

John Burbank of Rowley, Massachusetts and Some of His Descendants

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Generation One

1. JOHN¹ BURBANK married say 1640 **ANN** (—).¹ He married say 1643 **JEMIMA** (—). She died at Rowley, Massachusetts, on 24 March 1692/93.² He left a will on 5 April 1681 at Rowley.³ His estate was probated at Rowley, on 10 April 1681.⁴

William Dibble suggested that John emigrated to New England in 1635 aboard the *Abigail* under the name Joseph Borebanke.⁵ The suggestion, apparently based on

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¹ Charles Henry Pope, *The Pioneers of Massachusetts, A Descriptive List, Drawn from Records of the Colonies, Towns and Churches and other Contemporaneous Documents* (Boston, Mass.: The Author, 1900), 79.

² Town of Rowley, compiler, *Vital Records of Rowley, Massachusetts, to the End of the Year 1849* (Salem, Mass.: Essex Institute, 1928), 38.

³ George B. Blodgette, *Early Settlers of Rowley, Massachusetts* (Salem, Mass.: Essex Institute, 1887), 29. Citing “Essex Deeds, 4 Ips., 514;” Pope, *Pioneers of Massachusetts*, 79.

⁴ Blodgette, *Early Settlers of Rowley*, 29. Citing “Essex Deeds, 4 Ips., 514;” Pope, *Pioneers of Massachusetts*, 79. Pope appears to be mistaken in stating that John's will was probated in 1683.

⁵ William B. Dibble, “John² and Anne Burbank: A Suggested Identity,” *The New England Historical and Genealogical Register* 94 (October 1940): 393–394.

some amount of research, is that names in the original lists were copied as abbreviations and later misread (i.e., “Jo:”, meaning John, became Joseph).⁶ The surname spelling given in the copied lists has occurred throughout the early church records of Rowley. The probability that John married Joanne Jordan, who was listed next to him on the passenger list is a bit much, though, as she was eight years younger. Robert Charles Anderson, in *The Great Migration*, volume 1, simply says he was enrolled to be aboard the *Abigail* and that no evidence exists for their arrival in New England.⁷ In a later volume of the series, in the sketch for George Hepburne (aka Hadborne), Joseph does appear to have lived in Charlestown for a time.⁸ See also Drake's *Founders*.⁹

He became a freeman at Rowley, on 13 May 1640.¹⁰

Children of John¹ Burbank and Ann (—) were as follows:

⁶ John Camden Hotten, editor, *The Original Lists of Persons of Quality ... 1600–1700* (reprint, New York: Empire State Book Company, 1874), 91.

⁷ Robert Charles Anderson, *The Great Migration: Immigrants to New England 1634–1635*, 1 (Boston, Mass.: NEHGS, 1999), 487.

⁸ Robert Charles Anderson, *The Great Migration: Immigrants to New England 1634–1635*, 3 (Boston, Mass.: NEHGS, 2003), 307, 310.

⁹ Samuel G. Drake, *Result of Some Researches Among the Records of the British Archives for Information Relative to the Founders of New England* (Boston, Mass.: NEHGS, 1860), 33.

¹⁰ Pope, *Pioneers of Massachusetts*, 79.

- i. TIMOTHY² BURBANK was born at Rowley, on 18 May 1641.¹¹ He was buried at Rowley, on 14 July 1660.¹²
2. ii. JOHN BURBANK, b. say 1642; d. 1 June 1709 at Suffield, Massachusetts.

Children of John¹ and Jemima (—) Burbank, all born at Rowley, were:

- i. LYDIA² BURBANK was born on 7 April 1644.¹³

Frederick Clifton Pierce's *Foster Genealogy*¹⁴ claims that Lydia, daughter of Caleb and Martha (Smith) Burbank, married Abraham Foster about 1655. Caleb and Martha did not have a daughter Lydia. Caleb's father, John, did. John's daughter, born 7 April 1644, would have been about 11 at the time of the marriage to Mr. Foster, and 13, in 1657, when the first alleged child was born.

