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**A RECORD OF THE SERVICES**  
**OF THE**  
**COMMISSIONED OFFICERS**  
**AND ENLISTED MEN**  
**OF**  
**KITTERY AND ELIOT, MAINE,**

Who served their Country on land and sea in the American  
Revolution, from 1775 to 1783.

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To the Men of Kittery who gave their lives on land and sea, in battle  
or in prison, from 1775 to 1783, that this country might be  
free, and that their example may speak to com-  
ing generations, this volume is  
respectfully inscribed.

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## PREFACE.

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Kittery, at the commencement of the war for Independence, was composed of the present towns of Kittery and Eliot, and this record takes in the soldiers and sailors of both towns; but Eliot's soldiers are not mentioned as such in their individual records, but one can tell by the parish or militia company residence of the man, in which town as now constituted he lived; whenever the word "town" occurs in the following pages, it refers to and means the old town of Kittery as it was in 1775.

The town at that time was divided into three parishes, viz., first, or lower; second, or upper; and third, or middle. The first parish was that part of the town south of a line, commencing at Portsmouth Ferry, near the old Rice House, and running north fifty-four degrees east, to the town of York. The second parish was the present town of Eliot, and the third parish comprised that part of the town between the other two parishes.

In 1775, the town had four companies of militia, all belonging to the First Regiment of Infantry of York County, commanded by Col. Edward Cutts, a resident of the town, but in 1776, the militia was reorganized, and the four companies increased to six, all belonging to the Second Regiment of York County, and commanded by Col. John Frost, a resident of the town, also an officer in the last French war. The second major was John Shapleigh of the town, and the adjutant was Lieut. Andrew P. Fernald, also a resident.

The above officers all served with the Continental Army at various times during the war, as did nearly all the company officers.

The officers and location of the six town companies were as follows: the First Company's were Capt. Elisha Shapleigh, First Lieut. James Shapleigh, Second Lieut. Thomas Hammond, and comprised that part of the second parish between Sturgeon Creek, the residence of Miss Farmer, the river, and the town of York.

The Second Company's were Capt. William Holbrook, First Lieut. William Deering, Jr., and Second Lieut. Daniel Billings, and the bounds were that part of the first parish east of Spruce Creek.

The Third Company's were Capt. Richard Rogers, First Lieut. William Haley, Second Lieut. John Godsoe, and comprised those parts of both the first and third parishes, west of Spruce Creek.

The Fourth Company's were Capt. Samuel Leighton, First Lieut. William Raitt, and Second Lieut. Charles Frost, and comprised all of the second parish, north of the First Company bounds.

The Fifth Company's were Capt. Samuel Weeks, First Lieut. William Lewis, and Second Lieut. Nicholas Weeks, and comprised all of the third parish, east of Spruce Creek.

The Sixth Company's were Capt. Parker Foster, First Lieut. William Spinney, and Second Lieut. Timothy Spinney, and comprised that part of the second parish, south of the First Company bounds.

By referring to the above parish and company bounds, the reader can tell where the soldiers lived, etc. Population of town in 1776, in First Parish, 923; in Second Parish, 1457; in Third Parish, 656. Total, 3036. Male residents of the town, over sixteen years old, 618 white, 22 Quakers, and 19 negroes, indians, and mixed. Total males over sixteen years old, 659.

The town on Dec. 13, 1774, chose the following Committee of Inspection, Correspondence and Safety, Capt. John H. Bartlett, William Leighton, Nathaniel Remick, Dea. Jonathan Hammond, Moses Hanscom, William Stacy, Capt. John Frost, William Cottle, William Remick, Robert Morrell, Ezekiel Allen, Samuel Weeks, John Rogers, Dr. Daniel Pierce, Edmund Hammond, Samuel Rice, John Dennett, Jr., William Lewis, Benjamin Fernald, Charles Chauncy, Esq., Elihu Gunnison, Dea. Joseph Gunnison, Joseph Billings, Joshua Staples, and William Holbrook. They were farmers, merchants, shipbuilders, and professional men, also active and retired officers of the militia, but were men of mature age; this committee had a great deal to do in the following years, in looking after the military interests of the town.

The militia of the town, as such, was not ordered upon any duty with the Continental armies or by themselves, and although historians and writers of the Revolution speak about the militia of the colonies as being on duty at various times, the writer has been unable to find but few instances of the State Militia being ordered on duty as such: what were called militia were properly State troops; they were enlisted and drafted for a certain duty or time *from the militia*, officers and men.

That is, regiments would be formed of companies from several counties. Companies from men of several different militia regiments,

so that the troops when organized for field service would be State troops, differing only from the Continental or Regular Troops in time of service.

These State regiments were always called by the name of their colonels. The Continental regiments were often called by the name of their colonels also; but they had a number or State name, and this number is used by the writer, because some of the Continental regiments, had several colonels during the war, and thus would confuse the reader.

An abstract of each Continental and State organization services in which men from the town served during the war, will save repetition in the individual records, and is here given for reference.

Four days after the battles of Lexington and Concord, Massachusetts issued a call for volunteers, and Kittery nobly responded by raising two companies, commanded by Captains Tobias Fernald and Samuel Leighton, both residents of the town; the men enlisted to serve until Jan. 1, 1776, and both companies were mustered into the Thirtieth Regiment of Infantry of the United Colonies, commanded by Col. James Scammon. During its time of service the regiment marched to Cambridge, in May, 1775, and had been in camp about four weeks when the Battle of Bunker Hill was fought, in which it took part; after the battle it was stationed at Cambridge, and manned Fort No. 1, and the redoubt near it, and was in Gen. William Heath's brigade, of Gen. Israel Putnam's division, forming the centre of the American army, under General Washington, surrounding the British army in Boston, and so the regiment remained until Dec. 31, 1775, when it was mustered out of service.\*

June 5, 1775, the town voted to have a watch of twenty men on duty every night until further orders, and as many men by day as the commanding officers of the militia companies thought proper.

Capt. John Shapleigh's company of Coast Guards were authorized by the Massachusetts Legislature, June 28, 1775, and were enlisted to serve until Dec. 31, 1775; they were stationed in the town and performed the duty of preventing parties from the British men-of-war landing and looting the town; they also helped construct Fort McClary and Sullivan; and guarded against any surprise from the enemy by way of the sea; this company was under the directions of the field officers of the First York County Regiment of Militia, and the men were mostly residents of the town.

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\* For a more detailed account of the services of this regiment the reader is referred to Nathan Goold's History of the Regiment.

There appears to have been no fort or fortification in the town at the commencement of the war, except Fort William, an earthwork, now called Fort McClary. Fort Sullivan, on Fernald's Island, in the river, now a part of the United States Navy Yard, was built in this year, and garrisoned by the State of New Hampshire, but the men were about all residents of Kittery. Fort William, now Fort McClary, appears to have been repaired and reconstructed also this year by the Committee of Safety, but probably had no permanent garrison during the war; it had two 12-pound cannon mounted there by June 10, 1776, also some 9-pounders.

There were also men from the town in the forts on the New Hampshire side of the river, Washington and Hancock.

Capt. R. Follett's Artillery Company at Kittery Point in November, 1775, was probably a volunteer association, as no doubt were also Capt. Wm. Deering's company of carpenters, and Capt. Samuel Stacy's company of militia.

The British war ships "Scarboro," Captain Barclay, and "Canceau," Captain Mowatt, lay off the town during the summer of 1775, and doubtless their crews had several skirmishes with the above named local companies.

The State of New Hampshire employed some vessels in the river this year as a State navy, and some men from the town were on them.

The Eighteenth Continental Regiment of Infantry, Col. Edmund Phinney, in which were about all the men from the town in the regular army in 1776, was raised in the latter part of 1775 to serve for one year from Jan. 1, 1776; the regiment in January, 1776, was in Brig.-Gen. Wm. Heath's brigade, of Maj.-Gen. Israel Putnam's division, under General Washington at Cambridge; they marched into Boston upon its evacuation by the British army in March, 1776, and remained on duty in the city, until Aug. 8, when they started on their way for Ticonderoga, arriving Sept. 2, 1776, at Mount Independence, opposite Fort Ticonderoga; here they were in the brigade of Gen. B. Arnold, and some of the regiment was in the naval battle of Oct. 13, on Lake Champlain, between the British and American fleets, where several men belonging to the regiment were killed. Major-Gen. Philip Schuyler commanded the whole American army around Ticonderoga. The regiment remained at Mount Independence until Nov. 20, when they were transferred to Fort George, on Lake George, where they remained until Dec. 31, 1776, when it was



mustered out of the service ; several men from the town died during the year, serving with this regiment.\*

There were also a few men from the town this year in the Seventh Continental Infantry, Col. Wm. Prescott, who commanded at Bunker Hill. This regiment served around Boston, in same brigade as the Eighteenth Continental, until after its evacuation in March, 1776 ; then was marched to New York, in General Heath's brigade ; was a part of Governor's Island garrison in August, 1776 ; in Gen. John Nixson's brigade of Gen. Nathaniel Green's division ; where it took part in the Battle of Long Island, and the various other engagements around New York City, resulting in the city being captured by the British ; was stationed at Throgg's Neck, in October, 1776, under General Heath, after which it remained near the city until it was mustered out, Dec. 31, 1776.

Capt. Phillip Hubbard's Company, of Coast Guards, in which were many Kittery men, was authorized by the State of Massachusetts, and the men were enlisted in January, 1776, for the year ; they were stationed in Kittery and York ; on an alarm by the enemy, the officers to obey any militia officer of superior rank, but to command any militia officer of equal or lower rank.

About forty men from the town were raised for three months service, in February, 1776, and were in Capt. Abel Moulton's Company, of Col. Lemuel Robinson's Regiment of Massachusetts State Troops ; the regiment served in General Washington's army, under General Thomas, around and in Boston, until March 31, 1776, when it was mustered out.

Capt. J. Goodwin's Company, of Col. Edward Wigglesworth's Regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, had many men of the town ; they marched July 22, 1776, to join the Northern Army, under General Schuyler, and served around Lake Champlain and Lake George ; was on the Continental ship "Trumbull," in the fight on Lake Champlain, Oct. 13, 1776, and the company was discharged, Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y.

About twenty men from the town were in Capt. S. Leighton's Company, of Col. Ebenezer Francis' Regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. They marched to Boston, in August, 1776, and remained on duty there, under Gen. A. Ward, until December, 1776, building forts, etc., when the regiment was mustered out of the service. There were also several men from the town in 1776, in each of the follow-

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\* For a more detailed account of the services of this regiment the reader is referred to Nathan Gould's History of the Regiment.

ing regiments of New Hampshire State Troops, Col. Timothy Bedel's and Col. Joshua Wingate's. They each served part of the year in Canada and around Lake Champlain under General Arnold, and were in several actions with the British.

The Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. Thomas Thompson, whose keel was laid, March 21, 1776, on Langdon's Island, in the town, was launched May 21, 1776, and commenced enlisting men in June, but remained in the river during this year.

The privateer brig "Dalton," of 140 tons measurement, built and owned in Newburyport, Mass., commanded by Eleazer Johnston of the same town, sailed from there Nov. 15, 1776, for the Piscataqua River, to enlist men; and about fifty men from the vicinity enlisted on her, including about twenty-five from Kittery, among whom were Samuel Stacy, afterwards master of the Continental frigate "Richard," Captain Jones, when she captured the "Serapis," and who did much to win that celebrated victory; also Stephen Lawley, who was killed on the "Richard," during the battle, and several others who enlisted on Commodore Jones' fleet and were in the battle. She sailed from Kittery on Nov. 26, 1776, and on Dec. 24, at nine o'clock in the evening, was captured by the British frigate "Reasonable." The "Dalton" carried twenty-two cannon, twenty swivels, and a crew of one hundred and twenty men. She was renamed "Fortune" by her captors, and was the most successful privateer in the British service in the war with France.

The "Reasonable" carried the "Dalton's" officers and crew to England, where they were confined on different war ships, until June, 1777, when they were sent to Mill Prison, at Plymouth, and remained there until March 15, 1779, when they were sent on board a cartel transport, the "Millford," and sailed March 25, arrived Peambeuf Roads, April 1, then to Nantes, France, to be exchanged, and soon after many of them enlisted on Com. Paul Jones' fleet.

They suffered terrible privations during their imprisonment, two residents of the town dying in the prison, and about all the others were ruined in health.\*

In December, 1776, Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company of sixty men were enlisted and drafted for the town, and served in Col. John Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops for three months, around New York and Connecticut. They marched from the town

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\* For a complete account of the two years and a half imprisonment, the reader is referred to a "Relic of the Revolution," written by a Charles Herbert, of Newburyport, one of the "Dalton's" crew, who kept a journal during the entire time.

about Dec. 13, 1776, through Portsmouth, Lynn, Cambridge, and Providence, R. I., to Fairfield, Conn. The regiment was at Danbury, Conn., on Dec. 28, in Brig.-Gen. Jonathan Warner's brigade, Major-Gen. Benj. Lincoln's division. The regiment arrived at Peekskill, N. Y., on the Hudson River, on Jan. 6, 1777, where the brigade was in command of Brig.-Gen. Jotham Moulton; on Jan. 10, the regiment was ordered by General Lincoln to march to North Castle, where it was on the 14th; on that date was ordered to Tarrytown by General Moulton, where it was on the 15th; on the 17th the brigade marched to Williams', Colonel Frost's regiment, acting as front, rear, and flank guards for the marching column; they had some fighting with the enemy near King's Bridge, on the 18th to 21st; on Jan. 24, the regiment was ordered to Mile Square by General Moulton, and on Jan. 29, the regiment returned to Tarrytown and Dobbs Ferry. Major-General Heath commanded the American army in this vicinity, on Jan. 31. On Feb. 8, the regiment was ordered to Peekskill, and to take orders there from General McDougall; they were there the 13th, and Capt. Holbrook's company, also Captain Perkins', were sent to Fort Constitution. The regiment was at Peekskill on March 12, and the men were ordered to return all equipments to the Continental store, when they probably marched for home.

Fort Sullivan was garrisoned during the year 1776 by Capt. E. Daniel's company, of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Many of the men were residents of the town, and several residents were in the company at Fort Washington, on the New Hampshire side of the river.

The town's quota under call of Jan. 26, 1777, was eighty-seven men (one seventh of all males over sixteen years old), for three years' service, to be enlisted by the officers of the militia, and during January, February, and March, 1777, about sixty-four men enlisted for the town, for three years or for the war, and most of them served in the Second Massachusetts, Col. John Bailey, and Twelfth Massachusetts, Col. Samuel Brewer, also in the Eleventh Massachusetts, Col. E. Francis, all Continental Infantry, during their term of service; the last two regiments, the Eleventh and Twelfth Massachusetts, were in the same brigade (Massachusetts Third) during 1777-80, under Brig.-Gen. John Patterson. The Second Regiment was in Brig.-Gen. Ebenezer Learned's brigade. The following account of the Twelfth during the year will also answer for the Second Regiment, and for the Eleventh Massachusetts. The Twelfth Massa-

chusetts was organized at Boston in January, February, and March, 1777, and marched from Boston on April 30 for the Northern Army, and arrived at Ticonderoga, Brig.-Gen. Enoch Poor commanding, on May 20; was put in the division of Major-Gen. Arthur St. Clair. On June 27, Captain Donnel's company went to man the fleet on Lake George. Regiment was at Ticonderoga June 28, 1777. July 2, the regiment had an engagement with the enemy and drove them back. On July 7 the Continental Army was forced to abandon Ticonderoga, and this regiment retreated to Rutland. The Eleventh Massachusetts was the rear guard of the retreating army, and suffered severely, Col. Ebenezer Francis being killed on this date, at battle of Hubbardston, and Col. Benjamin Tupper was appointed to command it. Then to Fort Edward; on July 30 to Fort Miller, then to Saratoga, and on Aug. 15 to Van Shaick Island, at mouth of the Mohawk River, where they remained until Sept. 8, when they marched to Stillwater, and was in the fight of Sept. 19 with General Burgoyne's army; remained there, and fought in the battle at Saratoga, on Oct. 7, 1777, and witnessed the surrender of Burgoyne's army on Oct. 17. The next day they marched to Albany, where they embarked on transports, and landed at King's Ferry on Nov. 11. Two days later they marched into New Jersey, and on Nov. 22, joined General Washington's army near Philadelphia. On Dec. 20 they marched to Valley Forge and went into winter quarters.

There were a few men from the town in 1777, in the Third Continental Artillery, Col. John Crane, also in three other Continental regiments of infantry, raised at large, but mostly composed of men from Massachusetts, and called by the names of their colonels, viz.: Col. Henry Jackson's, Col. William R. Lee's, and Col. David Henley's. Col. Jackson's regiment marched Oct. 6, 1777, and Lee's Oct. 2, from Boston to join Washington's army; Henley's regiment remained at Boston during the year, guarded Burgoyne's army after they arrived. Lieut. William Moore's company, of Massachusetts State Troops, were enlisted May 1, 1777, to serve until Dec. 31, 1777, and were stationed at Kittery Point during that time as Coast Guards. The writer has been unable to find any list or roll of these men, or of Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, or Capt. Abel Moulton's company, both raised in 1776.

There were sixteen men from the town in Capt. Samuel Grant's company of Col. Jonathan Titcomb's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months' service in the State of Rhode Island, under Major-Gen. Joseph

Spencer, to oppose the British army there; stationed at Providence, building a fort all the time.

There were about thirty-five men from the town in Capt. Elisha Shapleigh's company of Col. Joseph Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, raised Aug. 14, 1777. The company marched through New Durham, N. H., to Bennington, Vt., and to Stillwater, to reinforce the Continental army under Generals Schuyler and Gates, who were holding General Burgoyne's army in check around Lake George; they took part in the various battles resulting in the capture of Burgoyne's army. The company was discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y. Major-Gen. A. Ward was in command of the Eastern Department at Boston until March 20, 1777, then was succeeded by Major-Gen. William Heath, who remained in command until Nov. 7, 1778. Fort Sullivan (Capt. E. Daniel's company) and Fort Washington (Capt. T. Salter's company), on the river, were garrisoned during the year, and the town had many men in the companies. They had several combats with boats' crews from the British blockading cruisers off the mouth of the river. These boats came into the river by night on foraging and spying trips.

The Continental frigate "Raleigh," of thirty-two guns and about one hundred and sixty men, Captain Thompson, after many delays, was at last completed, and sailed out of the river about Aug. 12, 1777, although short handed, in company with the Continental frigate "Alfred," for France. On Sept. 3 they fell in with a British fleet of merchant vessels under convoy. The "Raleigh" engaged the brig "Druid," fourteen guns, of H. M. N., one of the convoying ships. The "Druid" lost six killed and twenty-six wounded, and had to return to port. The "Raleigh" had three killed or wounded.

The American ships did not capture any of the fleet, but went on their way to France, arriving at L'Orient the last of October, 1777, where they remained until the end of the year. She had about twenty men from the town among her crew, also the boatswain, carpenter, and sailmaker were residents of the town.

The Continental warship "Ranger" was built and launched from the island, then called Langdon's, now called Badger's, during 1777, in the town, on the same blocks and ways used for the "Raleigh" previously. Capt. John Paul Jones was appointed to command her, by the Navy Board, June 18, 1777; under his superintendence she was fitted out; she carried eighteen guns and about one hundred and thirty men, including about twenty men from the town.

The "Ranger" was one hundred and sixteen feet long over all,

beam twenty-eight feet, depth of hold thirteen and one half feet, three hundred and eight tons measurement, and was the first American ship to be coppered; there was a light topgallant forecabin open aft, and a short poop deck for a Captain's cabin, and two small state-rooms on the transoms. She carried fourteen nine-pounders, and four six-pounders, all carriage guns; her masts raked more than any other ship of the day, and she was considered a beauty by the sailors. With the wind anywhere abaft the beam, she was the fastest ship afloat. Her crew was recruited to full complement, with a large proportion of able seamen, and nearly all were native Americans. Captain Jones said it was the best crew he had ever seen.

She sailed from the river between 8 and 9 A. M., on Saturday, Nov. 1, 1777, for France, carrying dispatches and the news of General Burgoyne's surrender; she captured two brigantines on her way across the ocean, and arrived at Peambeuf Roads on river Loire, about twenty-seven miles from Nantes, France, on Dec. 2, and remained there, refitting, until end of the year. Captain Jones said after the war that she was the best ship he had command of during the war in actual service, and he commanded ten American war vessels during the Revolution.

The Second Massachusetts Infantry of General Learned's brigade, and the Twelfth Massachusetts Infantry of General Patterson's brigade, Third Brigade of Massachusetts, Major-Gen. B. Lincoln's division, of General Washington's army, also the Eleventh Massachusetts Infantry, were in winter quarters at Valley Forge, on Jan. 1, 1778, where they suffered terrible privations during the winter, and several men from the town died there; among them William Dickson, of the Twelfth Massachusetts; also Richard Black of the Eleventh Massachusetts.

The regiments remained at Valley Forge, watching the British army at Philadelphia, until June 19, 1778, when they crossed the Schuylkill River, following the British army, and took part in the battle of Monmouth, N. J., on June 28; lost several men killed by the enemy, among whom was Jedediah Witham of the town, in the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry.

After the battle they marched to King's Ferry and crossed the Hudson River on July 14, and encamped at Peekskill, N. Y.; on July 16, Colonel Brewer of the Twelfth Massachusetts was put under arrest, and subsequently court martialed, was cashiered Sept. 29, and Lieut.-Col. Ebenezer Sprout was appointed to its command.

On Aug. 11, 1778, the regiment marched with the division to Danbury, Conn., under General Gates, to protect the stores collected there, where they remained until Oct. 21, when they marched to Hartford, Conn. On Nov. 13, Gen. I. Putnam took command of this army from Gates, who took command of the Eastern Department, at Boston, relieving General Heath. On Nov. 22, they started marching and arrived at West Point, N. Y., on Dec. 10, 1778, and remained there until June 13, 1779. Colonel Crane's Regiment of Artillery (Third Continental) seems to have been in service at Boston, until July, 1778, then to Rhode Island until end of year, taking part in the actions there under Sullivan. Col. Henry Jackson's regiment was at Valley Forge and in the battle of Mounmouth, on June 28, 1778, under Washington; after the army reached the Hudson River, it was ordered to Rhode Island, where it took part in the battle of Quaker Hill, on Aug. 29, 1778, under General Sullivan; it remained in Rhode Island until end of year, at Pawtucket.

Col. David Henley's Continental Regiment marched March 18, 1778, from Boston for the army and served in Rhode Island during the year, and took part in the various actions there. Col. Wm. R. Lee's regiment served with Jackson's regiment, probably, during the year. There were about twelve men from the town, enlisted or drafted in May, 1778, to serve eight months, in Capt. Thomas Hodgdon's company of Col. Thomas Poor's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, to re-inforce the Continental Army at Peekskill, N. Y., where they served and were discharged in January and February, 1779.

There were about fifteen men from the town, enlisted or drafted about July 1, 1778, to serve until Jan. 1, 1779, in Capt. Simeon Brown's company of Col. Nathaniel Wade's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops for service in Rhode Island. Gen. John Hancock commanded the Massachusetts State Troops, under Gen. John Sullivan, who commanded the American army there; the regiment was in the battle of Rhode Island, on Aug. 29, 1778, with the British army, and retreated with the Americans to the main land; they were discharged Dec. 31, 1778.

About twenty-five men from the town enlisted or were drafted April 1, 1778, to serve until July 1, 1778, in Capt. Esaias Preble's company of Col. Jacob Gerrish's regiment of Guards, Massachusetts State Troops; they were on duty at Winter Hill, near Boston, guarding the troops of the convention (General Burgoyne's captured army).

About eight men were enlisted or drafted in July, 1778, and

served until Dec. 14, 1778, in Captain Richard Rogers' company of the same regiment and same duty.

About eight men were enlisted or drafted in September, 1778, and served until Dec. 31, 1778, in Capt. Wm. Spinney's company of Colonel Cogswell's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; they were on duty guarding and fortifying in and around Boston, under Gen. Wm. Heath. Fort Sullivan (Capt. E. Daniel's company) and Fort Washington (Capt. T. Salter's company) on the Piscataqua River, were garrisoned during the year, and many men from the town served in them. Major-Gen. H. Gates relieved Gen. Wm. Heath, at Boston, Nov. 17, 1778, of the command of the Eastern Department.

The Continental frigate "Raleigh," Captain Thompson, loaded with military stores for the United States at L'Orient, France, and sailed in company with the "Alfred" in February, 1778, for the United States. On March 9, 1778, the "Alfred" was captured by the British warships "Ariadne," twenty guns, and the "Ceres," fourteen guns, the "Raleigh" being too far away to help her consort. She continued her voyage, and arrived at Kittery about April 7. For not assisting the "Alfred," her commander was severely criticised, and soon after was removed from command of the "Raleigh." Capt. John Barry was appointed to her command, and after refitting, she sailed to Boston. On Sept. 25, 1778, she sailed from that port, convoying two merchant ships, and was soon sighted by the British frigates "Experiment," of fifty guns, and the "Unicorn," of twenty-eight guns. The "Raleigh" had a running fight with them, and tried to escape, but could not, and, to avoid capture, she was run ashore, on the evening of Sept. 27, 1778, on Wooden Ball Island, about twenty miles from the Penobscot River, off the Maine coast, and set on fire by her crew, part of whom escaped to the shore, and some were captured; she also lost ten killed and wounded. The British put the fire out and got her afloat again, and used her in their navy.

The Continental ship "Ranger," Captain Jones, sailed from Nantes Feb. 13, 1778, and captured several prizes. On Feb. 14, 1778, in the Bay of Quiberon, France, her flag received the first salute in Europe given to the American flag, being saluted by the French admiral. She remained around the bay until March 3, then sailed along the coast of France, arriving at Brest, or near there, on March 9.

On April 10, 1778, she sailed from Brest for a cruise along the



coast of the British Isles. She captured many prizes and sent them to France. On April 23 a party under Captain Jones went ashore at Whitehaven, in the North of England, on the Irish Sea, and captured the fort, spiked the guns, and set the shipping on fire. Midshipman Green, of Kittery, was on this expedition. Captain Jones lost one man captured and took one prisoner.

