

Hannah, wife of Shubael M. Nichols, d. Jan. 22, 1857, aged 52 yrs. 7 mos.

24 days.

Shubael Nichols, b. Nov. 20, 1802, d. Aug. 16, 1873.

William T. Nichols, b. Aug. 31, 1809, d. Jan. 11, 1880.

Althea, infant dau. of William T. and Ann Nichols.

Infant dau. of David and Sarah Elizabeth Lewes, aged 10 days.

Infant dau. of Hannah and Shubael Nichols d. Mar. 22, 1842.

Joseph Rogers d. Mar. 9, 1850, aged 75 yrs.

Esther, wife of Joseph Rogers, d. July 17, 1849, in her 80th yr.

Jacob Ireland d. Mar. 17, 1813, aged 69.

Sarah, wife of David Skidmore, d. July 4, 1858, aged 81 yrs.

David Skidmore d. Mar. 14, 1813, aged 42 yrs.

Ann, dau. of David and Sarah, d. Apr. 17, 1815, aged 17 yrs. 1 mo. 7 days.

Mary, wife of Joseph Dixon, d. Jan. 7, 1833, aged 63 yrs.

Platt Titus d. Nov. 24, 1848, aged 83 yrs.

Keturah, wife of Platt A. Titus, d. Feb. 12, 1835, aged 32 yrs. 3 mos. 16 days.

Joseph Titus, son of Platt and Esther Titus, d. Mar. 22, 1841, aged 42 yrs.

ANCESTORS OF THOMAS JOHNSON (PP 239)

BURIED AT JACKSON CREEK CEM.
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THE SOLOMON JOHNSON FAMILY

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1. SOLOMON¹ JOHNSON, whose parentage and ancestry have not been found, was in Sudbury, Mass., 3 Feb. 1639, when his twin sons, Joseph and Nathaniel, were born. His wife, Elinor, whose parentage and ancestry are unknown, was certainly the mother of an older son, John (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 20, p. 697, wherein Elinor calls John her son), born 1629 or "thereabout," and probably the mother of the oldest son, Solomon, born 1627 or "thereabout" (deposition, Middlesex Co. Court Files, Apl. Session, 1636, Stone vs Bemis). He was an original proprietor of Sudbury, having received twenty-eight acres in the first, second, and third divisions of land (Sudbury Town Records, Bk. 1, pp. 21 and 52). He was made freeman after his son Solomon took the oath in 1645.* Having bought land in the Great River Meadow, West Sudbury, in 1651, he is called "Taylor of Watertown" at the date of sale of that land (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 2, p. 45) in 1653, he then living at the "Watertown Farme or Cowpen" which he had leased on 1 Dec. 1651 for seven years, afterward extended two years. In 1658 he received a grant of one hundred thirty acres in the "two mile strip" of Sudbury, and later was voted ten acres more on account of the highway running through (Sudbury Records, p. 52). This "new grant" he deeded before it was laid out, 25 Apr. 1658, to Solomon, Jr., in consideration of his full and free surrender of three hundred acres bought of Mr. Stephen Day of Cambridge (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 3, p. 139).

* On Sudbury Town Records the name of "Solomon Johnson" appears in the list of "Names of those that take ye oath July 9, 1643 or 5." Under this list is the list of those who "took ye oath of fidelity since." "Solomon Johnson Senr?" is second on this latter list, then in the same hand and ink "Junr" is written after "Solomon Johnson" of the first list.

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He was an original proprietor of Marlborough, Mass., receiving a home lot of twenty-three acres, 1660 (REGISTER, vol. LXII, p. 227). Later he received one-seventh undivided part of eleven meadows, his share in these meadows being indicated in his will, except such as were alienated by deeds, viz., in 1683 about five acres, in which he is described as "Solomon Johnson Sr. Tailor," and in 1684 seven acres to his son John Johnson, in which Elinor relinquished her dower (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 14, p. 328; and vol. 20, p. 697). He was one of the selectmen of Marlborough 1661-65 (REGISTER LXII, pp. 336-39-41; and LXIII, 65, 118), and constable in 1663-4 (Ibid., pp. 59, 65, and 118). In 1663 his rate for the ministry in Marlborough was ten shillings, and that of his son John eleven shillings. In this connection note that in 1663 Solomon and John Johnson of "Mallbury" were sued for rate due to the ministry in *Watertown* (Watertown Records, p. 80).

His death is entered briefly on the Marlborough Records, "Deacon Johnson died June 1687." His will (Suffolk Co. Probate, vol. 10, p. 127), dated 28 Mar. 1685, and probated 12 Oct. 1687, provides for wife "Elenor" and son Nathaniel; and Nathaniel's three sons Joseph, Samuel, and John; mentions son Solomon, and recites giving him "long since" his portion; also son John, having already a portion: bequeaths the remainder of his estate to his "Sonne-in-law John Barnes"; and makes his "sonn's John Johnson, John Barnes Senr and Nathaniel Johnson Executors." The inventory of his estate totaled in land £100, and the dearth of personal estate, amounting only to £5, 16s., seems to indicate that at the time of his decease he was living with one of his children.