If, Lydia, daughter of John and Jemima (—) Burbank, did marry Abraham Foster, it would have been as his second wife. They would have been married at the earliest, in 1662, and Lydia would not have been the mother of at least three of the children in the alleged marriage. As there is no evidence presented that he did

¹¹ *Rowley VRs* (published), 448.

¹² *Rowley VRs* (published), 448.

¹³ *Rowley VRs* (published), 38.

¹⁴ Frederick Clifton Pierce, *Foster Genealogy: Being the Record of the Posterity of Reginald Foster* (Chicago, Ill.: The Author, 1899), 124.

have a first wife, the whole family unit is suspect.

Lydia Burbank was admitted to full communion at Rowley, on 8 December 1668.¹⁵

3. ii. CALEB BURBANK, b. 19 May 1646; d. before 25 March 1690.
- iii. MARY BURBANK was born on 16 May 1655.¹⁶ She was buried at Rowley, on 12 July 1660.¹⁷

Generation Two

2. **JOHN² BURBANK** (*John¹*) was born say 1642, and he died at Suffield, on 1 June 1709.¹⁸ He married at Newbury, Massachusetts, on 15 October 1663 **SUSANNAH MERRILL**, daughter of Nathaniel Merrill.¹⁹ She died at Suffield, on 10 October 1690.²⁰ He married secondly, at Springfield, Massachusetts, on 15 July 1692 **SARAH (HART) SCONE**.²¹

¹⁵ George B. Blodgette, *Early Records of Rowley, Massachusetts. First Record of the First Church*. (Salem, Mass.: Essex Institute, 1898), 82.

¹⁶ Rowley VRs (published), 38.

¹⁷ Rowley VRs (published), 448.

¹⁸ Hezekiah Spencer Sheldon, *Documentary History of Suffield, in the Colony and Province of the Massachusetts Bay, in New England, 1660–1749* (Springfield, Mass.: n. pub., 1879), 30.

¹⁹ Town of Newbury, *Vital Records of Newbury, Massachusetts, to the End of the Year 1849* (two volumes) (Salem, Mass.: Essex Institute, 1911), 2: 72.

²⁰ Sheldon, *History of Suffield, Massachusetts*, 30.

²¹ Louis Marinus Dewey, “John Burbank of Suffield, Conn., and Some of His Descendants,” *The New England Historical and*

She died at Suffield, on 19 August 1692.²² There were no children of John and Sarah (Hart) Burbank. He married thirdly, at Springfield, on 9 January 1693/94 **MEHITABLE** (—) **SANDERS**.²³ She died at Suffield, on 24 February 1727/28.²⁴

Louis Dewey states at the beginning of his article that John² Burbank became a freeman at Rowley in 1640.²⁵ This is a misstatement, as he was not born until at least two years later than the event. He participated in the land grants at Suffield, in 1674 but was delayed from taking up the land by King Philip's War.²⁶ He removed from Haverhill, Massachusetts, to Suffield (now in Connecticut) circa 1680.²⁷

The children of John Burbank and Susannah Merrill included:

- i. MARY³ BURBANK was baptized at Rowley, on 24 June 1666.²⁸
- ii. TIMOTHY BURBANK was born at Haverhill, on 30 May 1668.²⁹

Genealogical Register 61 (April 1907): 139. She was the widow of John Scone of Westfield, and daughter of Elisha Hart.

²² Dewey, "John Burbank of Suffield," 139.

²³ Dewey, "John Burbank of Suffield," 139. She was a widow from Windsor. Alternate surname spelling is Saunders.

²⁴ Dewey, "John Burbank of Suffield," 139.

²⁵ Dewey, "John Burbank of Suffield," 139.

²⁶ Sheldon, *History of Suffield, Massachusetts*, 26, 30.

²⁷ James Savage, *A Genealogical Dictionary of the First Settlers of New England, Showing Three Generations of Those Who Came Before May, 1692 on the Basis of Farmer's Register* (4 volumes) (Boston, Mass.: Little Brown and Company, 1860–2), 1: 300.

