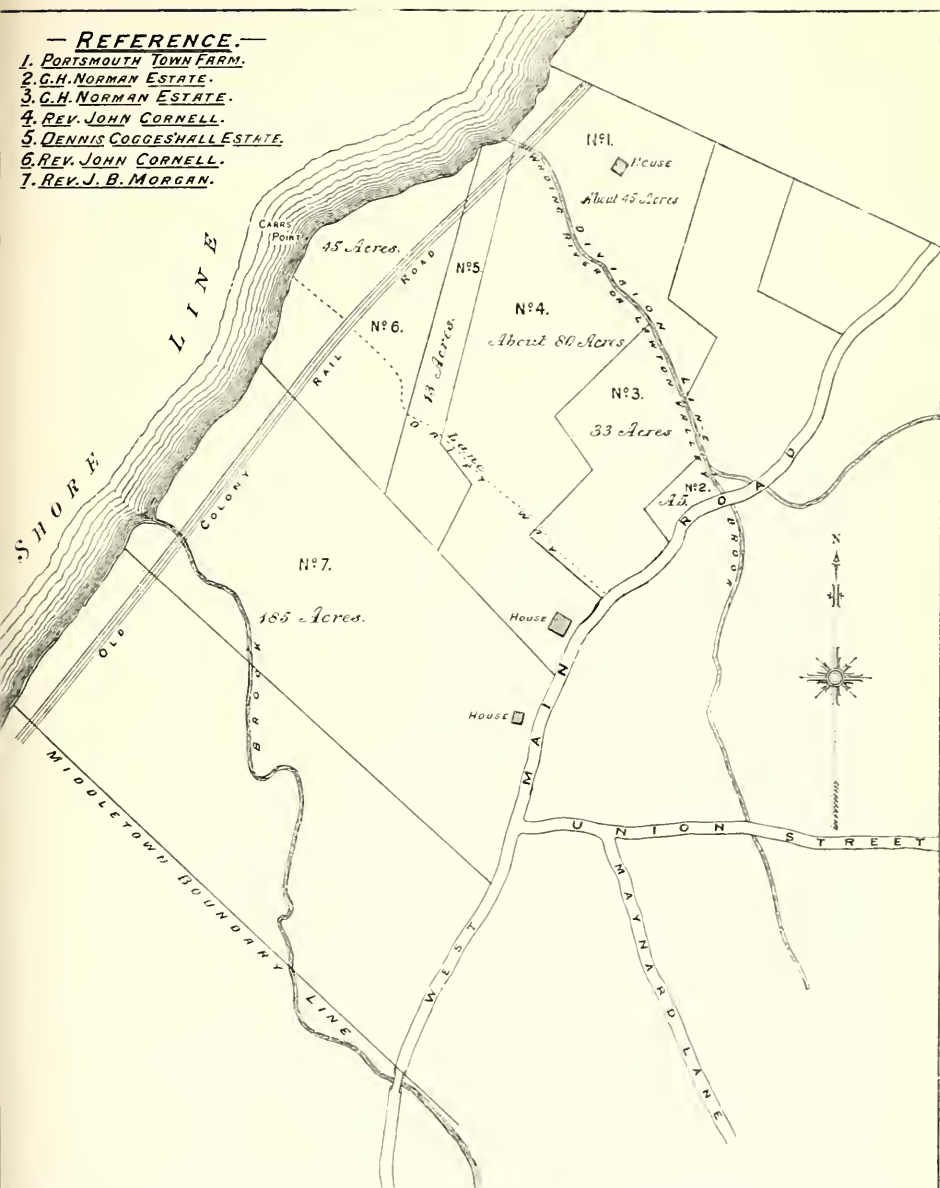




MAP SHOWING THE CORNELL GRANT  
divided, among the heirs of Walter Cornell 1753. (its first partition).

— REFERENCE. —

1. PORTSMOUTH TOWN FARM.
2. G.H. NORMAN ESTATE.
3. G.H. NORMAN ESTATE.
4. REV. JOHN CORNELL.
5. DENNIS COGGESHALL ESTATE.
6. REV. JOHN CORNELL.
7. REV. J. B. MORGAN.



MAP SHOWING THE CORNELL GRANT.  
(its present division)



appointed by the town of Portsmouth, sold it to George Cornell for 24 shillings, being twelve acres.

In the year 1656 the town granted to George Lawton forty acres of land lying in two parts. One of these, called the mill lot, is bounded as follows: "On the one side on the river that runs down to the mill, and the other side from below the mill, up above the house of the said George Lawton, bounded with marked trees by the highway side, that goes to the mill and down to the river."

The ruins of one or two mills are still to be seen there. Thus it would seem that George Lawton had a grant of land in the northeast corner of the square previously described. I mention this, as it has been supposed the Cornell grant covered it all, and it has even been thought that the Lawton house in that corner was the original Cornell house.

By Thomas<sup>1</sup> this Cornell grant (as before described) seems to have been devised, with his other real estate, to his wife Rebecca. In the year 1663 Rebecca Cornell, widow of the aforesaid Thomas Cornell, gave to her son Thomas<sup>2</sup> Cornell, by deed, the aforementioned tract of land. After the death of Thomas<sup>2</sup> his eldest son Thomas<sup>3</sup> (a person of considerable prominence in the Colony) was the possessor of the homestead. He in turn gave this property to his second son George, by deed dated 1713, as before stated, and this George added to the homestead farm by the purchase of twelve acres of the common, or unclaimed land, which was sold by the town of Portsmouth. George died intestate. But his eldest son Walter seems by purchase and inheritance to have obtained the estate in 1753 or thereabouts, and to have divided it in three parts, the western part being given to the heirs of Walter Cornell (his son), Job, another son, receiving the central third, and Jonathan, another son, the eastern part containing the homestead building. This part, with some additions and divisions and subdivisions, has remained in the family ever since, Jonathan providing by his will that at the death of his wife his portion should be divided between his sons Jonathan and Stephen B. This Stephen B. Cornell, having bought all or part of his brother Jonathan's interest, and having no children of his own, devised the estate to his nephews, Stephen and Albert Cornell. Albert bought Stephen's portion, and, dying unmarried, left his land to his cousin, Harriet Charlotte (Earle) Cornell (widow of Stephen) for life. At her death it went to her children, and was bought of them and their representatives (1895) by the present owner, Rev. John Cornell, the author of this book. The original homestead is at this time divided into four farms (see map), of which the Rev. John Cornell possesses two, the western portion of the original grant having also been bought by him in 1900. The old homestead house burned in 1889, was rebuilt by him in 1896.