Children:

2. i. SOLOMON,² b. abt. 1627.
3. ii. JOHN, b. abt. 1629.
 - iii. JOSEPH (twin), b. 3 Feb. 1639; m. 19 Nov. 1667, SUSANNAH ———; bur. Apr. 1668.
 4. iv. NATHANIEL (twin), b. 3 Feb. 1639.
 - v. JOHANNAH, b. 16 Feb. 1641; m. JOHN BARNES; d. 29 Oct. 1712.
 - vi. MARY, b. 23 Feb. 1643; m. WILLIAM TAYLOR; not mentioned in her father's will, though she d. 28 July 1697.
 - vii. CALER, b. 1 Feb. 1645; "accidentally shot" near his father's house "in the liberties of Watertown, 4th 3, 1654," according to the coroner's jury.
2. SOLOMON² JOHNSON (*Solomon*¹), born about 1627, died at Sudbury 26 Aug. 1690. He was an early proprietor of Lancaster, Mass., for in 1652 he deeded his forty acres in "Nashaway Plantation" (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 1, p. 41) to Stephen Day for the three hundred acres (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 1, p. 42) exchanged in 1658 (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 13, p. 590) for his father's New Sudbury grant of one hundred forty acres, upon which last he probably lived. In 1664 he alienated a moiety of this one hundred forty acres (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 3, p. 325), but in 1685 possessed the seventy acres remaining, as a deed from Benjamin Crowe of Stowe to Joseph Rice of Marlborough recites that the land sold (originally that of John Wood, Sr., and John Rutter, Sr.) is bounded southward with land of Solomon Johnson, Junr. He married twice: first HANNAH ———, who died 4 June 1685; and secondly, 1 Feb. 1686-7, "HANNAH CREFTS of Natomy" (Watertown Records, p. 96), perhaps the Hannah Johnson who married

Thomas Frost 9 July 1691. He died intestate, and his widow Hannah and son Caleb administered his estate (Middlesex Co. Probate, no. 12671).

Children, all born at Sudbury :

- i. SAMUEL,³ b. 6 Mar. 1654.
 - ii. HANNAH, b. 27 Apr. 1656; m. (1) GERSHOM EAMES, who d. at Watertown 25 Nov. 1676; m. (2) 4 Sept. 1679, WILLIAM WARD. (For children see Ward Family, 1851, p. 14.)
 5. iii. CALEB, b. 31 Oct. 1658.
3. JOHN² JOHNSON (*Solomon*¹), born about 1629, undoubtedly was with his parents in Sudbury as early as 1639. He removed to Lancaster in 1654 (Sudbury Records, Book B). He married, 19 Nov. 1657, DEBORAH WARD, daughter of William of Sudbury and Marlborough. On 27 Apr. 1658, his father deeded him one-half the three hundred acres bought of Mr. Stephen Day. He was an original proprietor of Marlborough, receiving sixty-eight acres in 1660, and swamp and meadow land in 1663 and '65. Deborah, his wife, died 9 Aug. 1697, aged 60; and he died at Marlborough 4 May 1713, intestate. No administration of his estate is found in Middlesex Co. Probate, but a deed dated 11 Feb. 1714 (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 17, p. 301) recites that Daniel Johnson of Marlborough is one of the children and heirs of John Johnson late of Marlborough, deceased, who was a son of Solomon Johnson, deceased, late of Marlborough but formerly of Sudbury and one of the primitive grantees of said Sudbury, and proceeds to quit claim "any remaining rights" of his father, John Johnson, in said Solomon's Sudbury real estate. Daniel signed the above also in behalf of his brother, John Johnson, and sister Elizabeth wife of Joseph Witherby. No record appears of any children born the first fifteen years of his marriage.

Children, recorded at Marlborough :

- i. JOHN,³ b. 21 Jan. 1672; d. 23 Dec. 1676, "scalded to death."
 6. ii. DANIEL, b. 5 Apr. 1675.
 - iii. ELIZABETH, b. 20 July 1677; m. 9 Feb. 1699, JOSEPH WITHERBY.
 - iv. DEBORAH, b. 22 Aug. 1678.
 - v. JOHN, b. 16 Feb. 1680; m. MARY ———.
4. NATHANIEL² JOHNSON (*Solomon*¹), born at Sudbury 3 Feb. 1639, died at Marlborough 24 July 1718. He married, 16 Nov. 1671, MARY PLIMPTON, daughter of John and Jane (Demant), born at Dedham 19 Apr. 1648, died at Marlborough 27 Nov. 1736. He received by will the major portion of his father's land, but could not alienate it since it was devised to his three sons, Joseph, Samuel, and John, who in Jan. 1704/5 joined in an instrument of partition of the same (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 20, p. 516).

Children :

- i. JOSEPH,³ b. 5 (18, county rec.) Oct. 1672.
- ii. SAMUEL, b. 28 Aug. 1674.
- iii. MARY, b. 1675.
- iv. JOHN, b. 24 Mar. 1679.
- v. JOHANNAH, b. 7 Nov. 1682.
- vi. DOROTHA, b. 26 Apr. 1685.
- vii. JANE, b. 22 May 1687; d. 1688.
- viii. ABIGAIL, b. 8 Nov. 1691; d. 1693.

