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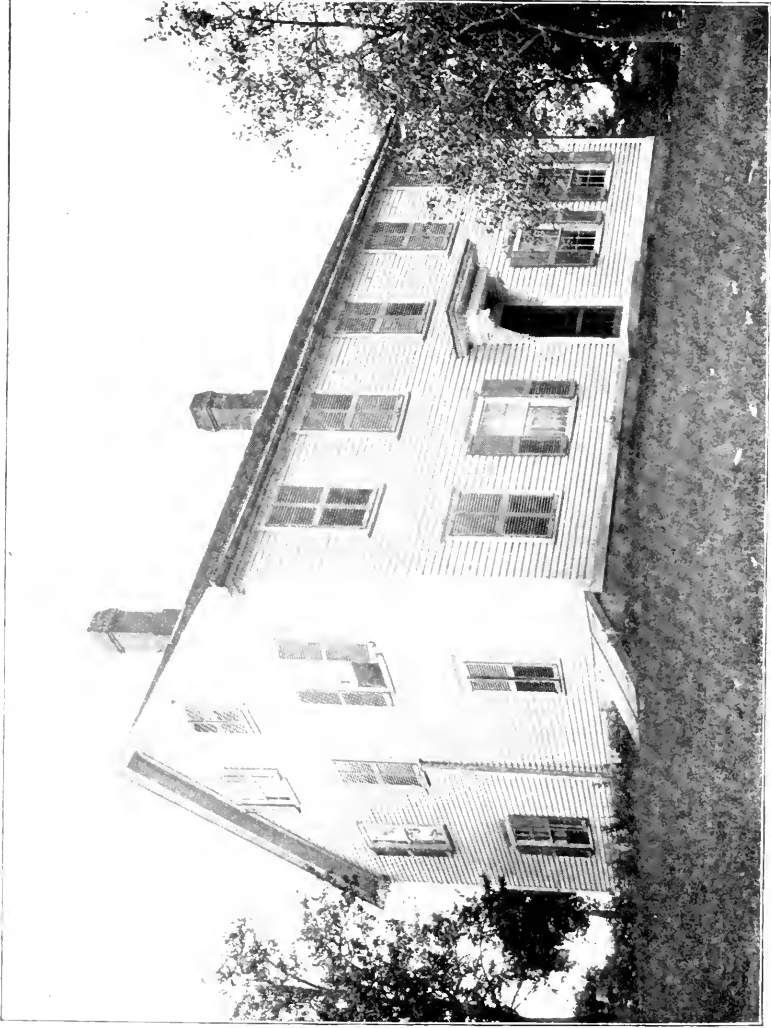
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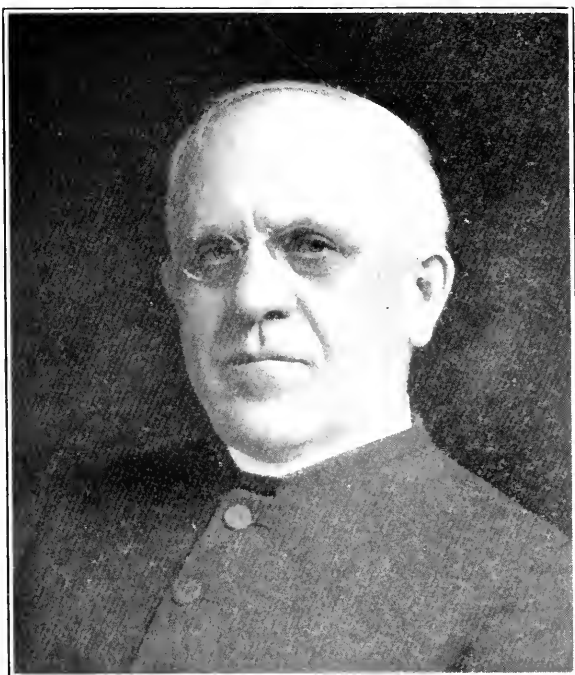
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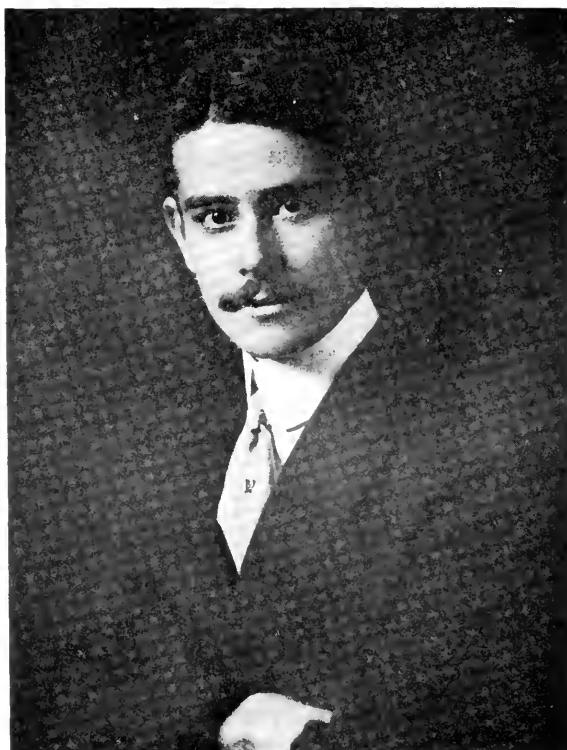


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President, 1903-1904

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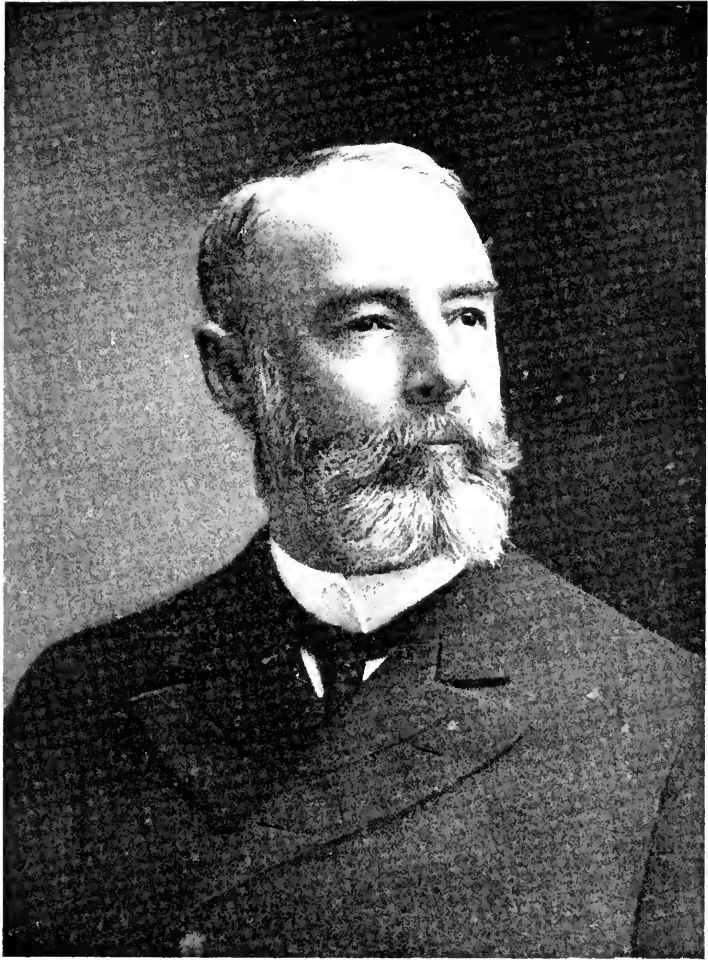
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ARTHUR WELLINGTON DENNIS  
President, 1904-1905



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JOHN EDWARD STUDLEY  
President, 1905-1906

**By-Laws**  
of the  
**Rhode Island Society of the Sons of  
the American Revolution**

Amended November 17, 1920

Effective on and after February 22, 1921.



# By-Laws

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(These amended By-Laws were unanimously adopted at a regularly called meeting of the Society held November 17th, 1920, when it was voted that they should be and continue in effect, February 22nd, 1921.)

## ARTICLE I.

### NAME.

SECTION I. The name of this Organization shall be Rhode Island Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

## ARTICLE II.

### OBJECTS.

SECTION I. The purposes of this Society are patriotic and social; to cherish and maintain among ourselves and our descendants and in the community the institutions of American freedom; to perpetuate the spirit and memory of the deeds of the patriots who achieved American Independence and who secured to us the blessings of liberty; to promote the fitting celebration of anniversaries commemorating the events connected with the War of the American Revolution; to collect and preserve documents and relics relating to said war; and to promote social intercourse and friendship among its members now and hereafter.

## ARTICLE III.

### MEMBERSHIP.

SECTION I. Any man shall be eligible to membership in this Society who, being at least twenty-one years old and a

citizen of good repute in the community, is the lineal descendant of an ancestor who was at all times unfailing in his loyalty to, and rendered actual service in the cause of American Independence, either as an officer, soldier, seaman, marine, militiaman, or minuteman in the armed forces of the Continental Congress, or in any one of the several Colonies or States; or as a signer of the Declaration of Independence; or as a member of a Committee of Safety or Correspondence; or as a member of any Continental, Provincial, or Colonial Legislature; or as a recognized patriot who performed actual service by overt acts of resistance to the authority of Great Britain.

SEC. 2. All applications for membership in this Society shall be in duplicate, upon blank forms furnished by the Society, and each application shall be accompanied by a membership fee of \$5 (covering application fee \$1, membership certificate \$2, and first year's dues \$2), which shall be returned if the applicant is not accepted. Such applications shall be submitted to the Registrar for examination and shall be reported by him to the Board of Managers and if the applicant is the resident of another State, having a Chapter of the National Society, the Secretary shall give thirty days' notice to the Secretary of the Society of such State that such application is pending before this Society and will be thereafter acted upon. The applicant shall become a member of the Society when his application shall have been approved by the Board of Managers and by the Registrar General and when he shall have subscribed to the Charter and By-Laws.

#### ARTICLE IV.

##### FEEs AND DUES.

SECTION. 1. The application fee shall be one dollar and the yearly dues shall be two dollars and such assessments as the Society shall order from time to time, not exceeding the sum of three dollars for any one year. The payment of fifty dollars by a member at any one time shall constitute him a life member, and he shall thereafter be exempt from the pay-

ment of annual dues; and any amount so received shall be set aside and invested as a permanent fund, the income only to be used for such purposes as the Board of Managers shall determine. Annual dues shall be paid to the Treasurer on or before the 22nd day of February in each year, but members joining the Society during the last quarter of the year ending February 21, shall not be liable for the payment of dues for the year preceding.

SEC. 2. The Treasurer shall notify any member nine months in arrears, and non-payment of dues within three months thereafter shall be regarded as terminating the membership of such person unless he shall present a satisfactory excuse acceptable to the Board of Managers.

#### ARTICLE V.

##### MEETINGS.

SECTION 1. A meeting of the Society for the election of officers and other business shall be held annually in the City of Providence on the 22d day of February at 12 o'clock, noon, at such place as may be designated by the Board of Managers. The following shall be the Order of Business for the Annual Meeting: 1. Reading and approving the record of the last Annual Meeting; 2. The President's annual address; 3. The Secretary's annual report; 4. The Treasurer's annual report; 5. The Registrar's annual report; 6. The reports of Committees; 7. The election of Officers, Delegates, and Alternates; 8. Unfinished business; 9. New business.

SEC. 2. Upon the completion of such business as shall be appropriate to the Annual Meeting, it shall adjourn, and the adjourned meeting of the Society shall be held on the same day, or some other day, at a place which shall be provided by the Board of Managers, where a dinner shall be served, at which the retiring President shall preside. Included in the exercises attending the annual dinner shall be a toast, "To the Patriots of the American Revolution." Whenever the 22d of February shall fall on Sunday, the Annual Meeting shall be held on the following day.

SEC. 3. The Society shall hold at least one meeting in each year for the purpose of celebrating some event in Revolutionary History, at such time and place and in such manner as may be determined by the Board of Managers. At any meeting of the Society a quorum shall consist of ten members.

SEC. 4. Special meetings of the Society may be called by the President, and shall be called by him when directed so to do by the Board of Managers, or whenever so requested in writing by at least fifteen members. Thereupon the Secretary shall mail to each member a notice of such meeting and of the business to come before it, at least forty-eight hours before such meeting.

## ARTICLE VI.

### OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The officers of this Society shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Registrar, Historian, Chaplain, Poet and six members, who together with the Presidents of such Chapters as now or hereafter may be organized shall constitute the Board of Managers. These officers excepting the Presidents of the Chapters shall be elected by ballot, by a majority of the members voting at the annual meeting, and with the exception of the six members of the Board of Managers elected at large shall hold office for one year from the adjournment of such annual meeting or until their successors are duly elected. On February 22, 1919, two members of the Board of Managers shall be elected to serve for three years; two members to serve for two years and two members to serve for one year, and thereafter at every annual meeting two members of the Board of Managers shall be elected to serve for three years.

## ARTICLE VII.

### PRESIDENT.

SECTION 1. The President, or, in his absence, the Vice-



President, or, in the absence of both the President and Vice-President, the Chairman pro tem, shall preside at all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Managers and shall have the casting vote. The presiding officer shall preserve order and shall decide all questions of order subject to appeal to the meeting. He shall present an address in writing at the annual meeting at the end of his term of office. The President and Vice-President shall not be eligible for re-election as their own successors. In the event of the absence or death of the President, the Vice-President shall perform all the duties prescribed for the office of President.

## ARTICLE VIII.

### SECRETARY.

SECTION 1. The Secretary shall conduct the general correspondence of the Society. He shall notify members of their election to membership and to office, and of such other matters as the Society may direct. He shall have charge of the seal and such records of the Society as are not herein especially in charge to the other officers of the Society, and together with the presiding officer he shall certify all acts and orders of the Society. He shall, under the direction of the President or the presiding officer, give notice of the time and place of all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Managers. He shall give such notice of the votes, orders, and proceedings of the Society and of the Board of Managers as they shall direct, and he shall submit a report in writing at each annual meeting. As a guide to the Board of Managers in admitting new members, the Secretary shall make known to all members of the Society all applications for membership at least ten days before the meeting of the Board, when such applications shall be acted upon, and shall request all members to make known any reason for the non-acceptance of any application, stating that such communication shall be regarded as confidential.

## ARTICLE IX.

## TREASURER.

SECTION 1. The Treasurer shall collect all dues, assessments and cash contributions from the members and shall receive all moneys intended for the Society. The Treasurer shall deposit all money received by him in bank in the name of the Society. He shall make payments therefrom only for the benefit of the Society and in such sums as the Society or Board of Managers shall direct or upon the order of the Secretary countersigned by the President. He shall keep a true account of his receipts and disbursements, and at each annual meeting he shall make a full report to the Society. The books of the Treasurer shall at all times be open to the inspection of the President and Board of Managers and Auditing Committee.

## ARTICLE X.

## REGISTRAR.

SECTION 1. The Registrar shall examine all applications and proofs of membership and shall report his opinion thereon to the Board of Managers. He may return imperfect and incorrect applications to the applicant for completion or correction. He shall forward to the Registrar General one copy of such applications as have been approved by him and accepted by the Board of Managers, and he shall preserve one copy in the files of his office, making record of the same in a book prepared for that purpose; and from time to time he shall have the originals suitably bound for preservation. He shall have the custody of all the historical, geographical and genealogical books, papers, manuscripts, relics, etc., of which the Society may become possessed. He shall be authorized to deposit such books, papers, manuscripts, and relics as may be necessary for their proper safety and preservation in the Rhode Island Historical Society and he shall cause them to be marked, "The Property of the Rhode Island Society of the Sons of the American Revolution." He shall receive

twenty-five cents for recording each accepted application, and he shall submit a report in writing at each annual meeting.

**ARTICLE XI.****HISTORIAN.**

**SECTION 1.** The Historian shall keep a record of all facts in connection with the Society which he shall judge to be of historical value, and he shall deliver an address in writing at each annual dinner. The same person shall not be elected Historian for more than three consecutive years.

**ARTICLE XII.****CHAPLAIN.**

**SECTION 1.** The Chaplain shall conduct such devotional and religious services as may be called for in the course of business or exercises of the Society.

**ARTICLE XIII.****BOARD OF MANAGERS.**

**SECTION 1.** The Board of Managers shall consist of the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Registrar, Historian, Chaplain and Poet, six persons elected upon the Board of Managers as provided in **ARTICLE VI.**, and the Presidents of the local Chapters. The Board of Managers shall judge of the qualifications of the applicants for membership; they shall have control and management of the affairs of the Society; they shall appoint an Auditing Committee; they shall have power to fill all vacancies.

**SEC. 2.** One of the objects of the Society being the collection and preservation of documents relating to the War of the American Revolution, it shall be the duty of the Board of Managers from time to time to provide for the publication of a volume under the general title: "Manual of the Rhode Island Society of the Sons of the American Revolution," which shall contain besides the yearly reports and proceedings of the Society, the names of members admitted from time to time,

with an account of their ancestors' services in the Revolution, and such papers or documents as may be obtained by the Society outside of the Public Archives relating to the American Revolution; the cost of such manual to be paid by the Society.

SEC. 3. The Board of Managers is hereby authorized from time to time, to frame, adopt, and amend such Rules and Regulations, consistent with the Charter and By-Laws, as may be necessary in their conduct of the business of the Society. Such Rules and Regulations can only be amended upon proposal in writing at any meeting of the Board and adoption of such proposed amendment at a subsequent meeting thereof.

SEC. 4. Regular meetings of the Board of Managers shall be held on the third Wednesday of January, April, July, and October of each year. Special meetings may be called by the President at any time, and shall be called upon the written request of any three members of the Board of Managers, or of any fifteen members of the Society. At all meetings of the Board of Managers three members shall constitute a quorum.

#### ARTICLE XIV.

##### DELEGATES.

SECTION 1. At each annual meeting there shall be elected by ballot one delegate at large and one alternate and one delegate and alternate for every fifty members or for a fraction of twenty-five or over, and an alternate for the President or Vice-President, who shall be authorized to represent this Society at meetings of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. These delegates or alternates, if the delegates are unable to act, together with such officers as are provided for by the Constitution of the National Society, shall comprise the representation of this Society in said National Society. The President shall be a member, ex-officio, of such delegation.

SEC. 2. At each annual meeting the Society may nominate one member for election, as Trustee, to represent this Society in the National Society as provided by ARTICLE V., Section 2, of the Constitution of said National Society.

#### ARTICLE XV.

##### SEAL.

SECTION 1. The seal of the Society shall be two inches in diameter and shall represent a lighted beacon surmounting a hill enveloped by thirteen stars, the whole encircled by a band one-quarter of an inch wide, upon which shall appear the legend in raised letters: "Rhode Island Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, Organized February 1, 1890." The words "Organized February 1, 1890," being placed at the bottom of said band.

#### ARTICLE XVI.

##### CHAPTERS.

SECTION 1. Ten members of this Society residing in any county, town, or city of this State may send a written request to the Board of Managers asking authority to associate as a Chapter this Society in such county, town, or city, and the Board of Managers may grant such request.

SEC. 2. Local Chapters shall be known as the———— Chapter of the Rhode Island Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, No.——. Each Chapter shall have a President, Secretary, and Treasurer, and such officers as the By-Laws of the Chapter may determine. The President of each local Chapter shall be ex-officio, a member of the Board of Managers of the State Society.

SEC. 3. No person shall be admitted into a Chapter as a member until after his admission into the State Society, in the manner provided by the By-Laws of this Society and until he has paid his annual dues and fees as provided by said By-Laws. And any member suspended or expelled, or in any

way losing his membership in the State Society, shall thereupon cease to be a member of the Chapter.

SEC. 4. Each Chapter may make By-Laws, Rules and Regulations for its government, provided such By-Laws, Rules and Regulations do not conflict with the Charter and By-Laws of this Society, nor with the Constitution and By-Laws of the National Society.

SEC. 5. Each Chapter by its Secretary shall send annually to the Secretary of the State Society a report in writing of its proceedings during the preceding year together with any suggestions it may deem pertinent to the welfare of the State organization.

## ARTICLE XVII.

### AMENDMENTS.

SECTION 1. These By-Laws may be amended at any regular meeting of the Society or at any special meeting called for the purpose, provided that the proposed amendment or amendments shall have been clearly set forth to the entire membership of the Society not less than ten days prior to such meeting; and such amendments shall become effective only on approval by two-thirds of the members present.



JOHN PRESCOTT FARNSWORTH  
President, 1906-1907; Vice-President, 1905-1906  
Poet, 1901-1905, 1908-1912, 1913-1915, 1919-1920





**Officers of the Society**  
Elected February 22, 1921

*President*—FRANCIS ELIOT BATES.

*Vice-President*—CLARENCE ARTHUR COTTON.

*Secretary*—THEODORE EVERETT DEXTER.

*Treasurer*—WILLIAM LUTHER SWEET.

*Registrar*—GEORGE THURSTON SPICER.

*Historian*—HOWARD MILLAR CHAPIN.

*Chaplain*—REV. FREDERICK SPIES PENFOLD, D.D.

*Poet*—GEORGE FRANKLIN WESTON.

*Members of Board of Managers for Three Years*

FREDERICK DICKMAN CARR

JOHN SIMMONS PALMER, 2D

*Members of Board of Managers for Two Years*

GEORGE HARWOOD NEWHALL

WILFRED HAROLD MUNRO

*Members of Board of Managers for One Year*

ADDISON PIERCE MUNROE

ALBERT LAWTON CALDER, 2D

*Delegate at Large*

HERBERT MORTON CLARKE

*Delegates*

ARTHUR PRESTON SUMNER

WILLIAM HOWARD WALKER

WILLIAM LUTHER SWEET

GEORGE THURSTON SPICER

WILFRED HAROLD MUNRO

WILLIAM MABLEY MUNCY

GEORGE FRANKLIN WESTON

*Alternates*

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TEFFT, JR.

SAMUEL POWEL

ROBERT FOSTER CHAMBERS

JOSEPH BALCH, JR.

ELEAZER BARTLETT HOMER

MAHLON MYRON GOWDY

FREDERICK DICKMAN CARR



GOVERNOR CHARLES WARREN LIPPITT  
President, 1908-1909

# Officers of the Society

SINCE ORGANIZATION



# Officers of the Society

SINCE ORGANIZATION

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## PRESIDENTS

*REV. E. BENJ. ANDREWS, LL.D. ( <i>preliminary organization</i> )	1890
*ALFRED STONE	1891-1892
JOHN CARTER BROWN WOODS	1892-1893
*AMASA MASON EATON	1893-1894
WILFRED HAROLD MUNRO	1894-1895
EDWARD FIELD	1895-1896
*WILLIAM MAXWELL GREENE	1896-1897
*ROYAL CHAPIN TAFT	1897-1898
WILLIAM THOMAS CHURCH WARDWELL	1898-1899
*ROBERT PERKINS BROWN	1899-1900
GEORGE CORLIS NIGHTINGALE	1900-1901
*GEORGE ALLEN BUFFUM	1901-1902
*HENRY VAN AMBURGH JOSLIN	1902-1903
*ELISHA DYER	1903-1904
*ARTHUR WELLINGTON DENNIS	1904-1905
JOHN EDWARD STUDLEY	1905-1906
*JOHN PRESCOTT FARNSWORTH	1906-1907
GEORGE FRANKLIN WESTON	1907-1908
CHARLES WARREN LIPPITT	1908-1909
WILLIAM CHACE GREENE	1909-1910
FREDERICK WILLARD EASTON	1910-1911
CHARLES DEAN KIMBALL	1911-1912
*JOSEPH BALCH	1912-1913
THOMAS ALLEN JENCKES	1913-1914
HENRY CLINTON DEXTER	1914-1915
CHARLES WHEATON ABBOT, JR.	1915-1916
FREDERICK DICKMAN CARR	1916-1917
HOWARD VERNON ALLEN	1917-1918
WILLIAM ANGELL VIALL	1918-1919
ARTHUR PRESTON SUMNER	1919-1920
HERBERT MORTON CLARKE	1920-1921

\*Deceased.

## VICE-PRESIDENTS

GEN. WILLIAM T. BARTON ( <i>preliminary or-</i> <i>ganization</i> )	1890
*ALFRED STONE	1890-1891
JOHN CARTER BROWN WOODS	1891-1892
*AMASA MASON EATON	1892-1893
*ROBERT GRENVILLE BROWN	1893-1894
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WILLIAM ANGELL VALL	1917-1918
ARTHUR PRESTON SUMNER	1918-1919
*NATHANIEL FRENCH DAVIS	1919-1920
ST. GEORGE LEAKIN SIOUSSAT	1920-1921

\*Deceased.

SECRETARIES

THEODORE FOSTER TILLINGHAST ( <i>pre-</i> <i>liminary organization</i> )	1890
THEODORE FOSTER TILLINGHAST	1890-1891
*AMASA MASON EATON	1891-1892
*ROBERT GRENVILLE BROWN	1892-1893
*CHRISTOPHER RHODES,	1893-
	died in office, Aug. 10, 1918
*NATHANIEL FRENCH DAVIS,	
	acted as Secretary until annual meeting, 1919
CLARENCE ARTHUR COTTON	1919-1921

REGISTRARS

EDWARD FIELD ( <i>preliminary organization</i> )	1890
EDWARD FIELD	1890-1894
*ALONZO WILLIAMS	1894-1895
*ROBERT PERKINS BROWN	1895-1898
*GEORGE THOMAS HART	1898-1899
*ISAAC CHASE GREENE	1899-1902
HARRIS WILBUR BROWN	1902-1907
FRANCIS ELIOT BATES	1907-1919
DR. GEORGE THURSTON SPICER	1919, now in office

HISTORIANS

WILLIAM EATON FOSTER	1890-1893
*ALFRED STONE	1893-1895
WILFRED HAROLD MUNRO	1895-1897
EDWARD FIELD	1897-1901
*JOHN RUSSELL BARTLETT	1901-1902
GEORGE FRANKLIN WESTON	1902-1906
HENRY BRAYTON ROSE	1906-1907
EDWIN AYLESWORTH BURLINGAME	
	1907-1910, 1917-1920
*ROBERT PERKINS BROWN	1910-1913
WILLIAM CHACE GREENE	1913-1917
HOWARD MILLAR CHAPIN	1920, now in office

\*Deceased.

