

EARLY SETTLERS OF ESSEX AND OLD NORFOLK.

The Genealogical facts which follow, were collected at the expense of a number of gentlemen, chiefly members of the N. E. H. G. Society, several years ago, by **JOSHUA COFFIN, Esq.** By their encouragement he undertook to go over the Court files and other public papers in the County of Essex, comprising part of old Norfolk County, and to extract therefrom all the genealogical items contained in them. His MS. having been lodged in the archives of the Society, it was determined by the Publishing Committee, that the Patrons of the Register should have the benefit of this laborious research. If those who consult the work do not find what they look for, it is the fault of the original document, and not that of Mr. Coffin; not but that he may have made some mistakes; as *perfection* in these matters will not be looked for, by any who have had even small experience in them. One of the contributors to Mr. Coffin's undertaking—the Corresponding Secretary of the Society—has, at much expense of time, prepared the matter for the press, by bringing it into a perfect alphabetical arrangement, &c. The original MS. of Mr. Coffin may be appealed to at any time, should questions of discrepancy arise, between the printed copy and the MS. of Mr. Coffin. The occasional additions in brackets, are by

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- ABBOTT.**—Arthur, æ. 35 in 1674. Dorothy the widow of Thomas, m. Edward Chapman. George, will made Dec. 1681, wife Hannah, oldest son John. George, of Andover, Nehemiah, of Ipswich, Thomas, of Concord, sell to Ezekiel Northend, of Rowley, what was their father George Abbott's, in 1659. Dorothy, wid^e. of Thomas, of Rowley, 1659. George, æ. 30, in 1661. Geo. Sen. æ. 50, 1662.—Thomas, æ. 26 in 1664. George, æ. 54 in 1669. Arthur, æ. 35 in 1674. George, æ. 40 in 1656. George, Jr., æ. 26, Nov. 18. 1656. Thomas, d. in Rowley, and left two brothers, Nehemiah and George. George, Rowley, had his estate appraised, 30 Aug., 1647. James came over from Umianton in Mr. Stratton's ship, about 30 years ago, i. e. in 1652.
- ABBY.**—Mathew, æ. 40. June, 1669.
- ABOURN.**—George, Hampton, 1653.—Samuel, Aburn, æ. 52 in 1666.—Moses Aburn, of Marblehead, æ. 21 1666-7. Samuel, Sen^r., Salem, æ. 80 in 1707.
- ADAMS.**—Alexander, wit^e. Nathaniel Starbuck's deed to Peter Coffin, of Dover. Edward Starbuck, father of s^d. Nathaniel. 1661. Nathaniel and John, Ipswich, 1667. William, of Ipswich, had sons, Nathaniel and Samuel, 1668. Robert, will, 1681. Lieut. John, æ. 60 in 1692. Symon, æ. 35 in 1692. Robert, Newbury, sells house and lands in Salem, to Wm. Gerrish, 18 April, 1640.—Joanna, æ. 17 in 1651.
- AGER.**—Jonathan, æ. 65 in 1704. Benjamin, inventory taken 1671. Wm., Salem, will 3 March, 1653-4, wf. Alice, sons, Joseph, Benjamin and Jonathan, and dau. Abigail Kitchen. Jonathan, æ. 73 in 1713.
- ALDEN.**—John, m. Elizabeth Phelps, da. of William Phelps, Sen., 1684. will of William Phelps, made 1682.
- ALDERMAN.**—John, Salem, will, 3 July, 1657; to Mr. Norris the best cow I haue, to Mr. Elliot one cow, and one cave to y^e Indians y^e Mr. Elliot doth preach vnto, to be disposed of to them by him, one to Mr. Thacher, one to Mr. Whiting of Lynn, one to Mr. William Walton of Marblehead, and one to Mr. Cobbett.
- ALDOROUGH.**—Joseph, æ. 32 in 1667.
- ALLEN.**—William, Salisbury, house carp^r., and wife Ann, sell to John Ilsley of Salisbury, barber, 1656.—William, wife Mary, 1662, house carpenter. Charles, Portsmouth, about to marry Susanna, da. of John and Bridget Huggins. of Hampton, 1666-7. Wm. of Salisbury, m. Ann Goodale, da. of Rich^d. G., of Salisbury, who made his will 7 June, 1666. William, æ. 62 in 1664, "have lived in Salem ab. 38 yrs. 30 Nov. 1664. William, Manchester, 1653. William, wf. Alice, son Samuel, b. 8 Jan. 1631-2; 2d wf. Elizabeth, by whom childⁿ. Elizabeth, b.