Thus the succession of the homestead may be given approximately as follows:

- 1646, Thomas,<sup>1</sup> original grantee.
- 1655, Thomas,<sup>2</sup> son of Thomas.<sup>1</sup>
- 1674, Thomas,<sup>3</sup> son of Thomas.<sup>2</sup>
- 1713, George, son of Thomas.<sup>3</sup>
- 1753, Walter, son of George.

- 1777, Jonathan, son of Walter.  
 1800, Stephen B., son of Jonathan.  
 1838, Stephen and Albert, nephews of Stephen B.  
 1845, Albert, nephew of Stephen B.  
 1880, Harriet Charlotte Cornell (for life), cousin of Albert and widow of Stephen Cornell.  
 1891, Ellen Grinnell (Cornell) Smith (daughter of Harriet), and others.  
 1894, Rev. John Cornell (descendant of Richard,<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>).

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## WILLS.

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### WILL OF RICHARD CORNELL (6)\*

IN THE NAME OF GOD, Amen, the 7th day of November Anno ye Dominy 1693, and in the fifth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord King William over England, etc., Richard Cornell of Rockway, in Queens County, in ye island of Nassau in America, being sicke and weeke, but of good and perfect mind and memory, praise be given to God Almighty, yet calling to minde the uncertainty of this life and how certain wee are to dye, and yet the time of our death most uncertain do make, publish and declare this my last will and testament in manner following that is to say: **FIRST**, and principally, I commend my soule into the hands of Almighty God my Creator, and my body I commit to the earth to be decently buried at the discreton of my executors heafter named and as for touching and concerning all and every such worldly estate which God of his infinite goodness hath blest me withall in this life, I give and bequeath and devise in manner following: **IMPRIMIS** by this my last will and testament I doe binde and make over all my lands and meadows situated and lying att Rockway on the south side of ye island of Nassau in the Province of New York in America for the paying and satisfying a certain debt owing by me to the children of John Washburne, decd. and in case my executors do not duely pay and satisfye the said debt to ye said children as it shall become due according to the tennor & true intent of the will and testament of ye said John Washburne, dec<sup>d</sup>, it is my minde and will that the overseers of this my will and testament may and shall sell & alienate the aforesaid lands for ye payment of ye said debt and return the overplus to my four sons, William, Jacob, Thomas and John Cornell. **ITEM**, I doe give and bequeath unto my son William Cornell and his heirs forever a certain part of my lands and meadows situated at Rockway as aforesaid as hereafter is mentioned (to witt) bounded upon the north with the old ffence upon the south syde of the last yeares wheat field so running easterly to Hempstead line southerly by the sea including all lands, broken lands, marshes, beaches, excepting such preservations as shall be hereafter mentioned (that is to say) my now dwelling house with orchard and the pasture

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\* Recorded in Liber 5 of Wills, page 45, in the office of the Surrogate of New York.



VIEW OF THE WADING RIVER (LAWTON VALLEY).





thereunto adjoining with the barns and land in tillage about it, with the garden and springs and all other outhouses the which reservations I do give and bequeath to my dear and loving wife Elizabeth Cornell during ye time of her widdowhood, and my will is that after my said wife's death or marriage ye said reservations shall descend to my son William Cornell and to his heirs forever. Also my will is that the improvements which he shall make upon the share or portion of the land and meadow bought by me of John Smith of Hempstead, commonly called Little Smith, after his entry upon and possession of ye above mentioned reservations shall immediately descend upon my son Thomas Cornell and his heirs forever, with all the lands and meadows which I bought of the aforesaid John Smith. ITEM, I give and bequeath to my son Thomas Cornell and his heirs forever another part of my lands and meadows being bounded southerly with my son William Cornell's line, northerly by ye middle of ye ffresh cove that Robert Beadel's meadow was laid out in and so running easterly to the three raile fence, and Further if it should happen and my will is that the said gift shall include all meadows, broken meadows and marshes lying within them lynes to the middle of the ffresh cove aforesaid. ITEM, I doe give to my sons Jacob and John Cornell all my lands and meadows & to their heirs forever lying to the northward of Thomas Cornell's lyne situated att Rockway aforesaid bounded northerly with the Great River or cove, easterly by three raile fenc to equally divide betwixt the said Jacob and John Cornell according to quantity and quality except such reservations as shall be hereafter mentioned (to witt) to my son Richard and to his heirs forever I give and bequeath tenn acres of meadow joyning to Wells his lyne to runn north and south upon an equall lyne. ITEM, I give to my son William Cornell and to his heirs forever tenn acres of meadow adjoining to my son Richard's tenn acres and to run in the same manner north and south upon an equall lyne. ITEM, I do give to my daughter Elizabeth Lawrence tenn acres of meadow joyning to William's meadow to run in ye same manner as the rest north and south upon an equall line,