²⁸ Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 103.

- iii. JOHN BURBANK was born at Haverhill, in Aug. 1670.³⁰ He died at Suffield, on 25 March 1729.³¹
- iv. EBENEZER BURBANK was born at Haverhill, on 4 March 1673/74.³²

Children of John² Burbank and Mehitabel (—) were:

- i. SUSANNAH³ BURBANK was born at Suffield, on 23 Nov. 1695.³³ She died at Westfield, Massachusetts, on 19 Dec. 1752.³⁴

3. CALEB² BURBANK (*John*¹) was born at Rowley, on 19 May 1646,³⁵ and he died at Rowley, before 25 March 1690.³⁶ He married at Rowley, on 6 May 1669 **MARTHA SMITH**, who was born at Rowley, on 5 February 1648,³⁷ daughter of Hugh and Mary (—) Smith.³⁸

He and Martha Smith were admitted to full communion at First Church, Rowley, on 21 February 1685.³⁹

Children of Caleb² Burbank and Martha Smith, all born and baptized at Rowley, were:

²⁹ Town of Haverhill, *Vital Records of Haverhill, Massachusetts, to the End of the Year 1849* (2 volumes) (Topsfield, Mass.: Topsfield Historical Society, 1910), 1: 51.

³⁰ *Haverhill VRs* (published), 1: 51.

³¹ Dewey, "John Burbank of Suffield," 139.

³² *Haverhill VRs* (published), 1: 51.

³³ Dewey, "John Burbank of Suffield," 139.

³⁴ Dewey, "John Burbank of Suffield," 139.

³⁵ *Rowley VRs* (published), 38. "19 : 3 m : 1646."

³⁶ Blodgette, *Early Settlers of Rowley*, 30.

³⁷ *Rowley VRs* (published), 197.

³⁸ *Rowley VRs* (published), 259. Intention not recorded.

³⁹ Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 83.

4. i. CALEB³ BURBANK, b. 1 May 1671; d. 1 Feb. 1749/50 at Boxford.
- ii. JOHN BURBANK, b. 20 March 1672/73,⁴⁰ bp. 27 April 1673.⁴¹
- iii. MARY BURBANK, bp. 17 Oct. 1675,⁴² b. 26 Nov. 1675.⁴³
- iv. TIMOTHY BURBANK, b. 24 Jan. 1677,⁴⁴ bp. 10 March 1678.⁴⁵
- v. MARTHA BURBANK, b. 22 Feb. 1679/80,⁴⁶ bp. 28 March 1679/80.⁴⁷
- vi. ELIEZAR BURBANK, b. 14 March 1681/82,⁴⁸ bp. 23 April 1682.⁴⁹ He lived at Boxford, in 1715.⁵⁰
- vii. SAMUEL BURBANK, b. 15 July 1684,⁵¹ bp. 7 Aug. 1684.⁵²

⁴⁰ Rowley VRs (published), 38.

⁴¹ Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 106.

⁴² Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 107.

⁴³ Rowley VRs (published), 38.

⁴⁴ Rowley VRs (published), 38.

⁴⁵ Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 108.

⁴⁶ Rowley VRs (published), 38.

⁴⁷ Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 109.

⁴⁸ Rowley VRs (published), 38.

⁴⁹ Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 110.

⁵⁰ Sidney Perley, *The History of Boxford, Essex County, Massachusetts* (Boxford, Mass.: The Author, 1880), 400.

⁵¹ Rowley VRs (published), 38.