**TREASURERS**

*OLNEY ARNOLD, II ( <i>preliminary organization</i> )	1890
OLNEY ARNOLD, II	1890-1898, resigned
ARTHUR PRESTON SUMNER	1898-1918
EDWARD BOWEN HAMLIN	1918-1921

**POETS**

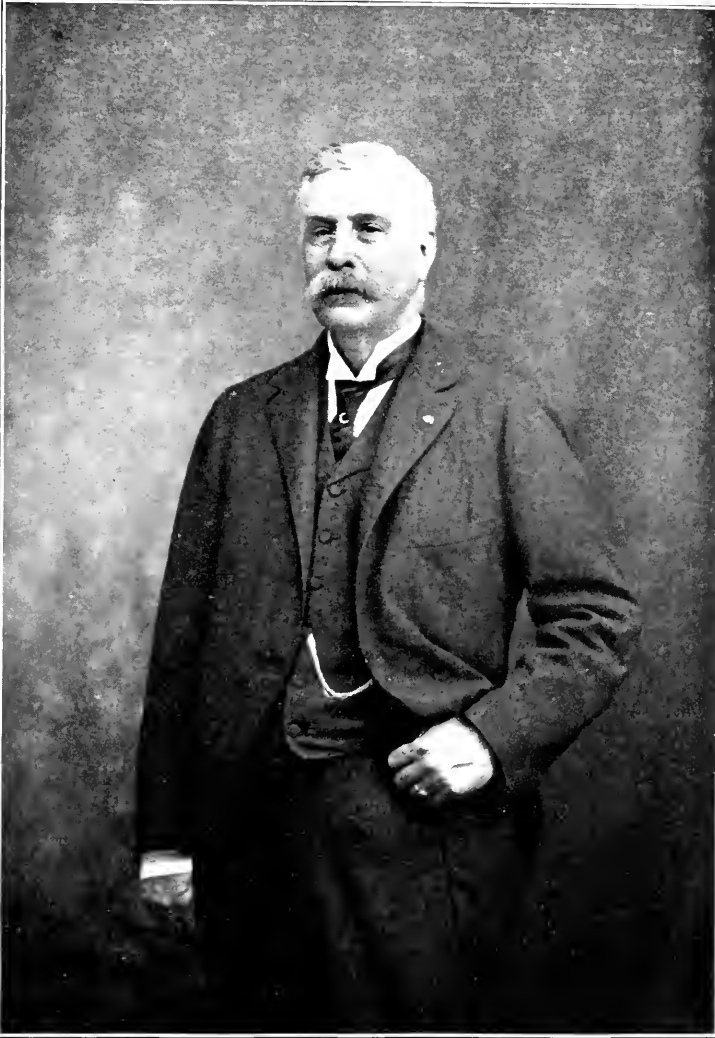
*REV. FREDERIC DENISON	1890-1898
*GEORGE ALLEN BUFFUM	1898-1901
*JOHN PRESCOTT FARNSWORTH,	
	1901-1905, 1908-1912, 1913-1915, 1919-1920
*GEORGE HEBER WEBB	1905-1907
WILLIAM CHACE GREENE	1907-1908, 1912-1913
DR. GEORGE THURSTON SPICER	1915-1919
GEORGE FRANKLIN WESTON	1920, now in office

**CHAPLAINS**

*REV. FREDERIC DENISON	
	1893-1894, 1897-1898, 1899-1901
*REV. SAMUEL HEBER WEBB	
	1894-1895, 1896-1897, 1898-1899, 1904-1912
*REV. EDWARD OTIS BARTLETT	1895-1896
REV. FREDERIC JAMES BASSETT	1901-1904
REV. CHARLES FREMONT ROPER	1912-1919
REV. ALFRED H. WHEELER	1919-1921

\*Deceased.





CHRISTOPHER RHODES  
Secretary, 1893-1918  
Died in Office August 10, 1918



WILLIAM CHACE GREENE  
President, 1909-1910

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Members of the Society February 22, 1921, including the names of the  
ancestors of members admitted from 1910 to February 22, 1921.

<i>State No.</i>		<i>National No.</i>
52	ABBOT, CHARLES WHEATON, Warren, R. I. Col. U. S. A. Retired	6852
215	ADAMS, GEORGE ALLEN, Wickford, R. I.	9765
423	ALDRED, FREDERICK WILLIAM, Providence	20673
527	ALDRICH, EDWARD KIMBALL, JR., Providence Great-great-grandson of John Henry Riedel	29077
531	ALDRICH, STUART MORGAN, Providence Great-great-grandson of Gideon Burgess	29081
544	ALDRICH, WILLIAM TRUMAN, Boston, Mass. Great-great-great-grandson of Peleg Williams	
406	ALLEN, CHARLES HENRY, East Greenwich, R. I.	20656
520	ALLEN, FREDERICK RICHMOND, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Hezekiah Allen, Jr. Great-great-great-grandson of Asa Mason Great-great-grandson of Simon Davis Great-great-great-great-grandson of Daniel Whitney Great-great-great-grandson of Eleazer Fuller	27195
275	ALLEN, FREDERICK WILLIAM, Providence	12675
265	ALLEN, HOWARD VERNON, East Greenwich, R. I.	12665
277	ANDREWS, GEORGE, Washington, D. C. Brig-Gen. U. S. A. Retired	14227
329	ANGELL, JESSE HEALY, Providence	17004
587	ANGELL, WILLIAM CURTIS, Providence Great-grandson of John Angell	32487
46	ANTHONY, EDWIN PERKINS, Providence	6846
556	ARMINGTON, ARTHUR HERBERT, Providence Great-grandson of John Medbery	30381
636	ARMINGTON, HERBERT HAMLIN, Providence Great-great-grandson of John Medbery Great-great-great-grandson of Samuel Viall	34911
40	ARNOLD, GEORGE CARPENTER, Providence	6840

214	ARNOLD, GEORGE ULRIC, Bristol, R. I.	9764
133	AUSTIN, ARTHUR ERNEST, Providence	7983
394	AUSTIN, WILLIAM ALDEN, Providence	18819
629	BAILEY, RALPH EDGAR, Providence	34904
	Great-great-great-grandson of Nathaniel Fanning	
578	BAKER, MATTHIAS WISEN, Providence	32478
	Great-great-grandson of Joshua Pendleton	
579	BAKER, MATTHIAS WISEN, JR., Providence	32478
	Great-great-great-grandson of Joshua Pendleton	
	Died October 14, 1920	
621	BAKER WALTER MASON, Providence	34070
	Great-great-grandson of Joshua Pearce, Jr.	
487	BALCH, JOSEPH, Providence	25962
	Great-great-great-grandson of Joseph Balch	
403	BALLOU, EDWARD RICHARDSON,	
	New York City	20653
323	BANGS, CURTIS HENRY, Providence	15498
507	BARKER, EDGAR RICHARDS, Providence	27182
	Great-great-grandson of Edward Richards	
	Great-grandson of Jesse Richards	
126	BARKER, ROBERT LEWIS, Pawtucket, R. I.	7976
244	BARNARD, CHARLES ALONZO, Providence	11019
476	BARNEFIELD, HAROLD CHESTER,	
	Pawtucket, R. I.	25951
	Great-great-great-grandson of Jonathan Thayer	
601	BARTON, JAMES AMOS, Providence	34050
	Great-great-grandson of William Barton	
189	BATES, FRANCIS ELIOT, Providence	8039
409	BATES, JOHN ALEXANDER, W. Greenwich, R. I.	20659
469	BATTEY, CHARLES WALTER, Providence	23544
	Great-great-grandson of Nelson Miller	
468	BATTEY, JOHN MASON, Providence	23543
	Great-grandson of Nelson Miller	
	Died February 14, 1916	
100	BECKWITH, TRUMAN, Providence	6900
506	BEMIS, JOHN RICHARD, Springfield, Mass.	27181
	Great-great-grandson of James Bemis	

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505	BEMIS, REUBEN SAMUEL, Providence Great-great-grandson of James Bemis	27180
367	BILLINGS, HERBERT FRANKLIN, Natick, R. I.	18117
70	BINNEY, WILLIAM, JR., Providence	6870
86	BISBEE, WILLIAM HENRY, Brookline, Mass. Brig.-Gen. U. S. A.	6886
288	BIXBY, ERNEST MERLE, Providence	14238
503	BLANDING, WILLIAM OLIVER, Providence Great-grandson of Jabez Bullock Great-grandson of Christopher Blanding Great-great-grandson of Sylvanus Martin	27178
239	BOGERT, THEODORE PEACOCK, Providence	11014
155	BOSWORTH, ORRIN LUTHER, Bristol, R. I.	8005
223	BOURN, AUGUSTUS OSBORN, Bristol, R. I.	9773
483	BOURNE, FRANK BAYLIES, Providence Great-grandson of Stephen Bourne Great-grandson of Asa Dean	25958
328	BOWDITCH, WILLIAM JOSEPH, Providence	17003
462	BOWEN, AMOS MILLER, Providence Great-grandson of Nathan Bowen	23537
590	BOWEN, DONALD FLAGG, Providence Great-great-grandson of Jabez Bowen	32490
179	BOWEN, FRANK, Providence	8029
21	BOWEN, HENRY, Providence	6821
591	BOWEN, JOSEPH, Providence Great-great-grandson of Jabez Bowen	32491
209	BOWEN, RICHARD MARTIN, Providence	9759
25	BOWEN, WILLIAM MANUEL PERES, Providence	6825
310	BRAY, CHARLES DUDLEY, Foxboro, Mass.	15485
582	BROADFOOT, HENRY HARRINGTON, Riverpoint, R. I.	32482
	Great-great-great-great-grandson of Benjamin Mason	
618	BROWER, ALBERT SAMUEL, North Scituate, R. I.	34067
	Great-great-great-grandson of Abraham Brower	

488	BROWER, LEON WILLIAM, Providence	25963
	Great-great-great-grandson of Abraham Brower	
478	BROWER, SAMUEL HENRY, North Scituate, R. I.	25953
	Great-great-grandson of Abraham Brower	
163	BROWN, ARNOLD CLEVELAND, Providence	8013
598	BROWN, HAROLD LAWTON, Edgewood, R. I.	32498
	Great-great-great-grandson of Israel Angell	
136	BROWN, HARRIS WILBUR, Bristol, R. I.	7986
116	BROWN, HENRY MARTIN, Providence	7966
576	BROWN, HENRY SEABURY, Detroit, Mich.	32476
	Great-great-great-grandson of Israel Angell	
49	BROWN, ROBERT PERKINS, Providence	6849
289	BROWNELL, EDWARD IBARRA, Providence	14239
290	BROWNELL, ERNEST HENRY,	
	Portsmouth, N. H.	14240
	Commander, C. E. Corps, U. S. N.	
567	BROWNELL, FREDERICK RICHMOND,	
	Little Compton, R. I.	30392
	Great-grandson of Sylvester Brownell	
	Great-great-great-grandson of Thomas Church	
351	BROWNING, WILLIAM ARNOLD, E. Greenwich	18101
589	BUBIER, CHARLES WARREN, Providence	32489
	Great-great-grandson of John Gould	
528	BUCKLIN, DAVID WATERMAN, New York City	29078
	Great-great-grandson of Elisha Waterman	
	Died October 22, 1918	
512	BUCKLIN, ELISHA WATERMAN,	
	East Greenwich, R. I.	27187
	Great-great-grandson of Elisha Waterman	
628	BUKER, HENRY, Providence	34903
	Great-great-grandson of Nathaniel Bacon	
594	BURGE, WILLIAM JAMES, Edgewood, R. I.	32494
	Grandson of James Birge	
614	BURGESS, GIDEON ALBERT, Greenville, R. I.	34063
	Great-great-great-grandson of Peleg Williams	
633	BURGESS, PAUL STEERE, Kingston, R. I.	34908
	Great-great-grandson of Isaac White	



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343	BURLINGAME, EDWIN AYLESWORTH, Providence	17018
226	BURLINGAME, HIRAM, Newport, R. I.	11001
548	BUXTON, GONZALO EDWARD, Providence Great-grandson of James Buxton	29098
58	CADY, ALFRED EUGENE, Providence	6858
57	CADY, LOUIS EDGAR, Providence	6857
249	CALDER, ALBERT LAWTON, 2D, Providence	11024
448	CALDER, RICHARD LEWIS, Providence Great-grandson of Barnard Eddy Ceased to be a member January 15, 1919	21573
489	CAPRON, FRANK JENCKS, Providence Great-grandson of Joseph Capron	25964
470	CAPRON, GEORGE NASH, Providence Grandson of Joseph Capron	23545
452	CARPENTER, ELIAS, Cranston, R. I. Great-grandson of Uriah Carpenter	23527
146	CARR, FREDERICK DICKMAN, Providence	7996
368	CARR, IRA FRANKLIN, Providence	18118
429	CHACE, EDWARD GOULD, Brattleboro, Vermont	21554
457	CHACE, JAMES EDWARD, East Greenwich, R. I. Great-grandson of Maxelon Chace Died October 15, 1917	23532
399	CHACE, THOMAS WILSON, East Greenwich, R. I.	18824
440	CHAMBERS, ROBERT FOSTER, Providence	21565
264	CHAPIN, CHARLES VALUE, Providence	12664
585	CHAPIN, HOWARD MILLAR, Providence Great-great-grandson of Seth Chapin	32485
530	CHAPMAN, WILLIAM LOUIS, Providence Great-great-grandson of John Mansur Great-great-grandson of Jonathan Pollard	29080
418	CHILD, WILLIAM BULLOCK, Warren, R. I.	20668
473	CHURCHILL, HERMAN, Kingston, R. I. Great-great-great-grandson of Samuel Doty Great-grandson of John Churchill	23548
337	CLARKE, HERBERT MORTON, Arctic, R. I.	17012

635	CLARKE, PRESCOTT ORLOFF, Providence	34910
	Grandson of Pitt Clarke	
428	COCROFT, DELANCEY GWILLIAM RICE,	
	Providence	21553
577	COLLETT, GEORGE HENRY, Providence	
	Great-great-great-grandson of Jehial Bryan, 1st	
453	COLLINS, FREDERICK IRVING, Providence	23528
	Great-grandson of Noah Ely Hubbard	
605	COMINS, FREDERICK GRANVILLE,	
	East Greenwich, R. I.	34054
	Great-great-grandson of William Comins	
625	COMSTOCK, JONATHAN FARNUM,	
	Oaklawn, R. I.	34074
	Great-great-grandson of Benoni Latham	
85	CONVERSE, WALDRON HOWARD, Providence	6885
181	COOK, CHARLES NOURSE, Woonsocket, R. I.	8031
515	COTTON, CLARENCE ARTHUR, Providence	12355
	Great-grandson of Melvin Cotton	
	Great-great-grandson of Thomas Cotton	
474	CRANE, CHARLES DODD, Saylesville, R. I.	23549
	Great-great-grandson of William Crane	
	Resigned January 15, 1919	
185	CRANSTON, FRANK HILL, Providence	8035
516	CRANSTON, WILLIAM IRA, Edgewood, R. I.	27191
	Great-great-grandson of Benjamin Cranston	
535	DAMON, SAMUEL CHESTER, Kingston, R. I.	29085
	Great-grandson of Benjamin Damon	
602	DANE, EARLE BALCOM, Providence	34051
	Great-great-grandson of Elijah Ball	
291	DARLING, JOHN OLIVER, Providence	14241
127	DAVIS, JEFFREY, Providence	7977
14	DAVIS, NATHANIEL FRENCH, Cambridge, Mass	6814
566	DAVOL, CHARLES JOSEPH,	
	North Kingstown, R. I.	30391
	Great-grandson of Aaron Turner	
	Great-great-grandson of Pardon Davol	
307	DENNIS, JOHN RHODES, Providence	15482

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217	DEWOLF, JOHN WINTHROP, Bristol, R. I.	9767
227	DEXTER, HENRY CLINTON, Central Falls, R. I.	11002
500	DEXTER, ROSCOE MORTON, Pawtucket, R. I.	25975
	Great-great-grandson of Benjamin Tingley	
250	DEXTER, THEODORE EVERETT, Central Falls	11025
317	DROWN, CHARLES LINCOLN, Providence	15492
521	DYER, CLIFFORD GREENE, Providence	27196
	Great-great-grandson of Oliver Jillson	
309	EARLE, COURTLAND COOK, Anthony, R. I.	15484
134	EASTON, FREDERIC WILLARD, Pawtucket, R. I.	7984
463	EASTON, FREDERIC WILLARD, JR., Pawtucket, R. I.	23538
	Great-great-grandson of William Eddy	
	Great-great-grandson of Isaac Barker	
281	EASTON, ROBERT BARKER, Pawtucket, R. I.	14231
397	EDDY, FORREST GREENWOOD, Providence	18822
484	EDDY, JOSEPH THOMAS ADAMS, Providence	25959
	Great-grandson of James Maxwell	
	Died January 28, 1915	
599	EDINGER, McDONALD LOW, Apponaug, R. I.	32499
	Great-great-great-grandson of Jacobus Low	
410	ELDRED, RHODES UPDIKE, Providence	20600
341	EVANS, GEORGE WARREN, Providence	17016
439	FALES, GEORGE LEWIS, Providence	21564
366	FALES, RUSSELL CURTIS, Providence	18116
398	FANNING, MARTIN SMITH, Providence	18823
620	FARNSWORTH, CLAUDE JOSEPH, Providence	34069
	Great-great-grandson of Amos Farnsworth	
338	FARRALLY, JOSEPH FRANKLIN, Bristol, R. I.	17013
485	FENNER, HERBERT LODOWICK, New Haven, Conn.	25960
	Great-great-great-grandson of Richard Fenner, Jr.	
390	FIELD, GEORGE FRANCIS, Providence	18815
198	FIELD, HAROLD CRINS, Providence	8048
325	FIELD, HENRY HUNTINGTON, Providence	15500
431	FISHER, CHARLES NELSON, JR., Providence	21556

509	FISHER, MARSHALL ELWOOD, Providence	27184
	Great-great-grandson of Samuel Fisher	
432	FOSTER, CHARLES SAMUEL, Central Falls, R. I.	21557
496	FOSTER, CHESTER CURTIS, Pawtucket, R. I.	25971
	Great-great-great-grandson of Israel Arnold	
402	FOSTER, JOSEPH HENRY, Riverside, R. I.	20652
292	FOSTER, SAMUEL JAMES, JR., Providence	14242
54	FOSTER, WILLIAM EATON, Providence	6854
297	FOWLER, HENRY THATCHER, Providence	14247
145	FRANCIS, EBENEZER CHARLES,	
	Woonsocket, R. I.	7995
623	FRANKLIN, FREDERICK HOVEY, Providence	34072
	Great-great-grandson of Nicholas Branch	
499	FREEMAN, EDWARD LIVINGSTON,	
	Central Falls, R. I.	25974
	Great-great-great-grandson of Ralph Freeman, Jr.	
498	FREEMAN, JOSEPH WOOD, Central Falls, R. I.	25973
	Great-great-grandson of Ralph Freeman, Jr.	
355	FREEMAN, OTIS MASON, Providence	18105
112	FRENCH, CHARLES HENRY, Pawtucket, R. I.	7962
539	FRENCH, WALTER EVERETT, Providence	29089
	Great-great-grandson of Ezra French	
269	FRY, WILLIAM CONGDON, Providence	12669
546	FULLER, CALEB ALLEN, Providence	29096
	Great-great-great-grandson of Stephen Fuller.	
	Great-great-great-great-grandson of Robert Drake	
419	FULLER, ERNEST LINWOOD, Providence	20669
545	FULLER, FREDERIC HENRY, Providence	29095
	Great-great-grandson of Stephen Fuller	
	Great-great-great-grandson of Robert Drake	
383	GALE, CHARLES ANDREW, Providence	18808
627	GALLUP, ALGERNON STERRY, Centreville, R. I.	34902
	Great-grandson of Samuel Robbins	
66	GAMMELL, WILLIAM, Providence	6866
523	GANTS, SAMUEL LEVI, Providence	27198
	Great-great-grandson of Joshua Randall	

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550	GARDNER, GEORGE WARREN, Providence Great-great-grandson of Ezekiel Gile Great-great-grandson of Joseph Greeley, Sr. Great-great-grandson of Samuel Gardner Great-great-grandson of Christopher Sargent Great-great-great-grandson of Robert Sargent	29100
321	GAY, WILLIAM HENRY, Providence	15496
371	GLADDING, THEODORE ORMAN, Bristol, R. I.	18121
461	GLEASON, PHILIP TRAIN, Providence Great-great-grandson of Phineas Gleason Ceased to be a member October 20, 1915	23536
479	GOFF, EDWARD EVERETT, Cranston, R. I. Great-great-grandson of John Hathaway Died February 9, 1920	25954
164	GOFF, ISAAC LEWIS, Providence	8014
492	GOFF, ISAAC LEWIS, JR., Pasadena, Cal. Great-great-grandson of Enos Dean	25967
480	GOFF, WILLIAM DAVID, Providence Great-great-grandson of Enos Dean	25955
400	GORTON, GEORGE TILLINGHAST, Pawtucket, R. I.	18825
513	GOULD, MARSHALL HOPKINS, Boston, Mass. Great-great-grandson of Esek Hopkins	27188
456	GOWDY, MAHLON MYRON, Providence Great-great-grandson of Samuel Gowdy	23531
449	GREENE, CHARLES FRANKLIN, Cranston, R. I. Great-great-grandson of Samuel Spencer Transferred to Illinois Society, January 19, 1916	21574
32	GREENE, CLARENCE HENRY, Providence	6832
630	GREENE, FRANCIS VREELAND, Riverpoint, R. I. Great-great-great-grandson of Christopher Greene	34905
350	GREENE, SPENCER BENJAMIN, Providence	17025
624	GREENE, WARREN MANFORD, Washington, R. I. Great-grandson of James Greene	34073
176	GREENE, WILLIAM CHACE, Providence	8026
237	GREENE, WILLIAM RAY, Providence	11012

540	HADLEY, RALPH VINCENT, Providence Great-grandson of George Hadley Died December 19, 1918	29090
532	HALE, CARLETON, Alvarado, Vera Cruz, Mexico Great-great-grandson of Thomas Johnson	29082
533	HALE, GORDON DYER, New York City Lieut. Commander (M. C.) U. S. N. Great-great-grandson of Thomas Johnson	29083
24	HALE, WENDELL PHILLIPS, Providence	6824
228	HAMLIN, EDWARD BOWEN, Providence	11003
261	HAMLIN, RICHARD ELY, Providence	12661
565	HANDY, RUSSELL HOWARD, Manville, R. I. Great-great-grandson of Timothy Ketcham	30390
537	HARRINGTON, ERNEST STONE, Dallas, Texas Great-great-great-grandson of Andrew Waterman	24508
195	HARRIS, ERNEST AYRES, Providence	8045
56	HARRISON, GEORGE ARNOLD, Providence	6856
218	HARVEY, EDWIN BATES, Providence	9768
529	HAYWARD, RALPH ELDREDGE, Providence Great-great-grandson of Samuel Hayward	29079
542	HAYWARD, WALTER, Wickford, R. I. Great-great-grandson of Samuel Hayward Died June 26, 1919	29092
609	HAZELTON, WILLIAM FREDERICK, Providence Great-grandson of Thaddeus Hazeltine	25493
393	HODGES, CARROLL BORDEN, Lt. Col. U. S. A.	18818
603	HOLLINGTON, RICHARD DEMING, Providence Great-great-grandson of Solomon Deming	34052
595	HOMER, ELEAZER BARTLETT, Providence Great-grandson of Jeduthan Wellington	32495
519	HOWE, CLARENCE RAYMOND, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Nathan Howe, Sr.	27194
344	HOY, ALBERT CHARLES, New York City	17019
304	HUBBARD, CHARLES AUGUSTUS, JR., Providence	15479
216	IRONS, CHARLES FREDERICK, Providence	9766

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450	JACKSON, HENRY GREENE, Riverpoint, R. I. Great-great-great-grandson of Christopher Greene	21575
451	JAMES, HENRY MORRIS, Providence Great-grandson of Joseph James Died October 24, 1916	23526
435	JAMES, WILLIAM IVES, Providence	21560
259	JASTRAM, EDWARD PERKINS, Providence	12659
170	JENCKES, JOHN, West Barrington, R. I.	8020
69	JENCKES, THOMAS ALLEN, Providence	6869
494	JENCKES, THOMAS ALLEN, JR., Providence Great-great-grandson of Jeremiah Jencks	25969
481	JEWETT, EARLE CHARLES TAYLOR, Auburn, R. I. Great-great-grandson of John Cole Jewett	25956
518	JOHNSON, JOSEPH HARRIS, Providence Great-great-grandson of Harris Chadwell Died April 3d, 1916	27193
583	JONES, LOUIS EDWIN, Norwood, Ohio Great-great-grandson of Robert Kyle	32483
377	JOSLIN, ROYAL KNIGHT, Washington, D. C. Lieut. (M. C.) U. S. N.	18802
335	KALLOCH, LEWIS HOWE, Providence	17010
525	KELLEY, ARTHUR LIVINGSTON, Providence Great-great-grandson of Micajah Kelley	27200
171	KENNON, CHARLES EDWARD VERE, Providence	7002
318	KIMBALL, CHARLES DEAN, Providence	15493
538	KING, VICTOR HAROLD, Providence Great-great-great-great-grandson of George Williams Great-great-great-grandson of Abiel Williams	29088
339	KINGSBURY, GEORGE NELSON, Providence	17014
333	KNIGHT, EDWIN RHODES, JR., Providence . . .	17008
334	KNIGHT, EUGENE WESLEY, Providence	17009
347	KNIGHT, HENRY DYER, Providence	17022
177	KNIGHT, RUSSELL WINCHESTER, Providence	8027
219	KNOWLES, EDWIN, Providence	9769
563	LANSING, GEORGE DOW, 2ND, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Uriah Eager, Jr.	30388

99	LAWTON, GEORGE ROBERT, Fall River, Mass.	6899
168	LILLIBRIDGE, BYRON JESSE, Providence	8018
389	LILLIBRIDGE, JESSE WANTON SHIPPEE, East Greenwich, R. I.	18814
178	LIPPITT, CHARLES WARREN, Providence	8028
514	LIPPITT, CHARLES WARREN, JR., Providence Great-great-grandson of Charles Lippitt	27189
608	LIPPITT, GORTON THAYER, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Seth Thayer	34057
79	LIPPITT, HENRY FREDERICK, Providence	6879
592	LITTLEFIELD, IVORY, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Joseph Bancroft	32492
593	LITTLEFIELD, JAMES BANCROFT, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Joseph Bancroft	32493
396	MADISON, GEORGE WARREN, E. Greenwich, R. I.	18821
240	MANCHESTER, CHARLES HOWARD, Providence	11015
502	MANCHESTER, HOWARD NORCOTT, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Nathaniel Manchester	27177
149	MANCHESTER, WILLIAM LEONARD, Bristol, R. I.	7999
284	MANTON, JOSEPH POTTER, JR., Providence	14234
465	MARTIN, FREDERICK ROY, New York City Great-great-grandson of Gideon Martin	23540
213	MASON, FLETCHER STONE, Providence	9763
446	MASON, FRANK MANLEY, Providence Great-great-grandson of Thomas Clarke	21571
60	MASON, ORRAY TILLINGHAST, Providence	6860
482	MATHEWSON, CHARLES SMITH, Providence Great-grandson of Joseph Capron	25957
388	MATHEWSON, THOMAS GREEN, E. Greenwich, R. I.	18813
613	MATTESON, HERBERT ALLEN, Phenix, R. I. Great-great-great-grandson of Sylvanus Martin	34062