Richard Cornell



ITEM, I doe give to my daughter Mary Cornell one hundred pounds Currnt, money of this Province of New Yorke, or equivalent to money to be paid att three payments (to witt) one third part at the day of her marriage, or when shee shall attain to the age of eighteen years, and the other two thirds to be payd yearly successively. I doe also give and bequeath to my said daughter Mary the one half of my moveables within doors money excepted. ITEM, My mind and will is that whilst my wife remains a widdow that shee shall have the whole and sole use of all my lands and meadows att Rockway, excepting such lands and meadows as I have already given and bequeathed to my son William, which said land is to be imployd and improved for ye payment of the

debt due to the children of the aforesaid John Washburne and the maintaining and bringing up of the children during their nonage. ITEM, I doe give and bequeath to my loveing wife whilst she continues unmarried the whole and sole command and use of all my negroes and stock with all utensills of husbandry now in my possession to be used and imployd for ye payment of all my debts and the maintainance of her children during their minority excepting six cows and calves and one plow share with colter and chains, which I give to my son William, as also excepting twelve two year old heiffers which I give to my twelve grandchildren to be delivered when they come of age, that is, to ye children of my son Richard, my son Washburn and my son John Laurence. ITEM, I do give to my daughter Sarah Arnold two cows. Further my will and mind is that if any of my said sons William, Jacob, Thomas and John, or my dughter Mary shall happen to dye without heires male of their own bodies, that then the lands shall return to the survivors to be equally divided amongst them. ITEM, my mind and will is that if my wife should see cause to marry that then she shall have one hundred pounds paid by the executors out of my estate with one half of the moveables within doors (Money excepted), and one negro girl called by the name of Jane; that she shall not continue executrix any longer but surrender up the whole estate personall to my other executors which I will to be equally divided amongst my four sons, William, Jacob, Thomas and John, excepting my negro man James and my negro woman diana, which I give and bequeath to my son William after the death or marriage of my said wife, and the lands given by me to Thomas, Jacob and John after the death or marriage of my wife. I will that it be returned also to my executors to be improved for the payment of debts and bringing them up til they come of age. ITEM, my will and mind is that the land upon Cowneck and crabmeadow be sold to the value thereof and be equally divided amongst all my children in Generall, ITEM, it is my will that my right to the undivided lands in ye bounds of hempstead shall descend to my four sons to be equally divided amongst them. ITEM, my will and mind is that my four sons Richard, Thomas, Jacob and John shall have liberty to put on horses upon the beach if they see cause, they assisting in maintaing the fence, and Thomas shall have liberty to put on swine upon the beach with his brother Willm. and that Jacob and John if they see cause to build by the Path syde to ye eastward of my dwelling house and on ye land purchased of Little Smith I doe give to each of them and their heirs two acres of the said lands. My will is that all the money in the house at my decease, and all my debts due either by bill or bond, or any other account shall be imployd to the payment of ye children of the decd. John Washborn and Capt. Charles Lodwick. I doe ordain and make my loving wife Elizabeth Cornell and my sons Richard and Will Cornell to be my whole and sole executors of this my last will and testament, as also my trusty and loving friends, Coll. Thomas Willett, Leut. Coll. Thomas Hicks and Captain Daniel Whitehead as overseers of this my will desiring them to see ye several articles and changes therein mentioned performed according to the true intent and meaning thereof, and it is my will that my said executors shall not act as executors without the advice and deseecon of my said overseers hereby revoking all former wills by me made and de-

claring this to be my last will and testament the day and year first above written. In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seale.

Richard Dornell 

DAVID JAMISON, D. SECY.

Recorded for Elizabeth, Richard and William Cornwall.

Benjamin Fletcher, Captain General and Governor in Chief of the Province of New Yorke of the Province of Pennsylvania County of New Castle nnd territoryes and tracts of land depending thereon in America and Vice Admiral of ye same their Majesties Leut. and Commander in Chief of ye militia and of all ye forces by sea and land within their majesties colony of Connecticut and of all ye ssorts and places of strength within ye same, to all to whom these presents shall come Greeting, know Ye that at New Yorke the thirtieth day of October, 1694, the last will and testament of Richard Cornell of Queens County in ye island of Nassau, decd. annexed to these presents was proved, approved and allowed of having while he lived and att the time of his death goods, rights and credits in divers places within the province of New Yorke by means whereof the approbation and allowance of the said last will and testament and the granting of ye administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of the said decd. as also the hearing of account or rekonning of said administration and the finall discharge and dismissal from the same unto me alone solely and not unto another inferior judge are manifestly known to belong to the administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of ye said decd. ye said decd. His last will and testament in manner of ways concerning was granted to Elizabeth Cornell and Richard and William Cornell, executors in ye said last will and testament named chiefly of well and faithfully administering the same and of making a full and faithful inventory of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of the said deceased and exhibiting the same unto the register of the Prerogative Court at or before the thirtieth day of April next ensuing, as also of rendering a full and true account thereof being sworn upon the Holy Evangelist of God. In testimony whereof I have caused the prerogative seal to be hereunto affixed at Ffort William Henry the thirtieth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand six hundred and ninety four.

DAVID JAMISON, D. SECY.

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WILL OF WILLIAM CORNELL (2004).\*

IN THE NAME OF GOD, Amen, I, William Cornell, of Hempstead in Queens County on Long Island, Gent. being well stricken in years, but of

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\* Recorded in Liber 15 of Wills, page 89, in the office of the Surrogate of the County of New York.

sound mind and memory, praise be given to God therefore, well knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the way of its approach do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following.

FIRST: I bequeath my immortal soul to God who gave it my body to the earth from whence it came, in certain hopes of a reunion of my body and soul at the last day and of eternal salvation through the sole merits of my Blessed Saviour Jesus Christ and as to what worldly estate that shall belong to me at the time of my decease I give devise and bequeath the same as followeth: IMPRIMIS, I will that my just debts and funeral charges be paid and satisfied. ITEM, I give and devise unto my two sons John and William all my beach, marshes and broken lands and others belonging to me at Rockway Beach equally to be divided betwixt them and their respective heirs and assigns forever and they are to maintain the fence equally betwixt them, and as to my personal estate after my debts are paid I give to my grandchildren Elizabeth, the daughter of my son John and to phoebe Denton the daughter of my daughter Elizabeth, late wife of James Denton, each of them the sum of five pounds. To Susannah the daughter of my son William the sum of twenty pounds. To Elizabeth Stringham daughter of my daughter Mary, late wife of James Stringham, the sum of ten pounds, and to Mary Stringham the other daughter of my said late daughter Mary the sum of one hundred pounds and to Elizabeth Hazard the daughter of my daughter Letitia, deceased, late the wife of Jonathan Hazard the sum of ten pounds. And all the remaining part of my personal estate if any be I give to my son William Cornell and his daughter Susannah aforesaid and to my said granddaughter Mary Stringham equally to be divided amongst them three. LASTLY, I hereby nominate and appoint my brother Collo. John Cornell and my two sons William and John to executors of this my last will and testament and do hereby revoke all former or other wills by me made. IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto put my hand and seal this fourth day of May in the year of Our Lord seventeen hundred and forty-two.