- Sept. 1634; Deborah, b. April, 1637; Bethia, b. Feb. 1639-40, d. Feb. 1640; Onesiphorus, b. 30 June, 1642. William, Salisbury, carpenter, 1649. William, Boston, wf. Ann, da. of Rich^d. Goodale, 1649. Henry, ae. 47 in 1667. Andrew, wf. Faith, dau. of William Ingalls.
- ALLEY.**—Giles, ae. 42, Sept. 1666.—Hugh, ae. 53, 1662.
- ALT.**—John, ae. 73 in 1678. See Norfolk Recs. ii-106.
- AMBROSE.**—Henry, Boston, carpenter, sells land in Salisbury, 1656. Henry and wife Susanna, of Charlestown, 1656. Ebenezer, ae. 27, in 1667. Ebenezer, son of Henry of Salisbury, m. Abigail, dau. of John Severance, of Salisbury, 1665. Henry, Hampton, 1647. Henry, wit. Rev. Mr. John Wheelright's will, 1679. Henry, Hampton, carpenter, 1649.
- AMES.**—Robert, ae. 31 in 1671.
- ANDERSON.**—Arzbell, a Scotchman, d. at y^e Iron Works in Lynn, 13 Aug., 1661. There is an inventory of his effects.
- ANDREWS.**—Samuel, wit. to a deed from Tho^s. Moulton, of Hampton, to Henry Green, 1652. G. is stiled miller.—Robert, Ipswich, will, March, 1643-4, wf. Elizth., eldest son John, Thomas, da. Alice, who marr^d. William Franklin. Essex Recs. p. 6. Elizabeth, dau. of John, m. James Giddinge. John, ae. 70 in 1692. Lieut. John, ae. ? in 1701. Corporal John, inventory taken 23 May, 1662. John, 1664. Rob^t., will prov^d. 26 March, 1664, wf. Elizth., eldest sons John, Thomas and Daniel Hovey. Robert, 1641, had a dau., Alice m. Wm. Franklin Franklin's dau. m. Geo. May; Elizabeth, I believe. Corp^l. John, inventory taken 23 May, 1662. John, Jr. Ipswich, 26 March, 1667. Rob^t., Topsfield, inventory of est^s 1668. John, ae. 48 in 1668. Daniel, ae. 28 in 1671. Jedidiah, Salisbury, wf. Mary, deed, 12 July, 1675. Rob^t., will 6 Dec., 1675; brother. John and Joseph, and bro.-in-law Samuel Symonds. John, m. Ann Jacobs, da. of George, J. of Salem. 1691-2. John, jua. ae. 40 in 1659, li. in 1661. John, ae. 31 in 1659. John, ae. 36 in 1684. John, ae. 70 in 1692. Lieut. John, ae. 80 in 1701. Thomas, Ipswich, 1652.
- ANDREW.**—Alger, of Cape Porpus, now resident in Newbury, 1694.
- ANGIER.**—Ann or Hannah, ae. 41 in 1672.
- ANNABLE.**—John, Ipswich, taylor, 1651.
- John, a servant from Boston, England, 1655. Mathew; ae. 35 in 1694.
- ANTHROP, or Authrop.**—Thomas, Salem, 1653.
- ANTRIM.**—Obadiah, wf. Martha, da. of Elizabeth Baker, 1666.
- ANTRUM.**—Thomas, Salem, will prov^d. 4 May, 1663, son Obadiah, and dau. m. — Burnap. Inventory of est^s. Nov. 1666.
- APPLETON.**—Samuel, is called our "brother by William Downes, of Boston. Downes had a sister, Judith, wf. Hannah," and says "our grandfather, William Payne."—Samuel, buried, 1670. John, ae. 50 in 1672. John, ae. 36, Ipswich, 25 Nov. 1659.
- ARCHARD.** [Archer?]—Samuel, (Salem?) ae. 50, July, 1665; d. intestate, Sept. 1668.—Samuel, Sen^r., ae. 58 in 1666.
- ARCHER.**—Samuel, ae. 65 in 1700.—Henry, ae. 66 in 1671.
- ARMITAGE.**—Joseph, of Lynn, attorney to Christopher Lawson, of Boston, cooper, 1649. Joseph, "60 odd" yrs. old in 1670. Joseph, Lynn, 20 Dec. 1652. John, ae. 55 in 1657. Joseph, ae. 60 in 1661. Joseph, ae. 60 in 1670.
- ARMSTRONG.**—Mathew, ae. 27 in May, 1661.
- ASH.**—John, Salisbury, laborer, 13 April, 1661.
- ASHLEY.**—Anthony, Salem, 1665. Edmund, now, 1670, of Boston, formerly of Ipswich.
- ASLET.**—John, was ae. 50 in 1664.—John, servant to William Bellingham, 1650. John, Andover, will 15 May, 1671, wf. Rebecca, son John, to all his daus £20 apiece.
- ASLEYBURY.**—Elizabeth, da. of George Keysan's wf., of Salem, 1686-7.
- ASTEN.**—Anthony, ae. 27 in 1663.
- ATKINSON.**—Theodore, Boston, intends to marry wid^e. Mary Lyde, dau. of Rev. John Wheelwright, 1667. Nathaniel wit. marriage contract bet^w. Theodore Atkinson and wid^e. Mary Lyde, 1667. Hellen, who m. Mr. Joseph Hills, of Malden, was da. of Hugh A., of Kendall, Eng., Theodore, Boston, on ac^t of y^e love w^h l bear to my nephew, John Atkinson, of Newbury, 1674. John, ae. 28 in 1668.
- AUSTIN.**—Anthony, ae. 28 in Nov., 1664, and 35 in 1671.
- AVERILL.**—William, Ipswich, will 31 June, 1652; wf. Abigail; seven children. William, Ipswich, 1658.