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380	MAYS, HARRY MAXWELL, Providence	18805
610	McCRILLIS, ARTHUR MILTON, Providence	34059
	Great-great-grandson of Robert McCrillis	
	Great-great-grandson of John Loomis	
	Great-great-grandson of Daniel Hopkins	
	Great-great-great-grandson of Daniel Wood	
	Great-great-great-grandson of Simeon Harrington	
584	MEADER, LEWIS HAMILTON, Providence	32484
	Great-grandson of Hezekiah Wetherbee	
534	MEANS, PHILIP CORYDON, Santa Barbara, Cal	29084
	Great-great-great-grandson of Nehemiah Porter	
	Great-great-grandson of Seward Porter	
376	MEDBERY, CHARLES VASEL, New Berlin, N. Y.	18801
415	MERCHANT, GEORGE BROWN, Providence	20665
190	METCALF, HAROLD, Wickford, R. I.	8040
421	MITCHELL, MANTON CAMPBELL,	
	Camp Benning, Ga.	20671
	Lt.-Col. U. S. A.	
562	MOULTON, RICHARD LEONARD, Cranston, R. I.	30387
	Great-great-great-grandson of Caleb Moulton	
442	MOWRY, ELISHA CAPRON, Providence	21567
511	MOWRY, LESLIE FOWLER, Providence	27186
	Great-great-grandson of Philemon Munroe	
560	MOWRY, PERCY REED, Providence	30385
	Great-great-grandson of Philemon Munroe	
477	MUNCY, WILLIAM MABLEY, Providence	25952
	Great-great-great-great-grandson of Samuel Smith	
138	MUNRO, WALTER LEE, Providence	7988
101	MUNRO, WILFRED HAROLD, Providence	7951
295	MUNROE, ADDISON PIERCE, Providence	14245
466	MUNROE, CHESTER PIERCE,	
	West Asheville, N. C.	23541
	Great-grandson of Isaac Pierce	
558	MUNROE, HAROLD BATEMAN,	
	East Providence, R. I.	30383
	Great-grandson of Isaac Pierce	

555	MUNROE, PHILIP ALLEN, Providence Grandson of Isaac Pierce	30380
597	NEWBERRY, BARNES, Providence Great-great-grandson of Amasa Newberry Great-great-great-grandson of William Handy	30521
443	NEWHALL, GEORGE HARWOOD, Providence	21568
486	NICHOLS, ALBERT RODMAN, East Greenwich, R. I. Great-great-grandson of George Brown Great-great-grandson of Christopher Gardner Great-great-grandson of Christopher Robinson, Jr. Great-great-grandson of William Taylor Great-great-great-grandson of John Williams	25961
188	NICHOLS, CHARLES LEMUEL, Worcester, Mass.	8038
13	NIGHTINGALE, GEORGE CORLIS, Providence	6813
12	NIGHTINGALE, WILLIAM GREENE, Providence	6812
326	NYE, WALTER CALVIN, Providence	17001
370	ORR, CHARLES SUMNER, Providence	18120
425	PADDOCK, MINER HAMLIN, Providence	20675
586	PADDOCK, STEPHEN DAVID, Providence Great-great-grandson of Stephen Eaton	32486
303	PAINE, HENRY JOSHUA, Foster, R. I.	15478
455	PALMER, JOHN SIMMONS, 2ND, Providence Great-great-grandson of Richard Palmer Great-great-grandson of Jonathan Simmons	23530
359	PALMER, WILLIAM HAILES, Providence	18109
193	PARKHURST, CHRISTOPHER FRANCIS, Providence	8043
517	PARKHURST, EDWARD CLINTON, Providence Great-grandson of Jonathan Parkhurst	27192
541	PAYNE, GEORGE WILSON, East Providence, R. I. Great-great-great-grandson of Nathaniel Martin	29091
464	PEARCE, EDWARD DOUGLAS, Providence Great-grandson of Joseph Carlo Mauran	23539
47	PECK, ALLEN MILLARD, Providence	6847
312	PECK, CYRIL FRANCIS, New York, N. Y.	15487

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| 378 | PECK, FREDERICK STANHOPE,<br>Barrington, R. I.   | 18803 |
| 23  | PECK, JAMES GARRISON, East Providence, R. I.   | 6823  |
| 600 | PENFOLD, FREDERICK SPIES, Providence<br>Great-grandson of John Spies   | 24327 |
| 526 | PERKINS, WILLIAM LENOX, Pawtucket, R. I.<br>Great-great-grandson of Ebenezer Perkins   | 29076 |
| 536 | PHILBRICK, ARTHUR LLOYD, Providence<br>Great-great-grandson of Samuel Philbrick  | 29086 |
| 365 | PIERCE, BYRON AINSWORTH, Providence  | 18115 |
| 45  | PORTER, HENRY PERRY, Providence  | 6845  |
| 631 | POTTER, CHARLES ALFRED, JR.,<br>Arnolds Mills, R. I.<br>Great-great-grandson of Mowry Potter<br>Great-great-great-grandson of Charles Tillinghast  | 34906 |
| 619 | POTTER, FERDINAND, WILLARD,<br>Memphis, Tenn.<br>Great-great-grandson of Mowry Potter  | 34068 |
| 459 | POTTER, HENRY OLNEY, Providence<br>Great-great-grandson of Emor Olney<br>Died April 30, 1920   | 23534 |
| 458 | POTTER, WILLIAM ALFRED, Providence<br>Great-grandson of Emor Olney<br>Died May 8, 1919   | 23533 |
| 340 | POTTER, WILLIAM PRESCOTT, Providence   | 17015 |
| 580 | POWEL, SAMUEL, Newport, R. I.<br>Great-great-grandson of John Cox<br>Great-great-grandson of Barnabus Binney<br>Great-great-great-grandson of James Angell<br>Great-great-great-grandson of Nicholas Brown | 32480 |
| 549 | POWERS, LESLIE CORNELL, Providence<br>Great-great-grandson of Jesse Fuller   | 29099 |
| 493 | PRESTON, HOWARD WILLIS, Providence<br>Great-great-grandson of John Preston   | 25968 |

319	PRICE, WILLIAM HARRICOTT, Havana, Cuba	15494
570	PULLEN, WALTER KENYON, Providence Great-great-grandson of William Kenyon	30395
441	RAND, SUMNER GOLDTHWAIT, Orlando, Florida	21566
611	RANDALL, WALTER ERNEST, East Greenwich, R. I. Great-grandson of Nathaniel Stone	34060
561	REED, JAMES EMERY, Centerdale, R. I. Great-grandson of Philemon Munroe	30386
632	REEVE, JOSEPH CLARENCE, East Greenwich, R. I. Great-grandson of David Cady, Jr.	34907
196	REYNOLDS, CHARLES STEPHEN, Providence	8046
202	RHODES, ARTHUR AUGUSTUS, Providence	9752
475	RICE, HERBERT AMBROSE, Providence Great-great-grandson of Ezekiel Bates	23550
508	RICHMOND, JOHN FRANCIS, West Barrington, R. I. Great-grandson of John Rogers Richmond Died November 11, 1918	27183
111	RICKARD, JAMES HELME, Woonsocket, R. I.	7961
262	ROBINSON, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, JR., Wakefield, R. I.	12662
92	ROBINSON, ROWLAND RODMAN, Wakefield, R. I.	6892
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416	ROPER, CHARLES FREMONT, River Point, R. I.	20666
569	ROPER, FREMONT EMERSON, San Francisco, Cal. Great-great-grandson of Benjamin Roper	30394
246	ROSE, HENRY BRAYTON, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Benjamin Tallman	11021
547	RUSSELL, ALBERT IRONS, Providence	29097
552	RUSSELL, CHARLES ALBERT, Providence Great-great-grandson of Benjamin Tallman	30377

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109	SANFORD, LEROY SPRAGUE, Providence	7959
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504	SAUL, IRVING MASON, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Henry Somerby	27179
360	SAYLES, ALBERT HARDIN, Pascoag, R. I.	18110
490	SAYLES, FRED LINCOLN, Pascoag, R. I. Great-great-grandson of Israel Sayles	25965
622	SCOTT, CLARENCE WATSON, Conimicut, R. I. Great-great-grandson of Abel Brown	34071
422	SEARS, ARTHUR ALDEN, Providence	20672
379	SEYMOUR, WALTER FRANCIS, Providence	18804
491	SHELDON, MARSHALL HINGSTON, Pawtucket, R. I. Great-great-great-grandson of Caleb Potter	25966
336	SHEPLEY, GEORGE LEANDER, Providence	17011
107	SHURROCKS, WILLIAM OTIS, Medford, Mass.	7957
573	SIOUSSAT, ST. GEORGE LEAKIN, Philadelphia, Pa. Great-great-grandson of Theodore Middleton	25088
89	SLOCUM, PERCY DINSMORE SMITH, Pasadena, Cal.	6889
294	SMITH, ARBA DIKE, Phoenixville, Penn.	14244
354	SMITH, CHARLES EARLE, Oak Lawn, R. I.	18104
330	SMITH, CLINTON LEROY, Narragansett Pier, R. I.	17005
559	SMITH, FRANK BAILEY, Washington, R. I. Great-grandson of Silas Bailey	30384
36	SMITH, FRANKLIN AUGUSTUS, JR., Providence	6836
233	SNOW, LOUIS FRANKLIN, Providence	11008
510	SOLOMON, WINFIELD SCOTT, Providence Great-great-great-grandson of Martin Sensitive	27185
242	SPELMAN, FREDERICK BROWN, Duluth Minn.	11017

568	SPENCER, WILLIAM ARNOLD, Edgewood, R. I. Great-great-great-grandson of Robert Rhodes	30393
497	SPICER, EDWARD SHELDON, Providence Great-great-grandson of Josiah Wood	25972
362	SPICER, GEORGE THURSTON, Providence Great-grandson of Joseph Spicer ( <i>Supplemental</i> )	18112
596	SPICER, WILLIAM ARNOLD, Providence Great-great-grandson of Joseph Carpenter	32496
381	SPOONER, EDMUND, East Greenwich, R. I.	18806
201	STEARNS, CHARLES FALCONER, Providence	9751
293	STEARNS, WALTER HENRY, Pawtucket, R. I.	14243
447	STEVENS, CLARENCE MANN, Providence Great-great-grandson of Stephen Colwell	21572
553	STEVENS, LEVERETT COOPER, Warwick, R. I. Great-grandson of John Jencks Kilton Died May 30, 1920	12138
471	STEVENSON, GEORGE LEON, Edgewood, R. I. Great-great-great-grandson of Dudley Colman Died October 31, 1918	23546
183	STINESS, EDWARD CLINTON BESSOM, Providence	8033
363	STRAIGHT, CHARLES TILLINGHAST, Pawtucket, R. I.	18113
114	STUDLEY, JOHN EDWARD, Providence	7964
90	SUMNER, ARTHUR PRESTON, Providence	6890
460	SWEET, LEPRILETE, Providence Great-grandson of John Dunham Great-grandson of Gideon Sweet Great-great-grandson of Solomon Dunham Great-great-grandson of Barak Bullock Great-great-grandson of Thomas Carpenter Great-great-grandson of Edward White Great-great-grandson of Amos Mason Great-great-great-grandson of Caleb Mason	23535
417	SWEET, WILLIAM LUTHER, Providence	20667
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571	TANNER, WALDO EVERETT, Quaker Hill, Conn. Commissary Steward, U. S. N. Great-great-grandson of Isaac Pierce	30396
454	TAYLOR, EZBON SANFORD, Narragansett Pier, R. I. Great-grandson of William Taylor	23529
551	TAYLOR, LYNDON BIGELOW, Camden, N. J. Great-great-grandson of John Boynton	24331
564	TEFFT, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, JR., Anthony, R. I. Great-great-grandson of Jonathan Lillibridge	30389
72	TEMPLE, WILLIAM HENRY GILES, Providence	6872
543	THOMAS, ARTHUR ABBOT, Providence Great-great-grandson of Samuel Eames Great-great-grandson of Caleb Barstow Great-great-great-grandson of Daniel Eames	29093
358	THRESHER, HENRY GILBERT, Pawtucket, R. I.	18108
522	THURSTON, BENJAMIN REYNOLDS, Providence Great-great-grandson of Oliver Jillson	27197
132	THURSTON, HORACE, Kingston, R. I.	7982
159	TIFFANY, EBENEZER, Barrington, R. I.	8009
243	TILLINGHAST, CHARLES FOSTER, Providence	11018
437	TILLINGHAST, FREDERICK WHEATON, Providence, R. I.	21562
572	TILLINGHAST, GARDNER, Providence Great-great-grandson of Charles Tillinghast	30397
235	TILLINGHAST, GEORGE HALL, Providence	11010
306	TILLINGHAST, GEORGE LEON, Providence	15481
404	TILLINGHAST, HERBERT SHELDON, Providence	20654

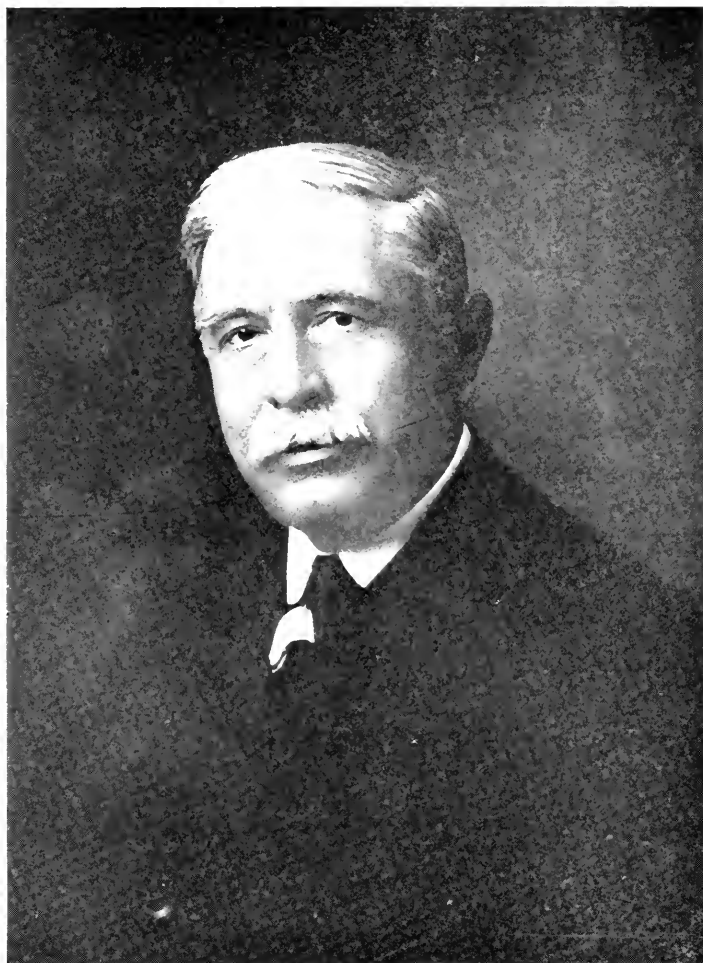
607	TILLINGHAST, JAMES ALEXANDER,	
		Providence 34056
	Great-great-great-grandson of Daniel Tillinghast	
364	TILLINGHAST, JOHN AVERY, Providence	18114
43	TILLINGHAST, THEODORE FOSTER,	
		Providence 6843
34	TILLINGHAST, WILLARD WHEATON,	
		Providence 6834
604	TILLINGHAST, WILLIAM RICHMOND,	
		Providence 34053
	Great-great-grandson of Daniel Tillinghast	
68	TOWER, JAMES HENRY, Providence	6868
626	TYLER, ALBERT, Centreville, R. I.	34901
	Great-grandson of James Tyler	
634	TYLER, EARL ALBERT, Pawtucket, R. I.	34909
	Great-great-grandson of James Tyler	
48	VIAL, WILLIAM ANGELL, Providence	6848
113	VINCENT, WALTER BORADEL, Providence	7963
374	WALDRON, LEWIS BRADFORD, Bristol, R. I.	18124
501	WALKER, WILLIAM HOWARD, Providence	27176
	Great-great-grandson of John Walker	
574	WALKER, WILLIAM RUSSELL, Providence	30399
	Great-great-great-grandson of John Walker	
575	WALKER, WILLIAM HOWARD, JR., Providence	30400
	Great-great-great-grandson of John Walker	
315	WARDWELL, HEZEKIAH CHURCH, Bristol, R. I.	15490
	Great-great-grandson of Joseph Greene	
554	WARNER, ALBERT LOOMIS, Pawtucket, R. I.	30379
	Great-grandson of Daniel Trowbridge	
384	WARREN, JOSEPH ARNOLD, New Orleans, La.	18809
	Great-great-grandson of James Fletcher	
386	WATERMAN, LEWIS ANTHONY, Providence	18811
524	WATSON, BYRON SPRAGUE, Providence	27199
	Great-great-great-grandson of Moses Pearson	
	Great-great-great-grandson of William Waterman	
95	WEBB, GEORGE HEBER, Providence	6895



- 588 WEIS, FREDERICK LEWIS, Lincoln, R. I. 32488  
 Great-great-grandson of Lemuel Clap  
 Great-great-grandson of Jonathan Blake  
 Great-great-great-grandson of Benjamin Richardson  
 Great-great-great-grandson of John Phipps  
 Great-great-great-great-grandson of Jedediah Phipps
- 615 WEIS, ROBERT LEWIS, Lincoln, R. I. 34064  
 Great-great-great-grandson of Benjamin Richardson
- 286 WESTON, GEORGE FRANKLIN, Providence 14236
- 472 WHEELER, ALFRED H., Providence 14083  
 Great-great-grandson of Joseph Wheeler, 3d
- 617 WHITE, HENRY ARTHUR, Leicester, Mass. 34066  
 Great-great-grandson of Ebenezer Foster
- 616 WHITE, HERBERT OTIS, Providence 34065  
 Great-great-great-grandson of Ebenezer Foster
- 467 WHITE, HUNTER CARSON, Beloski, Mississippi 23542  
 Great-great-grandson of Augustus Johnson Lewis  
 Great-great-grandson of John Kelton (Kilton)  
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 Great-great-great-grandson of Isaiah Lindley  
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 Great-great-great-grandson of Stephen Cooper
- 67 WOODS, JOHN CARTER BROWN 6867  
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- 495 WOODWARD, CHARLES DANIEL, Providence 25970  
 Great-grandson of Ephraim Woodward
- 606 WOODWARD, CHARLES WENTWORTH, Providence 34055  
 Great-great-grandson of Ephraim Woodward
- 300 WRIGHT, ALBERT HENRY, Providence 14250
- 302 WRIGHT, NATHAN MANCHESTER, Providence 15477

- 581 YOUNG, CHARLES WILLIAM. Providence 32481  
 Great-great-great-grandson of John Daggett

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# Records of Revolutionary Ancestors



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HEZEKIAH ALLEN, JR.: Of Dedham, (Dover) Mass. Captain of the Dedham 4th Precinct Company, Suffolk Regiment, Sept. 19, 1771. Appears on list of Capt. Ebenezer Battle's Company for special service—some 6 days. Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1775.

FREDERICK RICHMOND ALLEN, Great-great-great-grandson

ISRAEL ANGELL: Of Johnston, R. I. Commissioned Major in 1775; Lieutenant-Colonel in 1776; Colonel in 1777. As Colonel in 1777 he had command of 2d battalion from Rhode Island in army with Washington at Delaware. In 1780, in New Jersey with 170 men he defended a bridge against 1500 men for forty minutes, while Gen. Washington was changing his position. Washington complimented him on his bravery on this occasion in a letter to the Governor of R. I. Col. Angell received two gold medals in testimony of his bravery in the war, one from Gen. Washington and one from the Marquis de LaFayette. He was a personal friend of Generals Washington and LaFayette, and also of Count de Rochambeau, by whom he was held in high esteem.

HAROLD LAWTON BROWN, Great-great-great-grandson

HENRY SEABURY BROWN, Great-great-great-grandson

JAMES ANGELL: Of Providence, R. I. Colonel of 1st Providence County Regiment of the Militia of the Colony, 1774-75. Appointed on a Committee to revise the Militia Laws, Dec., 1774. Appointed on a Committee to take charge of all the cannon, powder and all other warlike stores at Providence, April, 1775. Appointed on a Committee to draw an act for raising and equipping a body of minute men for the defence of the Colony, Jan., 1776.

SAMUEL POWEL, Great-great-great-grandson

JOHN ANGELL: Of Scituate, R. I. Lieutenant-Colonel of 2d Regiment, Rhode Island Militia, May, 1778.

WILLIAM CURTIS ANGELL, Great-grandson

ISRAEL ARNOLD: Of Smithfield, R. I. Enlisted Dec. 7, 1776 to Jan. 7, 1777; Feb., 1777 for 2 months; June, 1777 for 1 month; Sept., 1777 for 1 month; 1778 for 3 months; 1779 for 4 months, and served as Sergt. in Capt. Samuel Day's Company, Col. Jabez Bowen. In 1778 he served as teamster during Gen. Sullivan's expedition to R. I.

CHESTER CURTIS FOSTER, Great-great-great-grandson

NATHANIEL BACON: Of Gorham, Maine. Private in the Penobscot Expedition of 1779, Capt. Alexander McLellan's Company, Col. Jonathan Mitchell's Regiment—to prevent the British from establishing a military post near the mouth of the Penobscot River, July 7-Sept. 25, 1779.

HENRY BAKER, Great-great-great-grandson

SILAS BAILEY: Of Westerly, R. I. Private in Capt. Stillman's Company, Militia, Westerly, 1776.

FRANK BAILEY SMITH, Great-grandson

JOSEPH BALCH: Of Boston, Mass. Captain in Col. Thomas Craft's Regiment in the Massachusetts Train of Artillery.—Service during 1776-1777.

JOSEPH BALCH, Great-great-great-grandson

ELIJAH BALL: Of Lancaster, Mass. Private in Capt. Benjamin Houghton's Company, Col. John Whitcomb's Regiment which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775 to Cambridge. Sergeant, Capt. William Greenleaf's Company, Col. Job Cushing's Regiment. He enlisted Sept. 3, 1777 and was discharged Nov. 29, 1777. Service 3 months, 7 days. 1st. Lieutenant, 5th Company, Col. Josiah Whitney's (2nd Worcester County) Regiment.



List of Officers of Massachusetts Militia, commissioned  
June 17, 1779.

EARLE BALCOM DANE, Great-great-grandson

JOSEPH BANCROFT: Of Reading, Mass. Sergeant on  
Lexington Alarm Roll of Capt. Thomas Eaton's Com-  
pany, Col. Green's Regiment which marched on the  
alarm of April 19, 1775 from Reading. Length of ser-  
vice, 12 days. Second Lieutenant in James Bancroft's  
(4th) Company, 2nd Middlesex County, Regiment.  
Commissioned May 6, 1776. First Lieutenant in Capt.  
Abraham Foster's (4th) Company, 2nd Middlesex County,  
Regiment. Commissioned August 20, 1777. First Lieu-  
tenant in Capt. Jesse Wyman's Company, Col. Jacob  
Gerrish's Regiment from Feb. 18 to March 3, 1778, dated  
Bunker Hill, March 6, 1778. Appointed Feb. 18, 1778.  
Detached as Guards to Burgoyne's army.

IVORY LITTLEFIELD, Great-great-great-grandson

JAMES BANCROFT LITTLEFIELD, Great-great-great-grand-  
son

ISAAC BARKER: Of Middletown, R. I. Was living on his  
farm (called Paradise Farm) when the British took pos-  
session of the Island of Rhode Island in 1776. A Regi-  
ment of Hessians was quartered upon his farm, and the  
British Colonel with his staff took up their abode in his  
family. Pretending to be a strong Tory, he deceived the  
Colonel so well that the latter took him into his confi-  
dence, gave him a pass to go anywhere on the island, and  
would often urge him "to get all the information he could  
from the Rebel Camps." Barker conceived a perilous  
scheme for communicating all he learned of the British  
plans to his friends in the American Army, encamped on  
the main land across the channel in Little Compton. At  
this time all communication with the island was rigor-  
ously cut off by the Invaders, but Barker secretly  
arranged with Lieut. Chapin of Col. Sherburne's Regi-

ment the following plan: when a pair of bars in a wall on Paradise Rocks were in a certain position, it meant that a letter was hidden in some white rocks on the shore. Other arrangements of the bars conveyed different information. Lieut. Chapin with a spy-glass could plainly see the bars, and upon the signal would row over in the night and secure the letter. This difficult and dangerous role was sustained for 14 months, and although many times in deadly peril, his shrewdness and coolness saved him. His services to the cause of Independence were acknowledged by Gen. Gates to have been of very great importance.

FREDERICK WILLARD EASTON, JR., Great-great-grandson

CALEB BARSTOW: Of Hanover, Mass. Private in Capt. John Turner's Company, Col. Theophilus Cotton's Regiment; marched Sept. 28, 1777; service 1 month, 3 days on Alarm at R. I.

ARTHUR ABBOT THOMAS, Great-great-grandson

WILLIAM BARTON: Of Providence, R. I. Adjutant, 1st Regiment Militia, Providence County, chosen August 1775; Captain-Lieutenant, Colonel's Company Militia, Wm. Richmond Col., chosen Oct., 1775; resigned his command and discharged with honor March, 1777; Major of Brigade, Providence County, chosen May, 1776; Brigade-Major of Colony's Brigade, Militia, chosen May, 1776; Major of Brigade, 2d Regiment Militia, chosen August, 1776; Major, Col. Stanton's Regiment Militia, 15 months service, chosen December, 1776; Lieutenant-Colonel 1st Regiment Militia, Joseph Stanton, Jr. Col., 15 months service, chosen June, 1777; in command of expedition to capture Gen. Prescott, July 9, 1777; Lieutenant-Colonel, receives reward and recommended for promotion for capture of Major General Prescott, August, 1777; Colonel, 1st Regiment Militia, 16 months service, chosen Decem-

ber, 1777, in place of Col. Joseph Stanton, Jr.; Colonel 2d Batt. Militia, chosen Dec., 1777; Colonel, Continental Service, promoted from Colonel of the 2d Battalion, Feb., 1778. Ordered by Council of War April 14, 1778, to pay monies received from the Assistant Paymaster General to the several companies in the Regiment he lately commanded. Sent with 20 men against the enemy who was attacking Bristol, met them at Bristol Ferry, was wounded by musket ball and left the field, May, 1778; Colonel Light Corps of Foot, Return dated Pawtuxet, Sept. 11, 1779; Pensioned.