W. CORNELL (L.S.).

Signed, sealed, delivered and published by the said William Cornell as his last will and testament in presence of us. Sl. Clowes, Jos. Sackett, Jun. Johannah Clowes.

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#### WILL OF THOMAS CORNELL (2026).\*

IN THE NAME OF GOD, Amen, I, Thomas Cornell of Rockway in Queens County in the province of New York, being weak in body but of sound and disposing mind and memory and knowing the certainty of death and uncertainty of the time thereof do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following, that is to say, IMPRIMIS, I recommend my soul into the hands of God who gave it and my body to the earth from which it was taken to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner at the discretion of my executors and as touching such worldly estate wherewith

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\* Recorded in Liber 24 of Wills, page 407, in the office of the Surrogate of the County of New York.

it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give and dispose of the same in the following manner, that is to say, *IMPRIMIS*, I order and direct all my just debts and funeral expenses to be first paid out of my personal estate. *ITEM*, I do give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Sarah Cornell my negro woman slave named Phillis and my riding chair, chair horse one hundred pounds in money, one bed and furniture and the use of all my plate (one silver bowl only excepted) during her widowhood. *ITEM*, I give and bequeath unto her my said wife so long as she shall continue my widow the whole and entire use of a certain tract of land lying at Rockaway, being part of the plantation whereon I now reside, beginning at a certain spring below my orchard, called the orchard spring, and from thence to run as the fence now stands to another spring nigh Richard Cornell's land, called the Lattens spring, including all the lands and meadows within the said fence, as far as the creek with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging except the wood and timber growing thereon, together with the use of the one equal half part of my dwelling house, kitchen, barn, ovil and chair house at Rockaway with one equal half of the fruit of my orchard there yearly and the priveledge of getting the necessary firewood and fencing timber on a certain part of my plantation called Rocks Point at Rockaway. *ITEM*, I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas Cornel one pair of good working oxen. *ITEM*, I give and bequeath unto my sister Elizabeth Cornell at the Fish Kills twenty pounds. *ITEM*, I give and bequeath unto Lettische Lawrence and to her heirs and assigns one bed and furniture. *ITEM*, I give and bequeath unto my three daughters, to wit, Phebe, Martha and Peggy and to each of their respective representatives three fourth parts of all the residue of my personal estate of what kind or nature soever or wheresover my corn growing on the ground included, to be equally divided among them, except one hundred pounds first to be taken out of the said moveable estate. *ITEM*, My will is and I do order and direct that the other fourth of the aforesaid residue of my personal estate shall remain in the hands of my executors, together with the abovesaid one hundred pounds which I have excepted out of my moveable estate for such uses as I shall hereinafter direct. *ITEM*, I give and devise unto my son Thomas Cornell all my lands, tenements and hereditaments lying on Rockaway Neck on the south side of Nassau Island, the use of that part thereof which I have devised to my wite only excepted until the said use be determined, all which the said lands, tenements and hereditaments I give and devise unto him my said son Thomas and to his heirs and assigns forever on the following conditions to wit: *FIRST*, on condition that he my said son or his heirs, executors or administrators shall pay unto my said wife Sarah Cornell to her heirs and assigns the sum of two hundred pounds within one year next after my death, *SECONDLY*, that he or they pay unto my executors, or the survivors or survivor of them the sum of two hundred and sixty pounds within two years next after my death for such uses as I shall hereafter direct, and, *THIRDLY*, that he or they pay unto my daughter Phebe and to her representatives the sum of two hundred pounds within three years next after my decease and unto my other two daughters to witt Martha and Peggy and to each of their respective representatives the several sums of two hundred pounds each yearly thereafter in the order

as they are named and also that he or they pay unto Lettische Lawrence and to her heirs and assigns the sum of forty pounds within five years next after my decease as aforesaid, and in case my said son Thomas or his heirs, executors or administrators shall refuse or neglect to pay any of the respective sums aforesaid for the space of three months next after any of the said sums become payable then and in such case my will is that my executors, or any two of them or the survivors or survivor of them shall sell so much of the aforesaid lands, tenements and hereditaments devised to my said son Thomas as will raise a sum of money sufficient to discharge all the aforesaid several payments with all costs and charges arising thereon, and I do hereby fully empower my executors, or any two of them and the survivors and survivor of them to make such sale accordingly. ITEM, My will is and I do order and direct that my executors or survivors or survivor of them shall put out on interest as soon as they conveniently can after my decease all the money arising by the aforesaid fourth part of my personal estate which I have directed to remain in their hands and also the aforesaid one hundred pounds which is excepted out of my moveable estate and shall pay the interest thereof yearly into the hands of my daughter Sarah for her use only and in case she survives her present husband Daniel Waters they shall then pay unto her the whole princible money for her sole and proper use only but in case she does not survive him then pay the principal money according to such disposition as she shall make thereof in writing under her hand in the presence of two Credible witnesses, and it is also my will and I do further order and direct that my executors, or the survivors or survivor of them shall employ the aforesaid sum of two hundred and sixty pounds to be paid unto them by my son Thomas Cornel for the use of my daughter Sarah in the same manner in all respects as they are directed to employ the money arising by the aforesaid fourth part of my personal estate as also the aforesaid one hundred pounds which is excepted out of my moveable estate as aforesaid. ITEM, I do give and bequeath unto my daughters, Phebe, Martha and Peggy and to each of their respective representatives three fourth parts of all my plate only excepting one silver bowl as above mentioned after the use thereof devised to my wife shall be determined to be equally divided among them and I do order and direct that the other fourth part of my plate (only excepted as above) shall remain in the hands of my executors or the survivors or survivor of them for the use or my daughter Sarah in case she survives her present husband Daniel Waters, and in case she does not survive him, then my executors or the survivors or survivor of them shall after her death deliver the said plate unto such person or persons as she by some instrument of writing under her hand in the presence of two Credible witnesses shall direct, and in case she makes no such disposition in writing my executors or the survivors or survivor of them shall after her decease divide all the said plate and all the aforesaid sums of money which shall be in their hands for her use among all her children in equal proportions. ITEM, I hereby declare that whatsoever I have devised to my wife Sarah Cornel is in lieu of her dower, and that it is my will that if she shall refuse to accept thereof as such and shall incist on her dower that then and in such case whatsoever I have bequeathed unto her shall be unto my son Thomas