On April 24, a battle with the British sloop-of-war "Drake" occurred off the Irish coast, near Carrickfergus, lasting about an hour, and resulting in the surrender of the "Drake" to the "Ranger." The "Drake" carried twenty guns, and more men than the "Ranger." Her commander was killed, and his first lieutenant mortally wounded, also about twenty of her men were killed and wounded. The "Ranger" had Third Lieut. Samuel Wallingford killed, and one man, also six wounded. Lieutenant Wallingford belonged in Somersworth, N. H. This was the first warship belonging to the British navy captured in the Revolution and retained, and the news gave great joy to the United States.

The British brig "Patience" was captured April 25, a prize crew was put on board of her, including some men from the town, and she was sent to Brest, arriving there May 10, and was made a prison ship.

The "Ranger" arrived at Brest on May 7 with her prize, the "Drake," where she remained. On July 27 First Lieutenant Simpson took command of the "Ranger," by authority of the American Commissioners in France. About one half of her original crew who sailed in her from the Piscataqua left her in France to go on privateers and with Jones. She sailed for America on August 21, 1778, in company with the Continental frigates "Providence" and "Boston." They captured several prizes on the voyage across, and she arrived in the Piscataqua Oct. 16, where she refitted and remained until the end of the year.

The Eleventh and Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry in General Patterson's brigade, were in Major-General Steuben's division, of the northern army, under General Washington, and were stationed at West Point and in that vicinity during 1779. The Second Massachusetts was also stationed in that vicinity during the year.

On July 15, 1779, the Light Companies from these regiments took part in the assault and capture of Stony Point, one of the most brilliant exploits of the war. Lieut.-Col. Wm. Hull, of the Massachusetts line, commanded the battalion in which were the above

companies, and several men from the town were in the assault, under General Wayne. Each Continental Regiment of Infantry had one company called the "Light Company"; it was composed always of picked officers and men selected with great care from the regiment. During a campaign these companies would be formed into provisional regiments and brigades, and quite often would do service in another part of the country from where their own regiments were serving, but joining their own regiments after the campaign was over.

Col. Henry Jackson's, William R. Lee's, and David Henley's Continental regiments were all in Rhode Island under General Sullivan at commencement of the year 1779. General Gates succeeded General Sullivan on April 1, 1779, in command of that department; on April 22, Lee's and Henley's regiments were consolidated with Jackson's and he remained in command. Col. Henry Jackson's regiment was called the "Flying Regiment," and was one of the best regiments in the Continental service; it made some wonderful marches during its term of service. It remained around Providence, R. I., until Aug. 10, when it was ordered to the Penobscot River in Maine, to reinforce the Massachusetts State Troops, at Castine; it marched that day for Boston, making the forty miles in twenty-hours, marching all night, arriving at Boston the next morning, at sunrise, where they embarked on transports, and sailed on the 15th for the Penobscot, but off the Isle of Shoals met a dispatch boat and learned of the defeat of the Massachusetts forces at Castine, so the transports put into the Piscataqua, and landed the regiment at Kittery, on Aug. 21, 1779, a Sunday.

This was the only Continental regiment that was in the town during the war, and of course created great excitement, especially as there were several men from the town in it. There were about five hundred men in it, in complete uniform and well disciplined.

They marched on Aug. 23, for Falmouth, now Portland, Me., where they arrived the 27th, remaining there until Sept. 7, when they marched to Boston, *via* Kittery and Portsmouth, reaching Cambridge the 14th, and returned to Rhode Island, and remained until Nov. 9, 1779, when they marched to New York, and joined the main army on the Hudson River, wintering at Morristown, N. J.

Some men from the town were enlisted July 1, 1779, and served in Capt. Adam Martin's company, Col. Nathan Tyler's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, on duty in Rhode Island, under General Gates; they had several skirmishes with the British army stationed

there, who finally evacuated the State on Oct. 25, 1779, after three years' occupation; the above men were all discharged Dec. 31, 1779.

The Third Continental Artillery, Colonel Crane, remained in Rhode Island until about June, 1779, then they probably joined the main army on the Hudson River, as some of the men took part in the capture of Stony Point, on July 15, 1779; they probably remained there until end of year, although a part of the regiment was in Boston, in November, 1779.

The town in July, 1779, furnished about fifty men for the unfortunate Penobscot expedition, to capture Castine, Me., from the British forces. The men enlisted July 10, 1779, in Capt. Thomas Cutts' company, in Maj. Daniel Littlefield's battalion of infantry, Massachusetts State Troops, all under command of Brig.-Gen. Solomon Lovell, of the Massachusetts State Service, and some men from the town were on Massachusetts state vessels and privateers in the fleet, commanded by Com. Dudley Saltonstall, of the Continental navy.

The expedition arrived off Castine July 25, and from this time until Aug. 14 fighting was going on continuously between the Americans and the British, under General McLean, but without much success for the Americans, although they captured some of the outer defences. Major Littlefield's boat was struck by a shot, and he was drowned, on July 26, when the battalion was landing. Capt. Samuel Sawyer, of Wells, who succeeded him in command of the battalion, was mortally wounded on July 29 in an assault on the enemy's works while gallantly leading the men from York County, and several men were killed. He was succeeded by Capt. Nathaniel Cousins, of Biddeford, who remained in command of the battalion until it was mustered out.

On Aug. 14, 1779, a large British fleet with re-enforcements arrived in the Penobscot, and the Americans were obliged to retreat before this superior force, and suffered great privations and hardships, including the loss of their entire fleet. Captain Cutts was a resident of the town, and his company was composed of men from Kittery and the town of York. They were all discharged Sept. 10, 1779.

Forts Sullivan and Washington, on the Piscataqua, were garrisoned during the year, and many men from the town served in them, in Capt. Ebenezer Deering's company, under Col. Theophilus Dame, of the New Hampshire State Service.

The ship "Ranger," of the Continental navy, now in command of Capt. Thomas Simpson, of Portsmouth, N. H. (a brother-in-law to John Langdon, of Portsmouth, who was a signer of the Declara

tion of Independence, and a member of the Continental Navy Board), had been refitting at Portsmouth since her arrival from France Oct. 16, 1778. In March, 1779, she sailed in company with the Continental ships "Warren" and "Queen of France," all under command of Com. J. B. Hopkins. The fleet captured many British vessels, among them a privateer schooner, in March, and on April 6 the schooner "Hibernia" off Cape Henry, and the next morning the privateer ship "Jason," of twenty guns and one hundred and fifty men, the letter-of-marque ship "Maria," of sixteen guns and eighty men, also merchant brigs, laden with stores for the British army, "Prince Frederic," "Patriot," and "Bachelor John," and schooner "Chance," a valuable list of prizes, and they were all taken, April 16, 1779, into Boston or Portsmouth, within three weeks from the time the squadron sailed.

The "Ranger," under Captain Simpson, sailed in May, 1779, and made a cruise to the West Indies, and captured several prizes, then returned to Portsmouth, N. H., from where she soon after sailed on another cruise, about June 18, in company with the Continental ship "Queen of France," and the Continental ship "Providence." The fleet, commanded by Com. Abraham Whipple, captured, on July 15, 1779, eleven merchantmen out of a fleet, off the Banks of Newfoundland, and eight of them were safely got into Boston with the fleet, being worth over one million dollars, so that from a pecuniary point, this was the most successful cruise during the war.

The "Ranger" returned to Boston from the cruise, then went to Portsmouth, then to Boston, and refitted at Portsmouth, and late in the fall of 1779 sailed on a cruise to the south with the "Providence" and "Queen of France," also the "Boston" from Nantasket Roads, Boston.

The Continental ship "Dean" or "La Hague," of thirty-two guns, Capt. Samuel Nicholson, had several men from the town on her, and in July, 1779, sailed in company with the frigate "Boston," Capt. S. Tucker. They captured, from Aug. 2 to Sept. 24, 1779, in the Atlantic Ocean, six prizes, among them the privateers "Glencairn," twenty guns, and "Thorn," eighteen guns, also the packet "Sandwich," sixteen guns, and sent them into Philadelphia and Boston.

Capt. Paul Jones, who left the "Ranger" in July, 1778, was appointed Feb. 4, 1779, to the command of an old East Indian ship, called the "Duras," lying at L'Orient, France. He renamed her the "Bon Homme Richard," and she was fitted out by him, but her expenses were paid by the French government, although she sailed

under the American Flag. Her armament consisted of six eighteen-pounders on the lower deck, twenty-eight twelve-pounders on main deck, and eight nine-pounders on gun-deck and fore-castle. Among her crew were several men from the town, who enlisted on her April 14, 1779, at L'Orient, for one year's service. They had just come over from Plymouth, England, after suffering for over two years in an English prison, and were doubtless very glad to have the opportunity for revenge for what they had suffered.

Samuel Stacy was one of those, who were with Jones on the Continental ships "Alfred" and "Providence," and was appointed sailing master of her by Jones. Another was John Gunnison, who was appointed carpenter of her.

The fleet, of which the "Richard" was the flagship, finally sailed from L'Orient on Aug. 14, 1779, and on Sept. 23 occurred the battle with the British squadron. The "Richard" engaged the British frigate "Serapis," fifty guns, Captain Pearson, at 7 P. M., and the action lasted until 10 30 P. M., when the "Serapis" surrendered. It was one of the fiercest battles on record; was fought with the ships anchored and lashed side by side, bow to stern. The loss of each ship in killed was equal — forty-nine killed, one hundred and sixteen wounded, on the "Richard," and forty-nine killed and one hundred and seventeen wounded, on the "Serapis." There were three hundred and four men on the "Richard," and one hundred and fifty prisoners, in the fight, and three hundred and twenty men on the "Serapis." Master Stacy, who also acted as second lieutenant in the fight (as two of the "Richard's" lieutenants were away from the ship), contributed in no small degree to the successful end, being in the thick of the fight; as also did Carpenter Gunnison, who was badly wounded.

Stephen Loley was killed, and George Trefethen was wounded, both residents of the town; it was a hard fought battle on both sides, and the victory was due to the bravery of Com. Paul Jones, who inspired his crew, to the American privateersmen, who did not wish to return to the British prisons, and who manned the batteries on the main and gun decks (two of the 18-pounders on the lower deck burst at the first fire and killed and wounded all their crew, and the men refused to fire the others so they were not used in the action), and last but not least, to the one hundred and thirty or more French marines, who were in the tops and on the upper deck of the "Richard," and whose small arm fire drove the British sailors below deck on the "Serapis."

The flag flying on the "Richard" in the fight was the same one

made for Captain Jones in Kittery and Portsmouth in 1777, and first used on the "Ranger," and the one that received the first salute from a foreign government in Europe, given by the French admiral in Quiberon Bay, France, on Feb. 14, 1778. When it was found impossible to keep the "Richard" afloat after the action, this flag was kept flying on her, and when she sunk the flag went with her to the bottom of the sea; in the ship were also the bodies of the brave men who had given their lives for their country.

The officers and crew of the "Richard" were transferred to the "Serapis," and Commodore Jones took her into the Texel on Oct. 3, where she was refitted, but finally turned over to the French government and sold at L'Orient, France.

The presence of these captured British men-of-war in the Dutch port was very trying to the British government, and eventually led Great Britain to declare war with Holland, because the Dutch government would not surrender them to the British fleet or force them to go to sea, thus helping out the cause of America very much, as Great Britain was now at war with France, Spain, and Holland, as well as with the American colonies.

The Continental frigate "Alliance," thirty-two guns, built at Salisbury, Mass., had several men in her crew from the town. She sailed from Boston on Jan. 11, 1779, under the command of Capt. Pierre Landais, an ex-French naval officer, who had been appointed to her in honor of General Lafayette, who went as a passenger to France on her. Among her crew were about eighty men of the British battleship "Somerset," which had been wrecked on Cape Cod. They were to go to France in her to be exchanged for Americans in England. On the trip over these men tried to take possession of the "Alliance," but failed through the alertness of the Americans, and she arrived safely in France. She was at Nantes, France, on April 30, 1779, where several men from the town enlisted on her. They had formerly been on the privateer "Dalton," before mentioned, and had just come over from a British prison, where they had been over two years. The "Alliance" was attached to the fleet under Com. J. Paul Jones, then forming in France, which, after several mishaps, finally sailed from L'Orient, France, on Aug. 14, 1779, and made a cruise around the British Islands, capturing many prizes (the "Richard" captured, on Sept. 1, the brig "Union," a letter of marque. She was, next to the "Mellish" (also captured by Jones in the "Providence," in 1776), the most valuable prize taken during the war) and creating great consternation among the inhabitants,

finally culminating in the battle of Sept. 23, in the North Sea, off the coast of England, resulting in the capture of the British squadron by Jones, and taking them into the Texel, where they arrived on Oct. 3, and Landais was removed from command of the "Alliance" by Commodore Jones, for insubordination during the cruise and in the action of September 23. Capt. Paul Jones took command of the "Alliance" in the Texel, and on Dec. 27, 1779, she sailed from there, escaping the British blockading fleet, and taking the men from the town who had been on the "Richard," and later on the "Serapis," so that the men from Kittery came under their old commander again.

The privateer "Jason," which was captured, as before stated, by the "Ranger," in April, 1779, was fitted out at Boston as an American privateer, and Capt. John Manley of the Continental navy appointed to her command, and John Frost (probably of Kittery) was appointed as her second lieutenant. He had been previously a midshipman on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," and sailed from Kittery on her in 1777.

She sailed from Boston about June 25, 1779, and stopped off Kittery to get Lieutenant Frost, who had been enlisting men for her in the vicinity, and probably several men from the town were on her; while lying here she received orders to join Commodore Saltonstall's fleet for the Penobscot expedition. Captain Manley did not obey this order, but instead started on a cruise by himself; on Sept. 30, 1779, he fell in with the British frigate "Surprize" and had to engage her; after a sharp action he surrendered to the frigate, losing eighteen men killed in the fight.

The Eleventh and Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry were in Brig.-Gen. John Patterson's brigade, under Major-General Heath and Major-General McDougall, of Washington's army, and were stationed at West Point and in the vicinity during 1780.

They were part of the garrison at West Point, under Gen. Benedict Arnold in September, 1780, when he came so near to treacherously giving it up to the British army. The Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry was also stationed on the Hudson River during the year.

Col. Henry Jackson's Continental regiment was in Brig.-Gen. John Stark's brigade, at Morristown, N. J., in April and May, 1780. On June 23, the brigade under Major-General Green took part in the battle of Springfield, N. J., against the British forces under General Clinton, who finally retreated to Staten Island, losing about three

hundred of his men ; the Americans lost about one hundred, including several men from Jackson's regiment.

This regiment was called the Sixteenth Massachusetts Line or Continental Infantry, after July 25, 1780, and remained in the vicinity of West Point, N. Y., until end of the year.

The Third Continental Artillery, Colonel Crane, was stationed at Boston and at West Point during the year.

About forty men from the town were enlisted and drafted in April, 1780, and served in Capt. Thomas Bragdon's company, in Lieut.-Col. Joseph Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops ; were on duty as guards and scouts at Portland and Thomaston, Me., and along the coast between these towns, under the command of Brig.-Gen. Peleg Wadsworth, of the Massachusetts State Service. The company were all discharged in December, 1780.

Fort Sullivan, in the town, and Fort Washington, on the New Hampshire side of the river, were manned during the year, under Capt. Ebenezer Deering, of the New Hampshire State Troops, and several men from the town served in these forts.

As we before stated, the Continental ship "Ranger," Capt. T. Simpson, and the Continental ships "Boston," Capt. S. Tucker, "Providence," Capt. A. Whipple, and the "Queen of France," Captain Rathbourne, sailed from Nantasket Roads, Boston, in the latter part of 1779 for the south. The fleet cruised to Florida, and captured several prizes, including some transports. They finally put into Charleston, S. C., on Dec. 24, 1779, where they were blockaded by the British fleet. The Continental ship "Ranger," on account of her light draught of water, was sent against the British batteries on James Island and on the margin of the river, and did considerable shooting. With the British fleet was the former American frigate "Raleigh," built at Kittery, now under British colors, and in port with the "Ranger" were the several other Continental ships and privateers, all under command of Com. Abraham Whipple.

Major-Gen. Benj. Lincoln commanded the entire American force in and around Charleston, and General Clinton the British force. After some fighting and skirmishing between the contending forces, in which the "Ranger's" crew took a prominent part, the entire American fleet was destroyed, including the "Ranger," to prevent them from falling into the hands of the British, and on May 12, 1780, the whole American force was surrendered to General Clinton by General Lincoln. The "Ranger's" officers and crew were paroled after being prisoners for several months, and they returned north.



As before noted, the Continental frigate "Alliance," with four hundred and twelve men, all told, under Capt. Paul Jones, sailed from the Texel on Dec. 27, 1779, with all the Americans who had been in the "Richard's" crew, and arrived in Spain Jan. 16, 1780, and at L'Orient, France, on Feb. 10, where she remained refitting until June 8. About one half her crew left here to go on French privateers and with Jones in the "Ariel." Capt. P. Landais, who had gone to her again and assumed command against the orders of Dr. Franklin, sailed her out of the port for America on June 22, and she arrived at Boston Aug. 2, 1780, with stores for the American army. Captain Landais, who had been removed from her command on the voyage over by his officers, was tried by a court martial at Boston, and suspended from the service.

Capt. John Barry, who was formerly on the "Raleigh," was appointed to her command at Boston, where she remained until February, 1781.

Captain Jones went from the "Alliance" to the frigate "Ariel" at L'Orient about June 8, 1780, taking several men who were from the town with him to her. The "Ariel" belonged to the French navy, but was loaned to the United States government. Captain Jones refitted and manned her, and sailed for the United States with a load of military stores. But soon after leaving port a heavy gale dismasted and nearly wrecked her, but she got back into port, was again fitted out, and finally sailed on Dec. 18, 1780, for the United States, and arrived at Philadelphia on Feb. 18, 1781.

There were several men from the town during 1780, on the Massachusetts State ships, among them the ship "Protector," Capt. John F. Williams, also the ship "Mars," Capt. Simeon Sampson; they made trips to France for military stores, and had several engagements with the enemy and captured many prizes.

The ship "Alexander" was built on the river during the year, and fitted for a privateer; she mounted fourteen guns, nine-pounders, under a spar deck, and carried about one hundred men. Many men from the town enlisted on her. She made a cruise under Captain Mitchell (probably a Kittery man), during the summer and early fall, but did not capture anything. Capt. Thomas Simpson, formerly of the Continental ship "Ranger," was appointed to command her in November, 1780, at Portsmouth, where she was fitted out as a letter of marque, remaining there until the end of the year.

There were several other privateers sailed out of the river, with men from the town on them, during the year; among them the brig

“Aurora,” Capt. George Phipps of the town, captured June 14, 1780, and her crew put in Mill Prison, at Plymouth, England, on July 22.

The ship “Queen of France,” Capt. J. Dixey, of twelve guns and forty men.

The schooner “Rambler,” four guns and twenty-five men, Capt. B Fuller.

The ship “Fancy,” ten guns and fifty men, Capt. S. Coffin.

The ship “Grand Monarch,” sixteen guns and sixty men, Capt. D. Coale, also several others.

There were also several men from the town on the privateer ship “America,” of Newburyport, Mass., Capt. John Somes, in June, 1780; also several on the privateer “Deane,” Capt. Elisha Hinman, of Boston, in November, 1780.

By a resolve of the Legislature of Massachusetts, of Dec. 2, 1780, the town was required to raise thirty-one men to serve three years in the Continental army; these men were raised by classes, that is, all the tax payers were formed into as many classes as there were soldiers to be enlisted, arranging the classes so as to have them equal in wealth; then each class had to hire and enlist its soldier, paying him a bounty sufficient to get him to enlist.

In December, 1780, and January, 1781, the soldiers of the Pennsylvania line, or Continental regiments, mutinied against their officers and marched on Congress for redress of grievances, which was granted; encouraged by their success the New Jersey line, also, mutinied. General Washington, seeing his army would become demoralized, immediately took prompt and decisive measures, and sent some tried veterans of the Massachusetts line under Major-General Howe to subdue the mutineers. Lieut.-Col. Ebenezer Sprout commanded a detachment from the Second and Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry under him; they marched rapidly from West Point and surprised the mutineers at Pompton, N. J., who soon surrendered, and their leader was executed by his own comrades; by this method discipline was soon restored to the American army. Several men from the town were in this detachment in January, 1781.

In December, 1780, the sixteen Massachusetts regiments of Infantry in the Continental army were reduced and consolidated to ten regiments, numbered from one to ten, and arranged in three brigades, commanded by Brig.-Gens. John Patterson, First; John Glover, Second; and John Stark, Third,—all in the division of Major-Gen. Benjamin Lincoln, under General Washington in the northern army.

The men from the town during 1781 were in all of these ten regiments; they were stationed (except the Light Companies) at West Point and in the vicinity during the year; they had no important actions with the British at New York during this time, and nothing occurred except skirmishing.

On Feb. 20, 1781, the Light Infantry companies from the Massachusetts regiments, under Col. Joseph Vose of the First Massachusetts (there were men from the town in nearly all these companies), with other Light Infantry, all under the command of Major-General Lafayette, marched from the northern army, on the Hudson, for the South, and served during the spring and summer in Virginia, against the British army there under General Lord Cornwallis. They were engaged in almost constant fighting and skirmishing in the woods and swamps under General Lafayette, and finally, in September, penned Cornwallis and his army on the Yorktown Peninsula.

In the meantime, General Washington on Aug. 19, 1781, left the northern army to the command of General Heath and marched the remainder of his Light Infantry, the corps of Sappers and Miners, also the Artificers, and the French army under General Rochambeau, to the Chesapeake Bay where they were transported to Yorktown, arriving there on Sept. 24.

General Washington assumed command of the army of the allies, and immediately arranged for assaulting the British position. Gen. B. Lincoln commanded the Americans. General Lafayette commanded all the Light Infantry. From this time on there was almost constant fighting, and the Light Infantry, with the Sappers and Miners, got the most of it. Col. Alex. Scammel, of New Hampshire, who commanded one of the Light Infantry regiments, was killed on Sept. 30 in an assault. Brigadier-General Mullenberg commanded, under Lafayette, the brigade having the Massachusetts Light Infantry. Col. Alexander Hamilton commanded the Light Infantry in the assault of Oct. 14, capturing the outer works of the British army, and several men from the town were in this assault. The entire British force was surrendered by Cornwallis to the allies on Oct. 19, 1781, and soon after, the Massachusetts Light Infantry companies returned to their regiments on the Hudson River, as did the corps of Sappers and Miners, also the Artificers.

The Third Continental Artillery remained on the Hudson River in the northern army during the year, although part of this regiment was at Boston from March to July or longer.

Forts Sullivan and Washington, on the river, were garrisoned

during the year by Capt. Ebenezer Deering's company, of Mattrosses, and several men from the town served in this company in the forts.

As before stated, the frigate "Ariel," Captain Jones, sailed from France in December, 1780. She was a good ship, carrying eighteen twelve-pound and four six-pound guns, and about one hundred and eighty men. About sixty of them were in the fight on the "Richard." On the night of Feb. 6, 1781, she had an action with the letter of marque "Triumph," Capt. John Pindar, of New York, of twenty guns and about one hundred men. The "Triumph" lost seven men killed and seventeen wounded, and soon surrendered, but in the darkness of the night she escaped before Jones could take possession of her. The "Ariel" had three men wounded. Capt. Paul Jones left the "Ariel" at Philadelphia, and the frigate, under one of her lieutenants, sailed for the Piscataqua River, where she arrived and delivered cannon for the "America," battleship, then being built at Kittery. In the latter part of 1781 the "Ariel" was returned to the French king.

The "America's" keel was laid on Langdon's Island, Kittery, in 1777, but not much was done toward building until 1781, when work was resumed on her. Captain Jones was appointed to command her by Congress, and arrived at Portsmouth in June, 1781, to superintend her construction. She was the largest vessel that had been built in America to this time, and was the only battleship built in the United States during the Revolution. She was designed to be one hundred and eighty-two and one half feet long on upper deck, fifty and one half feet extreme breadth, and twenty-three feet depth of hold, and of nineteen hundred and eighty-two tons, and her armament was to be thirty eighteen-pounders on lower deck, thirty-two twelve-pounders on upper deck, and fourteen nine-pounders on the quarter-deck and forecastle, with six hundred and twenty-six officers and men.

Her master builder was Major Hackett, of Portsmouth, and assistants William Hanscom and Benjamin Remick, of Kittery. The British fleet on blockade tried to destroy her several times, so that Captain Jones and the builders had to mount a guard over her at night.

The Massachusetts state ship "Mars," Capt. Simeon Sampson, had some men from the town in 1781. She was cruising to France and on the Atlantic Ocean.

Also the Massachusetts state cruiser "Defence," a sloop, Capt. James Nevins.

The ship "Alexander," a letter of marque, Capt. Thomas Simpson, sailed in January, 1781, from the river to Virginia and to France, returning to the Piscataqua, where she was in November, 1781. She had several men from the town. She captured several valuable prizes. The privateer brig "Venus," Capt. Henry Moore, of the town, also had several men from the town. She carried four guns and about forty men. Was captured June 1, 1781, and her crew were put in Mill Prison, Plymouth, England.

Other privateers sailing out of the Piscataqua during the year, having Kittery men on them, were sloop "John Bunyan," six guns, Capt. Sylvanus Tripe; ship "Fancy," eight guns, Capt. Samuel Rice; schooner "Tiger," six guns, Capt. J. O. Brien; schooner "Rambler," four guns, Capt. J. Sevine; brig "Fair America," eight guns, Capt. John Frost; brig "General Sullivan," fourteen guns, Capt. T. Dalling; brig "Hazard," six guns, Capt. S. Coffin; ship "Mercury," twelve guns, Capt. S. Storer; and many others, probably, as there were more than thirty privateers sailed from the river in 1781, and nearly all of them had men from the town. Men from the town were on the privateer ship "Franklin," Capt. Allen Hallet, out of Boston; also on the privateer ship "Aurora," Capt. David Porter, of Boston.

By act of the Legislature of March 7, 1782, the town was required to raise ten men for three years' service in the Continental army. These men were raised by classes, the same way as those in 1781. Two of the classes had not raised their men by July 31, 1782, and a warrant was sent to the selectmen to raise £148 3s. 4d. from the classes deficient, but they raised the men soon after. This was the last call for three-year men.

During 1782 the ten regiments of Continental Infantry from Massachusetts were stationed at West Point and in that vicinity, in the brigades of Brig.-Gens. J. Patterson, J. Glover, and J. Stark, in division of Major-Gen. Robert Howe, under Gen. William Heath, commanding the Northern Department. There were no battles fought by them during the year, and they were employed in keeping the British army at New York quiet.