JAMES AMOS BARTON, Great-great-grandson.

EZEKIEL BATES: Of Bellingham, Mass. Served as soldier in Capt. Amos Smith's Company which marched to R. I. on a secret expedition, Sept. 30, 1777. A staunch patriot, serving on various important committees appointed to further the cause of American independence, throughout the war.

HERBERT AMBROSE RICE, Great-great-grandson

JAMES BEAMIS: Of Weston, Mass. Private in Capt. Timothy Carey's Company, Col. Baldwin's Regiment. Enlisted April 26, 1775—service to August 1, 1775, 97 days. Private in same company and regiment, return dated Sept. 27, 1775. Appears in a return of men enlisted into the Continental Army from Middlesex County for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, July 8, 1778—Capt. Weston's Company, Col. Brooks' Regiment.

JOHN RICHARD BEMIS, Great-great-grandson

REUBEN SAMUEL BEMIS, Great-great-grandson

DR. BARNABUS BINNEY: Of Philadelphia, Pa. Senior Surgeon in the Continental Army hospital, 1780-1787.

SAMUEL POWEL, Great-great-grandson

**JAMES BIRGE:** Of Litchfield, Conn. Served as Private in the Continental Army from March, 1776, until January, 1777. Also, 2 weeks in April, 1777 and 2 months in the summer of 1777. Pensioned.

WILLIAM JAMES BURGE, Grandson

**JONATHAN BLAKE:** Of Dorchester, Mass. Sergeant on Lexington Alarm Roll of Capt. Abraham Wheeler's Company, Colonel Lemuel Robinson's Regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775. Length of service, 12 days. Private in Capt. Lemuel Clap's Company, Col. Benjamin Gill's Regiment. Enlisted June 13, 1776. Discharged June 16, 1776. Length of service 3 days. Private in Capt. Lemuel Clap's Company, Col. Pierce's Regiment. Marched, March 1, 1778, discharged April 8, 1778. Service, 1 month, 8 days, at Castle Island. Private in Capt. Job Cushing's Company, Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Pierce's Regiment. Enlisted, May 18, 1779, discharged July 1, 1779. Service, 1 month, 17 days, at Tiverton, R. I.

FREDERICK LEWIS WEIS, Great-great-grandson

**CHRISTOPHER BLANDING:** Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private in Capt. Samuel Bliss' Company, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 8 days. In Capt. Bliss' Company, Col. Walker's Regiment; muster roll dated August 1, 1775; enlisted April 28, 1775; service 1 month, 20 days; reported enlisted in the train June 14, 1775; also in return dated Oct. 6, 1775. Served at various times during the years 1775 and '76, and marched from Rehoboth to Bristol, R. I., on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776; 1780, July 28th, he was a Corporal, Capt. Joseph Wilmarth's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment, which marched to Tiverton, R. I., on an alarm;

discharged July 31, 1780—service 5 days under Gen. Heath.

WILLIAM OLIVER BLANDING, Great-grandson

STEPHEN BOURNE: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Sergeant in Lieut. Samuel Brown's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Marched from Rehoboth, Mass. to Tiverton, R. I., Aug. 1, 1780, on an alarm; discharged Aug. 8, 1780—service 9 days under Gen. Heath.

FRANK BAYLIES BOURNE, Great-grandson

JABEZ BOWEN: Of Providence, R. I. On the declaration of war, he resigned his position on the bench of the Supreme Court to become Colonel of the 1st regiment of the county of Providence, 1778-'79. In 1780-1786, he was elected Deputy Governor, and through the whole conflict was an active member of the Council of War. Gov. Bowen was placed on many important committees and his house was the headquarters for military officers. He was appointed by Washington, Commissioner of Loans for R. I. The Declaration of Independence was read from the front balcony of his house in Market Square. Washington and Lafayette were entertained by Gov. Bowen when they came to Rhode Island and Gen. Rochambeau was always his guest while in Providence.

DONALD FLAGG BOWEN, Great-great-grandson

JOSEPH BOWEN, Great-great-grandson

NATHAN BOWEN: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private Capt. Perry's Company, Col. Abial Mitchell's Regiment—raised to reinforce the Continental Army in 1780. Time of service, 3 months, 5 days from appointment July 27 to discharge, Oct. 30.

AMOS MILLER BOWEN, Great-grandson

JOHN BOYNTON: Of Rowley, Mass. Lieutenant in Capt. Abel Wilder's Company, Col. Ephraim Doolittle's Regiment, April 20, 1775. Captain 8th Company, Col. Nathan

Sparhawk's Regiment. Also in Col. Sparhawk's Regiment commanded by Col. Jacob Cushing, August 25, 1777.

LYNDON BIGELOW TAYLOR, Great-great-grandson

NICHOLAS BRANCH: Of Providence, R. I. Private, Capt. Asa Kimball's Company, Col. Chris. Lippitt's 2d Regiment of Foot, R. I. Brigade, Newport, June 5, 1776—enlisted January 26, 1776. Private, Hoppin's Company, Lippitt's Regiment, Sept. 7, 1776 to Jan. 17, 1777. Appears on list of men that were in Capt. Hoppin's Company that crossed the North River, Dec. 4, 1776. Drummer, Capt. Samuel Phillips' Company, Col. Stanton's Regiment, stationed at Tiverton, Howland's Ferry, Aug. 10, 1777-Nov. 10, 1777-Jan. 1, 1778-March 16, 1778—he served these various terms in the same company, but under different regimental commanders. Drum-Major, Col. John Topham's Regiment, from May 16, to Aug. 16, 1778. Sergeant of Capt. Charles Handy's, Jr., Company, Col. William Barton's Light Corps, from his enlistment July 18, 1779, to Nov. 1, 1779. Sergeant, Capt. Henry Dayton's Company, Corps Light Infantry, U. S. Service, Col. William Barton, Sept. 6, 1779, to March 13, 1780.

FREDERICK HOVEY FRANKLIN, Great-great-grandson

ABRAHAM BROWER: Of Flatbush, L. I. Private, 2d regiment, Orange Company, New York Militia, Lieutenant-Colonel Gilbert Cooper. Served as follows: 1776 and 1777, 7 months, 1 week between March and January; 1777, 2 months between April and December; 1778, 2 months between April and December; 1779, 2 months between April and December; 1780, 2 months between April and December; 1781, 1 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  months between April and December. In Battle of Long Island.

SAMUEL HENRY BROWER, Great-great-grandson

ALBERT SAMUEL BROWER, Great-great-great-grandson

LEON WILLIAM BROWER, Great-great-great-grandson

ABEL BROWN: Of Concord, Mass. Private, Capt. Brown, Col. Nixon (5th Infantry), 1775. Also Capt. Brown's Company, Col. Whitney, 1776. Also Capt. Miles' Company, Col. Reed, 1777; also Capt. Rawles' Company, Col. Jacob, 1778. Also Capt. Jenkins' Company, Col. Gerrick, 1779; also Capt. Manes' Company, 2nd Regiment, Continental establishment Col. Sprout, 1780-1783 Pensioned.

CLARENCE WATSON SCOTT, Great-great-grandson

GEORGE BROWN: Of South Kingstown, R. I. Private Capt. James Burrill's Company Militia in U. S. Service in Rhode Island, Col. Jabez Brown, engaged from April 2, 1778 to April 16, 1778, inclusive. On Guard, Troops stationed at house of George Brown at Boston Neck, South Kingstown, R. I. Assistant, 1783.

Albert Rodman Nichols, Great-great-grandson

NICHOLAS BROWN: Of Providence, R. I. Member of a committee in 1770 to see that no importation of European and India goods from Great Britain took place in Providence. Member of a committee appointed by Congress, Dec. 14, 1775, to build vessels of war. Member of a committee appointed by the General Assembly of Rhode Island to inquire the price of cannon, 1776.

SAMUEL POWEL, Great-great-great-grandson

SYLVESTER BROWNELL: Of Westport, Mass. He was one of the men who, under command of Col. Prescott, threw up the redoubt at Bunker Hill the night before the battle, in which battle he also served. He was also under command of Gen. Sullivan at the battle of Long Island, and served throughout the war. Pensioned.

FREDERICK RICHMOND BROWNELL, Great-grandson

**JEHIAL BRYANT**, 1st: Of Milford, Conn. Captain in the 5th Battalion, Wadsworth Brigade, Col. Douglas' Regiment. Battalion raised June 1776, to reinforce Washington's Army at New York. Served in the city and on the Brooklyn front, being at the right of line of works during the battle of Long Island, August 27th. Engaged in the retreat to N. Y., August 29, and 30th; stationed with militia brigade under Col. Douglas at Kipps' Bay, 34th St., on East River at the time of enemy attack on N. Y.

**GEORGE HENRY COLLETT**, Great-great-grandson

**BARAK BULLOCK**: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private, Capt. Sylvanus Martin's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment, marched from Rehoboth to Bristol, Rhode Island on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776—service 16 days; also Capt. Joseph Wilmarth's Company, Col. Carpenter's Regiment, marched from Rehoboth to Tiverton, R. I., Aug. 1, 1780, on an alarm; discharged Aug. 8, 1780—service, 9 days under Gen. Heath.

**LEPRILETE SWEET**, Great-great-grandson

**JABEZ BULLOCK**: Of Rehoboth, Mass. First Lieutenant, Capt. Phanael Bishop's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775. First Lieutenant in Capt. Joseph Franklin's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment—marched on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776. First Lieutenant in Capt. Hill's Company, 1777. Captain in Col. John Jacob's Regiment in 1778. Captain in Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment; commissioned April 13, 1779. Also in same, commissioned July 27, 1780, and again on August 1, 1780—both of the latter on alarms to Tiverton, R. I.

**WILLIAM OLIVER BLANDING**, Great-grandson



GIDEON BURGESS: Of Foster, R. I. Private with Captain General's Cavaliers in the expedition to Rhode Island, from July 24, to August 31, 1778.

STUART MORGAN ALDRICH, Great-great-grandson

JAMES BUNTON: Of Smithfield, R. I. Enlisted in 1776 as Ensign in the 3d Company, 15th Massachusetts Regiment. His Captain was Noah Littlefield, his Colonel, John Bailey. Lieutenant in March, 1779. Commissioned as Captain Jan. 1, 1781. Served on the Hudson under Gen. Lee.

GONZALO EDWARD BUNTON, Great-grandson

DAVID CADY, JR. Of Killingly, Conn. Captain. Marched from Killingly Conn., for the relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm, April, 1775. Was with the 25th Regiment Militia, commanded by Col. Obadiah Johnson, which marched in the alarm when the British ships lay off New London, Sept. 4, 1778.

JOSEPH CLARENCE REEVE, Great-grandson

JOSEPH CAPRON: Of Cumberland, R. I. Private in Capt. Reuben Ballou's Company, under Major Fiske—service, 1 month. In 1777, he served in the same company under Col. George Peck, and was in Gen. Spencer's expedition—service, 4 months. In 1778, he served under Capt. Amos Whipple and was in Gen. Sullivan's expedition—service, 4 months. In 1779, under Capt. Amos Whipple, served, 3 months. Pensioned.

GEORGE NASH CAPRON, Grandson

FRANK JENCKS CAPRON, Great-grandson

CHARLES SMITH MATHEWSON, Great-grandson

JOSEPH CARPENTER: Of Uxbridge, Mass. Private in Capt. Joseph Chapin's Company of Minute Men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 15 days.

Also in Capt. Edward Seagrave's Company, Col. Wade's Regiment. Enlisted June 19, 1778; discharged July 19, 1778; service, 30 days at Rhode Island.

WILLIAM ARNOLD SPICER, Great-great-grandson

THOMAS CARPENTER: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Colonel of the 1st Bristol County Regiment; also Colonel of a regiment raised from Brigadier Geo. Godfrey's Brigade; also Colonel of a regiment, which with eight other regiments, marched to New York under command of Major General Lincoln. Was in Sullivan's expedition on the island of Rhode Island, with a large detachment of his regiment, who marched to join the army on the island, and distinguished themselves for their bravery. He was in the action in Rhode Island, Aug. 29, 1778. It is said that in the first charge, Col. Carpenter pushed on with so much bravery that the enemy opposed to him gave back and he was drawn so far in advance of the army that the British made an attempt, by dispatching a division around the side of a hill opposite him, to attack him in the rear, and cut him off from the main army. Being apprised of his danger by one of the aids of Gen. Sullivan, he very dexterously managed to fall back in good order to the line of the main army. Col. Carpenter was a staunch friend of the government in the time of "Shay's Rebellion."

LEPRILETE SWEET, Great-great-grandson

URIAH CARPENTER: Of Ashford, Conn. Private. Entered service Jan. 15, 1778, in Capt. John Williams' Company, Col. Obadiah Johnson's Regiment. Served in Rhode Island for two months. Also served from August 16, 1779 to January 15, 1780. On list of Short Term Levies. From return of the eight months men that belonged to the 4th Conn. Regiment, commanded by John Durker, Colonel, 1779.

ELIAS CARPENTER, Great-grandson

MAXELON CHACE: Of Westerly, R. I. When the Continental Congress appointed Com. Esek Hopkins of Rhode Island to organize a fleet of war vessels and to command the same, Maxelon Chace enlisted as seaman and was appointed Ship Carpenter's mate (he being a Ship Carpenter by trade). He assisted materially in fitting out the ships of war. On the return trip from the West Indies, he contracted the yellow fever, and died in Philadelphia, Pa.

JAMES EDWARD CHACE, Great-grandson

HARRIS CHADWELL: Of Lynn, Mass. Lieutenant; served at Concord battle and elsewhere, year not given; First Lieutenant, Capt. Samuel King's Company. Enlisted July 14, 1775—service, 6 months, 2 days; Second Lieutenant, Capt. Benjamin Epes' Company, Col. Isaac Smith's Regiment; list of officers appointed to serve until April 1, (year not given) commissioned March 13, 1776; First Lieutenant, Capt. Joseph Hiller's Company, list dated April 30, 1777; company raised in Salem and Lynn and ordered to Rhode Island to reinforce troops under Gen. Spencer—also Capt. Hiller's Company, Col. Jonathan Titcomb's Regiment, arrived at destination May 5, 1777, discharged July 5, 1777—service, 2 months, 6 days.

JOSEPH HARRIS JOHNSON, Great-great-grandson

SETH CHAPIN: Of Mendon, Mass. Corporal on the Lexington alarm roll, April 19, 1775; Corporal in Massachusetts Militia, 10, Dec., 1775; Second Lieutenant in the 3d Worcester County Regiment, July 9, 1776 under Gen. Sullivan on Long Island; Paymaster in same regiment; First Lieutenant in same regiment from 8 Dec., 1776 to 21 Jan., 1777; served in Rhode Island on 15 March, 1778 and in July, 1778 under Gen. Sullivan in expedition against Newport; also on Aug. 27, 1779, in

Sept., 1779, and from the alarm of 27 July, to 8th of August, 1780, in Rhode Island.

HOWARD MILLAR CHAPIN, Great-great-grandson

THOMAS CHURCH: Of Little Compton, R. I. Colonel. Commanded a Rhode Island Regiment encamped at Jamaica Plains at the siege of Boston. Commissioner for Rhode Island for exchange of prisoners.

FREDERICK RICHMOND BROWNELL, Great-great-grandson

JOHN CHURCHILL: Of East Scott, N. Y. As a private citizen he was taken prisoner by the British in the border raids incident to the battle of Hubbardton, July 7, 1777, an incident in Burgoyne's campaign. He was carried to Ticonderoga and kept there until October, when he returned home. Enlisted in Jan., 1781, in Capt. Roger Alden's Company, Third Regiment, Connecticut Line, Col. Webb, and on Feb. 26, 1781, he enlisted in Capt. Timothy Allyn's Company (same regiment) for duration of the war.

HERMAN CHURCHILL, Great-grandson

LEMUEL CLAP: Of Dorchester, Mass. First Lieutenant, sharing a command with Capt. Oliver Billings of a company in Col. Lemuel Robinson's Regiment on the alarm of April 19, 1775. Service, 12 days. Captain, 1st Dorchester Company, Col. Benjamin Gill's Regiment, March 4, 1776, time of engagement, discharged March 8, 1776. Service, 5 days at the taking of Dorchester Heights. Served with same company and regiment March 14, 1776—March 26, 1776. Length of service, 12 days. With same company and regiment June 13, to June 16, 1776. Length of service, 3 days. Captain of company in Col. Pierce's Regiment from March 1, 1778, to April 3, 1778, company having been ordered to march to Castle Island. Captain on list of officers commissioned to command the

guards raised to do duty under Maj. Gen. Gates and Maj. Gen. Heath at and about Boston. Commissioned May 11, 1779. Company stationed at Dorchester Heights. Time of engagement May 7, 1779, time of discharge, October 16, 1780. Length of service, 1 year, 5 months, 11 days. Captain in Col. Solomon Lovell's Regiment, on a return of officers, who marched to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months (year not given).

FREDERICK LEWIS WEIS, Great-great-grandson

PITT CLARKE: Of Medfield and Norton, Mass. Served on a sudden expedition to Rhode Island. Private, Capt. Adam Peter's Company, Maj. Seth Bullard's Regiment; ordered to march July 28, 1780—discharged Aug. 6, 1780. Service, 12 days, travel included, on an alarm at Rhode Island.

PRESCOTT ORLOFF CLARKE, Grandson

THOMAS CLARKE: Of North Kingstown, R. I. Was commissioned June 19, 1775, Captain of 1st Company of Militia of North Kingstown, served in 2d Regiment under Col. Charles Dyer and continued in service till the British left Rhode Island. He was in Generals Spencer and Sullivan's expedition and captured the British vessel, "Syren," which ran ashore near the South Ferry. His appointments follow: Capt., 1st Company Militia, North Kingstown, June, 1775, also same for May, 1776. Major, 2d Regiment Militia, King's County, Dec. 23, 1776. Major same regiment, May, 1777. Major same regiment, May, 1779. Resigned, June, 1779.

FRANK MANLEY MASON, Great-great-grandson

DUDLEY COLMAN: Of Newbury, Mass. Lieutenant-Colonel Dudley Colman was attached to Col. Edward Wigglesworth's Regiment. Adjutant, 12th Continental Infantry, 1st of Jan., to 31st of December, 1776. Major,

13th Massachusetts Regiment—Jan. 1, 1777—Lieutenant-Colonel, 3d July, 1777, resigned 10th March, 1779.

GEORGE LEON STEVENSON, Great-great-grandson

STEPHEN COLWELL: Of Gloucester, R. I. Private, R. I. Militia and Continental Line; enlisted August, 1776; served three months under Capt. Samuel May, Col. Chad Brown; enlisted November, 1776, under Capt. Timothy Wilmarth, Independent Company; served one month; enlisted August, 1778; served two months under Windsor, Col. Chad Brown; battle engaged in, Quaker Hill, and in this battle he was wounded in the shoulder. Pensioned.

CLARENCE MANN STEVENS, Great-great-grandson

WILLIAM COMINS: Of Oxford and Charlton, Mass. First Lieutenant in Capt. William Tucker's 5th Worcester County Regiment, Massachusetts Militia. He served at Dobbs' Ferry, Tarrytown and North Castle. Commission dated April 4, 1776.

FREDERICK GRANVILLE COMINS, Great-great-grandson

STEPHEN COOPER: Of Gloucester, R. I. Private in Capt. James Parker's Company, Col. Archibald Crary's Regiment. Service from June 9, 1778, to Sept. 16, 1778.

HUNTER CARSON WHITE, Great-great-grandson

MELVIN COTTON: Of Pomfret, Conn., and Hartland, Vermont. Private in Capt. Benjamin Alton's Company, Col. John Rand's Regiment. Enlisted July 9, 1780, discharged, Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 months, 11 days. Company raised for 3 month's service at West Point.

CLARENCE ARTHUR COTTON, Great-grandson

THOMAS COTTON: Of Hartland, Vermont. Served in the Lexington Alarm, 1775; and afterwards in the 11th Connecticut Regiment, Capt. Clark's Company, "First Company" at New York in 1776.

CLARENCE ARTHUR COTTON, Great-great-grandson

JOHN COX: Of Bloomsbury, N. J. Member of Pennsylvania Provincial Conventions, 1774-'75. Major in Penn. Line, 1775, in the regiment commanded by Col. Joseph Read. Lieutenant-Colonel, Dec., 1776, of 2d Battalion of Penn. Militia at Bristol, Pa. Ordered by Gen. Washington to pursue the enemy after the battle of Trenton, Jan. 14, 1777. Member of Council of Safety, 1776, 1777. Assistant Quartermaster General under Gen. Nathanael Greene, 1778-1779. Vice-President of New Jersey, 1782.

SAMUEL POWEL, Great-great-grandson

WILLIAM CRANE: Of Cranetown, N. J. Captain, 1st Regiment, Essex Company, New Jersey Militia; Major, 1st Regiment, Essex Company, N. J. Militia; Major, Col. Sylvanus Seeley's Battalion, N. J. State Troops; Lieutenant, Colonel Oliver Spencer's Regiment, Continental Army; commissioned Captain, Col. Oliver Spencer's Regiment, Continental Army, Feb. 12, 1777; wounded in service.

CHARLES DODD CRANE, Great-great-grandson

BENJAMIN CRANSTON: Of Warren, R. I. Quartermaster and Captain's Clerk on the row galley Spitfire under Capt. Joseph Crandall. Also served as private in the army—length of entire service, 3 years.

WILLIAM IRA CRANSTON, Great-great-grandson

JOHN DAGGETT: Of Attleborough, Mass. Colonel of the 4th Bristol Company Regiment; service, 7 days on the alarm of April 19, 1775; also Colonel, engaged Jan. 1, 1778, discharged April 1, 1778; service, 3 months, 1

day with Brig. Gen. Ezek Cornell's Brigade; regiment stationed at Rhode Island for 3 months from Jan. 1, 1778; also Colonel, engaged Aug. 18, 1778, discharged Aug. 31, 1778; service, 16 days at Rhode Island. In 1775 Col. John Daggett undertook the expedition to Assonet for the purpose of breaking up a Royalist combine, which had stored up ammunition in that place. He and his comrades thus had the honor of being the first actors in the first scene of the great Revolutionary drama. Col. Daggett commanded the regiment from County of Bristol both in Spencer's and Sullivan's expedition on Rhode Island in 1777 and 1779.

CHARLES WILLIAM YOUNG, Great-great-grandson

BENJAMIN DAMON: Of Reading, Mass. Served as follows: Enlisted 1776 for 2 months under Capt. Balknap, Col. Eleazer Brooks; Aug. 18, 1777 to Nov. 30, 1777, under Capt. Abraham Foster, Col. Samuel Bullard; May 7, 1779, to July 1, 1779, under Capt. L. Buckminster, Col. Samuel Pierce. Was at the surrender of Gen. Burgoyne.

SAMUEL CHESTER DAMON, Great-grandson

SIMON DAVIS: Of Acton, Mass. Served in Capt. Nathan Hale's Company, at time of Lexington Alarm, April 19, 1775; also served in Capt. Philip Thomas' Company, Col. James Reed's Regiment, April 23, 1775—on roll to Aug. 1, 1775. Bunker Hill service. Was serving Oct. 4, 1775, and marched with Lieutenant-Colonel Heald's detail to reinforce Garrison at Ticonderoga, June 29, 1777.

FREDERICK RICHMOND ALLEN, Great-great-grandson

PARDON DAVOL: Of Freetown, Mass. Private in Capt. Joseph Durfee's Company, Col. Pope's Regiment. He enlisted Dec. 7th, 1775, and was discharged Dec. 12, 1776. His service covered 5 days at the Rhode Island Alarm. He enlisted again on August 3rd, 1780, in Capt.



Henry Brightman's Company, Col. John Hathaway's Regiment from Freetown, Mass. Discharged on August 7, 1780, serving 4 days on a Rhode Island Alarm.

CHARLES JOSEPH DAVOL, Great-great-grandson

ASA DEAN: Of Attleborough, Mass. Private in Capt. Samuel Robinson's Company, Col. Josiah Whitney's Regiment. Enlisted July 29, 1778—service, 1 month, 14 days at R. I. In Capt. Enoch Robinson's Company. Enlisted Aug. 12, 1779—service, 1 month, 1 day at Rhode Island in a regiment under command of Capt. Commandant Samuel Fisher. Also in Capt. Alexander Foster's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Marched July 27, 1780, discharged July 31, 1780—service, 5 days on an alarm. Company marched to Tiverton, R. I.

FRANK BAYLIES BOURNE, Great-grandson

ENOS DEAN: Of Taunton, Mass. In Dec., 1776, he served 22 days as commander of a detachment of guards to prevent Highlanders (prisoners) from escaping from Taunton jail upon the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776. Private in Capt. James Cooper's Company in Col. Gamaliel Bradford's Regiment from Feb. 14, 1777, to March 14, 1777. Sergeant of same company April 1, 1777. Served to Dec. 31, 1779. Marched to Bennington, and on another roll, he saw service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Feb. 14, 1780. Discharged from service Dec. 17, 1780, near West Point.

ISAAC LEWIS GOFF, JR., Great-great-grandson

WILLIAM DAVID GOFF, Great-great-grandson

SOLOMON DEMING: Of Sandisfield, Mass. Upon the alarm from Lexington, he was one of the first to enlist and was appointed Ensign in Capt. Moses Soules' Company in Col. John Fellows' Regiment, which rank he held during 1775. He was commissioned 6th of May, 1776, First Lieutenant in Capt. Samuel Walcott's Company, 1st

Berkshire Regiment, which rank he retained in the various companies to which he was assigned.

RICHARD DEMING HOLLINGTON, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL DOTY: Of Saybrook, Conn. Enlisted May 8, 1775 as Sergeant in Capt. John Ely's Company, Col. Samuel H. Parson's Regiment—served at the siege of Boston. Honorably discharged Dec. 18, 1775. Re-inlisted as private, June 15, 1776 in Capt. Lathrop Allen's Company, Col. Samuel Elmore's Regiment. Re-inlisted in Capt. Richard's Company, Jan. 27, 1777, 1st Regiment, Connecticut Line. Participated in battle of Germantown and wintered at Valley Forge. Present at battle of Monmouth, June 28, 1778. In 1780 he was Ensign in the 7th Regiment, Connecticut Militia under Col. William Worthington, being detached April, 1780, to serve as Ensign in Capt. Jacob Whitmore's Company, Lieutenant-Colonel (Commander) Bezaliel Beebe's Regiment. Was in U. S. service until Oct. 17, 1780. He probably served to the close of the war, 1783, as Ensign of Capt. James Smith's Company, Col. Mead's Regiment.