Cornel to his own proper use. LASTLY, I make and appoint my friends Valentine Hewlet Peters, Jacob Mott, David Jones and William Nicolls, Esqrs. executors of this my last will and testament. IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal this 24th day of December in the year of our Lord Christ seventeen hundred and sixty-three.

THOMAS CORNELL (L.S.)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Thomas Cornell as and for his last will and testament in presence of Benjamin Lester, Jacob Hicks, Benjamin Wright.

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## A PARTIAL LIST OF CORNELLS WHO SERVED IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

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### NEW YORK.\*

- Cornell, Aspinwall; Ensign.  
 Cornell, Benjamin; Sergeant, Dubois' Regiment, Lee's Company.  
 Cornell, Benjamin; private, Fifth Regiment, Dutchess County Militia.  
 Cornell, Caleb; private, the line, Fourth Regiment.  
 Cornell, Clements; private, Brinckerhoff's Regiment, Brower's Company.  
 Cornell, David; private, Sixth Regiment, Dutchess County Militia (land bounty rights).  
 Cornell, James; private, Sixth Regiment, Dutchess County Militia.  
 Cornell, James; private, Van Denbergh's Regiment, Wheeler's Company.  
 Cornell, John; private, Fifth Regiment, Dutchess County Militia.  
 Cornell, John; private, Brinckerhoff's Regiment, Brower's Company.  
 Cornell, Joseph; private, Albany County Militia, Sixteenth Regiment.  
 Cornell, Joseph; private, March 28, 1777; war, deserted pr roll of August, 1777.  
 Cornell, Joseph; private, Van Woert's Regiment, Whiteside's Company.

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\* Authorities—*New York in the Revolution*, 2d Edition; *Archives of the State of New York*, Vol. I.

- Cornell, Lewis; private, Fifth Regiment, Dutchess County Militia.
- Cornell, Martin; Lieutenant, Second Regiment of Minute Men, Levies and Militia; commanded March 1, 1776.
- Cornell, Paul; private, Van Veghten's Regiment, Van Woert's Company.
- Cornell, Paul; private, Albany County Militia, Thirteenth Regiment.
- Cornell, Peter; private, Thomas' Regiment, Lyon's Company.
- Cornell, Samuel; private, Dutchess County Militia, Fifth Regiment.
- Cornell, Silvanus; private, Sixth Regiment, Dutchess County Militia (land bounty rights).
- Cornell, Solomon; private, Seventh Regiment, Dutchess County Militia (land bounty rights).
- Cornell, Thomas; private, Fifth Regiment, Dutchess County Militia (land bounty rights).
- Corneel, Wessel; private, Second Regiment, Albany County Militia.
- Cornell, Zebulon; private, Sixteenth Regiment, Dutchess County Militia (land bounty rights).

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#### MASSACHUSETTS.\*

- Cornell, Abraham; private, Captain Benjamin Wilcox's Company, which marched Dec. 8, 1776, from Dartmouth to Howland's Ferry, R. I., to repel the British forces that arrived at Newport Dec. 7, 1776; service, 14 days on an alarm.
- Cornel, Benjamin; private, Captain Job Cook's (16th) Company, Colonel Hathaway's (2d Bristol Co.) Regiment; enlisted August 4, 1780; discharged August 8, 1780; service, 5 days, travel included, on an alarm at Rhode Island; roll sworn to at Dartmouth.
- Cornel, "Clerhe;" private, Captain Jabez Barney's Company, Colonel Mitchell's Regiment; enlisted August 26, 1780; discharged Nov. 1, 1780; service, 68 days at Rhode Island; company detached to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months.

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\* Authority—*Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolutionary War*, Vol. III.

- Cornell, Ebenezer; Rochester; private, Captain William Hudson Ballard's Company, Colonel James Frye's Regiment; company return dated Cambridge, Oct. 6, 1775.
- Cornell, Elisha (also given 2d and junior); Swanzey; private, Captain Peleg Peck's Company, Colonel Thomas Carpenter's Regiment; enlisted August 4, 1780; discharged August 9, 1780; service, 6 days at Tiverton, R. I., on an alarm; by order of Colonel Slead, all the men in Swanzey were joined in one company under Captain Peck, the other officers refusing to serve; also return of men drafted from Bristol County Militia to march to Horse Neck under command of Colonel Thomas Carpenter (year not given), but who failed to join regiment, reported drafted into Captain Peleg Peck's Company.
- Cornell, George; private, Sergeant John Luther's detachment; service, from May 2, 1779, to June 2, 1779, 1 month, at Freetown and Rhode Island; also Captain Henry Brightman's Company, Colonel Livingston's Regiment; service, from June 2, 1779, to July 2, 1779, 1 month, at Freetown and Rhode Island; also Captain Thomas Elsbre's Company, Colonel Livingston's Regiment; enlisted July 9, 1779; discharged Sept. 9, 1779; service, 2 months; at Freetown and Rhode Island; enlistment 2 months; also same company and regiment; service, from Sept. 9, 1779, to Sept. 24, 1779, 15 days, at Freetown and Rhode Island.
- Cornell, "Gerotham;" private, Captain Henry Jenne's Company; enlisted March 14, 1781; discharged March 18, 1781; service, 4 days at Rhode Island.
- Cornal, Gideon; Swanzey; private, Captain Peleg Peck's Company, Colonel Thomas Carpenter's Regiment; enlisted August 4, 1780; discharged August 9, 1780; service, 6 days at Tiverton, R. I., on an alarm.
- Connel, James; private, Captain Peleg Peck's Company, Colonel Thomas Carpenter's (Bristol Co.) Regiment; enlisted July 27, 1778; discharged Sept. 10, 1778; service, 1 month 15 days at Rhode Island.
- Cornels, James; private, Captain Nathaniel Cowdry's Company, Colonel Jacob Garish's Regiment of Guards; service, from July 2, to July 16, 1778, 17 days at Winter Hill.
- Cornal, James; Swanzey; private, Captain Peleg Peck's Company, Colonel Thomas Carpenter's Regiment; enlisted