5. CALEB⁸ JOHNSON (*Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Sudbury 31 Oct. 1658, died there 1 Dec. 1715. He married, 9 July 1684, AGNES BENT, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth of Sudbury and Marlborough, who died 4 June 1729. He with wife Agnes and sister Patience Bent conveyed in 1697 to Peter Bent their brother "any and all estate" of their late father Peter Bent of Marlborough (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 13, p. 578). Caleb Johnson with Thomas Brown and Thomas Drury bought the "Glover Farm" 17 June 1697. Caleb's estate was administered by the widow Agnes and sons Caleb and Solomon (Middlesex Co. Probate, no. 8938), and inventoried £567. Land which had belonged to the widow Agnes, on 6 Apr. 1730/1, was conveyed by Caleb Johnson of Framingham, Solomon Johnson of Sudbury, widow Hannah Burk of Stowe, Daniel Howe of Framingham, and Ebenezer Gleason of Framingham, all in the County of Middlesex, to their brother Charles Johnson, wheelwright of Sudbury, in consideration of £300. Caleb and Solomon Johnson's acknowledgment is dated Feb. 1756, in Worcester Co., Mass. (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 65, p. 64).

Children:

- i. HANNAH,⁴ b. at Sudbury 5 (25, county rec.) May 1685; m. 23 Dec. 1709, JONAS BURK.
 7. ii. CALEB, b. 18 Sept. 1687.
 8. iii. SOLOMON, b. 2 Nov. 1690.
 - iv. CHARLES, b. 20 Dec. 1693.
 - v. ELIZABETH, m. 17 Dec. 1716, DANIEL HOWE.
 - vi. THANKFUL, b. at Sudbury 7 Feb. 1705/6; m. EBENEZER GLEASON.
6. DANIEL⁸ JOHNSON (*John*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Marlborough 5 Apr. 1675, married, 22 Dec. 1697, DOROTHY LAMB. He died 1721/2, and his widow Dorothy was appointed executrix, 27 Apr. 1722, his will being dated 11 Dec. 1721 (Middlesex Co. Probate, no. 12635).

Children:

9. i. SOLOMON,⁴ b. 13 Oct. 1698.
 - ii. DEBORAH, b. 8 Mar. 1701; not named in her father's will.
 - iii. MARTHA, b. 6 Oct. 1702; m. at Shrewsbury, 30 Apr. 1728, ELISHA HEDGE; willed by her father £200.
 10. iv. ZEBEDIAH, b. 28 Apr. 1704.
 11. v. DANIEL, b. 23 Aug. 1709.
7. CALEB⁴ JOHNSON (*Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born 18 Sept. 1687, received from his father's estate seventy-four acres of Framingham land. He with wife Dorothy joined the Sudbury church 8 Apr. 1722 (Sudbury Church Records). On 18 Mar. 1729 he and his brother Solomon sold their lands to Thomas Kendall. In 1732 he bought one hundred fifty acres in Worcester (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 3, p. 147, in which he is called "housewright of Framingham"), and in 1733 he was seated in the Worcester meeting house. After 1738 he bought several tracts of land in Shrewsbury, also "privilege of room for a pew in Shrewsbury meetinghouse" (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 20, p. 294; vol. 27, p. 398; and vol. 50, p. 527). In 1741 he was representative to the General Court. He married twice: first DOROTHY ———, who died at Shrewsbury 25 Jan. 1741; and secondly, in 1743, ELIZABETH BRYANT of Sudbury. His will, made at Shrewsbury in 1766 (Worcester Co. Probate, no.

33290), names only his wife Elizabeth, daughter Martha Stone, and children of daughters Dorothy Wyman and Abigail Eager.

Children :

- i. MARY,⁵ b. 24 Oct. 1709.
- ii. MARTHA, b. 12 Sept. 1711; m. ——— STONE.
- iii. ABIGAIL, b. 21 July, d. 13 Nov. 1714.
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. 14 Apr. 1716; m. 18 Aug. 1737, BENJAMIN EAGER; d. before her father, her children being named in her father's will.
- v. CALEB, bapt. 2 Aug. 1719; d. at Shrewsbury 16 Mar. 1741.
- vi. DOROTHY, b. 10 Jan. 1724; m. 28 Nov. 1744, DANIEL(?) WYMAN; d. before her father, who willed her children £80.
- vii. SARAH, bapt. 26 Sept. 1725.
- viii. JOEL, d. at Shrewsbury 7 Feb. 1741.
- ix. ASIBEL, d. at Shrewsbury 22 Feb. 1741.