⁵² Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 111.

viii. EBENEZER BURBANK, b. 28 June 1687,⁵³ bp.
28 Aug. 1687.⁵⁴

Generation Three

4. **CALEB³ BURBANK** (*Caleb², John¹*) was born at Rowley, on 1 May 1671,⁵⁵ was baptized at Rowley, on 7 May 1671,⁵⁶ and he died at Boxford, on 1 February 1749/50.⁵⁷ He married on 2 January 1693/94 **LYDIA GARFIELD**.⁵⁸ She died at Rowley, on 3 March 1697/98.⁵⁹ There were no children of Caleb and Lydia (Garfield) Burbank. He married, secondly, at Rowley, on 31 August 1698 **HANNAH ACIE**, who was born at Rowley, on 9 March 1680,⁶⁰ and she died at Rowley, on 8 January 1762,⁶¹ daughter of John and Hannah (Green) Acie.⁶²

⁵³ *Rowley VRs* (published), 38.

⁵⁴ Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 113.

⁵⁵ *Rowley VRs* (published), 38.

⁵⁶ Blodgette, *Rowley First Church Records*, 105.

⁵⁷ Town of Boxford, compiler, *Vital Records of Boxford, Massachusetts, to the End of the Year 1849* (Topsfield, Mass.: Topsfield Historical Society, 1905), 227. Citing Second Congregational Church, West Boxford, records.

⁵⁸ Blodgette, *Early Settlers of Rowley*, 30. She was of Watertown, perhaps the Lydia Garfield mentioned at page 232 of Henry Bond's *Genealogies of the Families and Descendants of the Early Settlers of Watertown*, (2d ed., 1860).

⁵⁹ Blodgette, *Early Settlers of Rowley*, 30.

⁶⁰ *Rowley VRs* (published), 11. Name variations: Acy, Acee, Accee, Acey.

⁶¹ *Rowley VRs* (published), 448. Record cites pastor of Second Church (Congregational?) records, held by private individual.

⁶² *Rowley VRs* (published), 259.

He had an infant die at Rowley, on 25 March 1697/98.⁶³
He removed from Rowley, to Boxford before 1711.⁶⁴

Children of Caleb³ Burbank and Hannah Acie were:

5. i. JOHN⁴ BURBANK, b. Rowley, 27 Sept. 1699.
- ii. LIDIA BURBANK, b. Rowley, 2 Oct. 1701.⁶⁵
- iii. MARTHA BURBANK, b. Rowley, 16 Feb. 1703/4.⁶⁶
- iv. TIMOTHY BURBANK, b. Boxford, 27 Nov. 1705.⁶⁷
- v. MARGARET BURBANK, b. Boxford, 17 March 1717.⁶⁸
- vi. ASA BURBANK, b. Boxford, 5 Oct. 1720.⁶⁹
- vii. DAVID BURBANK, b. Boxford, 25 Nov. 1724.⁷⁰

⁶³ George F. Blodgette, compiler, *Copy of the Record of Deaths of the First Church of Rowley* ([Salem, Mass.]: [Essex Institute], n. d.), 1. From the Historical Collections of the Essex Institute, Volume 14.

⁶⁴ Perley, *History of Boxford*, 400.

⁶⁵ *Rowley VRs* (published), 38.

⁶⁶ *Rowley VRs* (published), 38.

⁶⁷ *Boxford VRs* (published), 17. There is an interesting notation on the record: “[1705-8?].” Perhaps he was born as late as 1708.

⁶⁸ *Boxford VRs* (published), 17.

⁶⁹ *Boxford VRs* (published), 17. Given name recorded as “Ascie,” a son.

⁷⁰ *Boxford VRs* (published), 17.

Generation Four

5. **JOHN⁴ BURBANK** (*Caleb³, Caleb², John¹*) was born at Rowley, on 27 September 1699.⁷¹ He married **PRISCILLA MAJOR**, born circa 1699,⁷² and she died on 2 November 1730,⁷³ daughter of Benjamin Major and Hannah Bailey.⁷⁴ He married, secondly, before 20 October 1742 **HANNAH (HUTCHINS) PERKINS**, daughter of Samuel Hutchins, and widow of Lemuel Perkins.⁷⁵

He became a proprietor of the town at Arundel, Maine, on 14 February 1726.⁷⁶ He was a lieutenant during the campaign against the French in 1744.⁷⁷

Children of John⁴ Burbank and Priscilla Major were:

- i. BENJAMIN⁵ BURBANK.
6. ii. HANNAH BURBANK.
- iii. ASA BURBANK.
7. iv. PRISCILLA BURBANK.
8. v. MARY BURBANK, b. 1733; d. 1825.