The Third Continental Artillery Regiment and the Corps of Artificers, Sappers and Miners were all stationed near the Hudson River during the year.

Forts Sullivan and Washington, on the Piscataqua, were garrisoned during the year by Capt. Titus Salter's company of Mattresses,

New Hampshire State Troops, and several men from the town served in the company.

The Continental battle-ship "America," was launched on Nov. 5, 1782, from Langdon's Island, now called "Badger's Island," in the town; it was a gala event in the history of the town, and was witnessed by the officers and crew of the French battle-ships "Auguste," eighty guns, and the "Pluton," seventy-four guns, which were lying in the river.

The "America" was presented to the French government, by Congress, to replace their battle-ship "Magnifique," which had just been lost near Boston.

This was a great disappointment to Captain Jones and to many of his shipmates, residents of the town, who had served with him on the Continental ships "Alfred," "Providence," "Ranger," and "Bon Homme Richard," and who were to serve with him on the "America." The French ships had been sent to escort her to Boston, but she did not leave the river until the spring of 1783 to join the French navy; and at the battle off Ushant, on June 1, 1794, she was captured by the British fleet, under Lord Hood, losing one hundred and thirty-four men killed in the battle; she was in the British navy, as late as 1846, and was one of their fastest ships. Was renamed the "Impetoux" by the British.

The Massachusetts State ship "Tartar," Capt. Jonathan Cathcart, had some men from the town on her this year.

The ship "Alexander," letter of marque, Capt. T. Simpson, was cruising during the year out of the Piscataqua, and had many men from the town on her and captured several prizes.

Men from the town were on the privateer ship "Retaliation," ten guns, Capt. Samuel Rice, also privateer ship "Queen of France," eight guns, Capt. T. Tracy, privateer ship "Scarboro," ten guns; Capt. J. Jewett, privateer ship, "Hero," Capt. William Trefethen, privateer sloop "John Bunyan," six guns, Capt. Sylvanus Tripe.

On Nov. 30, 1782, peace preliminaries were signed between the United States and Great Britain, and although cessation of hostilities did not take place until April 19, 1783 (just eight years after the commencement at Lexington), no more fighting seems to have occurred on land or sea.

In December, 1782, and January, 1783, the ten regiments of Infantry from Massachusetts were reduced to eight, by disbanding the Ninth and Tenth regiments, and turning the men whose time was not out into the other eight regiments from Massachusetts in

the Continental army, in three brigades, commanded respectively by Brig.-Gens. John Patterson, John Greaton, and Rufus Putnam, in Major-Gen. Robert Howe's division under Major-General Heath, commanding the Northern Department, and were stationed at West Point and in the vicinity until June, 1783.

In June, the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, and Eighth Massachusetts Continental regiments of the line, were disbanded; all men in the Massachusetts regiments enlisted for service during the war were honorably discharged on June 10, 1783, and the three-year men in the above regiments were transferred to the remaining four regiments of Massachusetts Infantry.

On June 26, General Patterson's brigade, consisting of the First, Second, and Third Massachusetts Regiments of Continental Infantry, started from West Point for Philadelphia, to suppress a mutiny and protect Congress, which was done in a very satisfactory manner. The brigade remained at Philadelphia until October, and then returned to West Point.

On Sept. 23, 1783, a final peace was signed between the United States and Great Britain, and in November and December, 1783, the whole American army were discharged and reduced to one regiment of infantry, called the Continental or First American regiment, Col. Henry Jackson, who had commanded the Sixteenth Massachusetts, the Ninth Massachusetts, and lastly, the Fourth Massachusetts Infantry, all of the Continental army. There were men from the town in this First American regiment, as there had been in all of his other regiments; this regiment was finally disbanded on June 20, 1784.

The Third Continental Artillery Regiment was stationed on the Hudson River. On June 17, 1783, the Artillery Regiments were consolidated into the Corps of Artillery, and in November all the artillery were discharged.

We have given the services and stations of the various organizations, and also the ships, to which the men from Kittery were attached to or did duty with, so far as we have been able to trace them; also, the men's services in the wars with France, before the Revolution, in their records.

#### MEN FROM THE TOWN KILLED IN BATTLE.

Stephen Loley, or Lawley, Sept. 23, 1779, on Continental frigate "Richard."

Samuel Todd, Oct. 7, 1777, at Stillwater, N. Y.

Jedediah Witham, June 28, 1778, at Monmouth, N. J.

## DIED FROM WOUNDS OR DISEASE IN THE SERVICE.

- Moses Amee, Nov. 3, 1776, near Fort George, N. Y.  
 Richard Black, Feb. 1, 1778, at Valley Forge, Penn.  
 William Dickson, May 20, 1778, at Valley Forge, Penn.  
 John Foster, Feb. 1, 1779, in Mill Prison, Plymouth, England.  
 William Goold, Feb. 1, 1782, near New York.  
 Samuel Hall, Dec. 31, 1776, near Fort George, N. Y.  
 Patrick Lilley, Sept. 23, 1777, near Saratoga, N. Y.  
 Andrew Lydston, Aug. 1, 1777, near Saratoga, N. Y.  
 Reuben Nason, Sept. 30, 1776, near Ticonderoga, N. Y.  
 Samuel Scriggins, May 17, 1777, on prison ship, at Plymouth, England.  
 James Smart, Aug. 1, 1778, near the Hudson River.  
 Jacob Smith, April 8, 1776, at Boston.  
 Thomas Staples, Nov. 14, 1782, near the Hudson River.  
 William Tobey, after May 8, 1777, on a privateer.  
 John Townsend, March 16, 1778, at Valley Forge, Penn.  
 Daniel Vaughn, March 14, 1778, at Valley Forge, Penn.  
 John Whitlock, in January, 1781, on prison ship "Jersey," at  
 New York.  
 Moses Wilson, Jr., Oct. 31, 1776, at Mt. Independence, N. Y.

## THE FOLLOWING WERE PROBABLY KILLED OR DIED IN THE SERVICE.

- William Cole, Jr., after Dec. 31, 1779.  
 Daniel Dill, in 1775, around Boston.  
 Solomon Green, July 7, 1777, at battle of Hubbardston, Vt.  
 Seth Hammond, after Jan. 23, 1778, at Valley Forge, Penn.  
 John Johnson, in 1775, near Boston.  
 Samuel Weeks, after Dec. 8, 1776, near Fort George, N. Y.

Major Timothy Remick appears to have served longer than any other man from the town, enlisting May 8, 1775, as a private, and serving continuously until Nov. 5, 1783, eight and one half years' service. Lieut. William Frost was a near second.

The men who served in Capt. Robert Follet's artillery company and Capt. William Deering's company of carpenters probably had the shortest term of service of any from the town. John Hutchings, fifty-nine years old, appears to have been the oldest soldier, and Timothy Gerrish, at eleven years old, the youngest who served his town. They all seem to have done their duty, with few exceptions, from the negro, Edward Sams, a private soldier, to William Whipple, a brigadier-general and signer of the Declaration of Independence.



John Stevens was the only soldier of the war, living at Kittery in 1840, and drawing a pension; and Mark Green, a Kittery soldier, was the last soldier of the Revolution living at Portsmouth in 1851, in that city.

Old Kittery, indeed, has a glorious record all through the American Revolution by land and sea. Her soldiers were in every important battle on land, from Bunker Hill to Yorktown; in the storming of Stony Point to the assaults on the enemy's works at Yorktown. Likewise upon the sea, from the naval battle of Lake Champlain to the blood-stained decks of the sinking "Bon Homme Richard," her sons were ever in the van, and gave their blood and lives in almost every battle with the enemy.

We know that this list is incomplete; in fact, a correct one at this late day cannot be made. There are some names, perhaps, of men who have never lived in the town, but the writer has been very careful in compiling it. Some of the men served from several towns at different times, and some changed their place of residence during the war. Many men of the same name lived in the adjoining towns of York, Berwick, Newcastle, and Portsmouth, and mixed up services a great deal, as, for example, three men all named Samuel Ordiorne lived respectively at Newcastle, Portsmouth, and Kittery, and at one time were all three in the same company in one of the forts. Then again, there were in many cases several men of the same name in the town, who all served in the Revolution, and so on.

There are only three children of the five hundred and fifty-seven soldiers named in this book known to the writer to be living, viz.: Mrs. Rachel Fernald, daughter of Private Elliot Frost, who is living in the town, aged eighty-nine years, and the eldest person of the town. The other two are sisters, Mrs. Olive Chauncy, also of Kittery, and Mrs. Sarah Marden, of Somerville, Mass., daughters of Midshipman Richard Seawards.

In the appendix is printed copies of commissions given to officers of the town who served in the militia, the state service, and in the Continental army, also in the Continental navy, and the state navy.

A list of the officers and crew of the Continental frigate "Raleigh," when she sailed from the Piscataqua under Capt. Thomas Thompson, about Aug. 12, 1777, is given, as many of the men belonged in adjacent towns, and it is thought to be the only list that has been published. Also a list, nearly correct, of the officers and crew of the Continental ship "Ranger," when she sailed from the river, under Capt. John Paul Jones, on Nov. 1, 1777.

The "Ranger's" list is made up from various sources, principally from A. C. Buell's "Life of Paul Jones."

The "Raleigh" list is from the original shipping lists and muster roll now in possession of Mrs. Arthur Yates, of Portsmouth, N. H., who is a descendant of Captain Thompson.

In compiling this record, the archives of the government at Washington, especially those in the pension office, the Massachusetts records at Boston, the Maine records at Augusta, also those at Alfred, Me., and the church and town records of Berwick, York, Eliot, and those of our town, have been freely consulted.

The thanks of the writer is given to the various officials and clerks for their valuable assistance, and to many other people who have kindly assisted him.

## COMMISSIONED OFFICERS FROM KITTERY, 1775 to 1784.

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ADAMS, JOHN, Purser in Navy.

He was purser of the Continental frigate "Raleigh" in August, 1778, and probably remained on her until her capture by the British, Sept. 28, 1778. He was on her Jan. 22, 1778, and was called a volunteer in a list of her officers of that date.

Born, Feb. 4, 1737, son of John and Mary (Fernald) Adams, of Kittery. Married Mary Hill, Oct. 22, 1761, at Kittery; both were residents.

BILLINGS, DANIEL, Lieutenant.

Service in Capt. Wm. Deering's company of carpenters at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775, as Coast Guards; Lieutenant of Capt. S. Grant's company, Col. J. Titcomb's regiment; from May 7, 1777, to July 7, 1777, in Rhode Island in Massachusetts state service.

Was commissioned April 29, 1776, Second Lieutenant of the second company of militia, of Kittery.

Married Hannah Billings, of Kittery, Dec. 20, 1770, at Kittery. He lived at Kittery Point.

CURTIS, ROBERT, Mate.

Appointed, June 21, 1777, mate of the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, and was on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France.

COFFIN, NATHANIEL, First Lieutenant.

First Lieutenant of Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Coast Guards, stationed at Kittery Point; commissioned, July 10, 1775; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; also appointed first lieutenant, in January, 1776, of Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Coast Guards stationed at Kittery and York. Discharged, Nov. 13, 1776.

Was a private in Capt. John Wentworth's company in the King's service; enlisted March 27, 1760, and served to Nov. 30, 1760. Residence, Kittery; was at Crown Point and in Canada.

Was a member of the Fourth Foot Company of the town militia in 1762.

Born Aug. 25, 1738, a son of Dr. Edmund and Shuah (Bartlett) Coffin, of Kittery; residence in what is now Central Eliot, in 1776. Was a pensioner, living in Shapleigh, Me., July 4, 1820, aged eighty-one years; a tailor; wife, Mary, sixty-two years old. Died July 23, 1823, in Waldo County, Me.

#### CUTTS, THOMAS, Captain.

Enlisted, May 3, and commissioned First Lieutenant, May 19, 1775, of Capt. T. Fernald's company, in the Thirtieth Foot Regiment, of the United Colonies, and served around Boston, until Dec. 31, 1775, when he was honorably discharged; this regiment covered the retreat of the American army after the battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775. He also was Captain of a company in Major D. Littlefield's battalion, in the Penobscot expedition; served from July 10, 1779, to Sept. 10, 1779, taking part in the fights with the British troops near Castine.

Was a private in the Blue Troop of Horse, York County militia, in 1757. He was commissioned Captain, Nov. 27, 1779, of the Fifth Company, of Kittery militia.

He was born, Nov. 23, 1732, at Kittery, son of Thomas and Dorcas (Hammond) Cutts. Married Elizabeth Donnel in 1758 or 1759, and they had several children (a son Thomas, also a Revolutionary soldier), lived in eastern part of Kittery, a farmer. Died at Kittery, Nov. 29, 1800.

#### DENNETT, MARK, Third Lieutenant.

He was commissioned a Third Lieutenant in the Continental Navy, June 6, 1776, by Congress.

Born, Nov. 13, 1744, at Kittery, son of John and Mary (Tutherly) Dennett, of Kittery. Married Mary Dennett, a cousin, July 7, 1767. They had children born at Kittery, from 1770 to 1779. He died at sea.

#### DEERING, WILLIAM, Captain.

Captain of a company of carpenters at Kittery, Nov. 5, 1775 (probably in New Hampshire pay), a resident of the First Parish of Kittery in 1760.

Captain of the second company of Kittery militia, March 10, 1762. Resident of the town, July 10, 1776, when he subscribed money to raise soldiers for the war.

**DEERING, WILLIAM, JR.,** First Lieutenant.

First Lieutenant of Capt. T. Bragdon's company, Lt.-Col. J. Prime's battalion, of Massachusetts State Troops; served from May 24, 1780, to Dec. 29, 1780, at Portland and Thomaston, Me.

Was commissioned First Lieutenant, April 29, 1776, of the second company of Kittery militia.

Married Molly Caswell, April 5, 1763, at Kittery; residence at Kittery Point.

**FERNALD, ANDREW PEPPERRELL,** Captain.

Was appointed Adjutant, Jan. 9, 1777, of Col. John Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, on the Hudson River; honorably discharged in March, 1777. Commanded a company of Massachusetts state soldiers at Cloverack on the Hudson River, from July 6, 1780, to Sept. 22, 1780, when he was discharged.

He was commissioned Adjutant, April 29, 1776, of the Second Regiment of York County militia. Promoted to Captain, June 23, 1780. Promoted to Lieutenant Colonel, Oct. 1, 1789, same regiment, and to Brigadier General, May 4, 1800; commanding First Brigade York County Militia.

He was born, Feb. 26, 1753, at Kittery, son of Dennis and Sarah (Frost) Fernald; married, Dec. 24, 1778, to Martha Shapleigh; lived in that part of Kittery, now Eliot, on Tan Pit Hill, near or on the farm now occupied by his grandson of same name. Died there, May 18, 1821; had a large family of children. Wife, Martha, died at Eliot, Nov. 27, 1819, aged sixty years.

**FERNALD, JOSHUA, JR.,** Ensign.

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, in Capt. S. Leighton's company, in the Thirtieth Foot Regiment and rated Corporal; served with regiment around Boston, until Dec. 31, 1775, when it was discharged; then enlisted in Capt. Jonathan Nowell's company, of the Seventh Continental Infantry, for one year, in January, 1776, and served it; then enlisted for three years, and mustered between Feb. 8 and 20, 1777, into Capt. S. Darby's company of the Second Regiment of the Massachusetts Line; promoted to Sergeant at once, and to Sergeant Major of the regiment, April 15, 1777; was commissioned Ensign in May, 1778, of Capt. Hugh Maxwell's company, to rank from June 1, 1777, and served with same regiment until he resigned, April 25, 1780, on account of deafness.

He was born, March 9, 1753, at Kittery, son of Tobias and Lucy

(Lewis) Fernald ; lived in upper part of Kittery, until after the war. Married, first, Lucy Wingate ; second, Mrs. Hannah Snow. Was pensioned, April 19, 1818, at \$240 per year. A blacksmith, living in Eaton, N. H., in 1820 aged sixty-five years, with wife, Hannah, aged, sixty-five years, and died Jan. 11, 1830, at Eaton, N. H.

**FERNALD, TOBIAS, Lieutenant-Colonel.**

Enlisted, May 1, 1775, and commissioned Captain in the Thirtieth Foot Regiment, of the United Colonies, and served with it until its muster out, Dec. 31, 1775 ; was commissioned Captain in January, 1776, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry ; promoted to Major, Nov. 6, 1776, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Regiment (Line), and served with this regiment until his promotion, March 6, 1779, to Lieutenant-Colonel of the Eighth Massachusetts Regiment (Line), serving until Jan. 1, 1781, when he was transferred to the Tenth Massachusetts (Line), with which he served until Jan. 1, 1783, when the Tenth was consolidated with the other Massachusetts regiments, and he was retired until his services were needed again, thus serving over seven and a half years. He commanded at times all these regiments. Was a member of the Society of the Cincinnati, and signed the oath of allegiance at Valley Forge in 1778.

He was chosen by the officers of the Massachusetts Line, Oct. 16, 1779, a member of a committee to represent them, with a committee from the Massachusetts General Court, to make a settlement about the depreciation of the pay of the army.

Was Ensign of the third company of Kittery militia in August, 1771, and April, 1772.

Born, Feb. 1, 1744, at Kittery. Was the son of Capt. Tobias and Mary (Mendum) Fernald, and lived in Kittery near what is called the Railroad Sand Pit. Married Dorcas McIntyre, of York, Me., in December, 1781, daughter of Capt. John McIntyre. His children were Harriet and Juliette. He died, Aug. 15, 1784, at Kittery. His widow, Dorcas, married Capt. Richard Rogers, of Kittery, also an officer of the Revolution.

**FERNALD, WILLIAM, Lieutenant.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, and commissioned Lieutenant of Capt. S. Leighton's company in the Thirtieth Foot Regiment, and served with it around Boston until its muster out, Dec. 31, 1775.

He enlisted, April 10, 1758 ; residence, Kittery, and served as a private in Capt. J. Gowen's company, Col. J. Preble's regiment,

in the British service, at Lake George and vicinity. Discharged Sept. 1, 1758.

Born, Sept. 16, 1739, at Kittery, son of Nathaniel and Margaret (Tripe) Fernald. Married, June 25, 1763, Abigail Dennett. They lived in the Third or Middle Parish of Kittery, and had nine children.

**FIELD, JOSEPH, First Lieutenant.**

Service from July 10, 1779, as First Lieutenant of Capt. T. Cutts's company, in Major D. Littlefield's detachment in Penobscot Expedition. Discharged, Sept. 10, 1779.

He was commissioned First Lieutenant, Nov. 14, 1776, of the sixth Kittery company of militia, and was promoted to Captain, July 1, 1781, of same company.

He lived in the lower part of what is now Eliot, in 1776. Married Mary Dam, of Kittery, in September, 1777, and married second wife, Elizabeth Buckland, of Kittery, there, Jan. 22, 1801.

**FOLLETT, ROBERT, Captain and Master.**

Commanded a company of Artillery at Kittery Point, Me., by return of Nov. 5, 1775. Was appointed Master of the Continental frigate, "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, June 24, 1776; was discharged about Jan. 1, 1777.

Born, June 16, 1737, at Kittery, son of John and Mary (Tripe) Follett. Married Mary Mitchell, July 16, 1767, at Kittery, and had five or more children. Residence, Kittery, in March, 1776. Was also a physician; died Aug. 21, 1780, at Kittery, and his gravestone is in the old cemetery, near Kittery Point Bridge.

**FOSTER, PARKER, Ensign and Second Lieutenant.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot, and commissioned Ensign; served with regiment until Dec. 31, 1775, and was honorably discharged.

Was commissioned Captain, April 29, 1776, of the sixth Kittery company of militia.

Married Mary Tobey, Nov. 15, 1753, at Kittery, and lived in what is now the lower part of Eliot; they had a large family of children, among them Parker, Jr., who also served as a soldier from the town. Died before Sept. 3, 1776, at Kittery.

**FOWLER, SAMUEL, Private and Lieutenant.**

Enlisted in the service and mustered at Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 23, 1775, as a private in Capt. Henry Elkins' company of New

Hampshire State Troops for the defence of Piscataqua Harbor, under orders of Brig.-Gen. John Sullivan, who at this time was in command of the troops and forts on the river.

Was commissioned First Lieutenant Jan. 22, 1776, of Capt. James Osgood's company in Col. Timothy Bedell's regiment of New Hampshire infantry. The regiment marched to Canada immediately, where they were under the command of Brig.-Gen. B. Arnold, and Major-Gen. John Thomas, who commanded the American army in Canada. They were stationed at a place on the St. Lawrence River where Ogdensburgh, N. Y., is now located, then called The Cedars, where, on May 19, 1776, most of the regiment were captured by the British and Indians, but were exchanged in about eight days after their capture. General Thomas died May 30, and General Sullivan took command of the army in Canada, until July, 1776, then was succeeded by Major-General Gates, when the army retreated to Lake Champlain. Lieutenant Fowler was with his company June 24, 1776. The regiment was at Ticonderoga on July 22, 1776, and remained in that vicinity until November, 1776, under General Schuyler, when it was discharged.

He was born, Feb. 8, 1744, at Kittery. Son of Moses and Ann Fowler; was living in the town in 1776 and 1777. Married Dorcas Nason, Aug. 9, 1792, at Kittery, where both were residents.

**FROST, CHARLES, Second Lieutenant.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot. Service with regiment around Boston until Dec. 31, 1775, then discharged.

Was Second Lieutenant of Capt. W. Holbrook's company, Col. J. Frost's regiment, Dec. 1, 1776, for three months' service in Connecticut and around New York, then discharged with regiment.

Was commissioned Second Lieutenant April 29, 1776, of the fourth Kittery company of militia; was promoted, March 21, 1780, to First Lieutenant of same company, and to Captain, July 1, 1781, of same company.

Born, July 17, 1751, at Kittery, son of Charles and Sarah (Raynes) Frost. Married Martha Scammon, of Kittery, Nov. 29, 1780, at Kittery. Lived in upper part of what is now Eliot.

**FROST, JOHN, Colonel.**

Commanded the regiment of York County men, enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for service as re-enforcement to the Conti-



mental army around New York, and continued in service for three months.

Was Ensign of Capt. James Cargill's company from March 31, 1759, to July 8, 1759, at Penobscot; was commissioned an Ensign, at the age of twenty, in the Colonial army raised in 1759, to invade Canada, and took part in the campaigns of 1760, at Ticonderoga and Isle au Noir, Canada; was Lieutenant of Capt. Humphrey Chadbourn's company from Feb. 25, 1760, to Nov. 30, 1760, in the King's service.

Was Ensign of the first company of the Kittery militia, March 15, 1757, at the age of eighteen years. Was Captain of the fourth company of Kittery militia in August, 1771, and April, 1772; was commissioned Lieutenant-Colonel, Aug. 30, 1775, of the First Regiment of York County militia, and promoted to Colonel, Feb. 7, 1776, of the Second Regiment York County militia; elected Brigadier-General, Aug. 11, 1777, of the York County militia, where he served until after 1783, enlisting, drafting, examining, and forwarding men from the county for the army.

Born Aug. 15, 1738, at Kittery; son of Hon. John and Sarah (Gerrish) Frost, of Kittery. Married Mary Nowel, of York, Me., in April, 1760. Lived in that part of the town now Eliot, and died there July 15, 1810. Was also a member of the General Court and Council of Massachusetts.

**FROST, WILLIAM, First Lieutenant.**

Enlisted May 3, 1775, and commissioned Ensign, June 2, of Capt. S. Leighton's company, in the Thirtieth Foot, and served until Dec. 31, 1775; commissioned Second Lieutenant, Jan. 1, 1776, of Captain S. Wild's company, in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, and served through the year; re-engaged, Nov. 13, 1776, in the Twelfth Massachusetts Regiment of the line, and promoted to First Lieutenant, Jan. 1, 1777, of Capt. S. Burbank's company in same regiment. Took the oath of allegiance at Valley Forge, and commanded his company there, Jan. 23, 1778; and served until April 1, 1779, in same regiment; was left out then through a reorganization, and was appointed barrack master of West Point, and commissary of brigade, July 15, 1779, at special request of General Patterson, and was commissary of issues of General Patterson's brigade, during 1780, and until June, 1782, when he was appointed in the contractor service and remained until end of war.

He was born May 26, 1747, at Kittery, and was a brother to

Col. John Frost, before mentioned; married, Nov. 16, 1775, at Somersworth, N. H., Elizabeth Randall, of Berwick, Me., daughter of Elipalet Randall, of Berwick, and lived in that part of Kittery now Eliot. Was living at York, in 1800, and was Register of Deeds for York County several years.

Pensioned, April 13, 1818, of York, at \$240 per year; living in York, Me., July 4, 1820, a farmer. Died June 2, 1827 (at York, Me., probably), and left children. His widow, Elizabeth, was eighty years old in 1836, living in York, where she died, Oct. 1, 1837. They had sixteen children (four pairs of twins) whose births are recorded in York; a copy of this record is among his pension papers at Washington, as are his three commissions, all signed by John Hancock, President of Congress.

#### GODSOE, JOHN, Second Lieutenant.

Enlisted or drafted, April 22, 1780, as second lieutenant of Capt. T. Bragdon's company, Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops, on service at Portland and Thomaston, Me. Discharged Nov. 22, 1780.

Was commissioned Second Lieutenant April 29, 1776, of the third company of militia in Kittery.

Born July 8, 1742, at Kittery. Son of John and Mary Godsoe. Married Margery Jenkins, at Kittery, July 20, 1785, both of Kittery. Lived where his descendant, Luther Goodsoe, now resides.

#### GUNNISON, BENJAMIN, Captain.

Commander of the brig "Morris" (probably a letter of marque) in 1777, 1778 and 1779, employed by the Continental Government between the United States and France, carrying arms and munitions of war, etc.

Was commissioned Second Lieutenant June 30, 1792, in the United States revenue cutter service, and stationed on the cutter "Scammel," at Portsmouth, N. H. Promoted to First Lieutenant Aug. 24, 1795. Honorably discharged in June, 1799. Commissioned First Lieutenant again Jan. 15, 1803, and resigned Sept. 30, 1807.

Born Nov. 7, 1743, at Kittery. Son of Joseph and Mary Gunnison, of Kittery. Married, first, Elizabeth Fernald, of Kittery, Aug. 9, 1770, at Kittery; married, second, Eleanor Fernald, of Kittery, June 8, 1803, at Kittery.