HERMAN CHURCHILL, Great-great-great-grandson

ROBERT DRAKE: Of Easton, Mass. Corporal in Capt. Randall's Company, Col. George Williams' Regiment in Rhode Island 24 days, Dec. 7, 1776; and from Jan. 7, 1778, to April, 1778, in the same service in the same company under command of Col. John Daggett.

FREDERIC HENRY FULLER, Great-great-great-grandson

CALEB ALLEN FULLER, Great-great-great-great-grandson

JOHN DUNHAM: Of Attleborough, Mass. Private. Capt. Nathan Smith's Company. Service from Jan. 18, 1776,

to Sept. 1, 1776. Company stationed at Martha's Vineyard, Mass., for defence of seacoast.

LEPRILETE SWEET, Great-grandson

SOLOMON DUNHAM: Of Attleborough, Mass. Private, Capt. Elisha May's Company. Engaged Sept., 1776, discharged Nov., 1776. Company served on a two-month's campaign at New York; also Capt. Stephen Richardson's Company—service from April 21, 1777, to hold the lines until men could be raised for that purpose, for two months; also same company marched Sept. 25, 1777, discharged Oct. 29, 1777. Service, 1 month and 6 days. Company marched from Attleborough under command of Col. George Williams on a secret expedition; also Capt. Caleb Richardson's Company, Col. John Hathaway's Regiment; enlisted March 25, 1779, service, 21 days at Rhode Island; also Corporal of Capt. Sam Robinson's Company, Col. Isaac Dean's Regiment; marched March 6, 1781, discharged March 14, 1781. Service, 11 days, travel included, at Rhode Island.

LEPRILETE SWEET, Great-great-grandson

URIAH EAGER, JR: Of Marlboro, Mass. Marched to Cambridge on the Lexington Alarm in Capt. Howe's Company, Uriah Eager, Ensign. Also served in Rhode Island.

GEORGE DOW LANSING, 2D, Great-great-great-grandson

DANIEL EAMES: Of Haverhill, Mass. He loaned money to the town of Haverhill to equip and pay its soldiers in 1776, a patriot.

ARTHUR ABBOT THOMAS, Great-great-great-great-grandson

SAMUEL EAMES: Of Haverhill, Mass. Private from Haverhill in 1778. Service, 9 months. Also, private in Capt. Jonathan Ayer's Company, Col. Nathaniel Wade's Essex County Regiment, enlisted July 15, 1780, discharged Oct. 10, 1780—service, 3 months, 7 days.

ARTHUR ABBOT THOMAS, Great-great-grandson

BARNARD EDDY: Of Providence, R. I. He enlisted June, 1775, and served to May, 1779, as Private under Colonel Elliott, Capt. Barnard Eddy, in the Militia. From May, 1779, he served two years as Captain and Lieutenant of Sloop Lively, of R. I., Navy. Pensioned. Capt. Barnard Eddy, father of the said Captain and Lieutenant Barnard Eddy, had charge of the fortifications erected at Field's and Sassafras Points to protect the town of Providence in case of attack from the British. The works then built are still preserved and are called Robin Hill Fort and Fort Independence.

RICHARD LEWIS CALDER, Great-grandson

WILLIAM EDDY: Of Providence, R. I. In May, 1775, he served one month as a substitute and private at Cambridge in Capt. Smith's Company, Col. Gridley's Regiment of Artillery. In July, 1776, he enlisted and served two months as a private in the Crown Point and Lake Champlain Expedition in Capt. Barnard Eddy's Company of R. I. Militia, and was under the command of Gen. Spencer. He was drafted Oct., 1777, and served two months as a private in Capt. James Hill's Company, Col. Walker's Regiment of Massachusetts Militia, and was in Spencer's Expedition. In May, 1777, he was drafted and served one month as a Private at Bristol in the same company and regiment. In August, 1778, he was drafted and served one month as a Private in Sullivan's Expedition in the same company and regiment. In Rhode Island, he was detached to the boat service under

Capt. Eddy. He served out all his time and was honorably discharged, but never had any written discharge. He lived in Rehoboth when he entered the service, and from the conclusion of the Revolutionary War until his death, he resided in Providence, R. I. Pensioned.

FREDERICK WILLIARD EASTON, JR., Great-great-grandson

STEPHEN EATON: Of Ashford, Conn. Private in Capt. Daniel Allen's Company, Col. Samuel Wyllys' Regiment, (3d) Connecticut Line. Served 3 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  years. Company and regiment named above have the record of "Peekskill, West Point, Storming of Stony Point, encamped at White Plains." He was on duty at the execution of Maj. Andre, and was present at the burning of Norwalk by the British. Pensioned.

STEPHEN DAVID PADDOCK, Great-great-grandson

NATHANIEL FANNING: Of Stonington, Conn. Midshipman on U. S. S. Bon Homme Richard, Capt. John Paul Jones, commanding. Was commended by that officer for his services during the celebrated battle between the Bon Homme Richard and H. M. S. Serapis, and a certificate testifying to his bravery in that action was sent by Capt. Jones to Congress.

RALPH EDGAR BAILEY, Great-great-great-grandson

AMOS FARNSWORTH: Of Groton, Mass. Joined a company of Minute Men at Groton, Mass., under Capt. Henry Farwell. He served from Concord to Bunker Hill where he was wounded. Furloughed till September of the year—from that time on, he was in continuous service till the end of the war. He was at Ticonderoga in 1776—in New Jersey under Washington for some time in 1777, but served principally in his own state.

CLAUDE JOSEPH FARNSWORTH, Great-great-grandson

RICHARD FENNER, JR.: Of Johnston, R. I. Lieut., 1st Company, Johnston, 1775. Captain same company, 1776. Major of the 1st Regiment of Militia, Providence Company, 1778, 1779. Lieutenant-Colonel of the same, 1779, 1780.

HERBERT LODOWICK FENNER, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL FISHER: Of Wrentham, Mass. Captain, 2d Company, Col. Ephraim Wheelock's Regiment of Massachusetts Militia. Commissioned April 21, 1776; Captain in same regiment—service, 23 days. Company ordered to march to Warwick, R. I., on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776; ordered to command soldiers drafted from the training band of Col. Ephraim Wheelock's Regiment, and ordered to march to Providence, R. I., April 23, 1777; Captain of company raised in Wrentham; also, Col. Wheelock's Regiment—service, 12 days; company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of April 21, 1777; Capt. Col. Jonathan Titcomb's Regiment—service, 2 months, 3 days. Company marched to Rhode Island, May 3, 1777; Captain of North Company in 1st Precinct in Wrentham, Col. Benjamin Hawes' Regiment. . . . Held various other commands during the years—1777-1781.

MARSHALL ELWOOD FISHER, Great-great-grandson

EBENEZER FOSTER: Of Rutland, Mass. He was a "Minute Man" and marched with his company at the Lexington Alarm. He served as part of the Guard of British Prisoners at Rutland, Mass., for six months. He was commissioned Lieutenant Adjutant, June 4, 1776, 4th Worcester County, Massachusetts Militia.

HENRY ARTHUR WHITE, Great-great-grandson

HERBERT OTIS WHITE, Great-great-grandson

RALPH FREEMAN, JR.: Of Wrentham, Mass. Private in Capt. Samuel Kollick's Company, Col. John Smith's

Regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775.

JOSEPH WOOD FREEMAN, Great-great-grandson

EDWARD LIVINGSTON FREEMAN, Great-great-grandson

EZRA FRENCH: Of Attleborough, Mass. Private in Capt. Alexander Foster's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Enlisted July 27, 1780, discharged July 31, 1780; served, 7 days, travel included, on an alarm. Company marched on a 6 days expedition to Tiverton, R. I. Also in Capt. Moses Wilmarth's Company, Col. Isaac Dean's Regiment. Marched July 31, 1780, discharged Aug. 7, 1780. Service, 10 days at Rhode Island on the alarm of July 31, 1780. In Capt. Jabez Barney's Company, Col. Luke Drury's regiment; marched July 13, 1781. Enlisted July 23, 1781, joined regiment at West Point, Aug. 11, 1781, discharged Nov. 8, 1781. Service, 3 months, 27 days.

WALTER EVERETT FRENCH, Great-great-grandson

ELEAZER FULLER: Of Needham, Mass. Sergeant in Capt. Robert Smith's Company of Minute Men at Battle of Lexington. Was on committee to hire soldiers. Served also at the fortification of Dorchester Heights, March, 1776. Also in Capt. Battle's Company, Col. McIntock's Regiment, March 23, 1778, to April 5, 1778. Marched to Roxbury Lines.

FREDERICK RICHMOND ALLEN, Great-great-grandson

JESSE FULLER: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Soldier in Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's Company stationed at Brookline six weeks. Dismissed Jan. 15, 1776. In Capt. Carpenter's Company, Col. Simeon Carey's Regiment, Gen. Fellows' Brigade at New York and White Plains for 5

months. (Dismissed Dec. 1, 1776.) Private in Capt. S. Martin's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment for service in Rhode Island, Dec. 8, 1776. Service, 16 days. In Capt. James Hill's Company. Col. John Daggett's Regiment at Bristol, R. I., for 3 months from Dec. 28, 1776. In Capt. Israel Hick's Company, Col. John Daggett's Regiment for service in Rhode Island. Enlisted Jan. 2, 1778, discharged March 31, 1778. Sergeant in Capt. Jacob Fuller's Company, Col. John Jacob's Regiment for service in Rhode Island. Enlisted May 1, 1778, discharged Jan. 1, 1779. Service, 8 months, 1 day.

LESLIE CORNELL POWERS, Great-great-grandson

STEPHEN FULLER: Of Attleboro, Mass. Marched in the alarm caused by the Battle of Bunker Hill. Member of Committee of Correspondence, Inspection and Safety, 1777. Served in Enoch Richardson's Company of Col. Isaac Dean's Regiment 8 days at Tiverton, R. I.

FREDERIC HENRY FULLER, Great-great-grandson

CALEB ALLEN FULLER, Great-great-grandson

CHRISTOPHER GARDNER: Of South Kingston, R. I. Captain of Company of Artillery, 1st Division of Col. Dyer's Regiment. Service, 17 days, Dec. 4-20, 1777. Captain of Company of Artillery in South Kingstown, 2d Division. Served from Dec. 20, 1777, to Jan. 1, 1778.

ALBERT RODMAN NICHOLS, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL GARDNER: Of Marblehead, Mass. Enlisted in the Massachusetts troops, serving time between the years, 1776 and 1780—viz.: under Capt. Tuckerman in Col. Ebenezer Francis' Regiment; under Capt. Caleb Champney in Maj. Heath's detachment of guards; under Capt. Enoch Whiton and under Capt. Joseph Bradley Varnum



in Col. Simon Spaulding's Regiment, serving with the rank of Private and Sergeant.

GEORGE WARREN GARDNER, Great-great-grandson

EZEKIEL GILE: Of Plastow, N. H. First Lieutenant of Capt. Jacob Webster's Company of "Six Weeks' Men," enlisted in N. H. in Dec., 1775, to reinforce the troops of Gen. Sullivan at "Winter Hill" near Boston; this company served till the evacuation of Boston by the British, March 17, 1776. Ensign in Capt. David Quimby's Company of Col. Joshua Wingate's Regiment of N. H. troops raised in July and August, 1776, to reinforce the Continental Army in Canada, then in retreat. Said army having retreated from the Province before the new troops reached the frontier, they served out their enlistment with the Northern Army in N. Y. Captain of the 5th Company of Lieut-Col. Joseph Welch's Regiment of N. H. troops in Gen. William Whipple's Brigade, which marched in the summer of 1777 to reinforce the army confronting Burgoyne's force of British and Hessians; took part in the battles which led to the surrender of Burgoyne in October. Captain of the 6th Company of Col. Stephen Peabody's Regiment, Gen. William Whipple's Brigade of N. H. troops, which joined the Connecticut Army in Rhode Island in the summer of 1778, and participated in that campaign. Member of N. H. Legislature in 1779. By this Legislature he was appointed as Captain of a company of 60 men to be stationed at Portsmouth, N. H.

GEORGE WARREN GARDNER, Great-great-grandson

PHINEAS GLEASON: Of Marlborough, Mass. Served as private soldier in Capt. Edmund Brigham's Company and Maj. Gen. Ward's Regiment, April 19, 1775. Ser-

vice, 15 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  days. Reported enlisted, May 3, 1775. Also in return of train band and alarm list.

PHILIP TRAIN GLEASON, Great-great-grandson

JOHN GOULD: Of Topsfield, Mass. He died while attending the Provincial Congress at Watertown. His instructions are entitled—"Instructions for Mr. John Gould representative of Topsfield as a rule for conduct in the General Court respecting the United Colonies in America being declared independent of the Kingdom of Great Britain" and close as follows: "Having thus spoken our sentiments in respect to Independence &c, we now instruct you, Sir, to give the Honorable Continental Congress the strongest assurances that, if for the safety of these United Colonies, they shall declare America to be Independent of the Kingdom of Great Britain, your constituents will support and defend the measure with lives and fortunes to the utmost of their power."

CHARLES WARREN BUBIER, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL GOWDY: Of Enfield, Conn. Enlisted July 10th, 1780. Second Regiment, Connecticut Short Lines, 1777-1781. In Captain Parson's Company commanded by Col. Zebulon Butler. Discharged December 9, 1780.

MAHLON MYRON GOWDY, Great-great-grandson

JOSEPH GREELEY, SR.: Of Haverhill, Mass. Private in Capt. William Walker's Company in Col. James Reed's Regiment of N. H. troops. Service, 3 months, 3 days from date of enlistment, May 6, 1775. Served from Dec., '76, to March 1st, '77, in a company of 42 men raised out of the 5th Regiment of Militia, to reinforce the Continental Army in New York. Served in Capt. Ford's Company, which marched from Nottingham, June 30, 1777 for Ticonderoga, reached Dublin, N. H., and was ordered back, arriving July 5. Company marched

forward again to Number 4 (Charlestown, N. H.) and once more were ordered back. Service, 14 days. Served in Capt. Samuel Brown's Company of Col. Daniel Moore's Regiment, which marched from Dunstable and joined the Northern Continental Army at Saratoga in Sept., 1777. Served from Sept. 29. to Oct. 28th.

GEORGE WARREN GARDNER, Great-great-grandson

CHRISTOPHER GREENE: Of Warwick, R. I. He enlisted in the earliest period of the War of Independence. Was a charter member of the Kentish Guards organized in 1774. This company was the primary school of the R. I. Continental Line of the American Army. On Sept. 5th, 1776, he was elected by Gen. Washington to command as Lieutenant-Colonel a picked infantry battalion and was attached to Gen. Benedict Arnold's Expedition against Quebec. He belonged to the attacking party entering the lower town and was taken prisoner. He was exchanged July 1, 1777, and was promoted to a full Colonelcy in the same year. In 1778, Col. Greene enlisted a regiment of colored troops who behaved with such bravery at the Battle of Bloody Run, Portsmouth, R. I., on the 28th of August, as to elicit high praise from Gen. Lafayette. Prior to this date, however, Col. Greene had repulsed an attack by the British and Hessians on Fort Mercer, Red Bank, N. J., Oct. 22, 1777; an action regarded among the most brilliant of the war. He was killed on May 13th, 1781, at Pines Bridge on the Croton River, Westchester Co., N. Y., while defending himself against an attack by Gen. DeLancey's Loyalist Corps.

HENRY GREENE JACKSON, Great-great-great-grandson

FRANCIS VREELAND GREENE, Great-great-great-grandson

JAMES GREENE: Of Coventry, R. I. Private—enlisted at Providence for 9 months in Rhode Island Regiment

for year 1781. Enlisted March 1782 for 9 months. Capt. Allen's Company, Col. Olney's Regiment, transferred to Capt. Maconber's Company. Private, enlisted from Coventry, April 12, 1782, for 9 months, Richard Waterman's Class, Campaign of 1782.

WARREN MANFORD GREENE, Great-grandson

GEORGE HADLEY: Of Weare, N. H. Member of the Committee of Safety at Weare, N. H. In 1776, he served as Private, length of service 4 months and 24 days. In 1777 he served as a Private in Gen. Gates' Army, length of service 13 weeks in a campaign to Fort Edward.

RALPH VINCENT HADLEY, Great-grandson

WILLIAM HANDY: Of Guilford, Conn. Member of Stephen Hall's Company in the 7th Regiment, Connecticut Line. He enlisted April 22, 1777, and was honorably discharged Jan. 9, 1778. This regiment, commanded by Gen. McDougall, was with Washington's Army in Pennsylvania and fought at Germantown Oct. 4, 1777, suffering some loss. Wintered at Valley Forge, 1777-'78. June 28th, present at the Battle of Monmouth. He enlisted again Feb. 9, 1778, for the war in Capt. Panitus' Regiment of "Artificers." This regiment was at Brandywine, Germantown, Monmouth and other fields.

BARNES NEWBERRY, Great-great-great-grandson

JOHN HATHAWAY: Of Dighton, Mass. Lieutenant-Colonel in John Daggett's Regiment. Enlisted Jan. 1, 1778, discharged April 1, 1778—service, 3 months, 2 days. With Brig. Gen. Ezek Cornell's Brigade, Regiment stationed at Rhode Island for 3 months. June 9, 1777, appointed Colonel, 2d Bristol Company Regiment of Massachusetts Militia. Commissioned June 9, 1778. Colonel of same regiment, Brig. Gen. George Godfrey's Brigade, returns dated July 5th, 1779.

EDWARD EVERETT GOFF, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL HAYWARD: Of Newport, R. I. Enlisted in Capt. Caleb Carr's Company, Col. Lippitt's Regiment, at Newport in 1776. He served with the regiment in New York and New Jersey. Subsequently, the British having occupied Newport during his absence, he was a Private in Col. Sherburne's Regiment in the attempted capture of Newport from the British. Later he was on the privateer or Warship Deane (Hague), and the last record of him reports him a prisoner of war in Forton Prison, Portsmouth, England.

RALPH ELDREDGE HAYWARD, Great-great-grandson  
WALTER HAYWARD, Great-great-grandson

THADDEUS HAZELTINE: Of Townshend, Vt. Private in Capt. John Burt's Company, Col. Samuel Fletche's Regiment of Militia. Served in March, 1781.

WILLIAM FREDERICK HAZELTON, Great-grandson

SIMEON HERRENDON (HARRINGTON): Of Scituate, R. I.—Captain, 2d Company, Militia, Scituate, chosen May, 1776. Captain of a company in Col. West's Regiment, 1776. Captain of a company in Col. Barton's Regiment of Militia, 1777. Captain, 2d Company Militia, Scituate, chosen May, 1778. Captain same company, chosen May, 1779. Captain same company, chosen February, 1780, and June, 1780.

ARTHUR MILTON McCRILLIS, Great-great-grandson

NATHAN HICKS: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Sergeant, Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's Company,—stationed at Brookline for 6 weeks, and dismissed Jan. 15, 1776. Capt. Isaac Hodge's Company—service from Aug. 12, 1776, to October, 1776. Same company, Col. Ebenezer Francis' Regiment. Company receipt for wages for October, 1776, dated Dorchester. Sergeant in same company and regiment. Capt. Sylvanus Martin's Company, Col. Williams'

Regiment—service from Sept. 29, 1777, to Oct. 30, 1777, at Tiverton, R. I.

HUNTER CARSON WHITE, Great-great-grandson

DANIEL HOPKINS: Of Scituate, R. I.—June, 1775, 3 months in Capt. Stephen Sheldon's Company; December, 1776 and February, 1777, same company under Capt. Isaac Hopkins, and Lieut. Thomas Field's Company; August, 1778, 20 days in Capt. William Howard's Company.

ARTHUR MILTON McCRILLIS, Great-great-grandson

ESEK HOPKINS: Of Scituate and Providence, R. I. Commander-in-Chief of the Continental Navy, Dec. 22, 1775, to Jan. 2, 1778. Also holder of various military and civil offices in Rhode Island.

MARSHALL HOPKINS GOULD, Great-great-great-grandson

NATHAN HOW: Of Shrewsbury, Mass. Captain. Commission dated Feb. 5th, 1776. He commanded a company in Col. Josiah Whitney's Regiment during the siege of Boston, and said company assisted in throwing up works on Dorchester Heights during the night. From an illness taken at that time, he never recovered.

CLARENCE RAYMOND HOWE, Great-great-great-grandson

NOAH ELY HUBBARD: Of Sheffield, Mass. Enlisted in Berkshire County, Mass., Sept. 21, 1777. Discharged October 9, 1777. Private, Capt. William Fellows' Company of matrosses under Lieut. Paul Dewey in Brig. Gen. John Fellows' Brigade of Berkshire County, Mass. Fought against Burgoyne under Gen. Horatio Gates in the Saratoga Campaign.

FREDERICK IRVING COLLINS, Great-grandson

JOSEPH JAMES: Of Exeter, R. I. Sergeant in Capt. Thomas Gorton's Company, Col. Christopher Lippitt's

Regiment, 1776 and 1777. Lieutenant in Capt. Joseph Draper's Company, 3d West Greenwich Company of R. I. Militia, 1777, 1778, 1779, 1780, and 1781.

HENRY MORRIS JAMES, Great-grandson

JEREMIAH JENKS: Of Newport, N. H. Lieutenant of the Newport, N. H. volunteers (July, 1776), and was among those who left June 9, 1777 to take part in the capture of Ticonderoga.

THOMAS ALLEN JENCKES, JR., Great-great-grandson

JOHN COLE JEWETT: Of Ipswich, Mass. Private in Capt. Daniels Rogers' Company,—marched on the alarm of the 19th of April, 1775.

EARLE CHARLES TAYLOR JEWETT, Great-great-grandson

OLIVER JILLSON: Of Attleboro, Mass. Left home at the age of fifteen and enlisted in the navy. Served on several vessels—one was the General Mifflin of twenty guns and two hundred men, which made several captures near the English coast, including a privateer of eighteen guns and 80 men. He was on board one of the vessels under the command of Commodore Whipple at the surrender of Charleston to the British, May 12, 1780. He returned home on parole, and enlisted again in July of the same year, serving in the navy and merchant service till some time after the close of the war.

CLIFFORD GREENE DYER, Great-great-grandson

BENJAMIN REYNOLDS THURSTON, Great-great-grandson

THOMAS JOHNSON: Of Newbury, Vt.—Captain of Volunteers, 1777. Colonel and aide to Gen. Lincoln at Ticonderoga. Captured by the British and held as a prisoner in Canada, 1781; paroled Oct. 5, 1781.

CARLETON HALE, Great-great-grandson

GORDON DYER HALE, Great-great-grandson

MICAJAH KELLEY: Of Amesbury, Mass. Enlisted June, 1776 at the age of 15 in Capt. Dodge's Company, Col. Francis' (N. H.) Regiment. He re-enlisted July, 1779 in Capt. Jonathan Leavett's Company, Col. Mooney's N. H. Regiment. He first served 2 months as a substitute and in the second enlistment, 6 months as a Private. Pensioned.

ARTHUR LIVINGSTON KELLEY, Great-great-grandson

JOHN KELTON: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private, Capt. Isaac Hodge's Company. Service from Aug. 12, 1776, to Oct. 1, 1776. Also Capt. Hodge's Company, Col. Ebenezer Francis' Regiment, company receipt for wages for October and November, 1776.

HUNTER CARSON WHITE, Great-great-grandson

WILLIAM KENYON: Of Charlestown, R. I. Enlisted August 1, 1776, as Orderly Sergeant and served 4 months under Capt. Samuel Sweet, Col. John Cook; December, 1776, or January, 1777, he served 8 months with same rank under Capt. Ebenezer Adams, Col. Elliott; he was drafted from above company and served under Capt. Amos Green; March, 1778, he served 2 months under Capt. John Clark, Col. Charles Dyer; July, 1778, 1 month under Capt. Amos Green, Col. Noyes; March, 1779, 4 months under Capt. Lewis, Col. Joseph Noyes, serving with the rank of Orderly Sergeant throughout. Pensioned.

WALTER KENYON PULLEN, Great-great-grandson

TIMOTHY KETCHAM: Of Huntington, L. I. In May, 1775, he with other residents of the town, pledged themselves to support the cause of the Colonies in the coming struggle for independence. When the British landed on Long Island, he joined the army and was in the Battle of Long Island, serving in Gen. Putnam's Brigade. Was one of the defenders of the town of Fairfield, Conn.,



when it was taken and burned by Gov. Tyren, and in the retreat he was wounded in the head. He recovered and once more joined the army, serving until the close of the war.

RUSSELL HOWARD HANDY, Great-great-grandson

JOHN JENCKS KILTON: Of Providence, R. I. In June, 1772, member of the party which, disguised as Indians, boarded the British Revenue Sloop "Gaspee," and set her on fire. He was frequently in service during the war, and was in Sullivan's Expedition to the Island of Rhode Island in 1778.

LEVERETT COOPER STEVENS, Great-grandson

ROBERT KYLE: Of Cumberland Co., Penn. Private of the 5th class during two years, 1780 and 1781, in the Cumberland County Militia of the State of Pennsylvania. He was enrolled in Capt. William Huston's Company, which was the 5th Company of the 4th Battalion of the Cumberland County Militia, commanded by Col. Samuel Culberston.

LOUIS EDWIN JONES, Great-great-grandson

BENONI LATHAM: Of Smithfield, R. I. Private in Col. Robert Elliott's Regiment, Capt. Wescott's Company. His time of enlistment in Col. Elliott's Regiment of Artillery expired March 29, 1780.

JONATHAN FARNUM COMSTOCK, Great-great-grandson

AUGUSTUS JOHNSON LEWIS: Of Charlestown, R. I. Private. Service about 2 years, between November, 1775, and November, 1779. Officers under whom he served: Capt. Roswell Smith, Col. John Cooke, Capt. Amos Greene, Col. Joseph Noyes, Lieut. Beriah Lewis, Col. Joseph Noyes. Was engaged in Spencer's and Sullivan's Expeditions. Pensioned.

HUNTER CARSON WHITE, Great-great-grandson

JONATHAN LILLIBRIDGE: Of Exeter, R. I. Ensign of 3d Company from town of Exeter, June, 1778.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TEFFT, JR., Great-great-grandson

CHARLES LIPPITT: Of Cranston and Providence, R. I. Asst. Commissary of Issues at Warwick, R. I., April 1, 1778. Pensioned.

CHARLES WARREN LIPPITT, JR., Great-great-grandson

ISALAH LINDLEY: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private in Capt. Sylvanus Martin's Company, Col. Williams' Regiment. Service from Sept. 29, 1777, to Oct. 30, 1777, at Tiverton, R. I.

HUNTER CARSON WHITE, Great-great-great-grandson

JOHN LOOMIS: Of Lebanon, Conn. Private in Capt. Sergeant's Company, Major Backus' Regiment, Connecticut Light Horse. 1776—Sept. 7,—Nov. 2.