Children of John⁴ Burbank and Hannah Hutchins were:

⁷¹ Rowley VRs (published), 38.

⁷² Charles Bradbury, *History of Kennebunk Port, From its First Discovery by Bartholmew Gosnold, May 14, 1602, to A.D. 1837* (1837; reprint Salem, Mass.: Higginson Book Company, 1967), 230. Year estimated from age at death of 31 years.

⁷³ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 230.

⁷⁴ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 230, 261.

⁷⁵ William M. Sargent, *Maine Wills, 1640–1760* (1887; reprint Baltimore, Md.: Clearfield Company, Inc., 1996), 460. Date her father made his will; Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 230, 253 (note).

⁷⁶ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 127.

⁷⁷ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 144.

- i. JOHN⁵ BURBANK was born circa 1752.⁷⁸ He married ANNA (WHITTEN) ENGLISH, daughter of John and Ruth (Merrill) Whitten, and widow of Capt. – English.⁷⁹

He served in the Revolutionary War in the land and naval services from 1775 to 1779.⁸⁰ He lived at Lyman, Maine, in 1837.⁸¹ He appeared on the 1840 pensioner's census at Lyman, in the household of Reuben Goodwin.⁸²

Generation Five

6. HANNAH⁵ BURBANK (*John⁴, Caleb³, Caleb², John¹*) married **MATTHEW LASSEL**.

Children of Hannah⁵ Burbank and Matthew Lassel were:

- i. HANNAH⁶ LASSEL, m. HUMPHREY WHITTEN, son of John and Ruth (Merrill) Whitten.
- ii. MARY LASSEL, d. bef. 1787,⁸³ m. 15 Oct. 1778 JOHN PERKINS.⁸⁴
- iii. RUTH LASSEL married THOMAS CLARK.

⁷⁸ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 231.

⁷⁹ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 231.

⁸⁰ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 297.

⁸¹ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 231.

⁸² Secretary of State, *A Census of Pensioners for Revolutionary or Military Services* (Washington: U. S. Congress, 1841), 4.

⁸³ Walter Goodwin Davis *Massachusetts and Maine Families*, Volume 2 (Baltimore, Maryland: Genealogical Publishing Company, Inc., 1996), 2: 419.

⁸⁴ Harold Clarke Durrell, compiler, *Arundel Records* (n. pl.: n. pub., n. d.), 3.

- iv. ASA LASSEL, d. Burnham, Maine, in Dec. 1846,⁸⁵ m. Hollis, Maine, 17 Nov. 1784 MEHITABLE RICKER.⁸⁶
- v. ELIZABETH LASSEL, m. Arundel 28 January 1790 JOHN HOVEY GOULD.⁸⁷
- vi. CALEB LASSEL, b. 19 March 1761,⁸⁸ d. Waterboro, Maine, 23 Nov. 1846,⁸⁹ m. Waterboro 24 Nov. 1783 DORCAS WHITE,⁹⁰ she d. 16 May 1839.⁹¹

7. PRISCILLA⁵ BURBANK (*John⁴, Caleb³, Caleb², John¹*)
 married **CHARLES HUFF**.

Children of Priscilla⁵ Burbank and Charles Huff were:

- i. SARAH⁶ HUFF, m. Arundel 11 April 1782 SAMUEL FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 24 Nov. 1752,⁹² d. 14 June 1828,⁹³ son of John and Mary (Burbank) Fairfield.⁹⁴

⁸⁵ Davis *Massachusetts and Maine Families*, 2: 419.

⁸⁶ Davis *Massachusetts and Maine Families*, 2: 419. Nine children documented.

⁸⁷ Davis *Massachusetts and Maine Families*, 2: 420.