8. SOLOMON⁴ JOHNSON (*Caleb*,⁸ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born 2 Nov. 1690 (Middlesex Co. Probate, no. 8938), received as his share of his father's estate fifty-six acres south of his brother Caleb's, also land at "Beaver hole," "pod meadow," and "pine neck." He married at Sudbury, 6 June 1716, ABIGAIL GOODENOW, daughter of John, and 11 Feb. 1736/7 Solomon and Abigail Johnson of Worcester deeded all their interest in the estate of "our hon'd Father Mr. John Goodenow late of Sudbury" (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 49, p. 558). He was still "of Sudbury" when he deeded six acres in Framingham 4 May 1720 (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 25, p. 384). The brothers, Caleb⁴ and Solomon, appear to have been living side by side in Framingham when they sold to Thomas Kendall in 1729, for the deed recites the message contained two mansion houses, etc. (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 44, p. 450), but Solomon is styled "of Sudbury" when he joined in conveying his interest in his mother's estate, 6 Apr. 1730/1, and "of Sudbury, Yeoman," when he bought of Moses Rice, 20 Feb. 1731, one hundred acres in Worcester "near to a place Mt. Stearnes," known as Tatnick or Tatnuck (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 4, p. 571). In 1744 he bought of Samuel Waldo sixty acres lying west and adjoining the above (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 20, p. 83); and in 1754, 1755, 1765, and 1768 "Solomon Johnson, Yeoman of Worcester," deeded his sons Solomon, John, Joshua, and Samuel, respectively, one hundred forty acres of the above lands (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 36, pp. 37, 379; vol. 52, p. 44; and vol. 121, p. 341). In 1773 he was adjudged *non compos* upon the petition of his sons Daniel and Solomon, and the Court appointed Peter and Micah guardians. He died 9 Jan. 1782, and Abigail his wife died in Feb. 1784. Peter administered his estate (Worcester Co. Probate, no. 33687).

Children :

- i. HEPSEBATH,⁵ b. at Sudbury 12 Oct. 1716; m. 23 Mar. 1756, ROBERT EARL of Leicester, as his second wife.
12. ii. JOHN, b. at Sudbury 17 Oct. 1718.
13. iii. SOLOMON, bapt. at Sudbury 3 Oct. 1720.
14. iv. PETER, bapt. at Framingham 7 July 1723.
15. v. DANIEL, bapt. at Framingham 1 Aug. 1725.
16. vi. MICAJAH, bapt. at Framingham 27 Aug. 1727.
- vii. ABIGAIL, b. at Worcester 26 July 1731; d. 12 Dec. 1744.
17. viii. JOSHUA, b. at Worcester 1 Apr. 1734.
- ix. BEULAH, b. at Worcester 2 Feb. 1736.
18. x. SAMUEL, b. at Worcester 21 Aug. 1738.

9. SOLOMON⁴ JOHNSON (*Daniel*,³ *John*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Marlborough 13 Oct. 1698, received by his father's will (1722) a lot of land in Shrewsbury, Mass., which was purchased of Samuel and Jotham Brigham. He was "of Shrewsbury, Gent," when he purchased fifty-five acres there 4 Apr. 1726 (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 28, p. 163), but was "of Leicester, Gent," in June 1730, when he bought of Jonathan Lamb and William Ward one hundred fifty-one acres in Leicester (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 3, p. 109). In 1733, '34, '36/7, and '39 he sold in all two hundred six acres of Shrewsbury land, and in each deed is styled "of Leicester, Gent," except in the deed dated 25 Dec. 1733, which adds "resident now in Worcester" (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 4, pp. 378, 702; vol. 7, p. 204; vol. 8, p. 281; and vol. 11, p. 498). The last deed of record was executed 5 Oct. 1739, and acknowledged in Medford, Middlesex Co. Neither marriage, birth of children, nor death appears to be of record in Worcester Co., but in 1733/4 he is mentioned in Worcester town records (vol. V).
10. ZEBEDIAH⁴ JOHNSON (*Daniel*,³ *John*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Marlborough 28 Apr. 1704, married, 18 Nov. 1731, ESTHER ———. He received by his father's will land in Shrewsbury.
Children, all born at Shrewsbury:
- i. ZEBEDIAH,⁵ b. 25 July 1732.
 - ii. ESTHER, b. 23 June 1734.
 - iii. SETH, b. 15 Feb. 1735/6.
 - iv. ISRAEL, b. 11 Sept. 1737.
 - v. SOLOMON, b. 13 Oct. 1739.
 - vi. ESTHER, b. 20 July 1741.
 - vii. ELIZABETH, b. 11 Apr. 1743.
 - viii. PHEBE, b. 2 Oct. 1744.
 - ix. THOMAS, b. 2 July 1746.
 - x. JOHN, b. 19 Mar. 1746/7.
 - xi. PHILIP, b. 19 Oct. 1749.
 - xii. ISSACHER, b. 7 Jan. 1750/51.
 - xiii. LEMUEL, b. 7 Apr. 1752.
 - xiv. JONAH, b. 22 Dec. 1754.
 - xv. DAVID, b. 16 Feb. 1756.
11. DANIEL⁴ JOHNSON (*Daniel*,³ *John*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Marlborough 23 Aug. 1709, died at Shrewsbury 2 June 1763. He married at Shrewsbury, 24 Mar. 1736, SARAH HOLLAND. He was willed land in Shrewsbury by his father.
Children, all born at Shrewsbury:
- i. ZERUAH,⁵ b. 19 May 1737.
 - ii. LEVINAH, b. 20 Feb. 1739.
 - iii. RUFUS, b. 16 May 1741.
 - iv. LEVINAH, b. 11 Dec. 1743.
 - v. RUFUS, b. 5 Jan. 1745.
 - vi. DANIEL, b. 2 Mar. 1747/8; m. 3 Feb. 1778, MARTHA BRAGG, dau. of Ebenezer.
 - vii. STEPHEN, b. 7 Mar. 1749/50.
 - viii. DOROTHY, b. 12 Mar. 1752.
12. JOHN⁵ JOHNSON (*Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Sudbury 17 Oct. 1718, died at Worcester in 1757. He married SUSANNAH ———. He received forty acres of his father's estate in "Tatnuck so-called" (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 36, p. 379).