AVERY.—Christopher, Gloucester, 1653.

Thomas, m. a sister of Rebecca Bacon. John, ae. 38 in 1666.

AXCEY.—Frances, Lynn, will 18 Oct., 1670. James, her husband, d. 7 June, 1669.

AVER.—John, Haverhill, will proved 6 Oct., 1657; wife Hannah, chn. John, Nathaniel, Obadiah, Robert, Thomas, Peter, Hannah, Rebekah, and Mary; "To Peter that young sow whose ear hangs down and all my flaggy meadow." Obadiah and wife Hannah, 1661. Thomas and Elizabeth, 1663. John and wife Sarah, 16 May, 1659. John and wife Mary, 11 July, 1666. Peter and wife Hannah, 19 March, 1668-9. John, late of Ipswich, now of Quabog, 1673. Mary Ayres, ae. 34 in 1668. Samuel Ayres, ae. 45 in 1668. John, late of Haverhill, now, 1679, of Ipswich; wf. Mary. (Norf. Recs. ii. 238.) John, d. in Brookfield, 1676, wf. Susanna, inventory 29 March, 1676. Robert, ae. 86 in 1711, of Haverhill. Robert, m. Elizabeth, da. Henry Palmer, 1659. See HUBBARD.

BABSON.—Isabel, (Gloucester?) mid-wife, ae. 80, in 1657. John, ae. 30 in 1663, Gloucester.

BACHILER.—Rev. Steven, sold his farm to Wm. Howard and Thomas Ward, 1654; who sold it to y^e town; y^e town granted it to Rev. John Wheelwright, 1648. Nathaniel, father John Smith, & bro. John Smith, wf. Deborah. John, ae. 47 in 1656, Rev. Stephen, my 4 gr. chn., John, Stephen, and William Sanborne, and Nathaniel Bachiler. John, 1655. [Rev. Stephen Bachiler's chn. so far as known, are 1st Theodata, m. Christopher Hussey, of Hampton; and 2d Deborah, m. John Wing, of Lynn, and Sandwich, 1637; 3d a dau. m. John Sanborn, descendants numerous. 4th Nathaniel, m. 1st Deborah Smith, 2d wid. Mary Wyman, 3d Elizabeth —, had 17 chn.; 5 Henry, settled in Reading, and had a son, Henry, of Lynn; 6 Francis; 7 Stephen, living in London in 1685.] Henry Batcheler, Ipswich, 1653. John, a wit. to Thomas Weeks' will of Salem, 1656.