**GREEN, ARTHUR, Midshipman.**

Appointed Midshipman in 1777, and served on the United States ship "Ranger," Capt. J. Paul Jones, on her first cruise to Europe; was in the fight with the British man-of-war "Drake," also in the landing at Whitehaven, Great Britain, with Capt. Jones.

**HALEY, WILLIAM, First Lieutenant.**

Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for three months' services as First Lieutenant of Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, Col. J. Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, for service in Connecticut and New York, as re-enforcement to the Continental Army. Discharged in March, 1777.

Was commissioned First Lieutenant April 29, 1776, of the third company of Kittery militia. Promoted to Major, Oct. 1, 1789, of the Second Regiment of York County militia.

Baptized March 13, 1743, an infant in the First Parish. Married, first, Miriam Fernald, of Kittery, in November, 1773. Married, second, Miriam Johnson, of Kittery, March 15, 1797. Lived in the Third Parish of Kittery, near Spruce Creek. Died, May 4, 1802, at Kittery.

**HAMMOND, THOMAS, Second Lieutenant.**

Enlisted or drafted Aug. 14, 1777; service as Second Lieutenant of Captain E. Shapleigh's company in Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; service with the Continental Army in Vermont and New York in the Burgoyne campaign. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Height.

Was drummer of the first Kittery company of militia in 1757. Was commissioned Second Lieutenant April 29, 1776, of the first Kittery company of militia.

Was the son of Joseph and Mercy (Adams) Hammond of Kittery. Lived in that part of Kittery, now Eliot, near the residence of Dr. Willis. Marriage intentions at Kittery, Dec. 24, 1763, to Mary Rogers, of Kittery.

**HILL, STEPHEN, Captain.**

Commander of the privateer "Fox," and of the "Maria." Among a list of prisoners from Halifax, Jan. 29, 1778, as Captain, and taken in the "Fox." A petition at Boston, Nov. 26, 1781, that he be commissioned as Commander of the ship "Maria."

Son of Joseph and Miriam (Sawyer) Hill, of Kittery.

**HODGE, SAMUEL, JR., Mate.**

Appointed Mate July 17, 1776, of the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, at \$15 per month. Was five feet ten inches tall, dark complexion, and an American. Appointed again Jan. 15, 1777, as Mate; was Samuel, Jr., resident of Kittery. Not on her Jan. 22, 1778.

Samuel Hodge, Jr., of Dover, N. H., married Elizabeth Hill, of Kittery, Oct. 22, 1761, at Kittery. Lived in upper part of the Second Parish, in 1776.

**HOLBROOK, WILLIAM, Captain.**

Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for three months' service, to command a company in Col. J. Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops for service in Connecticut and New York, as reinforcement to the Continental Army. Discharged in March, 1777.

Was commissioned Captain April 29, 1776, of the second Kittery company of militia.

Born at Kittery. Married Elizabeth Underwood, at Kittery, May 4, 1780, both residents of Kittery. Lived at Kittery Point.

**LEIGHTON, SAMUEL, Captain.**

Enlisted May 3, 1775, as Captain in the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies. Service around Boston until Dec. 31, 1775, then discharged. Enlisted or drafted Aug. 1, 1776, for four months' service, as Captain in Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, for duty around Boston. Discharged in December, 1776. He also received, June 1, 1778, a detachment of sixty-seven men from York County (to serve nine months in the Continental Army) and marched them to Fishkill, N. Y., and delivered them to Brig.-Gen. J. Warner.

Was Ensign of the fourth company of Kittery militia in August, 1771, and April, 1772. He was commissioned Captain, April 29, 1776, of the fourth Kittery company of militia, and was promoted to Second Major, June 10, 1778, of the Second Regiment of York County militia.

Born, March 16, 1740, at Kittery, son of Lieut. John and Mary (Hill) Leighton. Married, Oct. 15, 1767, Abigail, daughter of Col. John Frost, of Kittery, before mentioned; had nine children. Lived in that part of Kittery, now the upper part of Eliot, and was the largest tax payer in the town in 1780. Died suddenly, Feb. 27, 1802, at Kittery, while breaking out the roads from snow.

**MARCH, SAMUEL, Lieutenant-Colonel.**

Enlisted April 24, 1775, in the Thirty-first Foot Regiment of the Colonies and commissioned as Lieutenant-Colonel of same regiment; served around Boston with his regiment until Dec. 31, 1775. Commissioned Lieutenant-Colonel, Jan. 1, 1776, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, and served with regiment around Boston, and Lakes Champlain and George. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1776.

He was born in Kittery, and was probably a son of Benjamin March, of Kittery. Married, Jan. 27, 1752, Anna Libby, of Scarborough, Me. He moved to and settled in Scarborough, Me., and kept a tavern there for many years. His wife had fourteen children by him, and he died in Scarborough in 1804.

**MOORE, WILLIAM, Second-Lieutenant.**

He was recommended by the Committee of Correspondence, May 10, 1777, at Kittery, to command a detachment of Coast Guards to be stationed at Kittery, and was commissioned, May 30, a Second Lieutenant for that duty, and probably served in command of detachment until Dec. 31, 1777, when they were all discharged. Resident of the town, July 10, 1776, when he subscribed money to raise soldiers for the war.

He was Captain of Sir Wm. Pepperell's, baronet, sloop, in 1758, on the expedition to Canada up the Hudson River; was a private in Capt. H. Chadborn's company, enlisted, March 6, 1760, in war with France. Residence, Kittery. Service in Canada and on the Lakes. Discharged, Nov. 10, 1760.

Born, Sept. 27, 1724, at Kittery, son of Capt. John and Elizabeth Moore. Marriage intentions at Kittery, Nov. 1, 1766, to Sarah Goodwin of Somersworth, N. H. Living at Kittery (in First Parish) in 1760; also in 1784.

**MOORE, HENRY, Captain of Privateer.**

Enlisted for service in 1776; was a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H., March 22, 1776, and April 1, 1776. He lived at Kittery, and was nineteen years old.

In September, 1776, he was in Capt. J. Robinson's company, of New Hampshire State Troops, around New York. He was Commander in 1781, of the privateer brig "Venus," of New Hampshire, of four guns and thirty-five men. She was captured June 1, 1781, by H. M. S. "Lively."

Marriage intentions to Sarah Ordiorne, of Portsmouth, published Sept. 24, 1780, at Kittery, his residence.

**ORR, JOHN**, Second Mate, Continental Navy.

He was Second Mate of the Continental frigate "Alliance," Capt. P. Landais; was on her in fight with the British frigate "Serapis," Sept. 23, 1779, and also Oct. 3, 1779.

Marriage intentions at Kittery, Jan. 15, 1757, to Eleanor Dennett (daughter of John and Mary (Tutherly) Dennett), both of Kittery. Living in 1760, in that part of the town now the lower part of Eliot, and about 1810, in Kittery, near Portsmouth Bridge.

**PHIPPS, GEORGE**, First Lieutenant and probably Captain in privateers.

First officer or Lieutenant of the brig "Morris," Capt. B. Gunnison, in 1777, 1778, 1779, a letter of marque, employed by the Continental Government, between the United States and France, carrying arms and munitions of war, etc. Captain, probably, of the privateer "Aurora," which was captured June 14, 1780, as he was taken in her. Residence, Kittery. Said to have run away and put in Mill Prison, England.

Married Francina Fernald, Dec. 20, 1781, at Kittery, and both were residents.

**PRAY, JOHN**, Captain.

Enlisted May 16, 1775, as Sergeant in Capt. T. Fernald's company in the Thirtieth Foot Regiment, and served with regiment until Dec. 31, 1775, when the regiment was mustered out. Enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1776, as Sergeant of Capt. S. Wild's company in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, and was commissioned Ensign April 1, 1776, of same company. Served until Dec. 31, 1776. Re-engaged Nov. 13, 1776, as First Lieutenant of Capt. D. Merrill's company in the Twelfth Massachusetts Regiment, of the line, and commissioned Jan. 1, 1777. Served with Regiment and promoted to Captain July 5, 1779, in same regiment, and served until Jan. 1, 1781, when he was transferred to the First Massachusetts Regiment, of the line, and served until June 12, 1783, when he was honorably discharged on account of consolidating and reducing the army.

He took the oath of allegiance at Valley Forge in 1778; was appointed to the command of the block house at Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.,

March 11, 1781, a most important post. Was a member of the Massachusetts Society of the Cincinnati, and was transferred to the New York Society in 1799.

He was born, Feb. 14, 1736, at Kittery (probably on Fernald's Island, now the United States navy yard, lower island), son of Samuel and Alice Pray. Married Jane Mesier. They had a son and two daughters. Removed to New York City, and died there in September, 1812.

QUIN, JOHN, Surgeon's Mate.

Appointed, June 27, 1777, as surgeon's mate for one year, at \$15 per month, of the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson. He was an Irishman; residence, Kittery. Was on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France. Enlisted, Aug. 13, 1780, for Portsmouth, N. H., to serve in one of the New Hampshire Continental regiments, until Dec. 31, 1780.

REMICK, BENJAMIN, Seaman and Lieutenant.

Enlisted on the privateer ship "Alexander," Captain Mitchell, in 1780, as a seaman. She was said to have been built on the Piscataqua River, but her owners were probably New York men, and she hailed from there. She mounted fourteen carriage guns, nine-pounders, under a spare deck, and carried a crew of about one hundred men. She sailed on a cruise in 1780 under Captain Mitchell and returned to the river, and about November, 1780, Capt. Thomas Simpson, late commander of the Continental frigate "Ranger," was appointed to command her, and Benjamin Remick was promoted to Third Lieutenant of her. She was fitted out as a letter of marque, and sailed in January, 1781, for Fredericksburg, Va., where she loaded with tobacco and took it to L'Orient, France, returning to the Piscataqua, where she was on Nov. 24, 1781, and was to sail in a few days to Boston, then to Virginia, then to Amsterdam, Holland, and return to Boston, Mass., which was probably done. She captured many prizes on these trips, but he probably did not go on her after November, 1781, as he was one of the builders of the Continental battleship "America," then building.

Born Sept. 26, 1753, at Kittery, on the late Major Levi Remick's place, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Deed) Remick. Married Abigail, daughter of John and Margaret (Fernald) Fernald, Jan. 15, 1777, at Kittery, and lived in the town, in the house near the bridge to Portsmouth, now owned by Charles Otis; had a large family of

children and has many descendants, including the writer. He was a noted ship builder on the Piscataqua River. Also built vessels on the Kennebec and Penobscot rivers; also assisting to design and build the Continental ships "Ranger," "Raleigh," and "America," all built near the Piscataqua River. He died Jan. 31, 1837, at Kittery, and his remains lie in his tomb near the Portsmouth Bridge.

#### REMICK, TIMOTHY, Major.

Enlisted, May 8, 1775, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment; promoted to Corporal, and served until Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1776, as Sergeant with same captain, in the Eighteenth Continental Regiment; promoted, Nov. 13, 1776, to Lieutenant of the same company, and served the year out in same regiment, and commissioned Lieutenant, Jan. 1, 1777, in Capt. J. Donnel's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Regiment of the line; was promoted to Captain of his Company, July 5, 1779, and probably commanded the Light Infantry company from his regiment, under Lieut.-Col. Wm. Hull, at the storming of Stony Point, July 15, 1779. Served with the regiment until its consolidation, Jan. 1, 1781, when he was transferred to the First Massachusetts Line Regiment; served with it until May 14, 1781, when he was appointed Brigade Major and inspector of the First Massachusetts Brigade. He was on command with Light Infantry from August, 1782, to December, 1782; was Major of the First Brigade again in 1783, and held it until Nov. 5, 1783, when he was honorably discharged after eight and a half years of continuous service, which is the longest service of any one from the town for the cause of liberty. He commanded at times the Twelfth Regiment and also the First.

Was at Valley Forge, Jan. 22, 1778, and signed the oath of allegiance; was sick in camp in December, 1782; also, in January, February, and March, 1783. He was an original member of the Society of the Cincinnati, and is now represented in that society by a descendant.

Born, Sept. 9, 1755, at Kittery, son of Isaac and Mary (Pettigrow) Remick. Married Mercy Staples, of Kittery, there, July 25, 1775, by whom he had three children. His health was ruined by his long army service, and he died in February, 1785, at Kittery, and is buried in the Remick cemetery at South Eliot, near where a monument has been erected to his memory by the writer, and where he was born and lived.



RICE, SAMUEL, Captain of Privateers.

Commander of the privateer ship "Fancy," of eight guns and twenty-five men from New Hampshire in 1781, and of the privateer ship "Retaliation," of ten guns and twenty-five men from the same State in 1782.

Born, March 13, 1752, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Rice of Kittery. Married intentions to Elizabeth Dennett, published at Kittery, May 21, 1777. Both were residents; she was a sister to the Dennetts herein mentioned. His name was on back of a list of the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779. He probably removed to Portsmouth, N. H., after the war, where he died in 1803 a sea captain.

ROGERS, RICHARD, Captain.

Commanded a company of militia from April, 1776, for three months at Kittery, working on Forts Sullivan, McClary, and Hancock. Enlisted or drafted July 3, 1778, as Captain of a company in Col. J. Gerrish's Regiment of Guards stationed at Winter Hill, Mass., guarding Burgoyne's army of prisoners. Discharged Dec. 12, 1778.

He was commissioned Captain April 29, 1776, of the third company of Kittery militia and held it in 1780 and later.

Born Sept. 30, 1744, at Kittery (on the farm now owned by A. Stevenson), son of Thomas and Mary (Fernald) Rogers. Was a farmer. Married, first, Mary Staples of Kittery, March 20, 1770, at Kittery. Bought the present Rogers farm in Kittery where his descendants now live, and lived on it until his death, and was buried there. Married, second, Dorcas Fernald of Kittery, Dec. 18, 1786, at Kittery. She was the widow of Lieut.-Col. Tobias Fernald, before mentioned.

SHAPLEIGH, ELISHA, Captain.

Enlisted or drafted Aug. 14, 1777, as Captain of a company in Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, and served with the Continental Army in the campaign ending with the capture of General Burgoyne and his army at Saratoga, N. Y. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777.

Was commissioned Captain, April 29, 1776, of the first company of Kittery militia, and was in same position in 1779.

Born, March 10, 1749, at Kittery, son of Nicholas and Elizabeth (Plaisted) Shapleigh. Married Elizabeth Waldron (born July 8, 1752, daughter of Richard Waldron), of Dover, N. H., April 3, 1770,

by whom he had ten children. Was a farmer, and always lived in that part of the town now Eliot. He died Feb. 12, 1822, at Lebanon, Me., while on a visit there.

**SHAPLEIGH, JAMES, First Lieutenant.**

Enlisted or drafted April 1, 1778, as First Lieutenant of Capt. E. Preble's company in Col. J. Gerrish's Regiment of Guards, at Winter Hill, Mass., guarding Gen. Burgoyne's Troops of the Convention. Discharged July 3, 1778.

Commissioned First Lieutenant of the first company of Kittery militia on April 29, 1776.

Born, May 5, 1741, at Kittery, son of Capt. John and Dorcas (Littlefield) Shapleigh. Married Hannah Bartlett, and lived in that part of the town now Eliot, on his farther's farm, where Nathaniel Hanscom (his son-in-law) lived in 1850. Had fifteen children. Was a brother to Col. John Shapleigh, mentioned below. Was a farmer, and died Jan. 30, 1806, at Kittery.

**SHAPLEIGH, JOHN, Captain.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and commanded a company of Coast Guards at Kittery, in the State service; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Was a private in the Blue Troop of Horse, York County militia, in 1757; was Ensign of the third Kittery company of militia, March 10, 1762; was Lieutenant of the third Kittery company of militia in August, 1771, and April, 1772; was commissioned Second Major, Feb. 7, 1776, of the Second Regiment of York County Militia; promoted to First Major, June 10, 1778, of same regiment; also to Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel of same regiment.

Born, Nov. 5, 1733, at Kittery, a brother to Lieut. James Shapleigh before mentioned. Married Mrs. Isabella Littlefield, of Wells, Me.; intentions at Kittery, Aug. 14, 1756. A farmer and lived in central part of the town near Spruce Creek, near where Lieut. Dennis Shapleigh now lives. Died in 1788, at Kittery, and left no children.

**SMALLCORN, SAMUEL, Gunner and First Lieutenant.**

Appointed Gunner, Aug. 12, 1776, of the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. Thomas Thompson, at wages of \$15 a month. He did not remain on her long, as on Sept. 30, 1776, he was First Lieutenant of the brigantine "Reprisal," a privateer, then lying at Boston, Capt. John Wheelright; she was of about seventy tons,

carried eight carriage guns (three pounders) and ten swivels, and seventy men, also provisioned for a cruise.

Capt. Samuel Smallcorn married Jane Moore, Dec. 11, 1785, at Kittery, both residents.

**SPINNEY, WILLIAM, Captain.**

Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 12, 1778, and commanded a company in Colonel Cogswell's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; service as Guards in and near Boston; discharged, Dec. 31, 1778.

Commissioned First Lieutenant, April 29, 1776, of the sixth company of Kittery militia, chosen Sept. 3, 1776, as Captain, and commissioned, Nov. 14, 1776, of the same company, and was Captain of it in 1779.

Marriage intentions at Kittery, Aug. 20, 1763, to Mary Libby, of Kittery. Lived in that part of the town now South Eliot.

**STACY, SAMUEL, Seaman and Sailing Master.**

Engaged, probably in 1775, on the Continental frigate "Alfred," twenty-eight guns, Capt. Dudley Saltonstall, at Philadelphia. She sailed in company with the American fleet, under Commander-in-Chief Ezekiel Hopkins, on Feb. 17, 1776, to the Bahama Islands; the fleet captured "New Providence," and several vessels, and also had a fight off Block Island, on their return, with the British frigate "Glasgow." The "Alfred" and fleet arrived at New London, Conn., April 8, 1776.

Lieut. Paul Jones, who had been first lieutenant of the "Alfred," was ordered to the command of the Continental ship "Providence," at Newport, R. I., of fourteen guns, joining her on May 10, 1776, and he took with him from the "Alfred's" crew several of her men, among others Samuel Stacy.

The "Providence," under Jones, first sailed to New York for stores and men, through the Sound, and returned the same way to Newport, on June 14, 1776. She sailed from Newport on a cruise to Newfoundland, and she returned to Boston or Newport, on Oct. 7, 1776. During this cruise she captured eighteen British vessels, and one of them, the "Mellish," was the most valuable prize taken by us during the Revolution. Eight of these prizes were sent into port, and Samuel Stacy doubtless was prize master of one, and, soon after arriving in port, joined the privateer "Dalton," Capt. E. Johnston, in November, 1776, at Kittery, a resident of the town; was captured on her Dec. 24, 1776, and taken to Plymouth, England, where he was

confined in Mill Prison until March, 1779, when he was exchanged to Nantes, France, where he engaged, April 14, 1779, to serve one year on the Continental frigate "Richard," Capt. Paul Jones, then at L'Orient, France, about seventy-five miles from Nantes, where he joined her. Was Sailing Master of the "Bon Homme Richard," Captain Jones, in the fight with the British frigate "Serapis," Sept. 23, 1779, off the coast of England, when the "Serapis" was captured after a hard fight. He was probably transferred to the "Serapis," and then to the Continental frigate "Alliance," Captain Jones, and probably returned to the United States in her with Captain Landais, in August, 1780, or on the "Ariel," Continental frigate, Captain Jones, in January, 1781.

Born at Kittery, son of William Stacy, of Kittery. Married Alice Shapleigh, of Kittery, sister to Capt. John Shapleigh, and Lieut. James Shapleigh, before mentioned. Was a sea captain and commanded many ships. Lived in that part of town now Central Eliot. Had son Samuel and daughter Dorcas. Was living at Kittery in 1785, and died there in February, 1786.

#### TRIPE, SILVANUS, Master.

He was brought to Boston from Halifax, Oct. 8, 1778, a prisoner to be exchanged. He was Master of the armed sloop "John Bunyan," a privateer, and brought a prize into the Piscataqua River, the trial of which took place at Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 10, 1781.

He belonged to the third company of militia at Kittery, June 23, 1779.

Born Nov. 5, 1734, at Kittery, son of Robert and Mary Tripe.

#### WEEKS, NICHOLAS, Ensign and Second Lieutenant.

Enlisted or drafted in January, 1776, and commissioned Ensign, Feb. 21, 1776, of Capt. A. Moulton's company, in Col. L. Robinson's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Service with the Continental Army around Boston until April 1, then discharged. Enlisted or drafted May 13, 1778, as Second Lieutenant of Capt. T. Hodgdon's company, in Col. T. Poor's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Service with the Continental Army at Peekskill, N. Y. Discharged Oct. 12, 1778.

Commissioned Second Lieutenant April 29, 1776, of the fifth company of Kittery militia.

Baptized March 28, 1742, infant son of Joseph Weeks, in First Parish. Married Rhoda Hutchings. Lived in the eastern part of the

town (and died there Jan. 15, 1809, aged sixty-seven years), on the farm now owned by John Wentworth.

**WENTWORTH, JOHN, Captain.**

Enlisted or drafted in August, 1776, and served as Captain in Col. E. Francis' regiment on duty around Boston, Mass. Discharged Nov. 30, 1776. He also served the last of 1776 and first of 1777 in Col. A. Willard's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops at Bennington and Lake Champlain. In 1777 was Captain of a company of Coast Guards stationed at Cape Elizabeth, Me.; there in April, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, in July, 1778, as Captain in Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Guards at Cambridge, Mass., guarding the Troops of the Convention (Burgoyne's army). Discharged in December, 1778.

He served as Second Lieutenant and as Lieutenant and Captain in 1758, 1759, and 1760 in the French war in the King's service and was in the battle of Quebec, Canada. Second Lieutenant of Capt. Wm. Osgood's company, Col. J. Preble's regiment, March 13, 1758, to Nov. 18, 1758, at Lake George. Lieutenant of Capt. David Bean's company March 31, 1759, to July 15, 1759, at Penobscot. Captain of a company in Col. Williams' regiment Feb. 25, 1760, to Dec. 8, 1760, at Crown Point and Canada.

Born, Feb. 23, 1736, at Kittery, son of Capt. William and Margery (Pepperell) Wentworth, and grand-nephew to Sir William Pepperell, baronet and general. Married, first, to Hannah Fernald in 1758. Married, second, Sarah Bartlett of Kittery, Sept. 17, 1762. Lived in town where George Hayes, on the road to East Eliot, now resides. Was a farmer; moved from Kittery to Cape Elizabeth, Me., where he died June 9, 1781.

**WHIPPLE, WILLIAM, Brigadier-General.**

Commenced duty Sept. 27, 1777, and commanded the New Hampshire State Troops in the campaign in Vermont and New York, ending with the capture of General Burgoyne and his army, and guarded them on the march to Cambridge, Mass. He was selected with Colonel Wilkerson to meet two of General Burgoyne's officers to settle several articles springing from the proposals of Burgoyne about his surrender. Discharged Nov. 12, 1777. Aug. 3, 1778, as Brigadier-General, he commanded a brigade of New Hampshire State Troops to Rhode Island; was in the battle of Quaker Hill in Rhode Island, Aug. 29, 1778, under General Sullivan. Discharged Sept. 5, 1778.

Born, Jan. 14, 1731, at Kittery, son of Capt. William and Mary (Cutts) Whipple, in the house now owned by Harrison J. Philbrick, at the Intervene, so called, and lived there. Went to sea in early life and became master of a vessel before he was twenty-one years old, but he quit going to sea when about twenty-nine years old. Married Catharine Moffatt, his cousin. They had but one child who died an infant. Removed to Portsmouth, N. H., across the river, where he lived until his death. Was a merchant and was elected, Jan. 23, 1776, to the Continental Congress, and signed the Declaration of Independence. Continued in Congress until 1779. In 1780 was elected a judge of the New Hampshire Superior Court. Died at Portsmouth, Nov. 28, 1785, and he is buried in the Old North Cemetery in that city.

## WARRANTED, APPOINTED AND NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN OF KITTERY.

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AMEE, JACOB, Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment; in company, Dec. 8, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1776.

Belonged to the Second Foot Company of town militia, April 20, 1757.

He was baptized, Oct. 12, 1735, an infant, in Second Parish of Kittery, and married Martha Cluff, Dec. 21, 1752, at Kittery.

**AMEE, MOSES**, *Private.*

Enlisted, June 18, 1775, to serve until end of year, and served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment, of North America; residence, Kittery; enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year in same captain's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment. *Died, Nov. 3, 1776, in service, near Fort George, N. Y.*

AMEE, SAMUEL.

Enlisted or drafted in July, 1780, to serve six months in the Continental Army for Kittery; arrived at Springfield, Mass., Aug. 4, and passed muster, Oct. 25, 1780, at Camp Totoway. Description: fifty-one years old, five feet five inches tall, dark complexion. Residence, First Parish of Kittery.

Was a private in Capt. J. Gowen's company, of Col. J. Preble's regiment; enlisted, April 10, 1758, service at Lake George and vicinity. Discharged, Nov. 17, 1758, resident of the town. Enlisted again, March 26, 1759, residence, Kittery, age, twenty-eight years, for invasion of Canada, under General Amherst; enlisted again, March 12, 1760, and served as private in Capt. Johnson Moulton's company at Lake Champlain and Canada; residence, Kittery; discharged, Nov. 30, 1760, — all in the King's service.

Belonged to the Second Foot company of the town militia, April 20, 1757.

**ARNOLD, ROBERT, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, for eight months for Pepperelboro (Saco), and served in Capt. J. Hill's company in the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. Probably discharged December 31. Enlisted in January, 1776, for one year and was in Captain Whiting's company of the Twenty-fourth Continental Infantry. Served his time and was discharged at Albany, N. Y. Enlisted Feb. 22, 1777, for three years. Served in Capt. J. Carr's company in the Second New Hampshire Regiment of the line. On a size roll of the regiment, Jan. 10, 1778, he was reported as twenty-six years old, five feet nine inches tall, dark hair, eyes, and complexion, and as having deserted at Otter Creek. Residence, Kittery, last of Exeter, N. H. Enlisted or drafted March 18, 1780, and served in Capt. N. Lord's company at Camden, Me., under General Wadsworth on State duty. Discharged June 18, 1780. Enlisted or drafted in July, 1780, for six months' service in the Continental Army for Kittery, and marched from there July 19, for Springfield, Mass., arriving there August 4, and was discharged Jan. 14, 1781. He enlisted again at Totterway, N. J., probably in January, 1781, for the war, for Kittery, and served as private in Capt. N. Emerson's company in the Tenth Massachusetts Regiment of the Line until Jan. 1, 1783, then was transferred to Captain Williams' company of the Fifth Massachusetts Regiment of the Line, and was discharged June 8, 1783, at West Point, N. Y., or New Windsor. He said in his application for pension in 1818, that he was sent to the hospital in August or September, 1777, where he stopped two months and was then discharged by General Heath on account of his health; said he was in battles of Bunker Hill and Hubbardston.