⁸⁸ Davis *Massachusetts and Maine Families*, 2: 419.

⁸⁹ Davis *Massachusetts and Maine Families*, 2: 419.

⁹⁰ Davis *Massachusetts and Maine Families*, 2: 419. Eight children born in Lyman, documented.

⁹¹ Davis *Massachusetts and Maine Families*, 2: 419.

⁹² Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

⁹³ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

⁹⁴ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36; Mrs. Frank Bailey Parsons Craig, "A Book of the Records of the Church of Christ (Now First Congregational) in Arundel (Kennebunkport), Maine," *The New England Historical and Genealogical Register*, 108 (April 1954): 122.

8. MARY⁵ BURBANK (*John⁴, Caleb³, Caleb², John¹*) was born in 1733,⁹⁵ and she died in 1825.⁹⁶ She married at Bradford, Massachusetts, on 17 October 1751 **JOHN FAIRFIELD**, born at Arundel, in 1728 or 1730,⁹⁷ and he died at Kennebunkport, Maine, son of John and Mary (Emery) Fairfield.⁹⁸

Mary's date of birth in Emery is after the date of death of her mother, which date is in the family papers.

Vital Records of Bradford, Massachusetts, to the End of the Year 1849, reveal no Mary Burbank born in 1733, no marriage of John Burbank and Priscilla Major, or any other members of the family as recorded here. There is a marriage entry, at page 187, for a Mary Burbank and "John Farfield," with the date as given in Emery. Emery cites "family records" for Mary's birth and death dates, but with no indication of *whose* family the records belong to. Notes at the beginning of Bradford vital records indicate that the place was known as parts of Haverhill (after 27 May 1668), Rowley (after 7 January 1672), "Merrimack," and Groveland (after 8 March 1850) at various times. Bradford was annexed to Haverhill on 4 January 1897. There are no records of the family in Haverhill records.⁹⁹

Children of Mary⁵ Burbank and John Fairfield were:

⁹⁵ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

⁹⁶ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

⁹⁷ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 35.

⁹⁸ Town of Bradford, *Vital records of Bradford, Massachusetts, to the End of the Year 1849* (Bradford, Mass.: Topsfield Historical Society, 1907), 187; Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 35.

⁹⁹ *Haverhill VRs* (published).

- i. SAMUEL⁶ FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 24 Nov. 1752,¹⁰⁰ d. 14 June 1828,¹⁰¹ m. Arundel 11 April 1782, SARAH HUFF, daughter of Charles and Priscilla (Burbank) Huff.¹⁰²
- ii. WILLIAM FAIRFIELD, b. Kennebunkport, 26 Dec. 1754,¹⁰³ d. Kennebunkport 16 March 1827,¹⁰⁴ m. (1) Arundel 27 Dec. 1781 SARAH BURNHAM, b. 30 June 1762,¹⁰⁵ d. 4 May 1790,¹⁰⁶ daughter of James and Grace (Delzell) Burnham.¹⁰⁷ He m. (2) 25 Aug. 1790 MARY KING, b. Biddeford, Maine, 14 Dec. 1773,¹⁰⁸ d. 9 April 1851,¹⁰⁹ daughter of David and Elizabeth (Gray) King.¹¹⁰

He fought in Revolutionary War, a private in the Massachusetts Line. He was also known as a captain.¹¹¹ He “was a

¹⁰⁰ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹⁰¹ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹⁰² Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36; Craig, “Records of the Church of Christ in Arundel,” 122.

¹⁰³ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹⁰⁴ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹⁰⁵ Durrell, *Arundel Records*, 61.

¹⁰⁶ Durrell, *Arundel Records*, 61.

¹⁰⁷ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 38.

¹⁰⁸ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 38; S. M. Watson, “David King, of Saco, and Some of His Descendants,” *Maine Historical and Genealogical Recorder* 3 (1886): 118.

¹⁰⁹ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 38, 54.