ARTHUR MILTON McCRILLIS, Great-great-grandson

JACOBUS LOW: Of Kingston, N. Y. Private in Capt. Tobias Van Buren's Company of the regiment of Ulster county militia commanded by Col. Johannis Snyder and Major Adrian Wynkoop. Oct. 10, 1778, June 8, 1779, July 3, 1780.

McDONALD LOW EDINGER, Great-great-great-grandson

NATHANIEL MANCHESTER: Of Bristol, R. I. Private in the Continental Troops at periods, 1775 to 1780.—Pensioned.

HOWARD NORCOTT MANCHESTER, Great-great-great-grandson

ISAAC MARSHALL: Of Billerica, Mass. He responded to the Lexington Alarm in Col. Moses Parker's Company, 1775; was at the Battle of White Plains in Capt. Zacheus

Wright's Company, Col. Brook's Regiment, October, 1776; served in Rhode Island in Capt. John Minot's Company, Col. Josiah Whitney's Regiment, Massachusetts Militia, 1777; served in Capt. Stephen Russell's Company, Col. Samuel Bullard's Regiment, Massachusetts Militia, 1777; commissioned First Lieutenant, 2d Company, 7th Division, Massachusetts Militia, June 29, 1790.

JOHN CARTER BROWN WOODS, (supplemental), Great-great-grandson

JOHN MANSUR: Of Methuen, Mass. Sergeant in company commanded by Maj. Samuel Bodwell, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3½ days,—Methuen Train Band.

WILLIAM LOUIS CHAPMAN, Great-great-grandson

GIDEON MARTIN: Of Woodbury, Conn. Captain in the Fifth Regiment of Light Horse, Major Elisha Sheldon, which was organized in May, 1776, with five troops. Quartermaster in Capt. Thomas Bull's Company, marched October 23, 1776, discharged November 30, 1776. In Major Sheldon's Regiment of Light Horse, which accompanied Washington on his retreat through New Jersey. Appears with rank of Quartermaster on payroll of Capt. Thomas Bull's Company of Light Horse when ordered to New York in July, 1776. Marched July 4, 1776.—Discharged or returned home July 20, 1776.

FREDERICK ROY MARTIN, Great-great-grandson

NATHANIEL MARTIN: Of Barrington, R. I. Elected by the General Assembly at its May session, 1771, and May session, 1772, Lieutenant-Colonel for Bristol County. At the May session, 1776, he was made Colonel of the regiment of militia for the county of Bristol, and at the October session, 1776, he was appointed Colonel of the 1st Regiment of Militia of Bristol County. At the April session, 1777, he was appointed to advance bounties to

soldiers of the state enlisted from the town of Barrington.

GEORGE WILSON PAYNE, Great-great-great-grandson

SYLVANUS MARTIN: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Captain, 3d Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment of Massachusetts Militia. Commissioned March 27, 1776; Captain of a company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment—service, 16 days at Bristol, R. I., on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776; Captain of a company, Col. Williams' Regiment—service from Sept. 29, 1777, to Oct. 30, 1777, at Tiverton, R. I.; Captain in Col. George Williams' Regiment—1777 and 1778. A member of the Com. of Safety. He commanded a company in the Expedition of Gen. Spencer against the British on Rhode Island, and in a spirited action, he drove the British ships, commanded by Capt. Wallace, from Bristol Harbor.

WILLIAM OLIVER BLANDING, Great-great-grandson

HERBERT ALLEN MATTESON, Great-great-great-grandson

AMOS MASON: Of Swansea, Mass. Served in Col. Thomas Carpenter's (Bristol County) Regiment. Private, Capt. Peleg Shearman's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Served from Oct. 13,-Oct. 18, 1777, 5 days on a secret expedition to Rhode Island, at request of Gen. Spencer, mileage (12 miles) allowed from Swanzey to Howland's Ferry. Also Capt Peter Peck's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Entered service, Aug. 2, 1780, discharged Aug. 9, 1780—service, 8 days. Company marched to Tiverton, R. I., on an alarm. All the men in Swanzey were joined in one company under Capt. Peck, the other officers refusing to serve.

LEPRILETE SWEET, Great-great-grandson

ASA MASON: Of Medfield, Mass. Marched on the Lexington Alarm, April 19, 1775. Also on the alarm of

Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775. Served at Dorchester Heights and at Castle Island in 1776.

FREDERICK RICHMOND ALLEN, Great-great-great-grandson

BENJAMIN MASON: Of Dublin, N. H. Chairman of Committee of Inspection (Dublin, N. H.), chosen March 7, 1775, who were to see that the Resolves of the Continental Congress were enforced. One of Dublin's fifty-seven signers of the declaration (May or June, 1776) supporting the Continental Congress. One of the twenty-six citizens of Dublin, N. H., who were soldiers of the Revolution.

HENRY HARRINGTON BROADFOOT, Great-great-great-grandson

CALEB MASON: Of Swansea, Mass. Private, on Lexington Alarm Roll, Capt. Phanael Bishop's Company, on alarm April 19, 1775, from Rehoboth, Mass., served 8 days. Also Private Muster Roll, Capt. James Hill's Rehoboth Company, Col. Williams' Regiment—served from Sept. 29, 1777, to Oct. 30, 1777; served at Tiverton, R. I.; also on list of men in Capt. Hill's Company, serving on expedition against Rhode Island for 1 month; discharged Oct. 3, 1777. Also Private, Muster Roll, Capt. Jabez Bullock's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment; enlisted Aug. 1, 1780, discharged Aug. 9, 1780—service, 9 days. Company marched to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780, and there served under Gen. Heath; also Capt. Peleg Shearman's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Bristol County Regiment—service from Oct. 13, to Oct. 18, 1777, 5 days on a secret expedition to Rhode Island on request of Gen. Spencer—mileage (12 miles) allowed from Swansea to Howland's Ferry; also Capt. Peleg Peck's Company, regiment entered service Aug. 1, 1780, discharged Aug. 9, 1780—ser-

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vice, 9 days. Company marched to Tiverton, R. I., on an alarm.

LEPRILETE SWEET, Great-great-great-grandson

JOSEPH CARLO MAURAN: Of Barrington, R. I. March, 1776, appointed Master of Row Galley "Spitfire." June, 1777, Captain of Row Galley "Washington." May 25, 1778, 500 British landed at Bristol, R. I., and destroyed the Row Galley "Washington" and many other boats near Warren, R. I. The enemy returned to Bristol and burned over 22 houses. An armed force made an attack on them and forced them back to their landing place. Capt. Mauran rendered effective service on this occasion, having brought to the scene of conflict a cannon which did good work in repelling the enemy.—July 16, 1778, the Council of War "recommended Capt. Mauran as a good and faithful sea officer to all Ye Friends of Ye United American Colonies." Capt. Mauran in the Privateer schooner "Weazle" of Warren, R. I., in November, 1778, took a brig of 140 tons, with wood and provisions bound from New York to Newport, and carried her into a safe port.

EDWARD DOUGLAS PEARCE, Great-grandson

JAMES MAXWELL: Of Warren, R. I. Private in Capt. Ezra Ormsbee's Company, 1776. Drafted in Capt. Caleb Carr's Company, 1777, to serve under Gen. Spencer. In Capt. Curtis Cole's Company, 1781. A prisoner on British prison ship, "Jersey."

JOSEPH THOMAS ADAMS EDDY, Great-grandson

ROBERT McCRILLIS: Of Lebanon, Maine. Private under Capt. David Place, Col. Joshua Wingate of Stratham on Seavey's Island in the defense of Piscataqua Harbor, Nov. 5, 1775. Private under Capt. David Copp in the siege of Boston at Winter Hill, Nov. 25, 1775. Private under Capt. John Drew, Col. Isaac Wyman of Keene in

the battalion of troops sent in the summer of 1776 to reinforce the army in Canada.

ARTHUR MILTON McCRILLIS, Great-great-grandson

JOHN MEDBERY: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Marched on alarm of April 19, 1775. Lyons and Perren's (Mass.) Companies. Service, 7 days. In Capt. John Perry's Company, Col. Timothy Walker's Regiment, 8 months to August 1, 1775. Lieutenant in Col. Henry Jackson's Regiment, April 27, 1777 to April 9, 1779.

ARTHUR HERBERT ARMINGTON, Great-grandson

HERBERT HAMLIN ARMINGTON, Great-great-grandson

THEODORE MIDDLETON: Of Prince George's County, Maryland. Lieutenant in the Second Maryland Extra Regiment of the Maryland Line, April, 1779, (having trained since 1776 in various companies for service in the Continental Army). He served under the following officers: Capt. Mounting Bailey, Maj. Giles, Col. Alexander Smith and Gen. Greear. As Lieutenant, he served two different terms—one of 14 months' duration and one of 16 months. Was at the Battle of Guilford Court House (and other engagements), returned home invalided in the month of October, 1781. Shortly after a commission was conferred upon him as Captain, and he was immediately sent to Annapolis, where he acted as Recruiting Officer for some months, at the expiration of which time he was discharged. He served from 1779 to '81, without pay. He also raised and equipped his companies at his own charge. Pensioned.

ST. GEORGE LEAKIN SIOUSSAT, Great-great-grandson

NATHAN MILLER: Of Warren, R. I. 1775, member of committee to audit accounts of Committee of Safety. Appointed Commissary and Sutler to troops under command of General Hopkins. 1776, Commissary of the brigade established by the General Assembly. 1777,

appointed Colonel of Regiment of Militia for Bristol Co. Recruiting Officer, Town of Warren. 1778, Colonel of Regiment of Militia for Bristol Co. Member of Council of War, Bristol County. 1779, Colonel of Regiment of Militia for Bristol County. Brig. General of the brigade in the Counties of Newport and Bristol. 1780, 1781, 1782 and 1783, Brigadier General in the Militia for the Counties of Newport and Bristol. 1784, Brigadier General. 1785, Delegate to Congress.

WILLIAM PARKER SARGENT, Great-great-grandson

NELSON MILLER: Of Warren, R. I. Drummer in Capt. Martindale's Company, Col. Church's Regiment. Service, 8 months from May, 1775. Re-inlisted in January, 1776, for 12 months as Drum-Major under Capt. Loring Peck and Col. Henry Babcock. Re-inlisted in January, 1777, for 15 months in Capt. Caleb Carr's Company, Col. Archibald Crary's Regiment. Participated in the battle at White Plains. Pensioned.

JOHN MASON BATTEY, Great-grandson

CHARLES WALTER BATTEY, Great-great-grandson

CALEB MOULTON: Of Sudbury, Mass. Sergeant, Capt. Nathaniel Cudworth's Company of Minute Men, Col. Abijah Pierce's Regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775. Service, 1 month, 11 days. Lieutenant in Capt. Caleb Brook's Company, Col. Nicholas Dike's Regiment. (Pay abstract for travel allowances dated Boston, Nov. 27, 1776). Captain of company commanded by Lieut. Eliphalet Hastings, subsequent to Oct. 11th, 1778—Col. Thomas Poore's Regiment. Entered service June 8th, 1778, discharged Oct. 11th, 1778. Service, 4 months, 14 days at North River. Also same company and regiment, pay-roll for September, 1778. Dated Fort Clinton. Also regimental order dated West Point, Oct. 12th, 1778.

RICHARD LEONARD MOULTON, Great-great-great-grandson



PHILEMON MUNROE: Of Lexington, Mass. Minute Man at the Battle of Lexington—April 19, 1775. Private in Capt. Benjamin Blaney's Company. Service, 3 days. Company marched to Point Shirley, June 13, 1776, by order of Gen. Lincoln. Private in Capt. Benjamin Blaney's Company, Col. Eleazer Brooke's Regiment of Guards. Enlisted Jan. 12, 1778, service to April 3, 1778.—83 days at Cambridge. Private in Capt. John Walton's Company. Service between Sept. 4, and Sept. 11, 1778.—6 days.

JAMES EMERY REED, Great-grandson

LESLIE FOWLER MOWRY, Great-great-grandson

PERCY REED MOWRY, Great-great-grandson

AMASA NEWBERRY: Of Windsor, Conn. Enlisted July 10, 1775, in Capt. Charles Ellsworth's East Windsor Company, the 5th of the 8th Regiment, Col. Jedediah Huntington commanding. This regiment was stationed on the Sound until Sept. 14th, when, at the request of Washington, it was ordered to Roxbury and assigned to Gen. Spencer's Brigade. Remained until expiration of term of service, December, 1775. He served also in Capt. John Simon's Company, Col. Erastus Wolcott, of Windsor, formed by a call from Gen. Washington to guard the lines at various points until the new army had been established. They remained in service about six weeks in Boston after the enemy evacuated. In this command he was a Corporal. He enlisted again in Capt. Roswell Grant's Company, Jan. 8, 1778, and served as Sergeant. The regiment, commanded by Col. Johnson, served in Rhode Island until March 7, 1778.

BARNES NEWBERRY, Great-great-grandson

EMOR OLNEY: Of Johnston, R. I. Captain, 2d Company Militia, Johnston, June, 1775; Captain same company, May, 1776; Captain same company, May, 1778; Captain same company, May, 1779; declined to serve June, 1779; Captain in Col. John Mathewson's Regiment,

against Newport; served, 22 days, from Aug. 6-27, 1778. Endorsed for town of Johnston, Sept. 20, 1779; Captain, 2d Company Militia, Johnston, February, 1780. Was in command of "Ye 2d Company, Johnston, in Col. Jabez Bowen's Regiment" (4th Division) at Pawtuxet, R. I., from Dec. 7, 1776, to April 21, 1777. Chairman of Commission from Johnston to complete state's quota of Continental Army, appointed by General Assembly, November session, 1780.

WILLIAM ALFRED POTTER, Great-grandson

HENRY OLNEY POTTER, Great-great-grandson

RICHARD PALMER: Of Little Compton, R. I. First Master, Ship Independence, Joseph Olney, Captain, a privateer fitted out at, and sailing from, Providence, 1781; was captured and imprisoned on the Jersey prison ship and died of fever contracted there shortly after his return home.

JOHN SIMMONS PALMER, 2D, Great-great-grandson.

JONATHAN PARKHURST: Of Connecticut. Served in Capt. David Cady's Company, Col. Samuel Chapman's Regiment in Newport, R. I. Expedition. Entered service Aug. 2, 1778, discharged Sept. 12, 1778.

EDWARD CLINTON PARKHURST, Great-grandson

JOSHUA PEARCE, JR: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private, Capt. Stephen Bullock's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment; company marched from Rehoboth to Bristol, R. I., on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776.

WALTER MASON BAKER, Great-great-grandson

MOSES PEARSON: Of Bradford, Mass. Sergeant in Capt. Nathaniel Gage's Company of Minute Men at the Lexington Alarm, April 19, 1775. Marched to Cambridge, time, 7 days. Sergeant in Capt. Nathaniel Gage's Company, Col. Frye's Regiment—fought at Bunker Hill.

Sergeant in Capt. Daniel Pilsbury's Company, Col. Edward Wigglesworth. Enlisted Feb. 26, 1777, and served until Feb. 26, 1780. Pensioned.

BYRON SPRAGUE WATSON, Great-great-grandson

JOSHUA PENDLETON: Of Westerly, R. I. Ensign of the 1st Company Militia at Westerly in August, 1774; re-appointed, June, 1775, commissioned Lieutenant, 31 October, 1775, and 1776; Captain, May, 1777, and received subsequent appointments as Captain up to February, 1780. In Gen. Sullivan's Expedition against Newport in August, 1778. He served as Captain in Col. Noyes' Regiment, and received payment for "Provisions found" from 25 July to 1 August, 1778.

MATTHIAS WISEN BAKER, Great-great-grandson

MATTHIAS WISEN BAKER, JR., Great-great-grandson

EBENEZER PERKINS: Of Exeter, R. I. Private, 3d Company of Exeter Militia, George Wilcox, Captain, 1778.

WILLIAM LENOX PERKINS, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL PHILBRICK: Of Weare, N. H. Captain of the 4th Company, 9th Regiment of Militia of the Colony of New Hampshire, September, 1775.—Captain of a company raised out of Col. Moore's Regiment of Militia, which marched to Charlestown on alarm of July, 1777. He assisted in raising money and recruiting soldiers for several small expeditions to take Champlain. He took part in one of these expeditions, and was looked upon as a leader in Weare and surrounding towns.

ARTHUR LLOYD PHILBRICK, Great-great-grandson

JEDEDIAH PHIPPS: Of Sherburne, Mass. Appears on a list of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Col. Bullard's Regiment as returned by Aaron

Gardner, Captain 1st Company. Joined Capt. Morse's Company, Col. Putnam's Regiment. Term, 3 years. Appears on list of men mustered by Nathaniel Barber, dated Boston, May 25, 1777. Capt. Morse's Company, Col. Putnam's Regiment. Appears as Private on muster return for same company and regiment, dated Feb. 9, 1778. Appears as Private on Continental Army Pay Accounts of same company and regiment for service from April 1, 1777, to December 31, 1779. Appears as Private on Continental Army Pay Accounts of Capt. Gardner's Company, Col. Putnam's Regiment, for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to April 1, 1780. Appears as Private on Muster and Pay Roll of Capt. Amos Perry's Company, Col. Abner Perry's Regiment. Marched July 28, 1780, discharged August 8, 1780. Service, 14 days. Company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of July 28, 1780.

FREDERICK LEWIS WEIS, Great-great-great-grand-  
son

JOHN PHIPPS: Of Sherburne, Mass. Fifer on Lexington Alarm Roll of Capt. Henry Leland's Company of Militia, Col. Samuel Bullard's Regiment, on the alarm of April 19, 1775. Length of service, 6 days. Private in Capt. Benjamin Bullard's Company, Col. Jonathan Brewer's Regiment. Enlisted April 25, 1775. Length of service, 98 days. Served in same company and regiment, Oct. 6, 1775. Appears in a list of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Col. Bullard's Regiment, as returned by Aaron Gardner, Captain 1st Company. Engaged for town of Sherburne. Joined Capt. Morse's Company, Col. Putnam's Regiment—term, 3 years. Appears in a list of men mustered by Nathaniel Barber, dated Boston, March 30, 1777. Capt. Morse's Company, Col. Putnam's Regiment. First Sergeant, Capt. Joseph Morse's Company, Col. Putnam's Regiment, return dated Feb. 9, 1778. Sergeant on Continental Army Pay

Accounts of Capt. Joseph Morse's Company, Col. Rufus Putnam's 4th Regiment, for service from Jan. 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779. Fifer on Muster and Pay Roll of Capt. Amos Perry's Company, Col. Abner Perry's Regiment. Marched July 28, 1780, discharged July 31, 1780. Service, 6 days. Company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of July 28, 1780.

FREDERICK LEWIS WEIS, Great-great-great-grandson

ISAAC PIERCE: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Served as a Private in the Continental Army when he was sixteen years old, while the British were at Newport,—part of the time under Col. Olney. Private in Capt. Nathaniel Ide's Company, Col. Carpenter's Regiment. Enlisted Aug. 16, 1779, discharged Sept. 15, 1779. Service, 1 month. Company detached from militia to serve at Rhode Island for 4 weeks in a regiment under Capt. Samuel Fisher. Pension allowed for one year's actual service as a Private in the Rhode Island troops.

PHILIP ALLEN MUNROE, Grandson

HAROLD BATEMAN MUNROE, Great-grandson

CHESTER PIERCE MUNROE, Great-grandson

WALDO EVERETT TANNER, Great-great-great-grandson

JONATHAN POLLARD: Of Harvard, Mass. Second Lieutenant in Capt. John Davis' Company of Minute Men. Service, 8 days.

WILLIAM LOUIS CHAPMAN, Great-great-grandson

NEHEMIAH PORTER: Of Rindge, N. H. Private in Capt. Philip Thomas' Company, Col. James Reed's Regiment to the 1st of August, 1775. Enlisted April 30, 1775—service, 3 months, 9 days.

PHILIP CORYDON MEANS, Great-great-great-grandson

SEWARD PORTER: Of Weymouth, Mass. Private in Capt. John Wentworth's Company, Aug. 20, 1776.

PHILIP CORYDON MEANS, Great-great-grandson

CALEB POTTER: Of Cranston, R. I. Private in the Captain General's Cavaliers, a Corps of Cavalry under the command of Col. Benjamin Slack and Col. Manton, which did service in the expedition to Rhode Island from July 24 to Aug. 31, 1778. Also served in Capt. Charles Holden, Jr.'s. Company during November, 1780.

MARSHALL HINGSTON SHELDON, Great-great-great-grandson

EDWARD SHELDON SPICER, Great-great-great-grandson

WILLIAM ARNOLD SPICER, Great-great-great-grandson

MOWRY POTTER: Of Providence, R. I. Master, Sloop "Triton," 1776. Was commissioned April 30th, 1777, as Captain of the privateer, "Eagle," a schooner of ten guns. This ship was put in commission by the state of Rhode Island, under the act of the Continental Congress; and which vessel cruised against the enemies of the United States. Subsequent to the termination of his services as Captain of the "Eagle," he entered the Merchant Marine service as Captain of Sloop "Industry." His ship was captured by the enemy and he was sent as a prisoner of war on board the old prison ship "Jersey." He was confined there for eighteen months, securing his release with the termination of the war.

FERDINAND WILLARD POTTER, Great-great-grandson

CHARLES ALFRED POTTER, Great-great-grandson

JOHN PRESTON: Of Windham, Conn. Served in Capt. Knowlton's Company, which marched for the relief of Boston upon the Lexington Alarm, April 19, 1775. Served under Capt. Asa Bacon in 6th Company, 6th Battalion, Connecticut, 1776. Sergeant in Capt. Aaron Foot's Company, Col. Hooker's Regiment, Connecticut Line, 1777.

HOWARD WILLIS PRESTON, Great-great-grandson

JOSHUA RANDALL: Of Dartmouth, Mass. Fifer in Capt. Daniel Egery's Company, Col. Danielson's Regiment. Enlisted May 4, 1775—service, 3 months, 4 days. Fifer, Capt. Benjamin Dillingham's Company, enlisted April 17, 1776, service, 7 months, 11 days. Fifer in Capt. John Gibb's Company, Col. John Jacob's Regiment. Enlisted July 23, 1780, discharged Oct. 27, 1780—service, 3 months, 6 days in Rhode Island.

SAMUEL LEVI GANTS, Great-great-grandson

ROBERT RHODES: Of Warwick, R. I. 1777, appointed Recruiting Officer, Warwick, R. I. June, 1778, chosen Captain of Alarm Company, Warwick. June, 1779, chosen Captain of Alarm Company, Warwick, R. I. June, 1780, appointed to receive recruits in Warwick. May, 1781, Captain in Battalion of Militia Artillery Company, senior class.

WILLIAM ARNOLD SPENCER, Great-great-great-grandson

EDWARD RICHARDS: Of Attleboro, Mass. Member of Committee of Safety and of Correspondence. Private in Capt. Abiel Clap's Company, Col. Carpenter's (Bristol County) Regiment—service, 34 days, from July 24, 1777. Private in Capt. Samuel Robinson's Company. Enlisted June 21, 1778—service, 22 days at Rhode Island. Private in Capt. Alexander Foster's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Enlisted July 27, 1780, discharged July 31, 1780—service, 7 days on an alarm, at Tiverton, R. I.

EDGAR RICHARDS BARKER, Great-great-grandson

JESSE RICHARDS: Of Attleboro, Mass. Private in Capt. Isaac Hodge's Company, from Aug. 12, 1776, to Oct. 1, 1776. Private in same company, Col. Ebenezer Francis' Regiment, Nov. 29, 1776. Private in Capt. Stephen

Richardson's Company—service, 25 days in Rhode Island, 1777, April and May. Corporal in Capt. Enoch Robinson's Company—enlisted Aug. 12, 1779, discharged Sept. 11, 1779—service, 1 month, 1 day. Detached duty in Rhode Island, 4 weeks. Corporal of Capt. Enoch Robinson's Company, Col. Isaac Dean's Regiment, from July 31, 1780, to Aug. 8, 1780—company marched to Tiverton, R. I.

EDGAR RICHARDS BARKER, Great-grandson

**BENJAMIN RICHARDSON:** Of Leicester, Mass. First Lieutenant on Lexington Alarm Roll of Capt. Thomas Newhall's Company of Militia, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge. Service, 10 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  days. Captain, 1st Company, Col. Samuel Denny's Regiment of Massachusetts Militia. Commissioned April 5, 1776. Captain on list of officers chosen to command three companies drafted from Brig. Jonathan Warner's Brigade, dated July 27, 1776, the companies to serve at and about Boston. Captain in Col. Dike's Regiment—returns dated, Sept. 21, Sept. 27, and November 28, 1776.

FREDERICK LEWIS WEIS, Great-great-great-grandson

ROBERT LEWIS WEIS, Great-great-great-grandson

**JOHN ROGERS RICHMOND:** Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private in Capt. Joseph Franklin's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment—Dec. 8th, 1776. Private in Capt. Jabez Bullock's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment, Aug. 1st, 1780.

JOHN FRANCIS RICHMOND, Great-grandson

**JOHN HENRY RIEDEL:** Of Douglas, Mass. Private in Artillery Company, Capt. John Wiley, 1775; Sergeant, Capt. Winthrop Gray's 3d Company, Col. Thomas Crafts' (Artillery) Regiment—service from time of enlistment, 83 days to Aug. 1, 1777. In Capt. Gray's Company as Sergeant, April 13, 1778; transferred to Col. Armand's



Corps as Quartermaster and Ensign. In service as Ensign from April, 1778, to March 7, 1780.

EDWARD KIMBALL ALDRICH, JR., Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL ROBBINS: Of Voluntown, Conn. Lieutenant of the 7th Company, 21st Regiment of Connecticut, March, 1775. Lieutenant, Capt. John Gordon's Company, Major James Gordon—served, 1 day "for the relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm," April, 1775. Captain, 7th Company Militia, 21st Regiment, Col. Huntington, residence Voluntown, Connecticut Line, 1777-1781.

ALGERNON STERRY GALLUP, Great-grandson

CHRISTOPHER ROBINSON, JR.: Of South Kingstown, R. I. First Lieutenant, 5th Company, Capt. Eben Adams, Col. Roberts' Regiment of Artillery. June, 1777, Second Lieutenant, Capt. Adams' Company, Col. Elliott, February, 1778, Captain-Lieutenant in same company. July, 1779, Commissary for hospital. Second Lieutenant in Capt. Ebenezer Adams' Company of Militia, June, 1777. First Lieutenant in 5th Company, Capt. Ebenezer Adams, Col. Robert Elliott's Regiment of Artillery. Return dated Oct. 2, 1777.