Marriage intentions to Abigail Wilson, both of Kittery, published there July 27, 1777. Taxed in Third Parish of Kittery, June 20, 1780. He was living at Starks, Me., in 1818, when he said he was seventy-one years old, born at Abbey Milton, England, but had lived in the United States more than forty-nine years. Had wife, Abigail, in 1820, who was eighty-three years old. He was a resident of Starks, Me., Oct. 27, 1835, when he was over eighty years old and applied for the State bounty.

**BAKER, JOSEPH, Sergeant.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months, and served as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company, of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, for service in Rhode Island; enlisted or drafted, Oct. 8, 1778, and served as Sergeant in Capt. W. Spinney's



company of Colonel Cogswell's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops around Boston. Discharged Dec. 31, 1778. Was also serving as a soldier, June 14, 1779, in one of the forts on the Piscataqua River, in New Hampshire State service.

Marriage intentions to Rebecca Lewis, published, Dec. 2, 1775, at Kittery, and both of Kittery.

**BANKS, JEREMIAH, Fifer.**

Enlisted, Dec. 4, 1775, as Fifer in Capt. Jeremiah Hill's company in Colonel Phinney's Eighteenth Continental Regiment; discharged, July 31, 1776.

Enlisted, Jan. 18, 1777, for the war, for Kittery, and belonged there; mustered in as private in Capt. D. Wheelright's company of the Eleventh Massachusetts Regiment of the Line; was with his regiment at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778, and in 1779, when his age was twenty-three years; five feet nine inches tall; hair and complexion dark, and residence, at York, Me. Remained in regiment until March, 1780, when he deserted.

**BANKS, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, as private in Captain Francis' company in the Eleventh Massachusetts, Line. Residence, Kittery; served with regiment until March 30, 1779, when he deserted.

**BANKS, JOSEPH.**

Enlisted, in 1775, in Capt. R. Follet's company of Artillery at Kittery Point, was there, Nov. 5, 1775. Marriage intentions published, Nov. 9, 1777, at Kittery, to Sarah Keen, of Kittery; he was of York.

He belonged to the third company of Kittery militia, June 23, 1779; was a resident and owned land in First Parish of Kittery, June 20, 1780, also in 1785.

**BARTER, CALEB.**

Enlisted service in a Mattross company, commanded by Capt. T. Salter, in New Hampshire State service, at Fort Washington; Piscataqua River in 1776.

**BARTER, JOHN, Corporal.**

Enlisted in a Field Artillery company in New Hampshire State service, as private, stationed near the Piscataqua River, under com-

mand of Capt. E. Deering; was in it March 22, 1776, when he was thirty-seven years old and lived at Kittery; was in same company, Sept. 2 to Dec. 2, 1776. The company was in Col. P. Long's regiment at this time; he refused to march with the regiment to Ticonderoga in February, 1777, and was put on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," at Portsmouth, Jan. 27, 1777, but probably did not remain on her long; was six feet and one half inch tall, dark complexion, and an American.

He was a resident of the First Parish of the town, in 1760.

**BARTER, JOHN, JR., Corporal.**

Mustered, May 7, 1777, as a private for three years in Capt. S. Cherry's company of the Second New Hampshire Line regiment; enlisted for New Market, N. H. Before his time was up in this regiment, he enlisted in the Second Massachusetts Line regiment, but was returned to the Second New Hampshire, and he remained in the same regiment, until 1782, and then in the New Hampshire regiment until June 7, 1783, when he was discharged, as a Corporal. He was wounded in the army, and was pensioned by New Hampshire, at two dollars per month, from June 7, 1783. He lived in Middleton, N. H., in 1789, and appeared to be thirty-one years old then.

**BARTER, MARK, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as private, in Capt. N. Littlefield's company of Massachusetts State Troops, as Coast Guards, at Wells, Kittery, and Arundel; was promoted to Sergeant, Dec. 4, 1775, and discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

**BARTER, PELETIAH, Private.**

Enlisted service in the same company as John Barter, senior, before mentioned, at same date, also put on the "Raleigh" for same reason; entered Jan. 25, 1777, as a seaman, five feet and ten and a half inches tall, dark complexion, and an American. He was thirty-four years old in 1776, and residence was Kittery. Probably did not remain long on the "Raleigh."

Baptized, Aug. 23, 1741, in First Parish, infant son of H. Barter, Jr.

**BARTLETT, JAMES, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 20, 1778, as private in Capt. R. Rogers, company, Colonel Gerrish's regiment of guards, Massachusetts State

Troops, for duty at Winter Hill, Mass., guarding General Burgoyne's army of prisoners. Discharged Dec. 14, 1778.

He was born, Nov. 24, 1759, at Kittery, son of Nathan and Sarah (Shapleigh) Bartlett. Married Lois Hill, of Kittery, May 30, 1782, at Kittery, and lived on the farm now in Eliot, owned by his grandsons James and Sylvester Bartlett.

**BARTLETT, JOHN, Sergeant.**

Enlisted in August, 1776, as sergeant in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, for duty around Boston, where he remained until December, 1776, when he was discharged. Residence Kittery.

He was born, June 16, 1751, at Kittery, son of John H. and Dorcas (Moulton) Bartlett, of Kittery. Married Mary Leighton, third daughter of Dea. William Leighton, Nov. 12, 1772, both of Kittery, at Kittery. They lived in Shapleigh, Me., after the war.

**BEAL, BENJAMIN, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for the war, for Kittery, and residence there. Mustered into Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment as a private, and served with regiment until July 26, 1780, when he deserted.

His marriage intentions to Mary Jones, both of Kittery, were published there.

**BEAL, HENRY, Corporal.**

Enlisted or drafted, in July, 1776, as private in Capt. J. Goodwin's company of Col. E. Wigglesworth's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, and marched, July 22, 1776, to join the Northern Army in Canada, and at Lake Champlain, in campaign against Sir Guy Carleton and the British army. Was discharged Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y. Residence, Kittery.

Enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1777, and mustered into Capt. S. Burbank's company, Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, as Corporal, and remained in regiment until Jan. 1, 1781, when he was transferred to Capt. J. Williams' company of the First Massachusetts Continental Regiment.

His description on Feb. 3, 1781, was: twenty-one years old, five feet eight inches tall, light complexion, brown hair, a yeoman. He was in the service in March, 1782, and probably until June, 1783, or later.

**BEAL, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment. Residence, Kittery. Was discharged Sept. 9, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 17, 1776, for one year as private in Capt. Philip Hubbard's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops, at Kittery and York. Probably discharged Aug. 31, 1776, and enlisted Sept. 2, 1776, for one year in Capt. Ebenezer Deering's company of Field Artillery at Portsmouth, N. H., Col. P. Long's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops, but refused to march to Ticonderoga in February, 1777, with his company. Residence, Kittery. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as private in Capt. Thomas Bragdon's company, Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, on duty at Portland and Thomaston, Me. Discharged June 10, 1780. Enlisted or drafted, July 7, 1780, for six months' service from Kittery and served as private in Capt. T. Remick's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Was discharged Jan. 6, 1781, from the First Massachusetts Continental.

Marriage intentions to Sarah Hutchings published at Kittery, Nov. 3, 1775, both of Kittery. Resident of Third Parish in 1780.

**BEAL, JOSEPH, JR.**

Enlisted, service at Fort Sullivan, Kittery, in New Hampshire pay. Was there June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

Born, Nov. 22, 1757, at Kittery, son of William Beal, 3d, and Elizabeth.

**BELLAMY, CHARLES, Private.**

Enlisted May 2, 1781, and served as private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Mattrosses New Hampshire State Troops, at Forts Sullivan and Washington on the Piscataqua River; in company June 25, 1781, and later. Enlisted, May 20, 1782, at Wells, Me., for three years, for town of Kittery, to serve in the Continental Army. Received ninety pounds bounty.

Married, at Kittery, July 3, 1787, to Margaret Haley of Gosport; his residence, Kittery.

**BELLAMY, JOHN, Corporal and Sargeant.**

Enlisted in 1775; was in Capt. Robert Follett's Artillery Company at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1776, as Corporal

in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776. Enlisted again, Nov. 19, 1776, as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Col. P. Long's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops, and was in company Jan. 7, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, as Sergeant in Capt. Samuel Grant's company, of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, and served two months in Rhode Island. Residence, Kittery.

Living at Kittery in 1781 and 1784.

#### BENSON, JAMES.

Enlisted, service in Capt. Elipalet Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, Kittery, June 4, 1777.

Baptized, March, 1753, in Third Parish, Kittery. Son of Henry Benson.

#### BENSON, JOHN, Corporal.

Enlisted, in 1775, as private in Capt. Titus Salter's company of New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Washington, Piscataqua River, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, in August, 1776, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Promoted to Corporal; around Boston. Discharged Nov. 30, 1776. Residence, Kittery.

Was to marry Mary Rogers in April, 1773, both of Kittery. John and Joseph below were probably sons of John and Sarah (Quint) Benson, of Kittery, Third Parish.

#### BENSON, JOSEPH.

Enlisted, service in Capt. T. Salter's company of New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Washington, Feb. 16, 1776.

#### BENSON, SAMUEL, Private.

Enlisted, July 2, 1775, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies. Residence, Kittery. On roll of Oct. 30, 1775, and probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted in January, 1777, residence, Biddeford, Me., in Capt. Jeremiah Hill's company of the First Massachusetts Continental Regiment. His enlistment was to expire Jan. 10 (probably 1778).

**BERRY, JOSIAH, Private.**

Enlisted in July, 1776, as private in Capt. J. Arnold's company of Col. T. Wingate's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, for service around Ticonderoga; was probably discharged in December, 1776.

Enlisted again and was in Capt. T. Salter's company of Matrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Washington, Piscataqua River, on May 26, 1777.

**BERRY, GEORGE, Private.**

Enlisted, Oct. 30, 1775, in Capt. T. Salter's company of New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Washington, Nov. 5 and Dec. 2, 1775, and Feb. 16, 1776; enlisted again in July, 1776, in Capt. J. Arnold's company of Colonel Wingate's Regiment, New Hampshire State Troops, for service around Ticonderoga, and probably discharged in December, 1776.

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, as private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Colonel Storer's Regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; service in Burgoyne campaign; discharged, Nov. 30, 1777; enlisted or drafted, May 28, 1778, as private in Capt. T. Hodgdon's company of Col. T. Poor's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops; service in New York State with the Continental Army; discharged, Dec. 14, 1778.

**BILLINGS, JAMES.**

Enlisted, service in Capt. E. Daniels' company of New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan in March, 1776.

**BILLINGS, SAMUEL, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops of Coast Guards, at Kittery Point. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 17, 1776, as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, Massachusetts State Troops of Coast Guards, at Kittery and York. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776. Enlisted again, Nov. 19, 1776, residence Kittery, as private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops. Was in company at Portsmouth, Dec. 7, 1776. Refused to march with his company for Ticonderoga in February, 1777, and was probably discharged.

Married Hannah Hewse Oct. 22, 1758, at Kittery. Was a resident of the First Parish in 1760.

**BLACK, CATO, Private.** Probably a negro.

Enlisted, April 3, 1775, as private, residence Kittery, in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

**BLACK, HENRY, Private.**

Enlisted, April 3, 1782, for three years, to serve for Kittery; received a bounty of ninety pounds from one of the classes of Kittery June 1, 1782. Was in Captain Dean's company of the Tenth Massachusetts Line, to January, 1783, then in Captain Pattern's company, in the Eighth Massachusetts Line, to June 12, 1783; then in the Third Massachusetts Line, to December, 1783; then in the American Regiment, to June 30, 1784, when he was honorably discharged by Gen. Henry Jackson.

He married Sarah Spinney, May 23, 1782, at Kittery, and both were residents. He was Henry Jr., then. Residence in 1786 was in upper part of the town. He was a pensioner (commencing April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars per year), July 4, 1820, aged sixty-two years, and lived in Eliot. His wife Sally, was sixty-seven years old in 1820. He was a pensioner in 1839, aged eighty-one years, and was living in Kittery, and said he had always lived in the town; and probably died at Kittery in that year.

**BLACK, JOSEPH, Drummer.** Probably a mulatto.

Enlisted or drafted, June 1, 1778, to serve nine months for the town in the Continental Army, and he was marched to Fishkill-on-the-Hudson and joined the army. He was then eighteen years old, five feet seven inches tall, dark complexion, a resident of the town, and belonged to Capt. Leighton's militia company. He enlisted or was drafted again in June, 1779, to serve nine months in the army for Kittery, and was delivered to Captain Tisdale at Springfield, Aug. 22, 1779. In his description he was said to be twenty-one years old, five feet eight inches tall, dark complexion, a resident of town, and belonged to Lieutenant Raitt's militia company. During this service he enlisted, Oct. 1, 1779, at West Point for the war, and served in Capt. J. Mean's company of the Second Massachusetts Line. Was in the regiment Jan. 1, 1781. Had a tawny complexion. Residence, Kittery, and no doubt served until June 10, 1783, when all men in this regiment enlisted for the war were discharged.

Probably the Joseph Black who married Mary Patch at Kittery in April, 1784. They were both colored and residents of the town;

and he was living in the town in 1801, when he was allowed twenty dollars or two hundred acres of land by Massachusetts for serving in the Continental Army.

**BLACK, KITTERY**, Probably a Negro.

Enlisted in May, 1781, to serve three years in the Continental Army for the town of York, Me., and received forty-five pounds bounty from that town, May 8, 1781. Made a mark in signing.

**BLACK, RICHARD**, *Private*.

Enlisted and mustered, Sept. 23, 1776, at Portsmouth, into Capt. John Calf's company of Col. P. Long's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops, as a private. Residence, Kittery. Was probably discharged in January, 1777.

Enlisted, Feb. 5, 1777, for three years, for Kittery. Thirty-six years old, five feet eight inches tall, and dark complexion. Served as private in Captains D. Wheelright's and Francis' companies of the Eleventh Massachusetts Continental. Was in his company at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778, and *died Feb. 1, 1778 (at that place probably)*.

Baptized March 14, 1742, in First Parish, infant son of Richard Blisk or Black.

**BLACK, SAMUEL**, Seaman.

Enlisted, Aug. 17, 1776, as seaman on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, at eight dollars per month. Was five feet seven inches tall, dark complexion, an American. Not on her Jan. 22, 1788.

Married Sally Billings, March 18, 1791, at Kittery, both residents.

**BRAWN or BROWN, MICHAEL**.

Enlisted in August, 1776, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Colonel Francis' regiment, Massachusetts State Troops; residence, Kittery; probably discharged, Nov. 30, 1776; enlisted or drafted, Sept. 1, 1777, for Kittery, to serve eight months; was in Captain Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continentals, and was in company at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778. Enlisted or drafted in August, 1779, for Kittery, to serve nine months, in the Continental Army, and was delivered to Captain Tisdale, August 23, at Springfield; residence, Kittery; forty years old, five feet six inches



tall, dark complexion ; then enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1780, as private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company, Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops ; service at Portland and Thomaston, Me. Discharged, Oct. 30, 1780.

Was a private in Capt. Humphrey Chadbourn's company in the King's service ; enlisted, March 7, 1760 ; residence, Kittery ; service at Lake Champlain and Canada. Discharged Nov. 30, 1760.

He was a private in the Fourth Foot company of Kittery militia in 1754, 1759, and 1762, which was located in the upper part of what is now Eliot ; married Hannah Smith, June 21, 1750, at Kittery.

#### BRAY, WILLIAM, Boatswain.

Enlisted in 1775 in Capt. R. Follett's artillery company at Kittery Point, and in company Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 17, 1776, as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops. Was in company Aug. 31, 1776, and was probably discharged on that date. Enlisted again, July 15, 1776, as Boatswain at fifteen dollars per month ; five feet eight inches tall ; on board the Continental frigate, "Raleigh," at Kittery, Capt. T. Thompson, and appointed Boatswain of her July 15, 1776. Probably did not join the "Raleigh" until Sept. 1, 1776. He was Boatswain of the "Raleigh" on Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France, and probably remained on her until her capture on Sept. 28, 1778. When he signed the "Raleigh's" articles no residence was put down, but he was called an Englishman. But he was living in the First Parish, Kittery, July 30, 1780, when he had a son William baptized.

#### BREWER, JACOB, Seaman.

Residence, Kittery. He was on the privateer "Dalton," enlisting in November, 1776, at Kittery. Was captured on the "Dalton" by the British, Dec. 24, 1776, and confined in the Mill Prison, in England ; was exchanged in March, 1779, to Nantes, France.

Married Mary Witham, June 2, 1770.

#### BREWER, THOMAS.

Enlisted in spring of 1778, and mustered into Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental, in March, 1778, for Kittery. A resident of Kittery. Was also claimed by Berwick. Probably the Brewer drowned in Sturgeon Creek. Eliot, Oct. 13, 1820, aged eighty-eight years.

**BRIARD (BRYER), MOSES.**

Enlisted, service at Forts Sullivan and Washington, Piscataqua River. Was a soldier in one of the forts June 14, 1779.

Married Mercy Norton Dec. 7, 1783, at Kittery, and both were residents.

**BRIARD (BRYER), NICHOLAS.**

Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for three months, and served in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company of Col. J. Frost's regiment.

Born, July 31, 1736, at Kittery, a brother to Robert, below mentioned. Married Ruth Wilson, Nov. 14, 1759, at Kittery, and both were residents.

**BRIARD (BRYER), ROBERT, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as Corporal, in Capt. John Shapleigh's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H., as a private, and was in it March 22, 1776, also Sept. 2, 1776, when he was twenty-five years old, and resident of Kittery, and in same company of Col. P. Long's regiment, to February, 1777, when he refused to march to Ticonderoga, and was put on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," at Portsmouth, Jan. 25, 1777. Was five feet five and one half inches tall, light complexion, an American. Did not remain on her long. He was a private in one of the forts on the river June 14, 1779. Enlisted or drafted April 29, 1780, and served as sergeant in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieutenant-Colonel J. Prime's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 24, 1780.

Born, Oct. 21, 1750, at Kittery, son of William and Elizabeth Bryar, of Kittery. Married Sarah Wilson Dec. 1, 1774, at Kittery, and both were residents of the town.

**BRIARD (BRYER), WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1776, as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776.

Enlisted, Nov. 19, 1776, as private in Capt. E. Deering's company, Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, residence, Kittery. Was in company until Jan. 13, 1777, but refused to march with the regiment to Ticonderoga in February, 1777. He

was in Captain Daniels' company of New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, Kittery, Sept. 22, 1777.

Born, May 7, 1760, at Kittery, son of Nicholas and Ruth (Wilson) Briard.

**BROOKS, JOSIAH, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, as private in Capt. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of North America; residence, Kittery; was in company, Nov. 28, 1775; enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1776, in same company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment, and was discharged, July 8, 1776; enlisted again, Sept. 2, 1776, in Capt. E. Deering's company, Colonel Long's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H., and in company in January, 1777; residence, Kittery; refused to march to Ticonderoga with regiment in February, 1777; enlisted, Feb. 13, 1777, for three years or the war, for Dover, N. H.; age thirty-one years; in Capt. F. M. Bell's company, of the Second New Hampshire Continentals, and probably served his time; was claimed by Kittery, as one of her three-year men. Died, Aug. 14, 1814, in Eliot, Me., aged about seventy-five years.

**BROOKS, JOSEPH, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, service; was in Capt. E. Daniel's company, of New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, in 1776; was enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for three months' service for Kittery, and probably served in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, Col. John Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, for service in Connecticut and New York.

Enlisted, or drafted, July 10, 1779, as sergeant of Capt. T. Cutts' company, of Major D. Littlefield's battalion, in Penobscot expedition. Discharged, Sept. 10, 1779.

Son of William and Anne (Staples) Brooks, of Kittery. Married Abigail Fernald, Dec. 5, 1776, at Kittery, both residents of the town.

**BROOKS, SAMUEL, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, as private, in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies, and served until end of year; residence, Kittery. Enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, in same company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment, and was a sergeant on roll of company, at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776; discharged Dec. 31, 1776, at Fort George, N. Y.

Married Olive Knight, at Kittery, May 3, 1770, where they were both residents.

He was pensioned by United States, April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year; was living in Eliot, July 4, 1820, and was seventy-one years old, and was on rolls in 1834. A brother to Joseph Brooks before mentioned.

**BROOKS, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted, May 8, 1775 (residence, Kittery), as a private in Capt. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies. About Oct. 1, 1775, he, with two other men from his company, were sent to Watertown, Mass., where they served as guards to a paymaster until they were discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Born June 3, 1755, at Kittery. Married Mary Gowel at Kittery, Aug. 21, 1777, both residents of town, and was living in the town in 1778 and 1779, and always lived there or in Eliot.

Was pensioned (residence, Eliot) March 4, 1831, at \$26.66 a year for private in Massachusetts militia, and was a pensioner living in York County, Me., about 1834, aged seventy-nine years. A brother to Joseph Brooks, before mentioned.

**BROTON (BROUGHTON), WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted service; was in Capt. E. Deering's company of Artillery, at Portsmouth, March 22, 1776, and April 1, 1776. He was then thirty-four years old, and his abode was Portsmouth. He was a private, Aug. 23, 1776, in Capt. C. Hodgdon's company of Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, and in Capt. A. Perkins' company, same regiment, at New Castle, N. H., from Sept. 20 to Dec. 7, 1776, when his abode was in Kittery; was in the regiment in February, 1777, and refused to march to Ticonderoga with it.

**BROWN, DAVID, Seaman and Quartermaster.**

Enlisted, Aug. 8, 1777, as seaman for one year, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson. Was five feet seven inches tall, dark hair. Promoted to a Quartermaster, and was on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France.

**BROWN, JAMES, Private and Sailor.**

Enlisted in April, 1776, for three months, in Capt. R. Rogers' company, Massachusetts State Troops; was working on Forts Sulli-

van, McClary, and Hancock, on the Piscataqua River. Enlisted or drafted in August, 1776, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Service around Boston, on forts and repairing the castle. Discharged Nov. 30, 1776. Enlisted in February, 1777, as a seaman on the brig "Morris," of the Continental service, Capt. B. Gunnison, at Portsmouth, N. H. She sailed for Virginia, and was at Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 17, 1778, about to sail for France with a cargo of tobacco, which she seems to have landed at Nantes, France, as she was there Jan. 14, 1779, and probably loaded a cargo there of arms, ammunition, anchors, etc., for the government, as she had that cargo when she arrived at Portsmouth, N. H., on Aug. 3, 1779. His name is on the back of a list of the third militia company of Kittery, June 23, 1779. He was committed to Mill Prison, England, July 22, 1780, from brig "Aurora."

Married Sarah Fernald March 9, 1783, at Kittery, both residents. His pension commenced March 4, 1831, at \$23.33 a year, and he was a resident of York County in 1834, aged seventy-four years, and a pensioner.

He said in October, 1832, that he was born Jan. 1, 1760, at Kittery, and had always lived in the town, was living there in 1837.

#### BROWN, MOSES, Private.

Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1780, for sixteen months, and served as private in Capt. T. Remick's company, of the First Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Discharged Feb. 25, 1782.

#### BROWN, THOMAS, Private and Sailor.

Enlisted in July, 1776, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," as Thomas, Jr., five feet three and one half inches tall, an Irishman. Not on her Jan. 22, 1778. Enlisted or drafted, July 19, 1778, as private in Capt. R. Rogers' company, of Colonel Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 14, 1778. He also enlisted, about June, 1779, at Kittery (and joined her at Boston), on the Continental frigate "Dean" (or "La Hague"), Capt. Samuel Nicholson and Lieut. H. Yeaton, as a mariner, and served on her over a year. Discharged at Boston. He was committed to Mill Prison, England, on July 22, 1780, from the brig "Aurora," privateer, Capt. George Phipps, captured June 14, 1780.

He was baptized June 5, 1763, in First Parish of town, son of Thomas Brown. Married, first, Hannah Parry, June 11, 1785, at

Kittery, both residents. Married, second, Eunice Fernald, both residents; intentions May 31, 1788, at Kittery; married Sept. 3, 1788. He was Thomas, Jun., at both these dates. His pension commenced Dec. 13, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year. July 4, 1820, he was living at Kittery, a pensioner, aged sixty-five years, and wife Eunice, aged fifty-six years. He died Oct. 15, 1822, at Kittery.

#### BURBANK, SAMUEL.

Enlisted in 1775; was in Capt. R. Follett's Artillery company at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775. He also signed a roll for Ach. Forger-son's pay, March 18, 1776, in Capt. E. Daniel's company, at Fort Sullivan. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, as private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company, Lieut.-Col. Storer's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777.

His wife renewed her covenant with the First Parish church, Oct. 5, 1777, and had daughter Hannah, baptized; also a daughter of Samuel, named Miriam Burbank, baptized on May 21, 1779.

#### BURDEAN (or BRADEEN), TIMOTHY. Private.

Enlisted first in July, 1779, for nine months' service in the Continental Army for Kittery, at Kittery, and arrived at Springfield, Aug. 23, 1779, and then enlisted for the war, Oct. 23, 1779, and served as private in Capt. Oliver Peirce's company of the Eighth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, until discharged. Enlisted second time at West Point; was sixteen years old, five feet three inches tall, light complexion, born at Kittery and residence there, and belonged to Lieutenant Raitts' militia company. Jan. 1, 1781, he was seventeen years old, five feet tall, light complexion, red hair, a yeoman. Honorably discharged, June 13, 1783, at Newburgh, N. Y.

Residence, upper part of Eliot, in 1786. Married Molly Fernald, April 16, 1787, at Kittery, both residents.

Pensioned, March 21, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, and on July 4, 1820, lived at York, Me.; age, fifty-seven years; a farmer; wife, Mary, age, fifty-five years. In 1840, he lived in South Berwick; age, seventy-six years. Died Dec. 28, 1845, at South Berwick, Me. (widow Molly Burdean, living at South Berwick, in 1846, aged eighty years).