Children, born at Worcester :

- i. CALEB,⁹ b. 10 Jan. 1746.
 - ii. JOHN, b. 31 Mar. 1748.
 19. iii. JONATHAN, b. 27 Jan. 1750.
 - iv. BEULAH, b. 18 Nov. 1751.
 - v. MARY, b. 7 Jan. 1754.
 - vi. AMOS, b. 13 Jan. 1756.
13. SOLOMON⁵ JOHNSON (*Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), baptized at Sudbury 23 Oct. 1720, died at Worcester after 1776 (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 80, p. 417). He received from his father, 18 Oct. 1754, sixty acres of his land in Tatnuck. He married LAVINA ("Levinah," in Deed, vol. 85, p. 230) ———.

Children, born at Worcester :

- i. ASHBEL,⁶ } bapt. 15 July 1750.
 - ii. ABIGAIL, }
 - iii. URIAH, b. 28 June 1752.
 - iv. ABEL, b. 24 June 1753.
 - v. BETTY, b. 20 Apr. 1755.
 - vi. ABEL, b. 7 Aug. 1757.
 - vii. MOLLY, b. 18 Oct. 1761.
 - viii. EPHRAIM, b. 1 Dec. 1765.
 - ix. POLLY, b. 8 June 1766.
 - x. ZACHEUS, b. 3 July 1768.
14. PETER⁵ JOHNSON (*Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), baptized at Framingham 7 July 1723, died at Worcester in 1798. He married, 12 Oct. 1758, ABIGAIL PARKS. He was appointed guardian of his father, Solomon, in 1773 when he was adjudged *non compos*, and had not concluded administering that estate at the time of his death. His son Timothy⁶ finished the administration, and also administered upon his father's estate (Worcester Co. Probate, no. 33611).

Children, born at Worcester :

- i. PETER,⁶ b. 1761; *non compos*.
- ii. THOMAS, b. 1764; m. SARAH EATON. Children, b. at Worcester: 1. Thomas,⁷ b. 8 Sept. 1789. 2. *Lewis*, b. 19 June 1793. 3. *Sarah Eaton*, b. 6 Apr. 1796. 4. *Peter*, b. 20 July 1798. 5. *Mary*, b. 22 Mar. 1803. 6. *George*, b. 2 May 1806. 7. *Frederick*, b. 23 June 1808. 8. *James*, b. 13 Feb. 1811. D.O. OF THOMAS EATON
REV. WAR.
- iii. CALEB, bapt. 15 Dec. 1765.
- iv. TIMOTHY, b. 1 Apr. 1769; m. (1) 6 Mar. 1792, LUCINDA GOULDING, b. 3 Feb. 1774, dau. of Peter and Lucy (Brewer); m. (2) PATTY (GOULDING) JOHNSON, b. 1772, widow of Clark (no. 21), and sister of the first wife.
- v. ABIGAIL, b. 24 Dec. 1771.

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15. DANIEL⁵ JOHNSON (*Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), baptized at Framingham 1 Aug. 1725, died at Worcester in 1802. He married first at Hingham, 19 Nov. 1754, LUCY LANE, who was buried at Worcester 5 Dec. 1762; and secondly Mrs. ABIGAIL (SPRING) BROWN,* born at Weston 16 Jan. 1735, who survived him, daughter of Capt. Henry and Abigail (Chadwick), and widow

* Abigail Spring m. 20 Feb. 1755, Benjamin Brown of Housatonic No. 1 (New Marlborough). Children, b. at Weston: *Abigail*, b. 30 Nov. 1755, and *Asenath*, b. 6 Aug. 1758. Benjamin Brown d. 30 Nov. 1758.

of Benjamin. He served in the Revolution in Capt. Gates's Co., Col. Bigelow's Regt. (Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Revolution, p. 820); and was a miller, and lived on that portion of the paternal estate formerly owned by his brother Joshua, on the corner of Pleasant and Mill Sts., Tatnuck village, where his son Clark, and afterward his grandson Clark, Jr., lived (the house still standing, 1910). His wife Abigail owned land in Princeton, dower from her first husband (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 71, p. 53). He suffered reverses (family tradition says through undersigning), and in 1784 "40 Acres with dwelling house, barn and grist mill thereon," with personal effects, were attached to satisfy a judgment issued to his brother Micah (Court of Common Pleas, June Term, 1784). His brother Peter and others also recovered judgments against him (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 83, p. 573; and vol. 91, pp. 592-5). In 1798 he was living with his son Benjamin, who administered his personal estate in 1802 (Worcester Co. Probate, no. 33321).