ALBERT RODMAN NICHOLS, Great-great-grandson

BENJAMIN ROPER: Of Sterling, Mass. A soldier in the Continental Army. Marched to camp July 10, 1780, discharged Dec. 15, 1780.

FREMONT EMERSON ROPER, Great-great-grandson

ADNAH SACKETT: Of Westfield, Mass. Commissioned April 22, 1776, First Lieutenant of Capt. Daniel Sackett's Company of the 3rd Hampshire County, Massachusetts Regiment commanded by Col. John Moseley.

HENRY WESTON SACKETT, Great-great-grandson

CHRISTOPHER SARGENT: Of Amesbury, Mass. Private on the alarm of April 19, 1775.

GEORGE WARREN GARDNER, Great-great-grandson

JOHN SARGENT: Of Leicester, Mass. Was a soldier of the American Revolution. He joined the army as a private in 1780 in Capt. Frothingham's Company of Artillery—Fourth Division, Mass.

WILLIAM PARKER SARGENT, Great-grandson

ROBERT SARGENT: Of Amesbury, Mass. Private on the alarm of April 19, 1775.

GEORGE WARREN GARDNER, Great-great-grandson

ISRAEL SAYLES: Of Gloucester, R. I. Private in Capt. Asa Kimball's Company, 2d Regiment of Foot, R. I., Col. Christopher Lippitt's Brigade, June 5, 1776, Newport. Private in Capt. B. Hoppin's Company. Enlisted Feb. 18, discharged Sept. 13, 1776.

FRED LINCOLN SAYLES, Great-great-grandson

MARTIN SENSENDERFER: Of New Hanover, Pa. Private in Capt. Beiteman's Company, 4th Battalion, Philadelphia County Militia, Col. William Dean, Dec. 22, 1776.

WINFIELD SCOTT SOLOMON, JR., Great-great-grandson

JONATHAN SIMMONS: Of Newport, R. I. Ensign, 2d Company, Newport, 1774. Lieutenant of Capt. Tew's Company of Newport and Bristol Regiment in Army of Observation, 1775. Ensign of 1st Company, 1st Regiment, Newport Militia, 1776. Lieutenant of Church's Rhode Island Regiment, 3d, May to December, 1775.

JOHN SIMMONS PALMER, 2D, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL SMITH: Of Suffolk County, N. Y. First Lieutenant in Capt. Nathaniel Platt's Company, Smithtown, and in Col. Josiah Smith's Regiment 1st Suffolk County, N. Y. Militia. He also signed Articles of Association adopted by Congress assembled in New York, May 25, 1775.

WILLIAM MABLEY MUNCY, Great-great-great-grandson

HENRY SOMERBY: Of Newbury, Mass. Sergeant in Capt. Gideon Woodwell's Detachment, Massachusetts Militia, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service to April 23, 1775—6 days.

IRVING MASON SAUL, Great-great-great-grandson

SAMUEL SPENCER: Of Windham, Conn. Enlisted in the Corps of Artificers, Gen. Baldwin's Regiment, Feb. 20, 1778, at the age of sixteen years, and served three years. Pensioned.

CHARLES FRANKLIN GREENE, Great-great-grandson

JOSEPH SPICER: Of Groton, Conn. and Hopkinton, R. I. A recognized patriot. At the time of the pillaging foray of Benedict Arnold into Connecticut, he was a boy of sixteen and with other volunteers went from Groton to Norwich with ox-carts, after the slaughter at Fort Griswold, Sept. 6, 1781, to obtain coffins in order that the victims might be properly interred. His impressions of the long night ride—with such a load—in the general terror-stricken condition of the country, were such as lasted throughout his long life.

GEORGE THURSTON SPICER, (Supplemental), Great-grandson

JOHN SPIES: Of New York. Served as private soldier and drummer in Capt. Benjamin Walker's Company, 2d New York Regiment, commanded by Col. Philip Cort-

land. He enlisted April 1st, 1781, to serve during the war. He was promoted to be drummer Oct. 11th, 1781, and his name is last borne on the company's muster roll, dated May 21st, 1783.

FREDERICK SPIES PENFOLD, Great-grandson

NATHANIEL STONE: Of Cranston, R. I. Served as private, January, 1776, 17 days, Capt. Joe King; January, 1777, 2 months, Capt. Anthony Potter; April, 1777, 1 month, Capt. Day; June, 1777, 1 month, Capt. Congdon; August, 1778, 1 month, Capt. Burlingame; June, 1780, 1 month, Capt. Colvin; August, 1780, 1 month, Capt. Peter Tyler; October, 1780, 1 month, Capt. Roberts; April, 1781, 1 month as Sergeant, Capt. Roberts. Pensioned.

WALTER ERNEST RANDALL, Great-grandson

GIDEON SWEET: Of Attleboro, Mass. Appears with rank of Corporal on Lexington Alarm Roll of Capt. Moses Wilmarth's Company, Col. John Daggett's Regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, from Attleboro; service, 11 days. Also appears with rank of Corporal on Muster and Pay Roll of Capt. Caleb Richardson's Company, Col. Timothy Walker's Regiment, dated Aug. 1, 1775. Enlisted May 1, 1775—service, 3 months, 8 days. Also appears with rank of Corporal on company return of Capt. Richardson's Company, Col. Walker's Regiment, Oct. 6, 1775. His name appears among signatures to an order for Bounty Coat, or its equivalent in money due for the eight months' service in 1775, in Capt. Caleb Richardson's Company, Col. Timothy Walker's Regiment, dated Roxbury, Nov. 30, 1775, payable to Daniel Richardson.

LEPRILETE SWEET, Great-grandson

BENJAMIN TALLMAN: Of Portsmouth, R. I. Major of First Rhode Island Regiment in 1775, Lieutenant-Colonel, 1776, Colonel, December, 1776. In 1776, he built



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for the Government two frigates, one named the Warren of thirty-two guns, commanded by Capt. Hopkins; the other the Providence of twenty-eight guns, commanded by Capt. Abraham Whipple. After these vessels were finished he was placed in command of a regiment. Later he was sent to Black Rock on the river above New London to superintend the building of another vessel called the Confederacy.

HARRY CARR TALLMAN, Great-great-grandson

CHARLES ALBERT RUSSELL, Great-great-grandson

ALBERT IRONS RUSSELL, Great-great-great-grandson

WILLIAM TAYLOR: Of North Kingstown. In 1775, was appointed by the state as "Ensign" of the 2nd Company of Militia in the Colony of North Kingstown. On the third Monday in August, 1775, he was appointed as "Captain" of the same company. On the first Wednesday of May, 1776, he was appointed "Captain" of the Second Company and also employed as special guard on the shores of Narragansett. In 1780, he was appointed Captain of Senior Class Company, South Kingstown. 1781, he was appointed Captain of Senior Class Artillery Company, Third Battalion in the County of Kings.

EZBOX SANFORD TAYLOR, Great-grandson

ALBERT RODMAN NICHOLS, Great-great-grandson

JONATHAN THAYER: Of Braintree, Mass. Captain in Col. Baines' Regiment, Massachusetts Militia. Enlisted Oct. 14, 1781, discharged Oct. 24, 1781. Regiment marched to Stillwater on alarm.

HAROLD CHESTER BARNEFIELD, Great-great-great-grandson

SETH THAYER: Of Milford, Mass. Private in Capt. William Jennison's Company, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, from Mendon to Roxbury and Cambridge, serving 11 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  days. Served as First

Lieutenant in the 5th Company, 3d Worcester Regiment, Massachusetts Militia, commissioned July 9, 1776. Served as First Lieutenant in Capt. Gershom Nelson's Company of 3d Worcester Regiment, Massachusetts Militia. His name appears with the rank of Lieutenant on muster and pay roll of "Lt. Seth Thayer's Company." Lieutenant-Colonel Nathan Tyler's Regiment, for services at Rhode Island on the alarm of December 8, 1776, as follows: Enlisted December 8, 1776, discharged January 23, 1777. Service, 1 month, 15 days. His resignation was dated Mendon, November 1st, 1779, and accepted by council Nov. 16, 1779.

GORTON THAYER LIPPITT, Great-great-great-grandson

AARON THRASHER: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private, Lieut. James Horton's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Enlisted Aug. 2, 1780, discharged Aug. 7, 1780—service 6 days on an alarm at Tiverton, R. I. Private, Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Service from July 20, 1777, 1 month, 5 days at Rhode Island. Private, Capt. Joseph Wilmarth's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Marched July 28, 1780, discharged July 31, 1780—service, 5 days on an alarm at Rhode Island. Company detached for 6 days service and marched from Rehoboth to Tiverton, and there served under Gen. Heath.

HUNTER CARSON WHITE, Great-great-grandson

ARTHUR THRESHER: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Private, Capt. Jonathan Danforth's Company, Col. David Brewer's (9th) Regiment. Enlisted July 1, 1775—service, 1 month, 3 days. Also company return dated, Oct. 7, 1775. In Capt. Jonathan Danforth's Company, same regiment order for bounty coat dated Roxbury Camp, Nov. 14, 1775.

HUNTER CARSON WHITE, Great-great-great-grandson



CHARLES TILLINGHAST: Of Quidnisset Neck, R. I.

Appointed by the General Assembly of Rhode Island, Enlisting Officer to raise troops for the Continental Army. He was so active and earnest in the work that the Tories formed a party to get rid of him. When the mob was on the way to his house, they waylaid his son, John Tillinghast, who was also active and helping his father in the work, seized him, carried him off as a prisoner and killed him. Shortly after, the Tories broke in Charles Tillinghast's house, took him out of bed and carried him to the beach where they had a boat in which they conveyed him to Block Island. He died there from his wounds in seventeen days, thus giving up his life in the service of the Continental Army.

GARDNER TILLINGHAST, Great-great-great-grandson

CHARLES ALFRED POTTER, Great-great-great-grandson

DANIEL TILLINGHAST: Of Providence, R. I. Member of the Committee of Safety of Rhode Island. Elected May, 1775 and May 1776. Requested by General Assembly of Rhode Island to send field-piece to Warwick, January, 1777. Was Providence member of committee to procure blankets for the soldiers, appointed by General Assembly of Rhode Island, April, 1777. May, 1777, the General Assembly directed all bread and flour lately imported by the state be delivered to him for the use of the Continental frigates within the state; and he was requested to remove flour and iron to places of safety. He was appointed Colonel of "The Company of the Train of Artillery," April 22, 1775, and each year thereafter during the war. His gravestone at Uxbridge, Mass., says: "A man of great activity."

WILLIAM RICHMOND TILLINGHAST, Great-great-grandson

JAMES ALEXANDER TILLINGHAST, Great-great-great-grandson

**BENJAMIN TINGLEY:** Of Attleboro, Mass. Sergeant in Capt. Jabez Ellis' Company, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 11 days. Second Lieutenant in Capt. Jacob Hide's (1st) Company, Col. John Daggett's (4th) Regiment. Commissioned March 21, 1776. Service on alarm caused by Battle of Bunker Hill. Service as Lieutenant in Capt. Stephen Richardson's (Attleboro) Company at Rhode Island, April 21, 1777, to May 15, 1777; service, 25 days. Quartermaster of Col. Isaac Dean's Regiment for service at Tiverton, R. I., on alarm, July 31, 1780. Engaged July 31, 1780, discharged August 7, 1780; service, 10 days.

ROSCOE MORTON DEXTER, Great-great-grandson

**DANIEL TROWBRIDGE:** Of Pomfret, Conn. Sergeant in the 8th Company, Capt. Zebadiah Ingall's 11th Regiment, Connecticut Militia, which marched to Westchester, N. Y., in the summer of 1776. On his way home he was taken ill and died in New Haven, Conn.

ALBERT LOOMIS WARNER, Great-grandson

**AARON TURNER:** Of Freetown, Mass. Enlisted in December, 1776, as a Private under Capt. Joseph Durfee in the Massachusetts troops, serving for five months. Late in 1777, he re-enlisted under Capt. Joseph Durfee and served 6 months. Immediately after he held the rank of First Sergeant for 10 months in Capt. Jacob Haskin's Company, Col. John Jacob's Regiment. At the expiration of that period he served as a Private for 3 months with the militia guarding Narragansett Bay. He next served as steward on the Privateer "Saucy Jack," under Capt. Isaac Freeborn. He took part in the Battle of Rhode Island. Pensioned.

CHARLES JOSEPH DAVOL, Great-grandson

**JAMES TYLER:** Of Scituate, R. I.; Ensign, 2d Company, Scituate Militia, appointed May, 1778, Simeon Herrenden, Captain. Ensign same company, appointed May,

1779. Simeon Herrenden, Captain. Ensign same company, same Captain, appointed February, 1780, and June, 1780. Served 6 months in Col. Green's Regiment from July, 1780. Private, Capt. Henry Dayton's Company of Infantry, U. S. service—on muster roll for November, 1781, enlisted Nov. 3, 1781—term, 5 months, on duty at Providence. Private, same company, Henry Dayton, Captain—on muster roll for month of January, 1782, enlisted November, 1781.

ALBERT TYLER, Great-grandson

EARL ALBERT TYLER, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL VIALL: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Second Lieutenant on Row Galley, also First Lieutenant on Row Galley, "Spitfire." Killed by an explosion on the "Spitfire," April 2, 1777.

HERBERT HAMLIN ARMINGTON, Great-great-great-grandson

JOHN WALKER: Of Rehoboth, Mass. Sergeant of Company of Minute Men from Rehoboth on Lexington Alarm, and was in service during the Revolutionary War.

WILLIAM HOWARD WALKER, Great-great-grandson

WILLIAM HOWARD WALKER, JR., Great-great-great-grandson

WILLIAM RUSSELL WALKER, Great-great-great-grandson

ANDREW WATERMAN: Of Smithfield, R. I. In the first two years of the war, he served as Captain of militia or minute men of his town. He afterwards served repeatedly as Committeeman in the prosecution of the war. He was one of his town's deputies in the General Assembly in 1776, 1777, and acted as such in the session which repealed the Act of Allegiance, and in effect declared the Colony's independence. Was Captain in Hitchcock's Regiment, May to December, 1775, and in Babcock's Regiment, January, 1776 and May, 1777. Member of the

General Assembly which approved the Declaration of Independence.

ERNEST STONE HARRINGTON, Great-great-great-grandson

ELISHA WATERMAN: Of Cumberland, R. I. Deputy in General Assembly, 1776, and signer of R. I. Declaration of Independence and Captain of Minute men, Cumberland, R. I., 1776.

DAVID WATERMAN BUCKLIN, Great-great-grandson

ELISHA WATERMAN BUCKLIN, Great-great-grandson

WILLIAM WATERMAN: Of Warwick, R. I. Captain of the Warwick Militia Company, and served as follows: 1776, 3 months; 1777, 4 months; 1778, 4 months; 1779, 4 months; 1780, 4 months. Company also called out on various alarms. Pensioned.

BYRON SPRAGUE WATSON, Great-great-great-grandson

JEDUTHAN WELLINGTON: Of Cambridge, Mass. Fought at battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775, and was present at the 50th anniversary thereof; one of 170 survivors, Private in Capt. Adams' Company, Col Thatcher's Regiment. Enlisted March 4, 1776, discharged March 9, 1776—service, 5 days. Marched by order of Gen. Washington to take Dorechester Heights. Third Sergeant in Capt. John Walton's Company, Col. Brooks' Regiment. Enlisted Sept 27, 1776,—discharged Nov. 16, 1776. Service, 2 months, 1 day.

ELEAZER BARTLETT HOMER, Great-grandson

HEZEKIAH WETHERBEE: Of Rindge, N. H. Private in Capt. Philip Thomas' Company, Col. James Reed's Regiment, from April 30 to Aug. 3, 1775. Service, 3 months, and 9 days. At Medford, Mass., Oct. 4, 1775, he acknowledged receipt of four dollars (\$4) from New Hampshire in place of the Regimental coat promised by the colony. Served also in 1779.

LEWIS HAMILTON MEADER, Great-grandson

JOSEPH WHEELER, 3d: Of Fairfield, Conn. Took part in the Concord fight. Private, Connecticut Militia at Battle of Bunker Hill.

ALFRED H. WHEELER, Great-great-grandson

EDWARD WHITE: Of Attleboro, Mass. Private in Abiel Clap's Company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regiment. Enlisted July 24, 1777. Discharged Aug. 28, 1777, time, 1 month, 4 days. Bristol County Regiment marched to Rhode Island, town not given.

LEPRILETE SWEET, Great-great-grandson

ISAAC WHITE: Of Mansfield, Mass. Lieutenant at Lexington Alarm. Roll of Capt. Abiel Clapp's Company, Col. John Daggett's Regiment, which marched April 19, 1775, from Mansfield, Mass. Service, 11 days. Second Lieutenant Massachusetts Militia—same officers as above chosen by company, Attleboro, March 18, 1776. Served 2 days in Rhode Island—April and May, served 20 days in Rhode Island. Served 1 month, 24 days from May 14, 1777. July 27, 1778, with Capt. Isaac Hodges, Col. Carpenter's Regiment, 23 days in Rhode Island. June 26, 1780, First Lieutenant, Massachusetts Militia, 3d Company, Bristol County Regiment, commanded by Col. Dean. Afterwards Bristol County Adjutant on muster and pay roll under Col. Abiel Mitchell. Engaged July 14, 1780, discharged Oct. 31, 1780. Served 3 months, 20 days.

PAUL STEERE BURGESS, Great-great-grandson

DANIEL WHITNEY: Of Watertown, Mass. Ensign in Watertown Company (Rev. Army), commanded by Capt. Barnard.

FREDERICK RICHMOND ALLEN, Great-great-great-great-grandson

ABIEL WILLIAMS: Of Taunton, Mass. Sergeant in Capt. Philip King's Company, Col. George Williams' Regiment, on 25 days' service to Warren, R. I. Discharged Dec. 31, 1776. Third Lieutenant in Capt. Jonathan Shaw's Company, Col. George Williams' Regiment on secret expedition to Taunton and Easton in September, 1777. Lieutenant in Capt. Shaw's Company in 1778. Also in Capt. Noah Hall's Company on march to Tiverton in August, 1780.

VICTOR HAROLD KING, Great-great-great-grandson

GEORGE WILLIAMS: Of Taunton, Mass. Colonel, 3d Bristol County Regiment, Taunton, Mass. Commissioned Feb. 7, 1776. Saw service at Dorchester Heights in 1776, in Warren, R. I., in secret expedition to Rhode Island at Tiverton, in Gen. Sullivan's Campaign against Newport. Resigned commission February 17, 1779.

VICTOR HAROLD KING, Great-great-great-great-grandson

JOHN WILLIAMS: Of Stonington, Conn. Lieutenant, wounded at the Battle of White Plains, and was brought home strapped to his horse by his body servant. Served through the war—Lexington Army, Battle of Long Island, Aug. 27, 1776. Was in Washington's Life Guards, transferred at Valley Forge; Corporal in Capt. Stanton's Company, Col. North's Battalion; Ensign in the 4th Battalion, under Capt. Seldon, June, 1776; Lieutenant in Capt. Stanton's Company, 8th Regiment, Sept. 8, 1776; Captain in Col. Johnson's Regiment, Jan. 1, 1778.

ALBERT RODMAN NICHOLS, Great-great-great-grandson

PELEG WILLIAMS: Of Johnston, R. I. Deputy in the General Assembly of Rhode Island from the town of Johnston, May, 1776.

WILLIAM TRUMAN ALDRICH, Great-great-great-grandson

GIDEON ALBERT BURGESS, Great-great-great-grandson

DANIEL WOOD: Of Scituate, R. I. Matross, Capt. Ebenezer Adams' Company, Col. Robert Elliott's Regiment of Artillery, on pay abstract from May 1 to June 1, 1778, served 1 month. Matross, same company, same regiment—served 1 month from July 1 to Aug. 1, 1778. Matross, same company, same regiment—served 1 month from Aug. 1 to Sept. 1, 1778. Matross, same company, same regiment—served 1 month from Oct. 1 to Nov. 1, 1778. Name appears on an undated return of men enlisted in Capt. Adams' Company, Col. Elliott's Regiment, at 20 pounds bounty. Name appears on an undated roll of Col. Robert Elliott's Regiment, 22 pounds, 13 shillings and 8 pence.

ARTHUR MILTON McCRILLIS, Great-great-grandson

JOSIAH WOOD: Of Northbridge, Mass. Captain; marched from Northbridge to Roxbury with his company on alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 10 days. Captain in Col. Ezra Wood's (3d Worcester County) Regiment, July, 1776. Captain of men raised to serve in the Continental Army, February, 1778. Member of the Committee of Correspondence for the town of Northbridge, 1774.

EDWARD SHELDON SPICER, Great-great-grandson

SAMUEL WOODS: Of Princeton, Mass. Member of the Committee of Correspondence; appointed at the annual Town Meeting of Princeton, Mass., held in March, 1774.

JOHN CARTER BROWN WOODS, (Supplemental), Great-great-grandson

EPHRAIM WOODWARD: Of Taunton, Mass. Private, Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) Company, Col. George William's Regiment; service, 23 days. Company marched to Warren, via Rehoboth, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Dec. 8, 1776. Corporal, Capt. Ichabod Leonard's Company, Col. John Hathaway's Regiment; service, 20 days

at Rhode Island. In Capt. Edward Blake's Company; service, 32 days at Rhode Island. Private in Capt. Nathaniel Snow's Company, Col. George Williams' Regiment; enlisted June 22, 1778; service, 17 days. Corporal in Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's Company, Col. John Hathaway's Regiment; entered service March 23, 1779, discharged April 15, 1779; service, 24 days at Rhode Island. Private in Capt. Rufus Barney's Company, Col. Carpenter's Regiment; service, 4 days on an alarm. In Capt. Nehemiah Pratt's Company, Col. Mitchell's Regiment, commanded by Lieutenant-Colonel James Williams, Brig. Gen. George Godfrey's Brigade; service, 8 days. Company marched on the alarm of Aug. 2, 1780.

CHARLES DANIEL WOODWARD, Great-grandson

CHARLES WENTWORTH WOODWARD, Great-great-grandson

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JOSEPH BALCH  
President, 1912-1913



GEORGE CARPENTER ARNOLD  
Historian General, 1920, Now in Office

# In Memoriam



## Rhode Island Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

### DECEASED MEMBERS, 1910-1920

- Andrews, Brig.-Gen. Geo. Lippitt, July 19, 1920, Washington, D. C.  
Arnold, Arthur Henry, April 24, 1913, Providence.  
Arnold, Olney, March 5, 1916, Lisbon, Portugal.  
Atwood, Henry Clinton, December 9, 1913, Danielson, Conn.  
Austin, Amory, January 4, 1920, Newport, R. I.  
Baker, Matthias Wisen, Jr., October 14, 1920, Saranac Lake, N. Y.  
Balch, Joseph, February 14, 1920, Providence, R. I.  
Barton, Nathan Bowen, February 13, 1917, Sharon, Mass.  
Battey, John Mason, February 14, 1916, Providence, R. I.  
Benedict, William Curtis, April 22, 1915, Providence, R. I.  
Blodgett, John Taggard, March 4, 1912, Providence, R. I.  
Bowen, Charles Wetter, August 15, 1910, St. Johnsbury, Vt.  
Brown, Daniel Russell, February 28, 1919, Providence, R. I.  
Brown, Maj. Nath'l Howland, February 17, 1916, E. Greenwich, R. I.  
Brown, Robert Perkins, March 5, 1921, Providence, R. I.  
Brown, Thomas Linn, July 15, 1916, San Antonio, Texas.  
Bucklin, David Waterman, October 22, 1918, Litchfield, Conn.  
Burdick, Franklin Elisha, December 26, 1917, Providence, R. I.  
Cady, Frederic Waterman, July 27, 1918, Riverside, R. I.  
Chace, James Edward, October 15, 1917, Chepiwanoxet, R. I.  
\*Church, William Howe, April 18, 1916, Bristol, R. I.  
Cocroft, Mason Freeman, March 23, 1918, Providence, R. I.  
Daniels, Capt. Geo. Metcalf, August 23, 1913, Burlington, Vt.  
Darling, George Curtis, October 4, 1918, Providence, R. I.  
Dennis, Arthur Wellington, November 19, 1920, Saunderstown, R. I.  
DeWolf, John Halsey, June 5, 1915, Providence, R. I.  
Earle, Charles Rhodes, June 2, 1918, Groton, Mass.  
Easton, Nicholas Howard, March 14, 1920, Central Falls, R. I.  
Eaton, Amasa Mason, October 3, 1914, Providence, R. I.  
Eccleston, Alvin Herbert, January 23, 1910, Providence, R. I.  
Eddy, Joseph Thomas Adams, January 28, 1915, Providence, R. I.  
Farnsworth, John Prescott, December 3, 1919, Providence, R. I.

\*Son of a Revolutionary Soldier.

Fenner, Herbert Nicholas, January 5, 1915, Providence, R. I.  
 Foster, James Herbert, August 10, 1910, Providence, R. I.  
 Gay, James Bacon, November 25, 1911, Providence, R. I.  
 Gibson, Henry Maitland, April 8, 1915, Bristol, R. I.  
 Gladding, Frederic Fillmore, March 24, 1919, Bristol, R. I.  
 Goff, Edward Everett, February 9, 1920, Edgewood, R. I.  
 Granger, William Smith, January 1, 1916, Providence, R. I.  
 Greene, Frederic Albert, November 18, 1913, Providence, R. I.  
 Greene, Isaac Chase, December 15, 1916, Providence, R. I.  
 Greene, William Maxwell, August 25, 1920, East Greenwich, R. I.  
 Hadley, Ralph Vincent, December 19, 1918, Providence, R. I.  
 Hart, George Thomas, December 23, 1916, Providence, R. I.  
 Hayward, Walter, June 26, 1919, Providence, R. I.  
 Healy, George Albert, February 23, 1917, Providence, R. I.  
 Hill, Charles Greene, January 13, 1919, East Greenwich, R. I.  
 Hitchcock, George, September 2, 1913, Island of Marken, Holland.  
 Hodges, Maj-Gen. Chas. Libbeus, Dec. 26, 1911, Washington, D. C.  
 Hopkins, Charles Wymau, June 14, 1910, Providence, R. I.  
 Hough, Walter Scott, January 29, 1914, Providence, R. I.  
 Humphrey, George, December 4, 1917, Providence, R. I.  
 James, Henry Morris, October 24, 1910, Danielson, Conn.  
 Johnson, Joseph Harris, April 3, 1916, Providence, R. I.  
 Joslin, Henry Van Amburgh, January 19, 1918, Providence, R. I.  
 Kelley, Arthur Livingston, April 7, 1915, Providence, R. I.  
 Kendrick, John Edmund, December 26, 1913, Cranston, R. I.  
 \*Kenyon, Albert Franklin, April 18, 1918, Providence, R. I.  
 Kenyon, Edwin Almeron, January 14, 1912, Carolina, R. I.  
 Kenyon, George Henry, May 7, 1910, Providence, R. I.  
 Knight, Dr. Edward Balch, May 5, 1916, Providence, R. I.  
 Lippitt, Robert Lincoln, June 26, 1910, Providence, R. I.  
 Lull, Warren Aiken, March 6, 1913, New Berlin, N. Y.  
 Manton, Benjamin Dyer, July 30, 1911, Barbados, West Indies.  
 Manton, Joseph Potter, October 15, 1912, Providence, R. I.  
 Martin, Col. Benjamin Baker, April 11, 1915, Warren, R. I.  
 Martin, Frank Howard, February 2, 1917, Providence, R. I.  
 Mathewson, Everett Irving, Jan. 11, 1916, Narragansett Pier, R. I.