- August 6, 1780; discharged August 9, 1780; service, 4 days at Tiverton, R. I., on an alarm.
- Cornell, Jerothmeel; Dartmouth; list (dated Oct. 29, 1779) of men mustered in Bristol Co. by James Leonard, Muster Master, for the term of nine months from the time of their arrival at Springfield, 13th Company, Colonel Hathaway's Regiment; age, 17 years; stature, 5 feet 8 inches; complexion, light; hair, brown; eyes, blue; residence, Dartmouth; reported delivered to Captain L. Bailey.
- Cornal, Job; private, Captain Manasseh Kempton's Company, Colonel Thomas Carpenter's Regiment; enlisted July 26, 1777; discharged August 29, 1777; service, 1 month, 7 days, travel included, at Rhode Island; also same company and regiment, return for travel allowance from Rhode Island to Dartmouth, Sept. 3, 1777.
- Cornell, John; private, Captain William Green's Company, Colonel Cyprian How's Regiment; enlisted July 29, 1780; discharged Nov. 1, 1780; service, 3 months, 8 days, travel included, at Rhode Island; enlistment, 3 months.
- Cornell, John; private, Captain Henry Jenne's Company; enlisted March 14, 1781; discharged March 18, 1781; service, 4 days at Rhode Island.
- Cornell, John; private, Captain Lawson Buckminster's Company, Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Peirce's Regiment; enlisted May 17, 1779; discharged July 1, 1779; service, 1 month, 18 days at Tiverton, R. I.
- Corneal, John; Concord; Captain Abel Wilder's Company, Colonel Ephraim Doolittle's Regiment; receipt for advance pay dated Charleston, June 26, 1775; also private, same company and regiment, muster roll dated August 1, 1775; enlisted April 26, 1775; service, 3 months, 13 days; also company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; also list of men mustered in Suffolk County by Nathaniel Barber, Muster Master, dated Boston, Feb. 16, 1777, Captain Sumner's Company, Colonel Greaton's Regiment.
- Corneal, John; Halifax; list of men enlisted into Continental Army from Middlesex Co. (year not given); residence, Halifax; enlisted for town of Woburn.
- Corneal, John; Wilbraham; list of men enlisted into Conti-

- mental Army (year not given); residence, Wilbraham; enlisted for town of Boston.
- Cornal, Joseph; private, Captain Benjamin Willcox's Company, Colonel Nathaniel Freeman's Regiment; enlisted Sept. 29, 1777; service, 1 month on a secret expedition to Rhode Island; roll sworn to in Suffolk County.
- Cornell, Joseph; Dartmouth; private, Lieutenant Robert Earl's Company, Colonel John Hathaway's Regiment; marched May 1, 1777; returned May 13, 1777; service, 13 days at Rhode Island.
- Cornell, Joseph (also given 2d); 2d Lieutenant, Captain Benjamin Willcox's (13th) Company, 2d Bristol Co. Regiment; list of officers of Massachusetts Militia, dated April 5, 1776; ordered in council April 26, 1776, that a commission be issued; reported commissioned April 26, 1776; also 2d Lieutenant, Captain Willcox's Company, which marched Dec. 8, 1776, from Dartmouth to Howland's Ferry, R. I., to repel the British forces that arrived at Newport Dec. 7, 1776; service, 25 days on an alarm.
- Cornell, Joshua; private, Captain Roswell Downing's Company, Colonel John Ashley's (Berkshire County) Regiment; enlisted Sept. 19, 1777; discharged Oct. 19, 1777; Service, 1 month at Stillwater; roll sworn to at Sheffield by Brigadier-General John Fellows.
- Cornell, Lewis; Boston; private, Colonel William R. Lee's Regiment; enlisted Jan. 20, 1778; reported deserted May 1, 1778.
- Cornell, P.; list of men who served for the town of Wilmington (year not given); credited with 2 terms of service.
- Cornell, Peter, Jr.; Wilmington (probably); list of men drafted Sept. 17, 1776, for terms of service; said Cornell hired Benjamin Goold to serve in his place.
- Cornell, Richard; private, Captain Peleg Peck's Company; warrant to pay officers and men dated July 7, 1784.
- Cornell, Thomas; Sergeant Captain Benjamin Willcox's Company, which marched Dec. 8, 1776, from Dartmouth to Howland's Ferry, R. I., to repel the British forces that arrived at Newport, R. I., Dec. 7, 1776; service, 17 days on an alarm.
- Cornal, William; list of men raised agreeable to order of Court of June 22, 1779, returned by Major Manassch Kemp-

ton, dated August 28, 1779, to do duty in this town of Dartmouth, and reported "now in service."

Cornal, William; Swanzey; private, Captain Peleg Peck's Company, Colonel Thomas Carpenter's Regiment; enlisted August 4, 1780; discharged August 9, 1780; service, 6 days at Tiverton, R. I., on an alarm.

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RHODE ISLAND.\*

Cornell, Benjamin; Middletown; Ensign, Middletown Co. Militia, July 18, 1776; Ensign, Captain Wing Spooner's Company, Continental line, Nov. 1, 1776.