Children by first wife, all born at Worcester:

- i. WEALTHEAN⁶ (Wealthy Ann?), bapt. 25 Jan. 1756.
- ii. DANIEL, bapt. 29 May 1757; served in the Revolution as matross in Capt. William Treadwell's Co., Apl. 1777 to Sept. 1777, reported died 11 Sept. 1777 (Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Revolution, p. 820).
- iii. NATHAN, bapt. 14 Jan. 1759; served in the Revolution as matross in the same Co. as his brother Daniel, Apl. 1777 to 31 Dec. 1779 (Mass. Soldiers and Sailors, p. 860).
20. iv. JOHN, bapt. 28 Dec. 1760.
- v. LUCY, } b. 29 Nov. 1762; "bapt. at ye mother's funeral, Dec. 5, 1762."
- vi. LYDIA, }

Children by second wife:

21. vii. CLARK, b. 17 May 1768.
- viii. BENJAMIN, b. abt. 1771; m. 1796, LYDIA STEARNS.
- ix. A SON (hypothesis from census of 1790), possibly another Daniel.
22. x. CALEB, b. 9 Nov. 1779.

16. MICAH⁵ JOHNSON (*Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), baptized as "Micajah," at Framingham 27 Aug. 1727, died at Worcester in 1802. He married, 8 May 1754, PHEBE MOORE, daughter of Isaac, who survived him. He settled on Mill St., south of Tatnuck village (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 33, p. 158), on an estate owned and occupied by descendants for several generations. He was a royalist, but recanted and saved his property from confiscation (Lovell's Worcester in the Revolution, p. 36). His will was probated in 1802 (Worcester Co. Probate, no. 33570). He appears to have been the wealthiest of the Tatnuck Johnsons.

Children, all born at Worcester:

- i. MICAH,⁶ bapt. 30 Mar. 1755; m. (1) 13 Nov. 1776, SARAH WILLARD, dau. of Isaac; m. (2) Mrs. ABIGAIL (DUDLEY) GLEASON (b. at Sulton, Mass., 15 June 1758?), "daughter of (David and Hannah (Sibley)?) Dudley and widow of Isaac Gleason of Auburn." Children by first wife: 1. Willard,⁷ b. 1 Dec. 1777. 2. Phebe, b. Dec. 1778. Children by second wife: 3. Jonas, b. 28 Oct. 1782. 4. Asa, b. 26 Feb. 1785. 5. Reuben, b. 19 Apr. 1787. 6. Rufus, b. 11 Sept. 1789. 7. David, b. 20 Jan. 1792. 8. Micah, b. 4 May 1794. 9. Hannah, b. 6 Aug. 1796. 10. Abigail, b. 21 Mar. 1799.
- ii. LYDIA, m. 25 Dec. 1777, SOLOMON WILLARD, son of Isaac; lived on the William Young estate on Mill St., west of her father.
- iii. ISAAC, bapt. 13 Nov. 1757.

- iv. ADAM, d. young.
- v. HANNAH, bapt. 22 Aug. 1762.
- vi. AARON, bapt. 10 Feb. 1765.
- vii. PHEBE, bapt. Mar. 1767.
- viii. DAVID, bapt. 14 Oct. 1770.

17. JOSHUA⁵ JOHNSON (*Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Worcester 1 Apr. 1734, married, 28 May 1758, LYDIA BROWN, daughter of James. In 1765 he received from his father twenty acres of the homestead (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 52, p. 44). He sided with the Royalists at the time of the Revolution. His wife, Lydia, received by will from his brother Micah (Micajah) the estate which descended to her as heir of James Brown (Worcester Co. Probate, no. 33570).

Children, all born at Worcester :

- i. ANNA,⁶ b. 10 June 1760.
- ii. LEVI, b. 30 May 1762.
- iii. REBECCA, b. 4 Apr. 1764.
- iv. SARAH, b. 24 Mar. 1766; m. ALPHEUS EATON, b. 10 Oct. 1764, son of Thomas and Susan (Rice); resided on the corner of Main and Austin Sts.
- v. LYDIA, b. 18 Mar. 1768; m. 8 Mar. 1786, her cousin JOHN JOHNSON (no. 20).
- vi. ACHSAH, b. 10 June 1770; m. 12 Nov. 1789, JACOB WASHBURN, JR., of Leicester.
- vii. JOSHUA, b. 12 July 1772.
- viii. JAMES BROWN, b. 10 July 1774.

18. SAMUEL⁵ JOHNSON (*Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Worcester 21 Aug. 1738, died in 1789. He married, 14 Aug. 1760, MARY SPENCE, who died 7 Sept. 1820. In 1768 he received twenty acres of his father's homestead in Tatnuck (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 131, p. 341). He died intestate (Worcester Co. Probate, no. 33654).

Children, all born at Worcester :