#### CARTER, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted about January, 1776, for one year, as he was a private Feb. 8, 1776, in Capt. E. Daniels' company, of Mattrosses, New

Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, Kittery, also March 18, 1776, and enlisted when his time was out for another year, and after that for another year. His abode was Kittery, and he was eighteen years old in 1776. Served three years in all at Fort Sullivan, and said he served a short time in the fall of 1775 in Capt. John Shapleigh's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops, at Fort William, now Fort McClary.

He belonged to the third company of Kittery militia Oct. 20, 1785.

He married, first, Alexy Spokefield, at Kittery, Dec. 17, 1780; he was a resident of the Third Parish; and both of the town; and, second, his marriage intentions with Polly Mitchell, both residents, were published at Kittery in December, 1789. He was pensioned Nov. 29, 1818, for service in the New Hampshire Line, at ninety-six dollars per year, which continued until his death. July 4, 1820, he was a resident of the town, sixty-one years old, a fisherman, with Mary, forty-three years old, Mercy, twenty-four years, Sally, seventeen years, and Elizabeth, eleven years old, in his family, and owned a house and barn. The house is there at present time.

He lived on the shore of the "Great Cove," in the town, near the Langton farm, and died there in March, 1822, aged sixty-three years.

**CARTER, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted July 10, 1775, and served as private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops, of Coast Guards. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

Joseph Carter was baptized, July 28, 1751, in Third Parish of the town. The son of Richard and Sarah Carter.

**CARTER, ROBERT, Private.**

Enlisted service as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses at Fort Sullivan. Was there June 4, 1777.

Robert, Jr., enlisted July 10, 1777, as a marine for one year (an American, residence, Kittery), on the Continental frigate "Raleigh." Was five feet eight and one half inches tall, dark complexion and hair. Was an ordinary seaman on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France.

His name on back of list of the third company of Kittery militia, June 23, 1779.

**CARTER, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted July 10, 1775, as private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops, of Coast Guards. Discharged

Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted Jan. 18, 1776, as private in Capt. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, at Fort Sullivan, and was there Feb. 2, 1776. Lived in Kittery. Age, twenty-one years.

He was baptized, May 19, 1754, in Third Parish of the town, and was a brother of Joseph, mentioned before.

CASWELL, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted service as private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H.; on pay roll, Sept. 2, 1776, to Jan. 7, 1777; enlisted in January, 1777, for three years or the war, for Kittery and a resident; served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; discharged, July 9, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, June 4, 1778, for nine months' service in the Continental Army for the town; was eighteen years old, five feet six inches tall, dark complexion; resident of the town, and belonged to the fifth company of town militia; probably served in the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, as he was discharged, March 4, 1779, by Major T. Fernald, of that regiment at West Point; the regiment was in Gen. John Patterson's brigade, serving around New York city during this time. His discharge of March 4, 1779, is with the papers of a Joseph White (of Lyman, Me., in 1819), in pension office at Washington, who was a soldier in same regiment in 1778-79.

CASWELL, JOSHUA, Boatswain's Mate.

Enlisted, July 15, 1776, as Boatswain's Mate, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, for nine and one third dollars per month; was five feet seven inches tall; dark complexion and an American. Sailed on the privateer "Dalton" from Kittery, Nov. 26, 1776; was captured and went to Mill Prison and left there, March 15, 1779, for France, and was exchanged.

Baptized, Sept. 23, 1751, in First Parish, son of James and Abigail Caswell. Marriage intentions to Hannah Wilson; published, Feb. 2, 1793, at Kittery, both of Kittery.

CASWELL, MARK, Private.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops, and discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; enlisted, again, Jan. 17, 1776, as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops, in company to May 31, 1776, when he was probably discharged; enlisted again as a private



in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery of New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H. ; was in company, Sept. 2, 1776 ; deserted, Oct. 17, 1776.

Married Temperance (or Mary) Titcomb, July 2, 1778, at Kittery, and both were residents.

CATOR, COTTON, Private.

Enlisted, May 12, 1782, for three years, for the town, and received £90 bounty at Wells, Me., May 31, 1782, from his class in the town. In February, 1783, he was in Capt. S. Smith's company, of the Fifth Massachusetts Continental. On March 10, 1783, he had two years, two months, and two days more to serve in the army, and he was probably discharged in December, 1783.

Born Sept. 5, 1755, at Kittery, son of John and Mary Cator. His marriage intentions to Mary Felker, of Barrington, N. H., published at Kittery in April, 1775. Lived in what is now the upper part of Eliot in 1776, also in 1782 and 1786.

CHASE, BRADSTREET, Corporal.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops, of Coast Guards ; discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, for three months, and served as Corporal of Capt. E. Preble's company, of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops ; discharged July 3, 1778. Enlisted again in Capt. E. Deering's company of New Hampshire State Troops and was at Fort Sullivan or Washington, June 14, 1779 ; April 18, 1780 ; April 28, 1781 ; and June 25, 1781.

Born, Jan. 19, 1744, at Newbury, Mass., son of the Rev. Josiah and wife Sarah Chase (Josiah Chase was pastor of the Third Parish church of the town for many years). Bradstreet's married intentions to Mary Sheaf, of New Castle, were published in April, 1771, at Kittery, when he was a resident ; also was a resident of the Third Parish, June 20, 1780.

CHASE, JOHN, Sergeant.

Enlisted May 3, 1775, residence, Kittery, in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies ; was Sergeant on roll of July 31 ; was in company Nov. 28, 1775, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

Born, July 15, 1749, at Kittery, a brother to Bradstreet before mentioned. Married Hannah Dennett, Aug. 17, 1775, and died Dec. 11, 1826.

**CHASE, SIMON, Private.**

Enlisted May 3, 1775, residence, Kittery, and served as private, in Capt. S. Sayer's company, of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; discharged, Aug. 17, 1775.

Born, Jan. 8, 1754, at Kittery, a brother to Bradstreet and John, before mentioned; probably lived in Wells, Me.

**CHANDLER, JOHN.**

Enlisted service in Capt. E. Daniel's company, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777; was committed to Mill Prison, England, on July 25, 1780, from the privateer brig "Aurora."

He belonged to the third company of Kittery militia, June 23, 1779.

Probably the son baptized, Nov. 17, 1754, in Third Parish of the town, of Thomas and Jane Chandler. Probably the Thomas Chandler hereafter mentioned.

**CHANDLER, THOMAS, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, June 18, 1775; residence, Portsmouth, N. H., then, in Capt. R. Shortridge's company, of the Second New Hampshire Continental, and was Sergeant of company, Oct. 4, 1775; probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. He was in Capt. E. Daniel's company at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777; enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, as private in Capt. T. Cutts' company of Major D. Littlefield's battalion; discharged, Sept. 10, 1779.

Belonged to third company of militia of town, June 23, 1779.

Resident of First Parish of town in 1760; also a resident, about 1777; married a daughter of John Marr, of Kittery.

**CHAPMAN, ISAAC, Private.**

Enlisted, March 10, 1781, for three years, residence Kittery, for the town; was eighteen years old, five feet three inches tall, fair complexion, dark hair, a yeoman; joined as a private Capt. William Watson's company, of the Third Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was in the same company and regiment in December, 1782, and January, February, March, and April, 1783.

Was baptized Nov. 24, 1765, in the First Parish of the town, son of Isaac and Mary (Grace) Chapman.

**CHAUNCY, ISAAC, Privateersman.**

He was captured, June 14, 1780, on the privateer "Aurora," and was probably taken to the Mill Prison, England. Residence in the town. He ran away from the prison.

Born, Jan. 14, 1763, at Kittery, son of Charles and Joanna (Gerrish) Chauncy, of Kittery. Was a sea captain, and was drowned March 11, 1792, when his ship, "Columbia," of Portsmouth, N. H., was wrecked near Marshfield, Mass., and nearly all hands were lost. Was never married. Was a great-great-grandson of Charles Chauncy, president of Harvard College.

**CHICK, ISAAC, Private.**

Enlisted, Feb. 1, 1776, and marched, Feb. 8, in company of Capt. James Roberts, of Col. Lemuel Robinson's regiment of Infantry, Massachusetts State Troops; service around Boston. Discharged in April, 1776. Enlisted in August, 1776, in Capt. S. Leighton's company, of Col. E. Francis' regiment of Infantry, Massachusetts State Troops. Served four months and was discharged. Enlisted in April, 1777, in Capt. S. Grant's company, of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment of Infantry, Massachusetts State Troops. Served two months and was discharged. Enlisted, in April, 1778, in Capt. E. Preble's company, Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Infantry, Massachusetts State Troops. Served three months and discharged.

Born, July 27, 1760, at Kittery, and lived in the town and Berwick until after the Revolution, then moved to Cornish, Me., where he lived about fourteen years, then moved to York, Me., where he lived until 1832, and later. Married Lydia Nowell, of York, in April, 1808, when he lived at Berwick. Pensioned, March 4, 1831, for above services, and living at York in 1832. Died Jan. 21, 1849.

**CHICK, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, residence Kittery, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies. In company Oct. 28, 1775, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 22, 1776, as private in Capt. E. Daniels' company, at Fort Sullivan, and there March 18, 1776. Abode in Kittery, age twenty-five years. Enlisted or drafted in May, 1778, to serve nine months in the Continental Army for the town, and was marched to Fishkill, N. Y., in June, 1778. Was received, July 20, 1778, by Col. R. Putnam, of the Fifth Massachusetts Continental, and probably served in that regiment. Was then twenty-seven years

old, five feet seven inches tall, and light complexion, and belonged to Capt. S. Leighton's militia company, of the town.

He, of Kittery, married, at Berwick, Me., Nov. 4, 1773, Sarah Randall, of Berwick.

**CICERO**, probably a Negro.

Enlisted service. Was in Capt. R. Follett's Artillery company Nov. 5, 1775, at Kittery Point.

**CLARIDGE, WILLIAM**, Private.

Enlisted, Nov. 3, 1775, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, and was forty-seven years old; abode in Kittery. Was at Fort Sullivan, Nov. 5 and Dec. 2, 1775, Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776, June 4 and Sept. 22, 1777. Was a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of New Hampshire State Troops at Fort Washington or Fort Sullivan, June 14, 1779, and April 18, 1780.

**CLARINBOLE, HEZEKIAH**, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 1, 1777, for eight months' service in the Continental Army for the town and resident of the town; served as private in Capt. D. Merrill's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental; was in company about Feb. 1, 1778, at Valley Forge.

He was baptized Sept. 6, 1741, an infant in First Parish of the town, the son of Richard and Anne (Elwell) Clarinbole of the town. A family of the name living in the town in 1777. Hezekiah and wife renewed their baptismal covenant at the First Parish church, June 8, 1766, and had a son baptized; also had another son baptized, March 24, 1771.

**CLARK, BENJAMIN**, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 8, 1777, as a private in Capt. N. Rawlins' company of Col. A. Drake's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; service in Burgoyne's campaign; discharged Dec. 15, 1777. He enlisted in May, 1782, for three years' service in the Continental Army to serve for the town, and he received £75 bounty, at Wells, Me., May 29, 1782, from his class of the town of Kittery.

**CLARK, DAVID**, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, July 1, 1778, for six months' service, and served as private in Capt. S. Brown's company of Col. N. Wade's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, in Rhode Island. Dis-

charged, Dec. 31, 1778. He was a private in the fourth company of Kittery militia, March 19, 1759.

Born Feb. 4, 1738, at Kittery, son of David and Hannah (Frost) Clark. Died Jan. 29, —.

**CLARK, EBENEZER, Private.**

Enlisted, June 11, 1775, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies. Resident of the town, but probably was in Pepperelboro (Saco), when he enlisted. Was in company July 31, 1775, and Nov. 28, 1775, and was discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

He was born at Kittery in 1752. Lived in upper part of Eliot in 1776. Married Anna Hanscom at Kittery, Nov. 11, 1778. Both residents. Moved to Limington, Me., in 1790, and lived there to 1832, when he was pensioned from March 4, 1831, for the above service and was there in 1834.

**CLARK, EPHRAIM, Seaman and Corporal.**

Enlisted, Nov. 17, 1776, resident of the town, on the privateer "Dalton," and was captured on her and taken to Plymouth, England, and put in the Mill Prison, where he remained until March 15, 1779, when they left in a cartel for Nantes, France, to be exchanged. Enlisted, April 5, 1779, for one year's service on the Continental frigate "Alliance," Capt. Pierre Landais, in the fleet under Com. J. Paul Jones, and was in the fight Sept. 23, 1779, when the "Serapis" and "Countess of Scarboro," British frigates, were captured. He was on the cutter "Marquis Marbeck," a privateer under American colors sailing from Dunkirk, France, when she was captured, Sept. 9, 1781, by a British vessel, and he was put in the Mill Prison (the second time) in England. He was a resident of the town then, was exchanged and arrived at Marblehead, Mass., in August, 1782, and was living in the town in 1784.

He was a pensioner July 4, 1820, living in Limington, Me. (also in 1818, 1832, and 1846), a farmer, aged sixty-four years; had wife, Lucy, aged fifty-seven years, and owned a farm. His pension was revoked because he had enough income. Pensioned again in 1832. Said he was on the "Alliance" in 1779, was put on a prize, which was, on Oct. 9, 1779, retaken by a British warship, and he was committed to the Fortune Prison at Portsmouth, England, from which he escaped and arrived at Cherbourg, France, May 3, 1780, then was on the privateer from Dunkirk. Said he was also in

Capt. Samuel Stacy's company at Kittery in summer of 1775 for a month to prevent landings from the British warships "Scarboro" and "Canceau," in the town. Said he took the place of Simon Libby of Kittery in Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment in fall of 1775 at Cambridge for six weeks, when Libby was on leave. And also said he served as a private and corporal in Capt. Nathaniel Ordiorne's company of New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, and Cambridge, for six weeks in early part of 1776.

**CLARK, NATHANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 22, 1776, as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops; was in company until Sept. 1, 1776, when he was probably discharged.

Lived in upper part of Eliot in 1776; Nathaniel Jr., married Sarah Pepperell Frost; intentions at Kittery in October, 1779; both residents.

**CLARK, SAMUEL, Private.**

Enlisted, Nov. 23, 1775, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775, June 17, 1776, and July 17, 1776, when he enlisted as a seaman on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," five feet seven inches tall, an American; not on her Jan. 22, 1778; enlisted or drafted, May 3, 1780, as private in Capt. Jed. Goodwin's company, Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Nov. 2, 1780.

Married, July 23, 1786, at Berwick, Second Parish, Abigail Hanson, both of Berwick; married, Dec. 15, 1793, at Kittery, Lydia Cutts, and lived in the town. He died March 5, 1816.

**CLINTON, EDWARD, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; enlisted in August, 1776, as marine on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," was five feet one inch tall, dark complexion, an American; not on her Jan. 22, 1778; enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, for three months, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, July 1, 1778; enlisted or drafted, in July, 1779, for nine months' service in the Continental Army for the town; delivered at Springfield, Mass. Aug. 23, 1779. He was then forty-one years old, five feet four

inches tall, light complexion, and belonged to the sixth company of Kittery militia (lower part of Eliot).

Baptized, Sept. 18, 1748, in First Parish; son of Jacob Clinton; married Rachel Lewis, Dec. 11, 1766, at Kittery.

CLOUGH, NATHANIEL, Fifer.

Enlisted in 1775, and was Fifer of Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattresses, at Fort Sullivan, Nov. 5, 1775.

COFFIN, NATHAN, Sergeant.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, and served as Sergeant of Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies; resident of the town; in company, July 31, 1775, and Nov. 28, 1775; probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

Marriage intentions published at Kittery, in September, 1774, to Martha Bowen, of Wells, he of Kittery.

COLE, ELI, Private.

Enlisted, service in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, for three months' service in Capt. Esaias Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's Regiment of Guards, Massachusetts State Troops, at Boston. Discharged July 3, 1778. Enlisted, Dec. 19, 1781, for three years for the town in the Continental Army, and was probably discharged in December, 1783.

Married, Feb. 19, 1778, at Kittery, Olive Wilson; both were residents, but in his marriage intentions his residence was given as Biddeford. Residence in the Third Parish of the town June 30, 1780.

He was pensioned, April 19, 1819, at ninety-six dollars per year for service as private in the Massachusetts Line, but it was revoked in 1820 as he had income, but he was pensioned again, May 4, 1831, at fifty dollars a year for same service. Died, Dec. 13, 1832, at Buxton, Me., aged seventy-four years. His widow, Olive, aged eighty-one years, living in Buxton, applied for the State bounty in 1836, and said her husband Eli served about two years and eight months and was honorably discharged at peace, and that he had lived in Buxton about thirty-eight years before his death.

COLE, JOHN, Corporal.

Enlisted July 14, 1775, and served as Corporal of Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colo-

nies. Resident of the town. In company Nov. 28, 1775, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 23, 1776, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops. Was thirty-two years old and abode in the town. Was at Fort Sullivan Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776. Enlisted probably in 1781, for three years for the town in the Continental Army, as on April 21, 1781, he was in Capt. Thomas Francis' company of the Tenth Massachusetts Continental.

His name was on back of a roll of the third company of Kittery militia, June 23, 1779, and a member of the same company Oct. 20, 1785.

He was baptized April 14, 1751, in the Third Parish of the town, son of Robert and Martha Cole. Marriage intentions to Elionor Cole published at Kittery in June, 1787, both residents.

COLE, NOAH, Private.

Enlisted service, as private in Capt. E. Daniels' company. Was at Fort Sullivan June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

COLE, SAMUEL, Marine.

Enlisted, Nov. 4, 1776, as a marine on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson; was five feet nine and one fourth inches tall, dark complexion, an American. Was not on her Jan. 22, 1778.

Born, April 10, 1739, son of Abner and Patience (Spinney) Cole, of Kittery.

COLE, WILLIAM, SEN., Sergeant.

Enlisted May 3, 1775, resident of the town, and served as Sergeant of Capt. S. Leighton's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies. In company on July 31, 1775, and Oct. 28, 1775. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, second time, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as Sergeant of Capt. S. Wild's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment. Discharged June 15, 1776. Enlisted Jan. 1, 1777 (probably for the war), for the town, and a resident, and served as Sergeant of Capt. S. Burbank's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Was in company at Valley Forge Jan. 23, 1778, and served continuously until Aug. 10, 1780. Then marked on roll as a deserter.

One of the Wm. Cole's family was supplied by the town in 1777, 1778, 1779.



Served as a private in Capt. Humphrey Chadbourn's company in the Province service. Enlisted Feb. 29, 1760, residence Kittery. Service at Lake Champlain and Canada. Discharged Nov. 30, 1760.

Was a private in July, 1762, in the Fourth Foot Company, of Kittery militia.

Born, Jan. 26, 1741, son of John and Elizabeth Cole, and baptized, Sept. 6, 1741, an infant in First Parish of the town. Marriage intentions to Elizabeth Burdean, published at Kittery Aug. 22, 1761, and both were residents.

**COLE, WILLIAM, JR., Sergeant.**

Enlisted May 3, 1775, resident of the town, as Corporal in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies, and was promoted to Sergeant of same company; was in company Nov. 28, 1775, at Camp No. 1. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 23, 1776, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company, of New Hampshire State Troops. Abode, Kittery, and twenty-five years old. Was at Fort Sullivan Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776; was promoted to Sergeant, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 4 and Sept. 22, 1777. Enlisted, Dec. 21, 1777, for the war, for the town and a resident, also residence given as Machias and engaged for Newburyport on another roll. Served as private in Capt. E. Lunt's company of Col. David Henley's Continental Regiment, to April, 1779, when he was transferred to Capt. J. Fox's company of Col. Henry Jackson's Continental Regiment, where he served until Dec. 31, 1779. Residence was then at Boston; seems to have either died, was killed, or left the service about this time.

Baptized, about April 14, 1751, in Third Parish of the town, son of Robert and Martha Cole. William, Jr., married Mary Beal, Oct. 18, 1771, at Kittery, both residents.

**COX, BRAY, Seaman.**

Enlisted service as mariner on the Continental frigate "Dean" ("La Hague"), Capt. Samuel Nicholson. Enlisted about June, 1779, at Kittery, for one year, and joined the "Dean" at Boston; made a cruise or cruises, and was discharged at Boston about May, 1780.

Baptized April 3, 1763, in First Parish of town, son of Arthur Cox. Marriage intentions to Olive Gerrish, at Kittery, Dec. 9, 1792, both residents. Pensioned, April 17, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year for above service. It was revoked after July, 1820, but restored

Sept. 5, 1820. July 4, 1820, he was fifty-eight years old, residence in the town, a mariner, owned a house and land. Wife, Olive, aged sixty-eight years. He died Jan. 14, 1821.

COX, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted, Feb. 16, 1776, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment; re-engaged Nov. 15, 1776; in company at Fort George, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1776; enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years; residence, at Kittery; served as private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Line Regiment; discharged Dec. 31, 1779.

CROSS, BENJAMIN, Private.

Enlisted in 1775, as private in Capt. T. Salters' company of New Hampshire State Troops, was at Fort Washington, Piscataqua River, Nov. 5, 1775, also Feb. 16, 1776; enlisted or drafted in 1776, from Kittery, and marched, July 22, as private in Capt. Jedidiah Goodwin's company of Col. Edward Wigglesworth's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops for the northern army; discharged, Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y. Enlisted, Feb. 13, 1777, for three years, for Portsmouth, N. H., and served as private in Capt. Zachariah Beal's company of the Third New Hampshire Line Regiment, and was discharged Feb. 13, 1780; enlisted or drafted, June 30, 1780, for six months (from the First New Hampshire militia regiment), for Portsmouth, N. H.; was about thirty-four years old, five feet seven inches tall, and dark complexion, service in the Second New Hampshire Line Regiment; discharged Dec. 4, 1780.

His family was furnished with supplies during 1777-1780, by Portsmouth, N. H.

CROSS, WILLIAM. .

Enlisted in 1775, in Capt. T. Salter's company, of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Washington, Piscataqua River, Nov. 5, 1775, and Feb. 16, 1776.

Both of the above men were probably sons of Abraham Cross, who lived in what is now the upper part of Eliot, in 1752 and 1760.

CURTIS, JOSEPH, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, as private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company, of Lieut.-Col. J. Storer's battalion, from York County, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777.

Enlisted or drafted, about July 1, 1778, as private in Capt. W. Spinney's company, of Colonel Cogswell's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1778. Enlisted for three years on March 12, 1781. He was then a private in Captain Park's company, of the Tenth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, and was also in the same company on Aug. 12 and Sept. 7, 1781, and served until January, 1783, then transferred to Captain Jackson's company, of the Eighth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, to June, 1783, then transferred to the Second Massachusetts Continental Regiment, and honorably discharged Dec. 19, 1783, at West Point, by Gen. M. Jackson. His discharge paper among his pension papers in Pension Office at Washington.

Born, April 3, 1747, at Kittery, son of Joseph and Philadelphia Curtis. Married, first, Hannah, daughter of Henry and Mary Benson, of Kittery, Jan. 5, 1774. She died May 27, 1776, at Kittery. He married, second, Mary Leach. Lived in Third Parish of town in 1769 and in 1780. A resident of the town July 4, 1820, aged 74 years, wife Mary, 57 years. He lived on east side of Spruce Creek, near the upper bridge, by the Third Parish Church. Had one child by first wife, a daughter, Sarah, born April 20, 1776, at Kittery. She married a White, and lived at New Castle, N. H., in 1838. He was pensioned April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, which was continued until his death, at Kittery, Dec. 11, 1823.

CURTIS, THOMAS, Private.

Enlisted, Feb. 22, 1776, as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's Company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment. In company at Fort George, Dec 8, 1776, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1776.

Born, April 15, 1749, at Kittery, a brother to Joseph Curtis before mentioned.

CUTTS, JNO., probably a Private.

Enlisted or drafted April 1, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.

Born in 1759, son of Robert and Lydia (Fernald) Cutts. Married at Kittery, Dec. 28, 1782, Abigail Johnson.

CUTTS, NOAH, Corporal.

Enlisted May 3, 1775, resident of the town, and served as Corporal of Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment

of the United Colonies. In company July 31, 1775, and Nov. 28, 1775. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted Aug. 14, 1777, and served in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. Joseph Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, and was discharged Nov. 30, 1777.

Born, Dec. 30, 1754, son of Robert and Hannah (Bartlett) Cutts. Married Mary Wilson, March 21, 1796. Lived in the Third Parish of the town in June, 1780.

**CUTTS, THOMAS DONNEL**, probably a Private.

Enlisted in same company and had same service as Jno. Cutts, before mentioned.

Commissioned Captain in Second Regiment of York County militia, May 11, 1802, and promoted to Major in First Regiment, Sept. 29, 1803.

Born, June 8, 1760, son of Capt. Thomas and Elizabeth (Donnel) Cutts, before mentioned. Married Joanna Staples, June 5, 1781, and always lived in the town; had son Augustus Cutts, a Lieutenant in U. S. N.

**CUTTS, WILLIAM**.

Enlisted or drafted in same company and had same service as Jno. and Thomas D. Cutts before mentioned; also served in Major D. Littlefield's battalion, of Massachusetts State Troops on the Penobscot expedition, July 10, 1779, to Sept. 10, 1779.

Belonged to the third company of Kittery militia, Oct. 20, 1785.

Born, April 26, 1761, son of Foxwell C. and Mary (Goodwin) Cutts. Said to have never married.

**DAM, BENJAMIN**, Sailmaker.

Enlisted, Oct. 25, 1775, in Capt. T. Salter's company of Matrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Washington, Nov. 5, 1775, and Dec. 1, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 15, 1776, in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Matrosses, age twenty years, abode Portsmouth, N. H.; was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12, 1776; March 18, 1776; and June 4, 1777; was appointed July 14, 1777, of Portsmouth, dark hair and complexion, as sailmaker's mate for cruise, at \$8½ per month, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. Thomas Thompson, fitting out at Portsmouth, and was on her there in August, 1777; residence Kittery, an American. He was promoted to sail-

maker and was on her Jan. 22, 1778, as that, at L'Orient, France, and was probably on her when she was captured, Sept. 28, 1778. Was committed to Mill Prison, England, on July 22, 1780, from privateer brig "Aurora."

He belonged to the third company of militia of the town Oct. 20, 1785, and married Elizabeth Mitchell, Aug. 10, 1786, at Kittery, and both were residents.

#### DAM, EDMUND.

A soldier of the Revolution.

Born in Kittery. Died at Goshen, N. H., about March, 1843.