Cornell, Ezekiel; Lieutenant-Colonel, Providence County Reg., Army of the Observation, May, 1775; Brigadier-General Militia, Dec., 1777; Brigadier-General Militia, Feb., 1779.

Cornell, Gideon; 1st Lieutenant, Scituate Hunters, Oct., 1776; Lieutenant 2d Division Joseph Kimball's Company, Scituate, Feb. 7 to March 8, 1777.

Cornell, Joseph; Ensign, Colonel Greene's Battalion, Continental line, June, 1777; pension roll, July 18, 1818, aged 67; died April 8, 1828.

Cornell, Joseph; private, Captain Robert Rbodes' Senior Class Company, Major Samuel Wall's Regiment, General Holden's Brigade; alarm at East Greenwich, 11 days' service, July 28 to August 8, 1780; on duty at Bristol, R. I., and Rhode Island.

Cornell, Oliver; Providence County; private, Rhode Island Militia; pension roll, Jan. 17, 1833, aged 74.

Cornell, William; midshipman, ship *Columbus*, Continental Navy; entered Nov., 1775; deserted at Providence April 20.

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\* Authority—*State Record*.

## INCOMPLETE PEDIGREES.

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The author will be grateful for any information which will help complete these pedigrees:

### GIDEON CORNWELL.

1 GIDEON CORNWELL, supposed to be descended from Thomas<sup>2</sup> (Thomas<sup>1</sup>) and grandson of a Thomas Cornwell of New England. He is supposed to have lived some time in Dutchess County, N. Y., as his sons, Levi and David, about 1800, went from there to Cornwell's Branch, Cumberland County, N. J. The name is sometimes written Cornell. Children:

Thomas, b. 1786; d. 1796.

2 Levi.

2 David.

2 LEVI CORNWELL, b. 1789; d. 1848; m. Sarah Griffiths; served in the War of 1812. Children:

3 Ananias.

Sarah.

Mary Ann.

Elizabeth.

Hannah.

Jonas.

2 DAVID CORNWELL, d. 1875; m. Nancy Dayton. Children:

Hannah, m. ——— Shott; *d. s. p.*

Anna, d. 1901; m. ——— Dore. Child: Phebe Ann.

Jonathan.

Elizabeth, m. ——— Farnsworth. Children: Richard, Curtis,

Levi, Daniel, Charles, Anna, Emeline.

3 ANANIAS CORNWELL, b. 1820; d. 1900; m. Sarah Ann Young, 1848. Child:

4 William Burt, b. 1851; d. 1878.

4 WILLIAM BURT CORNWELL, b. 1851; d. 1878; m. Caroline Bateman April 29, 1871. Children:

5 Rev. John Gibson, Ph.D., S. T. D.

Emma.

5 REV. JOHN GIBSON CORNWELL, Ph.D., S. T. D., b. 1872; m. Mary Packergill, Oct. 19, 1898. Pastor Methodist Episcopal Church, Tower City, Pa. Child:

6 John Gibson, Jr., b. Oct. 2, 1899.

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### JONATHAN CORNWELL OR CORNELL.

1 JONATHAN CORNWELL OR CORNELL, b. 1748; d. 1812; m. Hannah ———;

Supposed to be descended from Thomas<sup>9</sup> and a cousin of Gideon (father's name not known). Children:

- Levi, b. 1772.
- 2 Philip.
- 2 Jonathan.
- 2 Lott.
  - Dorcas, b. 1783; d. 1877.
  - Keturah, b. 1789; d. 1871; m. Wm. Sayre.
- 2 PHILIP CORNWELL, b. 1773; d. 1848; m. Delia Blackwood, 1799. Children:
  - Constant, b. March 7, 1806; m. Mary Montgomery. Children: Elizabeth and Jane.
  - Abram, b. Aug. 20, 1812; m. Sarah Sayre. Children: Elizabeth and Sarah.
  - Hugh Blackwood, m. Mary Garrison.
  - Keturah, b. May 10, 1803.
  - Elizabeth, b. 1815; d. 1882; m. Eli Daton.
  - Joseph, b. July 30, 1800; *d. s. p.*
  - Clemency, b. Feb. 12, 1805; *d. s. p.*
- 2 JONATHAN CORNWELL, b. 1776; d. 1866; m. Priscilla Sayre. Children:
  - 3 Lott.
    - Lydea, m. Enoch Garrison. Children: William, Thomas, Sarah, Ruth.
    - Emily, m. John Doughty. Children: Lydia, Phebe.
    - Ruth, m. Thomas Stiles. Children: Jonathan, Ruth.
- 2 LOTT CORNWELL, b. 1767; d. 1842; m. Sarah Russell. Children:
  - Dorcas; m. Daniel Joslin. Children: Sarah Jane, Enoch, Susan.
  - 3 James.
  - 3 Jonathan.
    - Susan, m. Smith Stevens. Children: Samuel, Lott, John, James, Mary.
    - Elizabeth, m. Zechariah Garrison. Children: Hosea, Daniel, Allen, Keturah, Sarah, Furman, Enoch, Jonathan, Cornwell.
    - Arthur, d. young.
- 3 LOTT CORNWELL, m. Susan Mattier. Children:
  - James.
  - Jonathan.
  - Francis.
  - Amanda.
  - Mary.
  - Albert.
  - Sallie.
- 3 JAMES CORNWELL, b. 1800; d. 1875; m. Sarah Sayre. Children:
  - 4 Lott.
  - 4 James F.
    - Judith, d. Nov. 8, 1875.



- 3 JONATHAN CORNWELL, b. 1798; d. 1848; m. Hester Loder. Children:  
 Henry, *d. s. p.*  
 Sarah Jane, d. young.  
 Amanda, m. John Sayre.  
 Frank, d. young.  
 Ebenezer, d. young.
- 4 LOTT CORNWELL, b. 1838; m. Sarah Jane Tomlin. Children:  
 John T., b. 1858; m. Mary E. Garrison. Children: Maud,  
 Leslie.  
 Dr. Alfred, b. 1870; m. Tamson Most. Children: Earl, Joen.
- 4 JAMES F. CORNWELL, b. 1838; m. Hannah Douglass. Children:  
 Sarah.  
 Eliza.  
 Frank.  
 Matilda.  
 Lott.  
 Charles.