- i. WILLIAM,⁶ b. abt. 1761; d. 21 Jan. 1842, aged 81; m. SUSANNAH ———, who d. 10 Dec. 1840, aged 79. Children: 1. *Roxanna*,⁷ b. 24 Dec. 1784. 2. *William*, b. 6 July 1786. 3. *Luther*, b. 4 May 1788. 4. *Gardner*, b. 27 Mar. 1790. 5. *Mary*, b. 10 May 1792. 6. *Anson*, b. 10 Sept. 1794. 7. *Harriet*, b. 14 Nov. 1796. 8. *Turall*, b. 10 Dec. 1798. 9. *Susannah*, b. 16 Mar. 1801. 10. *Elizabeth*, b. 2 Apr. 1804. 11. *Samuel*, b. 2 Mar. 1807.
- ii. SAMUEL, d. 1806; m. 22 Apr. 1789, EUNICE STEARNS, who d. 1808; a tanner and sometime owner of the old Exchange Hotel; estate probated in 1807 (Worcester Co., no. 33656). Children: 1. *Samuel*⁷ (probably he whose estate was administered in 1814, Worcester Co., no. 33659), b. 7 Feb. 1792. 2. *Turall*, b. 1 Mar. 1794. 3. *Clarendon*, b. 22 Aug. 1797. 4. *Almira*, b. 21 Aug. 1802. 5. *Lamphire*, b. 8 Jan. 1805. 6. *Angelina*, b. 11 July 1806.
- iii. ELIZABETH ("Betsey").
- iv. GARDNER, d. 26 Aug. 1853; perhaps m. CHLOE JEFFERD; resided on Winter Hill.
- v. SARAH ("Sally") m. JOEL HAYDEN; residing at Fitzwilliam, N. H., in 1799 (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 185, p. 410).

19. JONATHAN⁶ JOHNSON (*John*,⁵ *Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Worcester 27 Jan. 1750, died at Petersham 4 Dec. 1815. He married (intention published 21 Aug. 1773) RACHEL FELTON, who died at Petersham 15 June 1799, aged 44.

Children, born at Petersham :

- i. JOHN,⁷ b. 27 Jan. 1774.
- ii. AARON, b. 21 Oct. 1775.
- iii. JONATHAN, b. 14 Nov. 1777.
- iv. GEORGE, b. 9 Feb. 1780.
- v. AMOS, b. 13 Nov. 1782.
- vi. HENRY, b. 23 Mar. 1785; d. 14 Dec. 1846; m. ————; child:
Jonathan J.,⁸ of Greenfield.
- vii. WILLIAM, b. 4 Oct. 1787.
- viii. LEVI, b. 9 May 1790; d. 10 Dec. 1815.
- ix. DANIEL, b. 27 July 1792; d. 5 Nov. 1815.

20. JOHN⁶ JOHNSON (*Daniel*,⁵ *Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), baptized at Worcester 28 Dec. 1760, died 10 Sept. 1807. He married, 8 Mar. 1786, his cousin LYDIA JOHNSON (no. 17, v), born 18 Mar. 1768, died 15 Mar. 1847. He served in the Revolution in the same Company with his father, and also enlisted in 1779 and 1780 (Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Revolution, pp. 845-6, 8). His widow Lydia was pensioned in 1838. He became involved in his father's losses in 1785 (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 97, p. 248), but later bought lands in and about Tatnuck Village (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 121, p. 382; vol. 123, p. 179; and vol. 176, p. 61). He died insolvent (Worcester Co. Probate, no. 33467).

Children, born at Worcester :

- i. JOHN,⁷ b. 25 Sept. 1787.
- ii. DANIEL, b. 31 Dec. 1788.
- iii. LYDIA, b. 17 Mar. 1790.
- iv. LUCY LANE, b. 24 Apr. 1792.
- v. SALLY, b. 12 Mar. 1794; d. 31 Aug. 1796.
- vi. ACKSAH WASHBURN, b. 20 Aug. 1797.
- vii. ELISHA, b. 17 Sept. 1799.
- viii. ALPHEUS, b. 10 Nov. 1800.
- ix. CHARLOTTE, b. 26 Mar. 1803.
- x. NANCY, b. 5 July 1805; d. May 1806.

21. CLARK⁶ JOHNSON (*Daniel*,⁵ *Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Worcester 17 May 1768, died 7 Aug. 1824. He married, 26 Oct. 1791, PATTY GOULDING, born 11 Mar. 1772, died 11 Aug. 1838, daughter of Peter and Lucy (Brewer). She married secondly Capt. Timothy Johnson (no. 14, iv), who survived her. He built the house on the corner of Pleasant and Mill Sts., Tatnuck Village, where he died and his son Clark afterward lived. He died intestate (Worcester Co. Probate, no. 33313).

Children, all born at Worcester :

- i. MARTHA,⁷ b. 20 Apr. 1792; d. 22 Jan. 1871; m. SAMUEL WARFIELD of Milford, Mass. Children: 1. *Mariah*, m. Roland Clark of Milford. 2. *Louisa*, m. William Fales of Milford. 3. *Homer*, m. Dora Newman.
- ii. ABIGAIL, b. 28 Mar. 1794; d. 8 Aug. 1859; m. AARON BUTLER of Boston; no children.
- iii. ELI, b. 2 May 1797; d. 25 Apr. 1800.
- iv. SARAH, b. 26 May 1799; d. 21 Dec. 1879; m. DR. LYMAN CLARK of New York; no children.
- v. ZURVILLA G., b. 1 Mar. 1802; d. 19 May 1868; m. WASHINGTON MELLEEN of Mendon, Mass. Children: 1. *George W.*, m. Addie Folk of Great Barrington, Mass. 2. *Addie*, m. Henry Wright of Great Barrington. 3. *Edward*, d. young.
- vi. CLARK, b. 2 Apr. 1804; d. 5 Apr. 1896; m. PHEBE ROGERS of Holden, Mass. Children: 1. *Levi L.*,⁸ b. 22 Feb. 1827; d. 21 Jan. 1891;

m. Elizabeth Dowdall of Norwich, Conn. 2. *Abigail Butler*, b. 15 Aug. 1828; m. David Bemis of Leicester, Mass. 3. *Adaline Newton*, b. 30 Jan. 1831; d. Sept. 1910; m. 9 Oct. 1855, Samuel H. Fuller of Worcester. 4. *Lucy*, b. 13 Feb. 1838; d. unm. 14 Oct. 1888.