#### DAM, EDWARD, Drummer.

Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1776, as private, in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged Nov. 13, 1776. Enlisted again in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777; Sept. 22, 1777; also June 14, 1779. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as drummer of Capt. T. Bragdon's company, of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, and was discharged Dec. 24, 1780.

Was drummer of the third company of the town militia, Oct. 20, 1785.

#### DAM, HATEVIL, Corporal.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops, and discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, in 1776, in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, March 18, 1776, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777; enlisted or drafted, July 2, 1779, as private in Capt. Adam Martin's company of Col. Nathan Tyler's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, for service in Rhode Island; was promoted to Corporal, Oct. 22, 1779, and was discharged Jan. 1, 1780.

Belonged to the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779, also Oct. 20, 1785.

He was baptized, Aug. 26, 1753, in the First Parish, and was a son of Jonathan Dam. Married Jerusha Witham, March 22, 1784, at Kittery, and both were residents. Had son Jonathan baptized in First Parish, Oct. 10, 1785.

DAM, JONATHAN, Private and Corporal.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops, and was discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; enlisted again, Jan. 17, 1776, in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops, and discharged, Aug. 31, 1776; enlisted again in September, 1776, in Captain Daniel's company, and was in Capt. E. Daniel's company, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777; served in this company all of 1777, and was honorably discharged, Dec. 31, 1777.

Was baptized, Aug. 18, 1751, in the First Parish, son of Jonathan Dam. Pensioned, April 29, 1818, for services as private and corporal in Massachusetts militia, and he was a pensioner at eighty-six dollars a year about 1834, when he was a resident of Kittery, York County, aged eighty-three years. Living at Kittery, in 1837, aged eighty-seven years. He lived at the Foreside where he died about 1838.

DAM, JOSEPH PATTISON, Corporal.

Enlisted, July 8, 1779, for Newington, N. H., for six months as private in Capt. Ezekiel Worthen's company of Col. Hercules Mooney's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, service in Rhode Island; received £30 bounty from this town for enlistment; discharged as Corporal, Jan. 15, 1780; enlisted or drafted, June 27, 1780, from Newington; age, eighteen years; five feet six inches tall, light complexion; was at West Point, N. Y., in July; probably served in one of the New Hampshire Continental regiments; discharged, Dec. 5, 1780. Was living in Eliot, Me., in 1809.

DAM, NATHAN, Private.

Enlisted, service, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops; at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 23, 1777.

Belonged to the third company of the town militia, June 23, 1779, and Oct. 20, 1785.

Baptized Jan. 17, 1742, in the First Parish, son of Jonatham Dam. Residence in the town in 1777.

DAVIS, ENOCH, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, residence Kittery, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies. Enlisted, June 10, 1775, as mattsross in Capt. S. Gridley's company of

Col. Richard Gridley's regiment of Continental Artillery, and in it Nov. 8, 1775, at Fort No. 2, Cambridge; enlisted in 1776, as private in Capt. G. Turner's company of Field Artillery; was at Portsmouth, Jan. 17 and Feb. 6, 1776. Enlisted, July, 1776, as private in Capt. Thomas Arnold's company of Col. T. Wingate's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, at Ticonderoga.

DAVIS, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted, service in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops as private and was at Fort Sullivan, Sept. 22, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, as private in Capt. T. Cutts' company of Maj. D. Littlefield's battalion in the Penobscot expedition. He deserted.

Born at Kittery, June 23, 1759, son of John and Phebe Davis. John, Jr., married Betsey Morse, Dec. 1, 1782, at Kittery, both residents. Living at Kittery, April 30, 1782, and in 1786.

DAVIS, PHILLIP, Private.

Enlisted, June 18, 1775, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies, residence at Durham, N. H. Was in company Nov. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year in the same captain's company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment. Was a private at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1776. Enlisted again, Feb. 1, 1777, for three years for Kittery as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Was in company Jan. 22, 1778, at Valley Forge, and put down on roll as belonging to Durham, N. H., and as being transferred to Captain Watkins' company of the Twelfth Regiment, but did not join this company.

DEERING, ELIOT, Private.

Enlisted, in 1775, and was a private in Capt. George Turner's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 1, 1775, Jan. 17, 1776, and Feb. 6, 1776, and was a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, Sept. 2, 1776, to Jan. 13, 1777, and probably marched to Ticonderoga with his regiment in February, 1777, and served in the Burgoyne campaign.

Born at Kittery, May 27, 1757. Son of Ebenezer and Mary Deering.

**DEERING, JOSEPH.**

Enlisted in 1775, in Capt. R. Follett's Artillery company; was at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775.

Born, March 5, 1739, at Kittery. Son of Clement and Mary Deering. Living in the First Parish of the town in 1760.

**DEERING, SAMUEL, Private.**

Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1776, as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1776.

**DEERING, WILLIAM, 3D, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, Feb. 19, 1777, for three years for the town, in Capt. J. Donnell's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Residence at Kittery. Was a Sergeant of the company, March 20, 1777, and Jan. 22, 1778, at Valley Forge. Was honorably discharged Feb. 19, 1780. Family supplied by Kittery in 1777-79.

**DENNETT, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted, May 12, 1775, for Wells, Me, and served as a private in Capt. Jesse Dorman's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775, and re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was honorably discharged Dec. 31, 1776. Enlisted in May, 1777, at York, Me., and served in Capt. Abel Moulton's company, of Col. J. Titcomb's Regiment of Infantry, Massachusetts State Troops. Service at Providence, R. I., and discharged.

He was living at Lyman, Me., in 1832, son of John and Dorothy Dennett, and said he was born May 30, 1755, at Kittery, but had lived in Lyman the last forty-eight years. He was pensioned from March 4, 1831, to his death, Jan. 23, 1839. He married Sarah Wakefield Sept. 6, 1781, at Kennebunk, Me. She was pensioned in 1843; was then eighty years old, and living at Lyman.

**DENNETT, THOMAS, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, as a private in Capt. T. Cutts' company, of Major D. Littlefield's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Sept. 10, 1779.

Belonged to third company of town militia June 23, 1779. Born, March 22, 1754, at Kittery, son of John and Mary (Tutherly) Dennett. Never married; went to sea, and died abroad.



**DENNETT, WILLIAM.**

Drafted, Sept. 16, 1777, for eight months' service in the Continental Army, for the town, and probably served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, and no doubt one of the seven men from Kittery in this company at Valley Forge Jan. 22, 1778, whose time was out May 1, 1778.

Was clerk of the third company of town militia, March 3, 1777. Belonged to the same company of town militia June 23, 1779, also Oct. 10, 1785. Was William, Jr., at both these dates. Was commissioned Lieutenant Sept. 30, 1790, of the third company of town militia.

Born Feb. 1, 1740, at Kittery, a brother to Thomas before mentioned. Married, first, Sarah Paul, Oct. 31, 1765, and, second, Mary Adams, in May, 1770. Always lived at Kittery, on the present Dennett farm (now owned by his great-grandson, Lieut. Alex. Dennett, Engineer Corps, U. S. R. C. S.), and is buried there. Died, Oct. 25, 1803, at Kittery.

**DICKSON, ABRAHAM, Private.**

Enlisted, March 15, 1777, for three years for the town and a resident, and served as a private in Captains J. Donnel's and John Pray's companies of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Was in regiment at Valley Forge, Jan. 22, 1778, and was honorably discharged March 15, 1780. Enlisted or drafted in July, 1780, for six months for the town and served his time in the Continental Army. Discharged Feb. 1, 1781. Was, in July, 1780, eighteen years old, five feet nine inches tall, and of light complexion.

Married Anna Tutherly at Kittery, March 1, 1784; both were residents.

**DICKSON, STEPHEN, Private.**

Enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment. Was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1776. Enlisted in 1777, in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 4 and Sept. 22, 1777. Enlisted before Nov. 1, 1777, as a boy on the Continental ship "Ranger," Capt. Paul Jones, and was on her in her first trip to Europe.

Married Susannah Tutherly, in December, 1789; both were residents.

**DICKSON, WILLIAM, *Private.***

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, probably for three years for the town, and a resident, and served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Was on furlough from his company Jan. 23, 1778, and *died in service* May 20, 1778.

His family was supplied by the town in 1777, 1778 and 1779.

Born Jan 3, 1743, son of Thomas and Hannah (Fernald) Dickson.

**DILL, DANIEL, *Private.***

Enlisted, June 23, 1775, resident of the town, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; was in company July 31, 1775, and *probably died in service* before Dec. 31, 1775.

Married Hannah Bowden.

**DOTON, PAUL, *Private.***

Enlisted, May 23, 1776, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment; discharged Sept. 20, 1776. Enlisted, Oct. 10, 1776, as seaman on the Massachusetts State brigantine "Independence," Capt. S. Samson; on her to Jan. 28, 1777.

**DUNKEN (or DUNCAN), DAVID, *Corporal.***

Enlisted, Sept. 27, 1776, and served as Corporal in Capt. Nathan Brown's company of Col. Pierce Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, at New Castle, N. H.; abode was at Kittery. Enlisted, Jan. 2, 1777, for the war, for Portsmouth, N. H.; also claimed by Kittery; served as Corporal in Capt. Z. Beal's company of the Third New Hampshire Continental Regiment until he was disabled, then transferred to the Invalids corps; discharged Dec. 31, 1780, and pensioned by New Hampshire, Jan. 1, 1781; was drawing a pension in 1789; residence, Portsmouth, and forty-seven years old. Family supplied by Kittery, in 1777-79; they were in Portsmouth, in 1780.

He was born at Kittery, or probably in Dundee, Scotland. Married Susannah Fernald, of Kittery. Died Aug. 12, 1826, and was buried in the church yard at New Castle, N. H. A great-grandfather to Lieut. Edwin A. Duncan of the Civil War, and a resident of Kittery.

**ELLIS, LAWRENCE, *Private.***

Enlisted, May 12, 1775, as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; resident of

the town; was in company, Nov. 28, 1775, at Fort No. 1, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; enlisted again in 1776, as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery of Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; was in company at Portsmouth, Sept. 2, 1776, to Jan. 14, 1777, and probably served with the regiment in the Burgoyne campaign.

Born, June 5, 1757, at Kittery; son of John and Alice Ellis of the town; resident of the Third Parish of town, June 20, 1780.

**EMERY, CALEB, Private.**

Enlisted in 1775, as private in Capt. R. Ford's company of Massachusetts State Troops; was at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775; enlisted in 1776, as private in Captain Samuel McConnell's company of New Hampshire State Troops; was at New York, Sept. 26, 1776.

**EMERY, CALEB, JR., Apprentice Boy.**

Enlisted, as a boy on the Continental ship "Ranger," Capt. Jones at Kittery; was on her in the river Loire, France, in 1777.

Born, July 27, 1763, at Kittery; son of Caleb and Jane (Frost) Emery of the town. Caleb, Jr., married Mary James at Kittery, Dec. 3, 1782; both were residents. Lived in what is now Eliot until 1807, then removed to Lebanon, Me.

**EMERY, DANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted in August, 1776; resident of town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, and was discharged Nov. 30, 1776. A resident of the upper part of what is now Eliot in 1782; was living in Parsonsfield in 1818, and said he was fifty-nine years old; that about January, 1776, he enlisted at Fort Sullivan in Captain Daniel's company and served ten months of the year, then got a substitute and was discharged (it was probably in January, 1777, he enlisted); was a resident of Kittery then.

Born in 1758, at Kittery, son of James and Mary (Fogg) Emery.

A pensioner living in Limerick, in 1820, with wife Elizabeth, sixty-one years old.

**EMERY, DAVID, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 12, 1776, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company, of New Hampshire State Troops. Was then eighteen years old, and abode at Kittery. Was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12, 1776.

David, Jr., of Kittery, marriage intentions to Olive Lord, of Berwick, published at Kittery in March, 1782. Pensioned March 4, 1831, at \$66.66 a year, for service as private in the Massachusetts line during the war. Died, Sept. 12, 1832, in York County, Me., aged seventy-eight years.

**EMERY, JACOB, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as private in Capt. S. Wild's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment. In company Dec. 8, 1776, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1776.

Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, and served as private in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.

A resident of Kittery in January, 1779, when his marriage intentions, to Hulda Thompson, of York, were published at Kittery, and he married her in York. They moved to Waterboro, Me., soon after, where he was living in 1819, aged sixty-one years. Pensioned, April 8, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year. Living in York County. A pensioner in 1833. Age, seventy-seven years. He died June 16, 1838. Widow, Huldah, was then living at Waterboro, aged eighty-four years; said he served about three years.

**EMERY, JAMES, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies. Residence, Kittery. In company Oct. 28, 1775, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 4 and Sept. 23, 1777.

Born in 1753, at Kittery. A brother to Daniel Emery, before mentioned.

James, Jr., married Mary Bowden, Feb. 20, 1777, at Kittery, and both were residents. Lived in upper part of Eliot in 1776 and 1782.

**EMERY, JOSHUA, Corporal and Artificer.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, residence, Kittery, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies. In company Oct. 28, 1775, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1776, as Corporal and Artificer in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. In company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1776.

Baptized March 8, 1748, son of Joshua and Ada (Tidey) Emery. Married Tirza Emery at Kittery, Sept. 3, 1778, both residents.

**EMERY, JOSIAH.**

Enlisted or drafted, April 3, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's Company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.

Born Sept. 24, 1751, at Kittery, son of Joseph and Mehitabel (Stacy) Emery.

**EMERY, SAMUEL.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment. Discharged Oct. 23, 1777.

Born, May 12, 1757, at Kittery, son of Samuel and Abigail (Shackley) Emery. Samuel, Jr., married at Kittery, Unice Ferguson, Oct. 21, 1784. Both residents; was living in upper part of Eliot in 1776 and 1782.

**EMERY, SHEM, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 1, 1777, for eight months' service for the town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental; in this company, Jan. 23, 1778, at Valley Forge. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 10, 1780.

His name for discharge from the eight months' service above, dated, May 1, 1778, is on the same paper with James Fernald's and Timothy Kennard's, signed by Colonel Brewer of the Twelfth Massachusetts Regiment and is with Kennard's pension papers in the pension office at Washington.

Born May 6, 1738, at Kittery, son of Noah and Elisabeth (Chick) Emery. Resident of the upper part of Eliot in 1760; resident in October, 1782, when his marriage intentions to Keziah Emery of York were published, doubtless a second wife.

**FENIX, JOHN.**

Enlisted in 1775, and was in Capt. R. Follett's Artillery company, at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775.

Resident of the First Parish of the town in 1760. Removed to Sanford and Limington, Me. Had a daughter, Abigail, living in Limington in 1819.

**FENIX, JOSHUA, Corporal.**

Enlisted service. Was a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, Sept. 2, 1776, to Jan. 7, 1777, and refused to march to Ticonderoga with regiment in February, 1777. Enlisted Feb. 9, 1777, for three years for the town and a resident; served as private in Capt. S. Darby's company of the Second Massachusetts Continental Regiment, and was in company Jan. 25, 1778, at Valley Forge. Was promoted to Corporal. Enlisted, Dec. 7, 1779, for the war as Corporal in Capt. J. Alden's company of same regiment. In 1780 he was twenty years old, light complexion, light hair, five feet seven inches tall, a resident of the town. Was in the regiment June 14, 1781. Lived on the east side of Spruce Creek near where Samuel Moulton now lives.

**FERBUSH, JAMES, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 4, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 10, 1780.

Resident of the upper part of Eliot in 1782. Marriage intentions to Phebe Goold, both of Kittery, published at Kittery, in January, 1783.

**FERBUSH, SAMUEL, Corporal.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as Corporal of Capt. E. Grow's company of Massachusetts State Troops at York, Me.; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as Corporal of Capt. Samuel Grant's company of Col. Storer's regiment in the Burgoyne campaign; discharged, Nov. 4, 1777.

Was a private in Capt. John Wentworth's company in the King's service; residence, Kittery; enlisted, March 11, 1760, to Nov. 1, 1760; was at Crown Point and in Canada.

Was a private in the Fourth Foot company of the town's militia (upper part of Eliot), March 19, 1759.

**FERGUSON, ARCHIBALD, Gunner's Mate.**

Enlisted in 1775, and was a Gunner's Mate in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, Nov. 5, 1775, Dec. 2 and Feb. 12; also March 18, 1776. Probably, born in Scotland.

**FERGUSON, ELEAZER, Private.**

Enlisted in 1775, and served as a private in Capt. Isaac Sherman's company of the Thirty-eighth Regiment of the United Colonies; was in company at Sewall's Point, Sept. 26, 1775, and Dec. 26, 1775; residence, Exeter, N. H.; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; enlisted in 1776 and mustered, April 12, as private in Captains Brown's and Marston's companies of New Hampshire State Troops, and on duty at Portsmouth, N. H., about three months; marched, July 22, 1766, in Capt. Simon Marston's company of Col. J. Wingate's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops, for service with the Northern Army in Canada for about two months; enlisted, Oct. 15, 1776, as private in Capt. Nathan Brown's company of Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; residence, Kittery; was in company at New Castle, N. H., to Jan. 7, 1777; enlisted, March 7, 1778, for two years for Hampton, N. H., and served as private in Captain Robinson's company of the Second New Hampshire Continental Regiment; enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1780, and served as private in Capt. Daniel Gordon's company of Col. Thomas Bartlett's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops, at West Point, N. H.; discharged, Oct. 25, 1780.

Was a private in Capt. James Gowen's company, Col. Jedidiah Preble's regiment of Massachusetts Troops in his Majesty's service at Lake George; enlisted, May 2, 1758; discharged, Nov. 17, 1758; resident of the town; also a corporal in Capt. John Wentworth's company in Colonel Willard's regiment of Massachusetts Troops in the King's service, at Crown Point and Canada, in 1760; resident of town; enlisted, March 3, 1760; discharged, Dec. 1, 1760, from Wentworth's company. Was a private in Capt. James Sayward's company of Colonial Troops in French war; enlisted, April 10, 1762; discharged, Nov. 19, 1762; residence, Kittery.

Was a private in the Fourth Foot company of the town's militia (upper part of Eliot), March 19, 1759.

**FERGUSON, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, as a private, in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; was in company, Oct. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental regiment; was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1776.

**FERGUSON, STEPHEN, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; was in company, Oct. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Was a private in the Fourth Foot company of the town's militia, in July, 1762. Commissioned, First Lieutenant, April 29, 1776, of the fourth company of the town militia, but refused to serve.

A resident of the upper part of Eliot, in 1776, also in 1782. Married Shuah Bartlett, March 23, 1782, at Kittery; both were residents.

**FERNALD, ARCHALEAUS (or HERCULES), Private.**

Enlisted, Aug. 1, 1776, from Pepperelboro (Saco) (went as a substitute for a man from Pepperelboro), and served as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, of Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1776. Enlisted in December, 1776, for three months, and served as a private in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, of Col. J. Frost's regiment of Infantry, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged in March, 1777. Enlisted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company, of Col. J. Storer's regiment. Guarded prisoners to Hartford, Ct., and discharged there in December, 1777.

Born, Dec. 4, 1749, at Kittery, son of Hercules and Mary (Tucker) Fernald, of Kittery. Married Miriam Percy, in 1771. She died Oct. 27, 1833. He removed to Berwick soon after the Revolution, and always lived there. Pensioned, March 4, 1831, at \$36.66 per year, for services as private in Massachusetts Line. Living in North Berwick, York County, in 1833, aged eighty-four years, a pensioner. A list of Hercules and Mary (Tucker) Fernald's children's births are among his pension papers, in the Pension Office at Washington. Died July 22, 1836, at North Berwick, Me.

**FERNALD, BENJAMIN, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, as private, in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; resident of the town. In company Nov. 28, 1775. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 16, 1776, as private in Capt. E. Daniels' company, of New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan March 18, 1776. Resident of the town, and thirty-two years old.

Member of the third company of town militia June 23, 1779.



Commissioned Captain of one of the companies of town militia Sept. 3, 1790, and promoted to Major April 3, 1794, of the Second Regiment of York County militia.

Born April 12, 1744. at Kittery, son of Joseph and Anna (Moore) Fernald. Married Sarah Beaver. Living in lower part of Eliot in 1808. Died Nov. 12, 1812.

**FERNALD, CHARLES, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies, in company at Camp No. 1, Cambridge, Nov. 28, 1775, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

Born, Feb. 1, 1755, at Kittery. A brother to Capt. Andrew P., before mentioned. Marriage intentions, to Martha Shapleigh, published at Kittery in December, 1777; both were residents. Died, Feb. 4, 1778.

**FERNALD, DENNIS, Private.**

Enlisted, Dec. 3, 1775, for one year, and served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment, in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. Went to Kittery in December, 1776, with Major Fernald, and discharged by him there on Dec. 25, 1776. He enlisted as a substitute for Moses Hanscom, May 7, 1777, for two months' service; resident of town. Served as private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops in Rhode Island. Was the first sentinel placed over General Prescott, after his capture by the Americans.

Born, Sept. 29, 1757, at Kittery, a brother to Capt. Andrew P., before mentioned, and always lived in the town. Married Elizabeth Stacy, Aug. 24, 1780, of Kittery, at Kittery.

He was a pensioner, July 4, 1820, at ninety-six dollars a year; aged, sixty-two years; wife, Betsy, aged fifty-nine years; residence, Eliot, and owned a farm; had daughter, Margery, twenty-seven years old, Hiram, son, nineteen years, Miriam, sixteen years, and son, Samuel, eleven years. Pension was stopped. Was pensioned again March 4, 1831, at fifty dollars a year, for private in Continental service, and was living in Kittery, York County, about 1834, age, seventy-six years.

He died Jan. 1, 1837. Elizabeth Fernald, a pensioner, living in Eliot, in 1840, aged seventy-nine years.

FERNALD, EBENEZER, Carpenter.

Enlisted, in 1775, as a carpenter in Capt. William Deering's company of carpenters, stationed at Kittery harbor. His name on a return of Nov. 5, 1775. Probably a volunteer company of the town. Belonged to the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779, also Oct. 20, 1785.

Married Margaret Staples, at Kittery, Jan. 31, 1771. Both were residents. A resident of First Parish of the town in 1776.

FERNALD, EDMUND, Private.

Enlisted in 1775 as a private in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was in company at Fort Washington, Nov. 5, 1775, and Feb. 16, 1776. Enlisted, May 18, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment. Discharged Nov. 8, 1776.

A brother to Ensign Joshua Fernald, before mentioned. Marriage intentions published at Kittery in September, 1787, to Molly Rice, both residents.

FERNALD, EDWARD, Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 15, 1776, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, residence Kittery, twenty-one years old. Was in company at Fort Sullivan, March 18, 1776, and June 17 to July 17, 1776. Enlisted, July 22, 1776, as seaman on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, at eight dollars per month; was five feet eight inches tall, dark complexion, an American. Not on her Jan. 22, 1778. Enlisted on the privateer brig "Venus," and was captured on her June 1, 1781, by the British frigate "Lively." Was put in the Mill Prison in England.

His name was on back of a list of the third company of town militia June 23, 1779. Son of Joseph and Anna (Moore) Fernald.

FERNALD, GEORGE, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, and served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies. In company Nov. 28, 1775, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton," at Kittery, and a resident of the town. Was captured on her and taken to Plymouth, England, where he was in Mill Prison until March 15, 1779, when he was exchanged.

Born, Nov. 3, 1755, at Kittery, son of George and Eunice (Knight) Fernald.

**FERNALD, JAMES, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; was in company, Nov. 28, 1775; probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 1, 1777, for eight months' service for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment; was in company at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 24, 1780. His discharge from the eight months' service above, dated May 1, 1778, signed by Colonel Brewer of the Twelfth Massachusetts, is with Timothy Kennard's pension papers, in Pension Office at Washington, as their names are on the same paper, also Shem Emery's.

Belonged to third company of town's militia, Oct. 20, 1785.

Born, Feb. 16, 1749, at Kittery, son of James and Mary Fernald. Married Mary Stacy, at Kittery, Nov. 30, 1769; both were residents.

**FERNALD, JOEL, Blacksmith.**

Enlisted in 1775, as blacksmith in Capt. Wm. Deering's company of volunteers, on Piscataqua River; was in company, Nov. 5, 1775. Commissioned Second Lieutenant, Nov. 27, 1779, of the fifth company of the town militia.

Born, Feb. 13, 1745, at Kittery, a brother to Archaleaus before mentioned. Married Elizabeth Peters; resident of Third Parish of town, June 20, 1780. Died April 26, 1803.

**FERNALD, JOHN, 4TH, Private.**

Enlisted, Feb. 8, 1776, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; resident of town, age twenty-one years; on duty at Fort Sullivan then, also June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777; also at one of the forts in harbor, June 14, 1779, in Capt. E. Deering's company of New Hampshire State Troops; was in one of the forts, April 18, 1780, and June 25, 1781. A member of the third company of the town's militia, June 23, 1779.

**FERNALD, JOHN, 3D, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, and served (as a private, probably) in Capt. E. Preble's company, of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778. Enlisted

or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company, of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 24, 1780.

It is hard to identify the persons of this name, as there were four or more living in the town at this time. A John Fernald was ordered to be discharged from the Massachusetts State ship "Mars," Capt. James Nevins, by the Council of Massachusetts, April 23, 1781. He belonged to a schooner, of which Henry Trefethen was master.

**FERNALD, JOSEPH WEEKS, Private.**

Enlisted, May 13, 1775, residence Kittery, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies. Was in the company Nov. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 16, 1776, as private, residence Kittery, aged twenty years, in Capt. E. Daniels' company, at Fort Sullivan, and remained there until about Dec. 10, 1776, when he enlisted or was drafted for three months' service with the Continental Army, and probably served in Capt. W. Holbrook's company, of Col. J. Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, in Connecticut and New York States. He was again in Captain Daniel's company, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, on June 4, 1777, and Sept. 23, 1777. Enlisted on the Continental frigate "Ranger," Captain Jones, and was on her in the river Loire, France, in December, 1777.

His name on back of the third company roll of the town's militia June 23, 1779, and was a private in the same company Oct. 20, 1785.

Born, June 4, 1756, son of Jonathan and Sarah (Weeks) Fernald, of Kittery. Married Catharine Chandler, Feb. 13, 1787, at Kittery, and both were residents. Lived in that part of town now called the Foreside.

**FERNALD, JOSHUA, SR., Private, Seaman and Carpenter.**

Enlisted in 1775, and was in Capt. R. Follett's Artillery Company of Volunteers at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775; enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for three months, and served in Capt. William Holbrook's company in Col. J. Frost's regiment of Infantry, Massachusetts State Troops. Served in Connecticut and New York States. Discharged in March, 1777. Enlisted, June 12, 1777, for three months as a seaman on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T.