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 DANIEL CORNELL.

- 1 DANIEL CORNELL, supposed to be descended from Thomas<sup>2</sup>. Father's name thought to be James, that he had a brother Edwin, and that these two brothers married sisters. Children:  
 Johnson.  
 Pardon, m. A. Tripp. One child.  
 John.  
 Daniel.  
 Anna.  
 2 Joseph.
- 2 JOSEPH CORNELL, m. Eliza Macomber. Children:  
 William.  
 James.  
 Betsey Ann.  
 3 John A.  
 3 Charles M.  
 Alexander P.
- 3 JOHN A. CORNELL, m. Amanda M. Wood. Children:  
 Clara A., m. William O. Normandy.  
 Charles Perry, m. Georgia A. Waterman. No children. Lives  
 in Providence, R. I.  
 Nelly R., m. William A. Darling.  
 Mary S., lives at Westport, Mass.
- 3 CHARLES M. CORNELL, m. Candice Pierce. Children:  
 Charles E.  
 Harry.

## THOMAS CORNELL.

- 1 THOMAS CORNELL, supposed to be a descendant of Thomas,<sup>2</sup> m. Annie Forrester. Children:  
 Thomas.  
 William.  
 James, m. Elizabeth Burdic.
- 2 John Dennison.  
 James.
- 2 JOHN DENNISON CORNELL, m. Elizabeth Butts. Children:  
 Perry, *d. s. p.*  
 Elizabeth, m. ——— Mott.
- 3 Benjamin.  
 Thomas, m. Margaret Dennis.  
 George T.
- 3 John Dennison.
- 3 BENJAMIN CORNELL, m. Hannah ———. Children:  
 Emma, b. 1851; d. 1852.  
 Emma, b. 1852; m. Elroy Northrop.  
 Alfred, b. 1857; d. 1859.  
 Alfred, b. 1861; m. Nellie Morehead.  
 Benjamin, b. 1869; m. Caroline Bluire. Child: Alfred:
- 3 JOHN DENNISON CORNELL, m. (1) Emeline Reid; m. (2) Caroline Heath. Children:  
 John Dennison.  
 Fred Augustus, m. Henrietta King.

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 GEORGE CORNELL.

- 1 GEORGE CORNELL, supposed to be descended from Richard<sup>2</sup>. The family have lived on Long Island mainly at Little Neck. Children:  
 Henry.
- 2 George.
- 2 GEORGE CORNELL. Children:  
 3 Benjamin.  
 James.  
 Caroline.  
 Eliza.  
 Sarah.  
 Charlotte.  
 Hannah.
- 3 BENJAMIN CORNELL. Children:  
 4 Rev. Augustine Williams.  
 Nathan.  
 Henry.  
 Mary H.  
 Sarah E.

4 REV. AUGUSTINE WILLIAMS CORNELL, Rector Grace Church, Linden, N. J., m. Hannah Heaton. Children:

Augustine.  
Elizabeth H.  
Mary H.  
Frederick H.  
George Herbert.

CLEMENT (OR CLEMENS) CORNWELL.

1 CLEMENT (OR CLEMENS) CORNWELL, supposed to be descended from Richard,<sup>2</sup> or Samuel,<sup>2</sup> b. Jan., 1748 at New Hackensack, Dutchess Co., N. Y.; buried there; m. Cornelian. Date she was b., Nov. 27, 1749. Children:

Peter, b. May 11, 1773.  
2 Benjamin.  
2 John.  
2 Adam.  
Mary, b. May 8, 1783; m. ——— Syphar.  
Margaret, b. Apr. 9, 1786; m. Jacob Ralph.  
Elizabeth, b. Oct. 28, 1788; unmarried.  
Sarah, b. Sept. 9, 1794.  
Ann, b. July 16, 1798.

2 BENJAMIN CORNWELL, b. Nov. 14, 1774; m. ———. Children.

Clement, b. Apr. 7, 1799.  
Parmelia, b. Feb. 8, 1801.  
Nancy, b. Feb. 26, 1803.  
Eliza, b. June 1, 1805.

2 JOHN CORNWELL, b. Dec. 26, 1777; m. ———. Children:

Peter.  
James.  
Hannah Elizabeth.  
Cornelia Ann.  
Robert.  
Sarah Maria.  
Henry Benjamin.  
Jacob.  
John Dates.

2 ADAM CORNWELL, b. 1781; d. Aug. 2, 1862; m. Elizabeth McClain. She was born 1784; d. 1865. Children:

Stephen.  
Alixé or Alice; b. 1802; m. Beekman Patterson.  
Emma, b. 1809; d. 1870; m. Solomon Wright.  
Joanna, b. 1813; d. 1893; m. at Fishkill Plains, Dutchess Co., Garrison Wiley, 1837. Child: Mary.

- 3 John.  
Elon, b. 1818; *d. s. p.*, 1847.
- 3 Charles William.  
Mary, m. Townsend Nostrand. Child: one daughter.  
Alletta, b. 1824; d. 1862; m. George Rowe. Three children.
- 3 JOHN DATES CORNWELL, m. ———. Children:  
John, m. ———. Child: John J.  
Jacob Ralph.
- 3 JOHN CORNWELL, b. at Fishkill Plains, Dutchess Co., 1817; d. 1901; m.  
Tamar Haight, 1863. Children:  
James, b. 1858; d. 1887.  
Charles M., b. 1860; d. 1883.  
Carrie, b. 1863; m. D. Parkhurst.
- 3 CHARLES WILLIAM CORNWELL, m. Sarah Carpenter at Peekskill, N. Y.  
Child:  
George, m. ———. Child: George. Missionary to China.

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