BACON.—See AVERY.—Mr. William, Salem, will 1653; inventory 26 Sept. 1653, wf. Rebecca, son Isaac. Rebecca, will 23 March, 1655, son Isaac, sister Thomasine, wife of Robert Buffum. William, came from Dublin with wf. Rebecca, who was sister to Humphrey Potter, and da. of

Thomas Potter, some time mayor of Coventry, in Warwickshire 1694. Rebecca, cousin to Richard Cheelcraft, 1655.

BADGER.—Giles, will 29 June, 1647; father Capt. Edmund Greenleaf, wf. Elizabeth, son John.

BAGLEY.—Orlando, Amesbury, 1655; wf. Sarah, da. of Anthony Colby, 1669. Orlando, m. Sarah Colby, 1642. Bagley and wf. living in 1661.

BAKER.—See ANTRIM.—Tho^r, ae. 29 in 1666. John, Jr., says my bro. Antrim, i. e. Obediah Antrim, 1666. Thomas, ae. 25 in 1662. Thomas, Topsfield, 1664; m. da. Samuel Symonds, 1673-4.

BALCH, Benjamin, Sen. ae. 77 in 1706. John, Beverly, wf. Annis, 3 sons, viz: Benjamin, John, Freeborn; will May, 1648. John, inventory, 1662.

BALLARD, John, serv^t to — Jenckes, 1655. William, Lynn, 1638. William, ae. 44 in 1662. Joseph, ae. 26 in 1671.

BAREFOOTE, Capt. Walter, Dover, 1666; Pascataqua, physician & chirurgion, 1670.

BARGE, James, 1662. [Giles, Saco, 1676.]

BARKER, William, Andover, 1648. Thomas, cousin to Rob^t Johnson, of Rowley, 1649; will proved 25 Mar. 1651; wf. Mary. James, Rowley, tailor, 1655. James, 1678, of Rowley, b. at Ragwell in Low Suffolk, in Old England; wf. Mary; ch. Barzillai oldest son, James, Nathaniel, da. Eunice, wf. of John Watson, & da. Grace. See LAMEERT.

BARLACH, or BARLO, George, 1642; Exeter, 1642.

BARNARD, Mary, ae. 17 in 1664. Stephen, ae. 20 in 1669. Stephen, ae. 22 in 1671. Thomas, Amesbury, killed by Indians prior to 1667; Eleanor, his widow.

BARNES, Thomas, Salem, blacksmith, 1653. William, Salisbury, carp, buys land, 1650. William, Salisbury, 1652-3. Sarah, (who was afterwards wf. to Francis Usselton, of Wenham) presented, 1656. Thomas ae. 28 in 1660, Salem. William, Salisbury, house carp^r 1663. William, da. — m. Tho. Sargent, 1663. Thomas, Salem, inventory, June, 1664. Rachel, m. Tho. Sargent, 2 Mar. 1668-9. Hannah, m. John Prouse of Amesbury, 1660.

BARNET, Ann, da. of John Wilt of Salem, 1668.