¹¹⁰ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 38, 54; Watson, “David King, of Saco,” 118.

soldier in the Massachusetts Line and a pensioner.”¹¹²

Mary King probably died in Kennebunkport. She appeared on the census at Kennebunkport, on 4 Sept. 1850.¹¹³

- iii. SARAH FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 28 Feb. 1757,¹¹⁴ m. 2 Dec. 1779 ISRAEL WHITTEN, son of John and Ruth (Merrill) Whitten.¹¹⁵
- iv. JOHN FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 3 Jan. 1759,¹¹⁶ d. 10 June 1834,¹¹⁷ m. Arundel 30 Dec. 1784 HANNAH BURNHAM, b. Arundel 19 March 1765,¹¹⁸ daughter of James and Hannah (Merrill) Burnham, Junior.¹¹⁹
- v. STEPHEN FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 24 Nov. 1762.¹²⁰

¹¹¹ Louis H. Cornish and A. Howard Clark, *A National Register of the Society Sons of the American Revolution* (New York: National SAR, 1902), 419; Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 243.

¹¹² Maine Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, *Maine in War: Organization and Officers of the Society, What the Society has accomplished, Constitution of the Society, Roll of Members, Officers of National Society, Constitution of the National Society* (Portland, Me.: The Society, 1897), 59.

¹¹³ Clement Perkins household, 1850 U. S. Census, Kennebunkport, York, Maine, p. 136B, National Archives and Records Administration micropublication M432, Roll 274.

¹¹⁴ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹¹⁵ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹¹⁶ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹¹⁷ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹¹⁸ Durrell, *Arundel Records*, 59.

¹¹⁹ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

¹²⁰ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 36.

- He fought in the Revolutionary War.¹²¹
 He died at sea, unmarried. His estate was administered 20 Nov. 1815.
- vi. MARY FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 28 June 1765,¹²² d. 2 Sept. 1827,¹²³ m. 28 Oct. 1784
 ROBERT TOWNE, b. Arundel 3 May 1761,¹²⁴ d. Kennebunkport 18 July 1829,¹²⁵ son of Amos and Jane (Smith) Towne.¹²⁶
- vii. BENJAMIN FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 18 Jan. 1768.¹²⁷ He died at sea.
- viii. ASA FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 10 March 1771,¹²⁸ bp. Arundel 28 April 1771.¹²⁹ He died at sea.
- ix. MOSES FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 18 June 1773,¹³⁰ bp. Arundel 15 Aug. 1773,¹³¹ m. 26

¹²¹ Bradbury, *Kennebunk Port*, 292.

¹²² Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37.

¹²³ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37; Davis, *Amos Towne Genealogy*, 13.

¹²⁴Walter Goodwin Davis, *The Ancestry of Lieut. Amos Towne, 1737–1793, of Arundel (Kennebunkport), Maine* (Portland, Me.: The Southworth Press, 1927), 12.

¹²⁵ Davis, *Amos Towne Genealogy*, 13.

¹²⁶ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37; Davis, *Amos Towne Genealogy*, 13.

¹²⁷ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37.

¹²⁸ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37.

¹²⁹ Mrs. Frank Bailey Parsons Craig, "A Book of the Records of the Church of Christ in Arundel (Kennebunkport), Maine," *The New England Historical and Genealogical Register* 107 (July 1953): 195.

¹³⁰ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37.

¹³¹ Craig, "Records of the Church of Christ in Arundel," 197.

Nov. 1797 BETSY STEVENS, daughter of Wheelwright and Phebe (Smith) Stevens.¹³² He was lost at sea.

- x. ELIZABETH FAIRFIELD, b. Arundel 22 Sept. 1776,¹³³ bp. Arundel 8 June 1777,¹³⁴ d. 22 July 1798,¹³⁵ m. 14 Sept. 1796 ALEXANDER GOULD.¹³⁶



¹³² Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37.

¹³³ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37.

¹³⁴ Craig, "Records of the Church of Christ in Arundel," 198.

¹³⁵ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37.

¹³⁶ Emery, *Perkins, Fairfield, and King*, 37.