- vii. ADALINE, b. 18 Apr. 1807; d. 28 Sept. 1838; m. NAHUM NEWTON of Shrewsbury. Child: *Edward C.*, lived at Columbus, Ohio.
- viii. ELI, b. 22 Feb. 1809; d. 24 Jan. 1890; m. EMILY SOUTHWICK of Leicester; no children.
- ix. LEVI, b. 3 Feb. 1811; d. 2 Dec. 1824.
- x. DANIEL, b. 12 May 1813; d. 6 July 1886; m. LOVILLA CLARK of Milford, Mass.; no children.
- xi. NATHAN, b. 23 Aug. 1817; d. 11 Mar. 1895; m. SILVIA BENNETT of Milford, Mass. Children: 1. *Josephine*,⁸ m. Benjamin Warfield of Blackstone, Mass. 2. *Sarah*, m. Ransom Clark of Hopedale, Mass. 3. *Etta*, m. Irving Blanchard of Hopedale. 4. *George*, d. young. 5. *Nathan*, d. young. 6. *Willard*, d. young.

22. CALER⁶ JOHNSON (*Daniel*,⁵ *Solomon*,⁴ *Caleb*,³ *Solomon*,² *Solomon*¹), born at Worcester 9 Nov. 1779, died at Burton, Ohio, 5 Dec. 1846. He married at Rutland, N. Y., 10 June 1804, THIRZA TREADWAY, born at Halifax, Vt., 12 Apr. 1789, died at Burton, Ohio, 16 Apr. 1874, daughter of Benjamin and Hannah (Stacey). In 1802 he went to Jefferson Co., N. Y., and bought lands at Champion and Rutland. He also conducted a general store, and for some twenty years served as magistrate. He belonged to the Masonic lodge at Champion. In 1833 he sold out and went to Ohio, whither his sons Benjamin and Caleb had preceded him. He bought one hundred sixty acres at Burton, and settled there.

Children, all born at Rutland:

- i. JOHN,⁷ b. 16 Oct. 1806; d. 1 Aug. 1876; m. LINDA PIERCE; no children.
- ii. BENJAMIN, b. 4 Dec. 1808; d. 21 Oct. 1843; m. OLIVE DUDLEY, b. Feb. 1810, d. 27 Mar. 1882, dau. of Timothy and Irene (Rose) of Hillsdale, Mich.; had three daughters.
- iii. CALEB BURBANK, b. 16 May 1811; d. 18 Aug. 1883; m. (1) at Burton, Ohio, in 1834, SOPHIA JOHNSON, b. 10 June 1816, d. 21 Sept. 1864, dau. of Oron Datis and Betsey (Umberfield); m. (2) LOUISA LUTHER. Children: 1. *Orin*,⁸ b. at Burton abt. 1837; m. Maria Tucker; six children. 2. *Nettie*, b. Nov. 1841; d. at Chicago in 1864; m. Portland Hyde of Laconia, N. H.; one child: George Hyde of Burton, Ohio.
- iv. ANNA, b. 1 Oct. 1813; d. 4 Oct. 1838; m. at Rutland, Dr. L. BUCKLEY; one child: Ann, m. Erwin T. Ramsdell of Adams, N. Y.
- v. DANIEL, b. 10 Feb. 1816; d. 4 Aug. 1818.
- vi. DANIEL, b. 21 July 1818; d. 29 Dec. 1887; m. at Burton, MINERVA BROWN; children: 1. *William*. 2. *Charles*, d. young.
- vii. CLARK GERRY, b. 25 Nov. 1820; d. 3 Oct. 1843.
- viii. HENRY SPRING, b. 21 Dec. 1823; d. at Kalamazoo, Mich., 11 Feb. 1897; m. at Burton, CORDELIA FOWLER, dau. of John L. and Jane (Frear); had one son, *James H.*,⁸ b. at Burton 30 Aug. 1854; m. Emma Green of Kalamazoo, Mich., and had two daughters.
- ix. CORNELIA, b. 3 May 1826; d. 5 Mar. 1856; m. PUTNAM SPERRY; had two daughters.
- x. DEWITT CLINTON (twin), b. 16 Aug. 1829; d. 15 May 1901; m. at Burton, MARY CLEVELAND, dau. of James S. and Chloe (Butler); had one daughter.
- xi. LEVI LINCOLN (twin), b. 16 Aug. 1829; d. 11 Feb. 1908; m. at Burton, 25 Sept. 1857, ARVILLA LOLA HAYES, b. 13 Sept. 1837, d. 25 Sept. 1910, dau. of Elijah and Sally Hotchkiss (Fowler); had six daughters, the second of whom contributes this partial genealogy.
- xii. THIRZA MARIA, b. 24 Mar. 1833; d. 26 June 1909; m. at Burton, JOHN HOADLEY, son of Ira and Lovira (Brooks); had one daughter.