BARNEY, Jacob, Salem, 1669. John,

- 1678, was husband to Mary, da. of Edward Chapman of Ipswich.
- BARRETT, John**, ensign, Wells, 4 July, 1660. Richard, d. 29 Sept. 1651, gives half his property to wf. & half to ch.
- BARRY, John**, ae. 28 in 1669.
- BARSHAM, John**, Exeter, ae. 28 in 1669; keeping school in Hampton, 1672; witness to a deed same year.
- BARTHOLOMEW, Richard & Henry**, brothers, & Thomas, Abraham & William. Henry had 2 ch. & William 3. Sister Sarah, 1645. William, 1649. Elizabeth, da. of Tho^s Scudder, 1653. Henry, ae. 60 in 1669.
- BARTLETT, Nicholas**, Salem, 1659. Richard, will d. 21 May, 1647; sons John, Richard & Christopher, & da. Joanna, wf. of William Titcomb. John, d. 9 Feb. 1679; had a son John. Robert, m. Mary, da. Rev. William Walton of Marblehead, 1678. Christopher, ae. 33 in 1656.
- BARTOLL, John**, wf. Parnell; their da. Mary, b. 1 Feb. 1642-3. William, ae. 33 in 1662. John, Salem, inventory 1664.
- BARTRAM, William**, ae. 40 in May, 1661.
- BASKET, Hannah**, m. Nicholas Phelps, 1652.
- BATES, Ann**, da. of Sarah Oldham, who was da. of Richard North, 1650. 1664. Francis, wf. Ann, formerly Ann Oldham, 1668-9.
- BATT, Mr. Christopher**, Boston, tanner, Salisbury, in October, 1650. William, aged 30 in 1667; Christopher, killed in Boston 1661; his wid. Ann, living in Boston in 1672, ae. 72; Nicholas, linen weaver, will 18 June, 1674; wf. Lucy or Lucia, da. Mary, m. ——— Elithorp; da. Sarah, m. ——— Mighil.
- BATTELLE, Thomas**, a witness in 1653.
- BATTER, Edmund**, Quaker, ae. 50 in 1658; Sarah, Quaker, ae. 48 in 1658; Edmund, ae. 57 in 1665; witness, 1658; Salem, 1672.
- BAULSTON, Jonathan**, Boston, 1666.
- BAXTER, John**, ae. 37 in 1669.
- BAYER, John**, ae. 22 in 1669.
- BAYES, Matthew**, Leeds, England, of Ipswich in New Eng. about 1659.
- BAYLEY, Guido**, wf. Elizabeth, ch. Elizabeth, b. 27 July, 1642; Joseph, b. 6 Nov. 1644. Richard Bailey, will 1647-8; wf. Edna; mentions son Joseph, bro. James, & nephew John. Theodore Bayley, or Theophilus, ae. 31 in 1653; Henry, ae. 50 in 1661; John, Jr., weaver, Newbury, 1652.
- James, Rowley, ae. 51 in 1663. Henry Bailey, ae. 50 in 1661. John Baylyes, Salem, Taylor, 1649. Richard (Bailey) da. Edna, m. Ezekel, Northend, 1707. James Bayley, Rowley, will, 8. Aug. 1677; sons John & James, das. Lydia, m. ——— Platts; Damaris, m. ——— Leaver, 1677. Henry, ae. 50 in 1661. Abigail, da. of Richard Swain. Rev. John (Bailey) Watertown, 1669-70.
- BAYNTER (?)** See **JEWETT**.
- BEALE**. See **BRADSTREET**. Martha, ae. 22 1654. William, miller, Marblehead, 1654. William, ae. 38 in 1665. William, ae. 38; Martha, 13; Samuel, 14, in 1669. Martha, ae. 14; Samuel, ae. 16, in 1670. William, ae. 38 in 1667. Samuel, ae. 17; James, ae. 14, in 1672.
- BECKET, John**, ae. 42 in 1670.
- BEDLE, Robert**, ae. 36 in 1672. Samuel Beadle, Salem, will, 12 May, 1663-4 (?) ch. Nathaniel, Samuel, Thomas, Dorothy & Elizabeth. Robert, ae. 36 in 1669. Robert, ae. 24 in 1669. [Thomas, m. Elizabeth Drake, 18: 7: 1679; ch. Elizabeth, b. 9 July, 1681; 2 Mary, 5 April, 1683; 3 Thomas, b. 16 March, 1685; 4 Benjamin, 7: 7: 1687; 5 Thomas, 10: 12: 1689-90; 6 John, 14, 12, 1691-2.]
- BERFORD, Richard**, Gloucester, 1653; ae. 58 in 1666.
- BELCHER, Jeremy**, Ipswich, ae. 50 in 1665. John, ae. 22 in 1671. Jeremy agrees to marry Mary Lockwood, 1652. Jeremy, ae. 59 in 1671-2. Edward, ae. 30 in 1666.
- BELKNAP, Abraham**, will & inventory, 6 Feb. 1643-4. Samuel, 1674. [Joseph, (son of Abraham) settled in Boston, d. in 1712, ae. 82. His son, Jeremiah, also of Boston; from him Belknap street took its name. Joseph (son of Jeremiah,) was the oldest of 9 children, b. 12 Feb. 1717, was a leather dresser in Ann st. He m. Sarah ———, niece of Mather Byles, 3 July, 1741. He was the father of the Historian of New Hampshire.]
- BELL, Philip**, Pullen Point, 1668. Abraham, Charlestown, 1653.
- BELLFLOUZ, Benjamin**, d. 24 Feb. 1669-70.
- BELLINGHAM, William**, will 1650; nephew Samuel B. to have his estate. John, attorney to Richard his father, 1662, & uncle William. William, will proved 24 Sept. 1650; nephew Samuel, but no ch. mentioned.