\*Son of a Revolutionary Soldier.

Mathewson, Syris Wilbur, Jr., July 23, 1920, Narragansett Pier, R. I.  
 Merrill, John Harvey, September 29, 1910, Stafford Springs, Conn.  
 Metcalf, Howard Tucker, December 25, 1914, Providence, R. I.  
 Morris, Edward Dexter, September 24, 1911, Exeter, R. I.  
 Nye, William Prince, December 31, 1911, Providence, R. I.  
 Potter, Dexter Burton, February 27, 1917, Providence, R. I.  
 Potter, Henry Olney, April 30, 1920, Washington, D. C.  
 Potter, William Alfred, May 8, 1919, Providence, R. I.  
 Reed, William Shelby, September 13, 1919, Chicago, Illinois.  
 Rhodes, Christopher, August 10, 1918, Providence, R. I.  
 Richmond, John Francis, November 11, 1918, W. Barrington, R. I.  
 Rickard, James Helme, May 6, 1914, Woonsocket, R. I.  
 Robinson, Isaac Rich, March 24, 1913, New York City, N. Y.  
 Roelker, William Greene, January 24, 1911, New York City, N. Y.  
 Russell, Emery Poole, October 1, 1917, Providence, R. I.  
 Sanford, John Orren, December 9, 1910, Attleboro, Mass.  
 Sheldon, Frank Augustus, November 18, 1920, Cranston, R. I.  
 Sheldon, Philip Collins, February 3, 1916, Pawtucket, R. I.  
 Slade, William Lloyd, September 7, 1914, Providence, R. I.  
 Spink, Arthur Bradford, November 3, 1915, Providence, R. I.  
 Steere, Charles Leveck, September 27, 1910, Harrisville, R. I.  
 Stevens, Leverett Cooper, May 20, 1920, Coweset, R. I.  
 Stevenson, Geo. Leon, October 31, 1918, Camp Polk, Raleigh, N. C.  
 Taft, Royal Chapin, June 4, 1912, Providence, R. I.  
 Taylor, Dr. Philip Kittredge, August 21, 1917, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 Thompson, Arthur Middleton, December 3, 1913, Providence, R. I.  
 Tillinghast, Lodowick Hoxie, May 23, 1917, Providence, R. I.  
 Wall, George Augustus, March 21, 1910, San Juan, Porto Rico.  
 Warren, Joseph Draper, March 24, 1915, Old Point Comfort, Va.  
 Washburn, Roscoe Clifton, August 5, 1918, Yonkers, N. Y.  
 Webb, Rev. Samuel Heber, February 16, 1912, Providence, R. I.  
 White, Hunter Carson, August 26, 1910, Providence, R. I.  
 Williamson, Frank Adolphus, September 7, 1910, Jamestown, R. I.



THOMAS ALLEN JENCKES  
President 1913-1914



**Honor Roll**  
of  
**Men Associated with The World War**

Address by President Clarke

on

**Presentation of War Service Medals**

February 22, 1921



# Address on Presentation of War Service Medals

To Members and Sons of Members, S. A. R.

BY HERBERT MORTON CLARKE, President.

To you, members and sons of members of the Rhode Island Society, Sons of the American Revolution, who served in the Army or Navy of the United States, in the World War, I extend a welcome and bring you greeting in the name of our State and National Societies.

All of you, I am sure, bore an honorable part in that struggle for the overthrow of autocracy and establishing of human rights on enduring foundations. Some of you may be saying in your hearts, "I did not have the chance I craved. I was kept at the camp and training station when I longed for service in the field." But here we recognize no such distinction. Whether in camp or field; at home or abroad; whether facing the withering machine gun fire on the battle front, or serving with fidelity and devotion in the daily routine of camp; standing your watch on the storm-swept decks of destroyer or battleship; or guarding our coasts in the ports of the homeland; each and all, you offered your lives in proof of your unselfish devotion to the cause of human freedom, and showed yourselves worthy successors to the patriots of 1776, whose memory we honor to-day, and from whom you trace your noble lineage. In your breasts throbbed the same intense love of country that inspired the hearts of Washington and Adams and Jefferson; of Greene and Hopkins and Varnum; of John Paul Jones and Richard Henry Lee; and of other more obscure, but no less noble souls—

"The knightliest of the knightly race,  
Who since the days of old,  
Have kept the lamp of chivalry,  
Alight in hearts of gold."

Most of you have now returned to the ordinary duties of civil life, but should our country again be menaced by a for-

eign foe, or by traitors marching under the red flag within her own borders, you who caught the torch from falling hands on Flanders' Fields, or served with no less devotion in the training camps at home, will spring to her defense with cheerful courage. And in time of peace, this same high spirit of patriotism will make you a force for righteousness in the councils of political parties and in the world of business, and thus help to answer the prayer of our poet-prophet, who wrote:

"God give us men; a time like this demands  
 Strong minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands;  
 Men whom the lust of office does not kill;  
 Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy;  
 Men who possess opinions and a will;  
 Men who have honor; men who will not lie;  
 Men who can stand before a demagogue  
 And damn his treacherous flatteries without winking;  
 Tall men, sun-browned, who live above the fog,  
 In public duty and in private thinking,  
 For while the rabble, with their thumb-worn creeds,  
 Their large professions and their little deeds,  
 Mingle in selfish strife, lo! Freedom weeps,  
 Wrong rules the land, and waiting Justice sleeps."

In this belief, we greet you to-day; for this reason, we hail you as defenders of the highest American ideals.

And thus in the name of the Rhode Island Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and of the National Society as well, I bestow on you these medals, and bid you to wear them unsullied as worthy sons of patriot sires.

## War Service Medals

### 1—AWARDS TO MEMBERS

- Charles Wheaton Abbot—Colonel, U. S. A. Retired. Professor of Military Science and Tactics, Brown University, 1917-'18. Commanding Officer, Students' Army Training Corps, Brown University, 1918-'19. As the Adjutant General of Rhode Island, supervising *Registration* and *Selection* under the Selective Service Law.
- Frederick Richmond Allen—Quartermaster, U. S. N. R. F.
- Herbert Hamlin Armington, M. D.—Captain, Medical Corps, U. S. A.
- Walter Mason Baker—Second Lieutenant, Infantry—13th Battalion, U. S. Guard.
- Joseph Balch—Private, 51st Brigade Headquarters Detachment, 26th Div., A. E. F.
- Donald Flagg Bowen—Sergeant, Company C, 78th Div., 310th Infantry, A. E. F.
- Joseph Bowen—First Class Private, Quartermasters Reserve Corps and Supply Company, 314, A. E. F.
- Albert Samuel Brower—Drum Major, 66th C. A. C. Band, A. E. F.
- Henry Seabury Brown, M. D.—Lieutenant (Passed Ass't. Surgeon) U. S. N. R. F.
- Ernest Henry Brownell—Commander, Civil Engineer Corps, U. S. N.
- Earle Balcom Dane—Captain, 310th Infantry, 78th Div., A. E. F.
- McDonald Low Edinger—Second Lieutenant, Field Artillery, A. E. F.
- Marshall Elwood Fisher—Private, 301st Engineers Med. Dept., A. E. F.
- Chester Curtis Foster—Second Lieutenant, Company K., 104th Infantry, 26th Div., A. E. F.
- Edward Livingston Freeman—Ensign, U. S. N.

- George Warren Gardner, M. D.,—Major, Medical Corps, U. S. A.
- Clarence Henry Greene—Major and Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. A.
- Gordon Dyer Hale, M. D.,—Lieutenant Commander, Med. Corps, U. S. N.
- Carroll Borden Hodges, Major, Inspector-General, U. S. A. (*Cited an Officer of the Order of the Black Star, by the President of France.*)
- Thomas Allen Jenekes, Jr.,—Second Lieutenant, U. S. A.
- Royal Knight Joslin—Lieutenant, Medical Corps, U. S. N.
- Arthur Livingston Kelley, Second Lieutenant, 116th Engineers, U. S. A.
- Charles Warren Lippitt, Jr.,—Sergeant, Headquarters Company, 103d Field Artillery, A. E. F.
- Gorton Thayer Lippitt—Corporal, A. Company, 101st Engineers, 26th Div., A. E. F., (*Croix de Guerre with star*).
- James Bancroft Littlefield—Major, 38th Artillery, (C. A. C.).
- Howard Norcott Manchester—First Lieutenant, Infantry, U. S. A.
- Philip Corydon Means, M. D.,—First Lieutenant, Medical Corps, U. S. A.
- Manton Campbell Mitchell—Lieutenant-Colonel, 39th Infantry, 4th Div., A. E. F.—also Acting Colonel, 47th Infantry, A. E. F. (*Distinguished Service Cross—Croix de Guerre with palms*).
- Barnes Newberry—Lieutenant, (J. G.), U. S. N.
- Stephen David Padlock—Chief Yeoman, U. S. N. R. F.
- Frederick Spies Penfold, D. D.—Chaplain, 121st Field Artillery, 57th Brigade, 32nd Div., A. E. F.
- Arthur Lloyd Philbrick—Captain, Engineers Corps, U. S. A.

- Ferdinand Willard Potter—Second Lieutenant, 149th Field Artillery, 42nd (Rainbow) Div., A. E. F. *Citation*.
- Rowland Rodman Robinson, M. D.—Contract Surgeon, U. S. N.
- Fremont Emerson Roper—Captain, Company D., 319th Engineers, A. E. F.
- Albert Irons Russell—First Lieutenant, Ordnance Department, Motor Section, A. E. F.
- Irving Mason Saul—Limited Service, Personnel Section, under Selective Service Law.
- Winfield Scott Solomon—Major, 417th Telegraph Battalion, A. E. F.
- Edward Sheldon Spicer—Gunner's Mate, Second Class, U. S. N. R. F.; Second Lieutenant, Quartermaster Corps, U. S. A.
- George Thurston Spicer, M. D.—Registration Board for Conscription—Exemption Board under Selective Service Law, (Commission by the President)—Volunteer Medical Service Corps.
- Waldo Everett Tanner—Commissary Steward, U. S. N.
- Charles Foster Tillinghast—Colonel, C. A. C.
- James Alexander Tillinghast—Lieutenant, (J. G.), U. S. N. R. F.
- George Heber Webb—Captain, Infantry, U. S. A.; Director of Registration and Draft, 1917-1919; Director, R. I. Council of Defense, 1917-1919; Disbursing Officer for U. S. Government for War Dept., 1917-1919.
- Frederick Lewis Weis—Lieutenant, (J. G.), U. S. N.
- Robert Lewis Weis—First Sergeant, 319th Butchery Company, Quartermaster Corps, 83d Div., A. E. F.
- Hunter Carson White—Captain, Coast Artillery, U. S. A.

## 2—AWARDS TO MEMBERS' SONS

- George Carpenter Arnold, Jr.—Aviation Dept., (M. I. T.), U. S. N. R. F.
- Philip Rhodes Arnold—Private, 114th Ordnance Depot Company, U. S. A.
- Samuel Reed Damon—Second Lieutenant, 103d Field Artillery, A. E. F.
- John Winthrop DeWolf, Jr.—Gunner's Mate, Second Class, U. S. N. R. F.
- Stephen Hunt Jenekes—Ensign, U. S. N. R. F.
- Earl Rhodes Knight—Ordnance Sergeant, Company A., 8th Provisional Ordnance Battalion, A. E. F.
- George Tucker Metcalf—First Lieutenant, Infantry, U. S. A.
- John Tucker Metcalf—Lieutenant, (S. G.), U. S. N.
- Paul Barney Metcalf—Second Lieutenant, 137th Field Artillery, U. S. A.





# Address on Presentation of War Service Medals

To Representatives of Deceased Members and Sons of  
Members, S. A. R.

BY HERBERT MORTON CLARKE, President.

What fitting words can be used on an occasion like this concerning those, who in the service of their country, have made the supreme sacrifice, and paid the last full measure of devotion to the cause of human freedom.—

“On fame’s eternal camping ground  
Their silent tents are spread,  
And glory guards with solemn round  
The bivouac of the dead.”

They have ceased from their labors here, but their memory is enshrined forever in the heart of the American people.

And to you upon whom the blow has fallen with crushing force, we can only repeat the words of Lincoln to a bereaved mother:

“I feel how weak and fruitless must be any words of mine which should attempt to beguile you from the grief of a loss so overwhelming. I pray that our heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of your bereavement, and leave you only the cherished memory of the loved and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom.”

With these medals which we hand you to-day, goes a deep sense of gratitude to Almighty God for the victory which these whom we honor helped to achieve, and the profound sympathy of every member of our Society for those who mourn the loved and lost.

And now in the name of the National and State Societies of the Sons of the American Revolution, I hand you these medals, which I know you will keep as a memorial of those who have passed from earth to their eternal reward.

**Posthumous Awards**

COLONEL HENRY OLNEY POTTER

Chairman, Exemption Board, under Selective Service law.  
 (Commission by the President.)

CLAUDIUS RALPH FARNSWORTH

Corporal (Acting Sergeant) Battery A, 101st Field Artillery,  
 A. E. F.  
 Killed in action.

WALTER MARCHMONT HAYWARD

Private, Ordnance Department (Chemical Service) U. S. A.  
 Died of chemical gas poisoning

ALEXANDER FARNUM LIPPITT

First Lieutenant, Company I, 166th Infantry, 42nd (Rainbow)  
 Division, A. E. F.  
 Died of wounds received in action.  
*Distinguished Service Cross* (posthumous award)

*Honor Roll Summary*


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Presentations to Members .....	47
Presentations to Sons of Members .....	9
Posthumous Awards .....	4
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Total World War Service Medals.....	60



HENRY CLINTON DEXTER  
President, 1914-1915



GENERAL CHARLES WHEATON ABBOT, JR.  
President, 1915-1916

**General Nathanael Greene  
Homestead Association**



NATHANAEL GREENE  
OF THE  
GENERALS of the AMERICAN  
REVOLUTION

second only to Washington  
built this House in 1770  
and lived in it until as a private  
he joined the Army  
at Cambridge in 1775.

*Inscription on Bronze Tablet—placed on Greene Homestead  
by R. I. Society, S. A. R.*

(For picture of the Homestead see Frontispiece)

OFFICERS OF GEN. NATHANAEL GREENE HOME-  
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East Greenwich, R. I.

FRANK BAILEY SMITH, M. D., *Treasurer*  
Washington, R. I.

The house shown as frontispiece was built by General Nathanael Greene in 1770. It is supposed that it was built in part by his own labor, as he was skilled in the use of tools. Some of the old door latches appear to have been wrought by hand, and were, perhaps, hammered into shape at the forge nearby. The house stands on an elevation overlooking the valley of the Pawtuxet, in the town of Coventry, near the

present village of Anthony. On the bank of the river at low water may be seen the remains of the forge and mill established by General Nathanael Greene and his brothers. The house remains substantially as it was built, though later hands added the wing, and the ugly canopy over the old colonial doorway, and topped out the big square stone chimneys with modern brick.

It was in this house that Nathanael Greene lived while serving as a member of the General Assembly in 1771 and subsequent years. It was to this house that he brought his bride, Catherine Littlefield, in 1774. Here he continued to reside until he joined the Patriot Army under Washington. It was to this house that he returned for brief visits as his military duties would permit. Here his growing family continued to live until his removal to Newport, and later to Georgia after the close of the Revolutionary War. On the north-westerly corner of the house is the bronze tablet placed there by the Rhode Island Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

The movement to purchase the house originated at a meeting of Kent County Chapter, S. A. R., held at the home of its president, Herbert Morton Clarke, who suggested that an option be secured on the property, with a view to acquiring and setting it apart as a permanent memorial. A few friends, nearly all members of Kent County Chapter, raised the money for the initial payment; later the "General Nathanael Greene Homestead Association" was incorporated; and by the generous assistance of local citizens and other friends, the remainder of the \$4000 required was raised. The property has now been conveyed to a Board of Trustees to hold in perpetuity as a historic memorial.

On Constitution Day, September 17, 1920, the completion of the purchase was formally celebrated by memorial exercises held on the lawn in front of the house, under direction of Mr. Henry Greene Jackson, the newly elected President of Kent County Chapter, who is a descendant of Colonel Christopher Greene. Addresses were made, setting forth the



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purpose of the Association to restore the house, beautify the grounds, and bring together a choice collection of relics and furniture of the period, so that the historic home may be preserved to future generations as a fitting memorial of the foremost soldier of the American Revolution next to Washington himself—a shrine of patriotic devotion—the Mount Vernon of Rhode Island.



FREDERICK DICKMAN CARR  
President, 1916-1917

## General Greene Memorial Association

Members representing this Society in the General Greene Memorial Association:

JOHN EDWARD STUDLEY	Term expires Aug. 7, 1921
ADDISON PIERCE MUNROE	Term expires Aug. 7, 1922
GEORGE CARPENTER ARNOLD	Term expires Aug. 7, 1923
WILLIAM CILACE GREENE	Term expires Aug. 7, 1924
WILLIAM LUTHER SWEET	Term expires Aug. 7, 1925

The General Greene Memorial Association was organized for the purpose of erecting a memorial to Major-General Nathanael Greene and was incorporated by the General Assembly of Rhode Island, April 18, 1907, consisting of the following-named organizations, viz.:

Society of the Cincinnati in the State of Rhode Island.

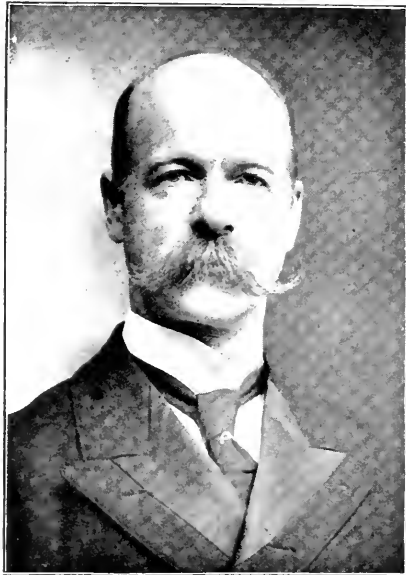
Rhode Island Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

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State Conference of Daughters of the American Revolution in Rhode Island.

Rhode Island Historical Society.

Newport Historical Society.



GEORGE FRANKLIN WESTON  
President, 1907-1908  
Historian, 1902-1906—Poet, 1920—Now in Office

# Poem

## Rhode Island's Fourth of May, 1776

WRITTEN BY GEORGE FRANKLIN WESTON,

*Poet of the S. A. R. Read at the Annual Dinner, Feb. 22,  
1921, and ordered printed in the Manual.*

On the Fourth of May, 1776, the General Assembly of Rhode Island passed an Act liberating the state from further allegiance to Great Britain.

Two months later to a day, on July 4th, followed the Declaration of Independence at Philadelphia.

Previous to this session of the General Assembly there was written at the end of the records, "God save the King."

At the close of this session and after was written, "God save the United States."

Whatever may be said about the conservatism of Rhode Island and her hesitation to lead in progressive development, here was an instance of gravest import when Rhode Island led all the other colonies.

This extraordinary procedure on the part of Rhode Island I make the subject of my poem.

## Rhode Island's Fourth of May, 1776

1

All hail, Rhode Island's greatest day,  
The day that gave her just renown,  
The day that set a Nation's pace  
And stripped a monarch of his crown.

2

A tyrant king in selfish pride  
Broke faith with men of spirit here,  
Sent fleets and armies to this land,  
Destroying rights we held most dear.

3

No craven fear those freemen knew  
Who met our ship of state to guide,  
A tyrants yoke they would not wear  
And unjust laws they set aside.

4

Do kings preside by right divine,  
 And does God sanction what they say?  
 These questions, startling all mankind,  
 Were settled on that Fourth of May.

5

Repeal those Acts, the people cried,  
 Their hateful presence must not stay,  
 And in their legislative halls,  
 Rhode Island statesmen found a way.

6

The old State House we venerate  
 Still beckons to its sacred room,  
 Where freemen met in hot debate  
 To vote a faithless tyrant's doom.

7

Whence came this spirit of the free  
 That flung defiance to a crown,  
 That set at naught traditions' spell  
 And threw an age worn scepter down?

8

It came with Bradford cross the sea,  
 With Brewster, Williams, and John Clarke,  
 To found a Nation where good will  
 Kindled its fire from freedom's spark.

9

"Will they do it? Dare they do it?"  
 Was not so hard a thing to say  
 In that far off Quaker city,  
 When our Rhode Island led the way.

10

And so throughout the world to-day,  
 Democracy has come to stay,  
 The people's will is voice supreme  
 And this fulfils Rhode Island's dream.

11

All glory then be to our state  
 And sacred be the Fourth of May,  
 When king's decrees were overthrown  
 And our Rhode Island led the way.

12

Then honor to the Fourth of May,  
 The date we call our sacred day,  
 When freemen scorned the scepter's sway  
 And rule of kings was swept away.



HOWARD VERNON ALLEN  
President, 1917-1918

**Chapters**  
of the  
**Rhode Island Society of the Sons of  
the American Revolution**  
and  
**Names of Officers for 1920-1921**

**Bristol Chapter, No. 1, BRISTOL, R. I.**

CHARTERED JANUARY 1, 1898

*President*—HEZEKIAH CHURCH WARDWELL  
*Vice-President*—LEWIS BRADFORD WALDRON  
*Secretary*—JOSEPH FRANKLIN FARRALLY  
*Treasurer*—WILLIAM LEONARD MANCHESTER  
*Historian*—GEORGE ULRIC ARNOLD  
*Poet*—ORRIN LUTHER BOSWORTH

**Providence Chapter, No. 2, PROVIDENCE, R. I.**

CHARTERED APRIL 17, 1901

\**President*—ROBERT PERKINS BROWN  
*Vice-President*—FREDERICK DICKMAN CARR  
*Secretary and Treasurer*—ARTHUR PRESTON SUMNER  
*Historian*—WILFRED HAROLD MUNRO  
*Poet*—GEORGE FRANKLIN WESTON

**Pawtucket Chapter, No. 3, PAWTUCKET, R. I.**

CHARTERED FEBRUARY 18, 1909

*President*—HENRY CLINTON DENTER  
*Vice-President*—CHARLES HENRY FRENCH  
*Secretary*—  
*Treasurer*—THEODORE EVERETT DENTER

\*Deceased.



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CHARTERED FEBRUARY 18, 1909

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*Vice-President*—BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TEFFT

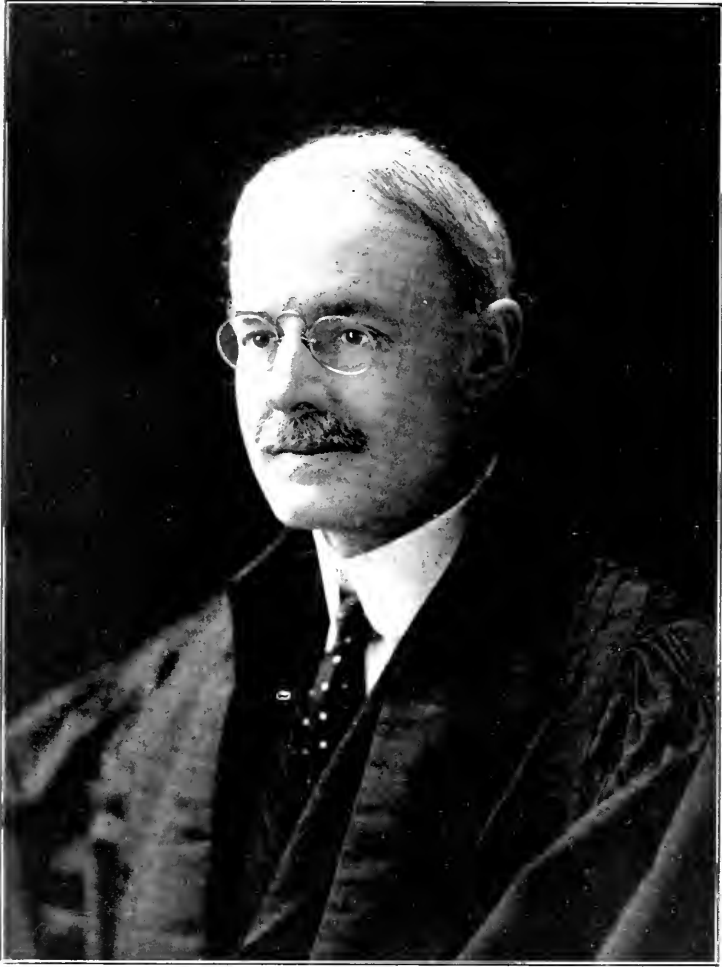
*Secretary*—ELISHA WATERMAN BUCKLIN

*Treasurer*—FRANK BAILEY SMITH

*Registrar*—WILLIAM ARNOLD BROWNING

*Historian*—ALBERT RODMAN NICHOLS

*Chaplain*—REV. CHARLES FREMONT ROPER



ARTHUR PRESTON SUMNER  
President, 1919-1920  
Treasurer, 1898-1918  
Member, Executive Committee,  
National Society, S. A. R.

### Graves of Revolutionary Soldiers

SUPPLEMENTAL LIST OF PATRIOTS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION WHOSE GRAVES HAVE BEEN MARKED WITH S. A. R. MARKERS.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Cemetery</i>	<i>Town</i>
Asa Bartlett	Town Farm	Cumberland, R. I.
Clarke Brown	First Avenue	East Greenwich, R. I.
Joseph Carpenter	Prospect Hill	Uxbridge, Mass.
Joseph Greene	Old Baptist Ground	East Greenwich, R. I.
Lt. Samuel Hamlin	Swan Point	Providence, R. I.
Joseph Joslyn	Old Baptist Ground	East Greenwich, R. I.
Capt. Nathan Miller	"	"
Richard Palmer	Little Compton Commons	Little Compton, R. I.
John Smith	North Burial Ground	Providence, R. I.
Capt. Joseph Spicer	Spicer Ground	Hopkinton City, R. I.
Capt. John Sprague	Old Baptist Ground	East Greenwich, R. I.
Levi Weatherhead	Diamond Hill	Cumberland, R. I.
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