Thompson. Was five feet seven inches tall, light complexion and hair, an American, residence, Kittery. Was in the carpenter's crew on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France.

He enlisted in Capt. John Wentworth's company March 17, 1760, as a private; served at Crown Point and Canada, in the King's service, and was discharged Nov. 30, 1760. A minor, residence Kittery. Son of John.

Born, Aug. 7, 1743, on what is now the lower Navy Yard Island, then called Fernald's Island, son of John and Margaret (Fernald) Fernald. Married Elizabeth (daughter of Joseph White of Kittery), Nov. 18, 1764, at Kittery, and lived at Kittery Point, where he died Dec. 6, 1815, and was buried there. They had five children, who have descendants living in the town. A son was Elder Mark Fernald, a noted Christian minister of Kittery.

#### FERNALD, NOAH.

Enlisted service in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and had served some time there; was there also Sept. 22, 1777.

Noah Fernald, Jr.'s, name on back of a list of the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779. A resident of the town in 1782. Said to have died in 1795, and never married.

#### FERNALD, ROBERT, Private.

Enlisted in 1775, as a private in Capt. George Turner's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, near Portsmouth, N. H. Enlisted probably about Aug. 1, 1775, was in company Nov. 3 to 11, 1775, and Dec. 1, 1775. Enlisted Jan. 16, 1776, residence Kittery, twenty years old, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was on duty at Fort Sullivan until Dec. 13, 1776, when he enlisted as a private in Capt. W. Holbrook's company of Col. John Frost's Regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, and was discharged March 13, 1777. Enlisted again in 1777 in Capt. E. Daniel's company above, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 1, 1777, and Sept. 12, 1777.

Name on back of list of the third company of town militia June 23, 1779.

Probably born Aug. 16, 1757, and married, first, Sarah Fernald; second, intentions to Betty Ferguson at Kittery, Oct. 16, 1791 both were residents.

**FERNALD, SIMEON, Carpenter.**

Enlisted, Oct. 26, 1775, on the brig "Dartmouth," Com. Simeon Akerman, in New Hampshire State service, and discharged, Nov. 26, 1775; was appointed carpenter, July 24, 1776, of the Continental frigate "Raleigh," and was on her in August, 1777, when she sailed from Portsmouth, N. H.; also, carpenter of her, Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France; was five feet five inches tall, dark complexion, an American.

Married Mrs. Margery Gunnison, Nov. 14, 1763, at Kittery. Both were residents. Had daughter Dolly, baptized Sept. 17, 1769, in the First Parish of the town.

**FERNALD, TOBIAS, JR., Private.**

Enlisted or drafted in May, 1778, for nine months' service for Kittery; resident of the town; age, twenty-six years; five feet eight inches tall, and belonged to the third company of the town militia; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Belonged to same company of militia, June 23, 1779, also, Oct. 20, 1785.

Probably the Tobias born, April 13, 1754, at Kittery, son of George and Eunice Fernald, and a brother to George before mentioned. He was pensioned, April 13, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for above service; also, on the roll, July 4, 1820, when he said he was sixty-three years old; resident of the town and owned half acre of land; a fisherman. Died in January, 1828, aged seventy-one years, on pension roll.

**FERNALD, WILLIAM, JR., Private.**

Enlisted service in Capt. E. Daniel's company, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, March 18, 1776. Enlisted or drafted in July, 1776; residence, Kittery, and marched from York County, July 22, 1776, as private in Capt. J. Goodwin's company of Col. E. Wigglesworth's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged at Albany, N. Y., Nov. 30, 1776; enlisted again in Captain Daniel's company above, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

Born, April 28, 1755, at Kittery, son of William and Abigail (Tobey) Fernald. Married Mary Hammond. Died in December, 1815.

FITZGERALD, JOHN, Ordinary Seaman.

Enlisted, Aug. 5, 1776, as ordinary seaman on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, at \$6 $\frac{2}{3}$  per month; was five feet seven inches tall, an American. Not on her, Jan. 22, 1778.

FITTS, SAMUEL, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company, of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1778, and served in Capt. R. Rogers' company, of same regiment. Discharged Dec. 14, 1778. Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as private in Capt. T. Cutts' company, of Major D. Littlefield's battalion, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Sept. 10, 1779. Resident of the Third Parish of the town in 1760 and 1769.

FLETCHER, SAMUEL, Private.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, in 1776, as private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth. Was in company March 22, 1776, abode, Kittery. Did not pass muster, but was in the company in June and July, 1776. Enlisted, July 15, 1776, as seaman on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," five feet seven inches tall, dark complexion, an American. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton," which was captured, and he was taken to England as a prisoner; was in Mill Prison. Was exchanged in March, 1779. Went to France, and joined as a boy, for one year, the Continental frigate "Bon Homme Richard," in April, 1779, at L'Orient. She sailed from L'Orient, France, on Aug. 14, 1779, under Com. J. Paul Jones, and he was in the fight with the British frigate "Serapis," on Sept. 23, 1779. Residence Kittery. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company, of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion. Discharged Dec. 24, 1780.

He was born near the Kennebec River, Me., and married at Kittery, and owned a farm at Kittery Point, near the Baptist Church, where he lived, and died about 1819, and his bones lay there. Was married four times. Married, for first wife, an Allen, of Kittery. Married Hannah Burns June 17, 1782, at Kittery, and both were residents. Chief Carpenter Joseph B. Fletcher, U. S. N., is a descendant.

**FOSTER, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 12, 1776, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company, New Hampshire State Troops. A resident of Kittery, age twenty-one years. Was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12, 1776, and March 18, 1776, and probably served about four months. He sailed on the privateer "Dalton," Nov. 26, 1776, was captured on her, and taken to Mill Prison, Plymouth, England, *where he died Feb. 1, 1779.*

Born, Jan. 8, 1755, at Kittery, son of Capt. Parker and Mary (Tobey) Foster, before mentioned. Married widow, Abigail Tucker, Dec. 8, 1774, at Kittery. Both were residents. Lived in what is now the upper part of Eliot, in 1776.

**FOSTER, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted, Feb. 20, 1777, for three years for the town, and a resident, and served as a private in Capts. J. Donnel's and J. Pray's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Discharged Feb. 20, 1780. Enlisted again, in 1781, for three years probably, as he was a private in Capt. N. Emerson's company of the Tenth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, April 21, 1781, Aug. 2, and Sept. 7, 1781.

Married Hannah Gowel, July 2, 1781, at Kittery, and both were residents.

**FOSTER, PARKER, JR., Sergeant.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months, and served as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops, in Rhode Island. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 23, 1779, for nine months, for the town, and served as private in Capt. T. Remick's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment; residence, Kittery, age, eighteen years, five feet seven inches tall, light complexion, and belonged to the sixth company of the town militia. Discharged May 23, 1780. Enlisted or drafted, in July, 1780, for six months for the town. Residence, Kittery, age, eighteen years, five feet eight inches tall, light complexion. Was discharged as private from Capt. Luke Hitchcock's company of the First Massachusetts Continental Regiment, Feb. 1, 1781. Served with same captain, in Twelfth Massachusetts, until Jan. 1, 1781. Enlisted, Dec. 20, 1781, for three years for the town; resident of the town, age twenty-one years, five feet eight inches tall, dark complexion, dark eyes, a farmer. Was a private in Zebedee King's



company, of the Seventh Massachusetts Continental Regiment, and was transferred to the Fourth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Promoted Sergeant, Nov. 17, 1783, and honorably discharged Dec. 31, 1783.

Born at Kittery, in January, 1761, son of Ensign Parker Foster, before mentioned. Married Elizabeth Hanscom, March 8, 1781, at Kittery, and both were residents. Pensioned, April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, living at Eliot, Me. Also July 4, 1820, age fifty-nine years, wife, Elizabeth, age forty-five years. Owned a house and land, and living there in 1837 and 1840.

FOY, JAMES, Private.

Enlisted, March 7, 1776, and served as private in Capt. J. Osgood's company of Col. T. Bedell's regiment of New Hampshire Infantry, of which Lieut. Samuel Fowler of the town was First Lieutenant. Was in the company at the Cedars. (See Lieutenant Fowler's record for service of regiment.) Pensioned July 7, 1818, for above service; resident then of Newfield, Me.

Died, Jan. 1, 1828, at Newfield.

FREDERICK, PRINCE, a negro, Private.

Enlisted, Dec. 27, 1782, for three years, residence Kittery, engaged for same by John Frost of class No. 1, of Kittery, a negro, forty-two years old, five feet three inches tall, farmer, served in Captain Thorp's company of the Seventh Massachusetts Continental until June, 1783; then in Capt. Nathaniel C. Allen's company of the Fourth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, until December, 1783, at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., when he was probably discharged.

FROST, ELLIOT, Private.

Was probably in Captain Holbrook's company, Colonel Frost's regiment, in 1776-77. Drafted, June 1, 1778, for nine months, for the town; resident of the same, seventeen years old, five feet six inches tall, light complexion, and belonged to the fourth company of town militia. Served in Captain Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. Enlisted or drafted, May 4, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. J. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's Battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 26, 1780. Enlisted, April 6, 1782, for three years, for the town, and received £90 bounty for class No. 9; served in

Captain Seldon's company of the Fourth Massachusetts Continental Regiment until July 4, 1783, when he was honorably discharged. He was captured during the last enlistment and taken to Halifax, and remained a prisoner there until the end of the war.

Born, Dec. 26, 1760, at Kittery, son of Charles and Sarah (Raynes) Frost, and brother to Lieut. Charles Frost before mentioned. Married Jane Clark, July 20, 1786, at Berwick, Me. Both were residents of Kittery, and they had many descendants; a daughter, Mrs. Rachel Fernald, lives at Kittery.

Pensioned April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year for private in Massachusetts Line, but dropped from rolls in 1820 (not poor enough). Pensioned again, March 4, 1831, at eighty dollars a year for same service. Always lived in that part of the town, now the upper part of Eliot, near the house of Charles Stacy, where he was living in 1840, aged seventy-nine years, a Revolutionary pensioner. Was called "Prophet Frost" by the people around Kittery in his later days. Died, Jan. 15, 1849, at Eliot.

**FROST, JOHN, JR., Sergeant.**

Enlisted in 1775, in Capt. R. Follett's company of Artillery Volunteers, and was in company at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, May 29, 1778, as Sergeant of Capt. T. Hodgdon's company of Col. T. Poor's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Feb. 12, 1779.

**FROST, JOHN, 3D, Fifer.**

Enlisted, May 14, 1775, as fifer in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot regiment of the United Colonies; residence, Kittery; was in company, Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Probably John, born, Dec. 25, 1760, son of Mr. John Frost, third, and Mary his wife, of Kittery.

**FROST, NATHANIEL, Sergeant.**

Enlisted in August, 1776, resident of the town, as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, of Col. E. Francis' regiment, Massachusetts State Troops; marched from town Aug. 9, and discharged, Nov. 30, 1776, probably. Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for the war for the town, a resident, and mustered into Capt. S. Burbank's company in March, as a private of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regi-

ment; was on command with the major at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778; was promoted to Corporal, Dec. 1, 1778, of same company and served in same regiment, until Jan. 1, 1781, when he was transferred to Capt. J. Means' company of the Second Massachusetts Continental Regiment; was promoted to Sergeant, June 11, 1781, of same company; was five feet seven inches tall, light complexion, brown hair, and a carpenter by trade; was honorably discharged, June 10, 1783.

Commissioned Captain, Aug. 24, 1792, of one of the town's militia companies (probably the fourth company).

Born Aug. 24, 1754, at Kittery. A brother of Lieut. Charles Frost before mentioned. Married Sarah Ferguson, March 13, 1785, at Kittery, and both were residents. He received two hundred acres land, or twenty dollars, from Massachusetts, by resolve of March 5, 1801. A Sergeant in Second Regiment. Residence, Kittery. Pensioned, April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, which was continued until his death. He was living in Eliot, Me., July 4, 1820, aged sixty-six years, a cabinet maker, with his wife Sarah, age, fifty-seven years, and son Joshua. No land. Died at Eliot, Me., Feb. 17, 1829, aged seventy-five years, and his gravestone is in Major Charles Frost's burying ground, near the Eliot railroad station. His widow Sarah was living at Eliot, in 1840, aged seventy-six years.

#### FROST, REUBEN.

Enlisted, March 1, 1777, for three years, for the town and a resident; was mustered into Capt. S. Burbank's company in June, 1777, as a private of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. He was sick and absent from same company, Jan. 23, 1778, at Valley Forge; his family was supplied by the town from 1777 to 1779. Was in regiment, Dec. 31, 1779, and was probably discharged, March 1, 1780.

Married Susannah Richardson of Kittery, Nov. 19, 1771, at Kittery. He resided at Berwick after the war.

#### FROST, SIMON, Sergeant.

Enlisted, June 10, 1775, and served as Sergeant of Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops of Coast Guards; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Commissioned Second Lieutenant, March 21, 1780, of the fourth company of the town militia.

Married Eunice Ferbush of the town, April 24, 1770.

## FROST, SIMON, JR., Private.

Enlisted service in 1775; was a private in Capt. R. Follett's Artillery Company of Volunteers, at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775; enlisted, March 13, 1781, for three years, for the town, and served in Capt. Wm. Moore's company, of the Fourth Massachusetts Continental Regiment from June, 1781, to February, 1782, and was also in Captain Holbrook's company of the same regiment; honorably discharged in December, 1783.

Born, Aug. 7, 1757, at Kittery, son of Simon and Mary (Sewall) Frost of Kittery. He, junior, married Jane Emery, Dec. 4, 1777, at Kittery, and both were residents. Died at Kittery, Oct. 1, 1803. His widow, Jane, married Reuben Morrell and outlived him, and was living, a widow, at Corneville, Me., in 1836, and applied for State bounty.

## FROST, SIMON, 3D, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of town, and served as a private in Capt. E. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; was in company, Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; enlisted or drafted in August, 1776 (a resident), and marched from town, Aug. 9, as private in Capt. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; was probably discharged, Nov. 30, 1776.

## GARLAND, JACOB, Private.

Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1776, as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776.

Married Hannah Bredeen in January, 1752, at Kittery, both residents. They were living in the town from 1755 to 1767, and later.

## GASEMORE, THO., Private.

Enlisted, service; was a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H., March 22, 1776. Not in company April 1, 1776. Lived at Kittery, and was thirty-two years old.

## GERRISH, BENJAMIN, Marine.

Enlisted, Aug. 13, 1776, as a marine on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, for \$6 $\frac{2}{3}$ , per month, was five feet eight and one half inches tall, dark complexion, an American.

Benjamin, Jun., of Berwick, married Miriam Ferguson, of Kittery, Dec. 23, 1788, at Kittery. He was probably a son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Hill) Gerrish, of Kittery, who lived in the First Parish, in 1757 and 1766.

**GERRISH, TIMOTHY**, Waiter, Private, and Seaman.

Enlisted in July, 1775, from Durham, N. H., and served as a waiter in the Thirty-first Regiment of Infantry, of the Colonies, for six months, around Boston. In 1776 and 1777 he served as a waiter for his grandfather, Hercules Mooney, Lieutenant-Colonel of Colonel Long's regiment, of New Hampshire State Troops, around Portsmouth, N. H., for a year. Enlisted, March 31, 1778, and served as a private in Capt. Peter Drown's company, Col. Stephen Peabody's regiment, of New Hampshire State Troops, service in Rhode Island. Discharged Dec. 31, 1778. Enlisted, soon after, on the Continental ship "Ranger," Capt. T. Simpson, and served three months on her, when she captured several valuable prizes. After his cruise on the "Ranger," he enlisted for Durham, N. H., July 20, 1779, as a private in Capt. Samuel Runnel's company, of Col. Hercules Mooney's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops; served in Rhode Island. Discharged Dec. 31, 1779. Enlisted, June 6, 1780, at Boston, on Massachusetts State ship "Mars," Capt. Simeon Sampson. She made a cruise to France for stores, and returned to Boston, where he was discharged, March 12, 1781. Enlisted, June 7, 1782, on Massachusetts State ship "Tartar," Capt. Jonathan Cathcart, at Boston. Discharged Nov. 21, 1782.

He was born June 16, 1764, at Kittery. Married Betty Staples June 1, 1786, at Kittery, and both were residents. Pensioned, Sept. 30, 1833, at \$89.50 a year, for services as private and seaman in Massachusetts State service; a resident of Eliot, York County, Me., and seventy years old.

**GERRISH, WILLIAM**, Private.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Was in company Aug. 31, 1776, but not on roll of Nov. 13, 1776. Enlisted, Nov. 19, 1776 (William, Jr.), as private in Capt. E. Deering's Field Artillery company, at Portsmouth, N. H.; residence was at Kittery. Was in company until February, 1777, but refused then to march to Ticonderoga with his

company. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months' service in Capt. S. Grant's company, of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, in Rhode Island.

**GOODWIN, BENJAMIN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y. Enlisted, Jan. 12, 1782, for three years, and served as a private in Capt. J. Tisdale's company of the Third Massachusetts Continental Regiment. He belonged to Kittery, was fifty-five years old, five and one half feet tall, dark complexion, blue eyes, a yeoman. Discharged, Sept. 17, 1783, at West Point, N. Y., from same regiment for inability.

His marriage intentions to Sarah Cator of the town were published in the town Aug. 29, 1771. He lived at York.

**GOODWIN, JEREMIAH.**

He was a soldier from the town and probably served in 1776, in Capt. A. Moulton's or Capt. William Holbrook's company.

Born, April 15, 1753, at Berwick. Married Mary Remick of Kittery, May 9, 1775, at Portsmouth, N. H., and lived at Kittery until March, 1794, then moved to Milton, N. H. Died Jan. 17, 1816.

**GOODWIN, TIMOTHY, Drummer.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as drummer of Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 22, 1776, as drummer of Capt. P. Hubbard's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776. Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, as drummer of Capt. William Holbrook's company of Col. John Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, and appointed by Colonel Frost Drum-Major, Jan. 9, 1777, of the regiment. Discharged in March, 1777.

**GOOLD, ALEXANDER, Private.**

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, resident of town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of the United Colonies; was in company, July 31, 1775, and Oct. 28, 1775; was discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; said he was in battle of Bunker Hill;

enlisted in August, 1776, and marched, Aug. 9, 1776, as private in same captain's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Nov. 30, 1776; enlisted in January, 1777, for one year at Fort Sullivan, and served there until he enlisted on July 10, 1777, for one year on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. Thomas Thompson, as a marine; was five feet eight and a quarter inches tall; light hair and complexion; residence, Kittery; an American; and served his time; was on her, Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France. He returned on her to Portsmouth and to Boston; then discharged.

Born, at Kittery, Aug. 15, 1752, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Ferguson) Goold of Kittery. Married, first, Margaret Emery at Kittery, July 27, 1777; both residents. Married, second, Elizabeth Shorey at Kittery, Nov. 9, 1806; both residents.

He was pensioned, April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year. On July 4, 1820, living in Eliot, Me.; age, sixty-nine years; wife, Elizabeth, age, fifty-four years; owned a house and land, a farmer, and his pension was revoked. He was pensioned again, March 4, 1831, at eighty-eight dollars a year, for service as seaman in the Continental Navy, and was a pensioner in 1840, living at Eliot; age, eighty-eight years.

He always lived in that part of the town, now the upper part of Eliot, near "Goold's Crossing"; died there, April 19, 1844, and was buried on his farm, owned and occupied by his two sons, Ivory and James, during their lives.

#### GOOLD, DANIEL, Private.

Enlisted in 1775, for eight months, and served in Captain Bracket's company in the Thirty-first Foot Regiment of the Colonies, and served his time. Enlisted, May 10, 1777, for three years, and served as a private in the Seventh Massachusetts Continental Regiment; was in Captain Lane's company at Albany, N. Y., Jan. 14, 1778, when he was credited to Falmouth, Me.; was in Captain Coburn's company, near Albany, in March and April, 1779, also in same company from Jan. 1, 1780, to May 10, 1780; discharged at West Point, when his residence was Casco, Me. He was also credited to Hingham, Mass., some of the time.

A resident of Kittery in 1782, and (Daniel, Jr.) married Molly Goold, March 27, 1783, at Kittery; both were residents. He was a brother to Alexander, before mentioned. Pensioned, April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, and it was continued until his

death. On July 4, 1820, he lived in Eliot; was seventy-one years old; had five daughters, and owned no land; a shoemaker. Died Dec. 31, 1825, aged seventy-six years.

**GOOLD, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, a resident of the town, as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies. Was in company Oct. 28, 1775. Was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, April 15, 1776, as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment. Was in company Dec. 8, 1776, and was discharged Dec. 31, 1776, at Fort Edward, N. Y.

Born at Kittery, son of Joseph and Ruth (Remick) Goold, of the town (Joseph Gould was also a soldier and at capture of Louisburg in 1745). Married Margaret Remick (a cousin probably), Dec. 20, 1781, at Kittery, both residents. Pensioned, April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, which was continued until his death. They were living in Eliot, July 4, 1820. A farmer, age sixty-six years, wife was fifty-nine years. Owned a house and land. Had seven children. He was also living in Eliot, in 1835; and in 1840, when he was eighty-five years old.

**GOOLD, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 1, 1776, a resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, until Nov. 30, 1776, when he was probably discharged.

Born at Kittery. A brother to John, before mentioned. Was living in upper part of the town in 1782, but removed to Portland, Me., about 1784, where he afterwards lived. Died in 1839, aged eighty-seven years.

**GOOLD, ROBERT, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, April 2, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion. Discharged Dec. 8, 1780.

Born at Kittery. A brother to Joseph and John, before mentioned.

**GOOLD, TOBIAS, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 15, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental regiment;



was in company, Dec. 8, 1776, at Fort George. Enlisted or drafted, July 8, 1779, and served as a private in Capt. Wm. Cobb's company, of Col. J. Mitchell's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops in the Penobscot expedition. Discharged, Sept. 25, 1779.

Born at Kittery, a brother to Joseph, before mentioned. Married intentions were published at Kittery, Oct. 31, 1779, his residence Kittery, to Rhoda Hammond of North Yarmouth, Me. He removed to and settled in New Gloucester, Me. Died, Feb. 28, 1815. His widow probably lived at Presumpscot, Me., at some time.

### **GOOLD, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies; deserted, July 1, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, July 20, 1778, and served in Capt. R. Rogers' company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of guards, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 14, 1778. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Sept. 1, 1780. Enlisted, March 17, 1781 (for three years probably), and served as a private in Captain Francis' company of the Tenth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, to Feb. 1, 1782, when he died in the service.

Born at Kittery, a brother to Joseph, before mentioned.

### **GORDON, NATHANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. Thomas Bragdon's company in Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, in the Burgoyne campaign, around Saratoga. Deserted.

Married Elizabeth Hutchings, April 3, 1776, at Kittery, and both were residents. Lived on the Post road near the York line, where Wallace Main now lives.

### **GOWELL, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.

Belonged to the third company of the town militia June 23, 1779.

Born, Dec. 25, 1754, son of Richard and Keziah (Fernald)

Gowell of the town. Married Elinor Hill at Kittery, Dec. 5, 1776, both residents, and they were living at Kittery in 1778, also a resident of Third Parish of the town in 1780.

GOWEN, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, and was in same company and had same service as John Gowell above.

Baptized, Aug. 19, 1753, in the Third Parish of the town, and was living with wife, Susannah, in the town, in 1778.

GREEN, DANIEL, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, a resident of the town and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment of Infantry. Discharged Oct. 8, 1776. Enlisted again, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years or the war, for the town, and belonged there. Served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment of Infantry, until July 7, 1777, when he was taken prisoner by Gen. Burgoyne's army in New York.

Died Jan. 20, 1833, at Portland, Me., aged seventy-eight years.

GREEN, MARK, Private.

Enlisted on a privateer out of Portsmouth, N. H., probably the "Swan," a brig, four guns, twelve men, Commander R. Salter, of New Hampshire, in 1780. She captured several British vessels, then in turn was captured by a British war vessel, taken to Halifax, N. S., and he was exchanged in a cartel to Gloucester, Mass. Enlisted, Feb. 20, 1781, for three years, for the town, and served as a private in Capt. Ebenezer Smith's company of the Eighth Massachusetts Continental Line, and was in this company during April, 1783, and had nine months and twenty-one days to serve in the army. Was transferred June 12, 1783, to the Fourth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, and was discharged Dec. 31, 1783, from this regiment by Major-General Knox.

He was the son of John Green, also a Revolutionary hero. Marriage intentions to Polly Hill, both of Kittery, were published in November, 1786, at Kittery. Married, second, Mary Harvey (a sister to Thomas and William Harvey, also Kittery soldiers), and they had ten children. Pensioned, April 7, 1818, at ninety-six

dollars a year for services as private in Massachusetts Continental Line, but it was revoked in 1820, when he was fifty-eight years old, with wife, Nancy, fifty-six years old, as he had income. Was pensioned again Jan. 30, 1829, and it was continued until his death. He was living at Portsmouth, N. H., in 1818, a boat builder, and died there Sept. 18, 1851, aged eighty-nine years, and was the last soldier of the Revolution living in that city. His remains lie in the Union Cemetery and a gravestone marks the place. His son, Samuel S. Green, was living in 1900, at Portsmouth, N. H.

**GREEN, SOLOMON, Private.**

Enlisted in January, 1777, for three years for the town and belonged there, and served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. On a roll of this company, Jan. 23, 1778, he is reported as "missing since July 7, 1777." Was probably killed or taken prisoner by the enemy at the battle of Hubbardston on this date.

Married, Feb. 29, 1777, Mary Woodman of Berwick, his residence, Kittery.

**GREEN, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted in 1775, as a private in Capt. Titus Salter's Artillery Company, of New Hampshire Troops, and was at Fort Washington, in the harbor, Nov. 5, 1775, also Feb. 17, 1776. Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years, residence Kittery, but enlisted for or credited to Tewksbury, Franklin, also Billerica, Mass. Served in the Fifth Massachusetts Continental Regiment until Dec. 31, 1779, when he was discharged.

William, Daniel, and Solomon Green, before mentioned, were probably brothers, and sons of Solomon and Mary (Snow) Green, who were married at Kittery Sept. 23, 1735.

**GUNNISON, JOHN, Private and Carpenter.**

Enlisted, Nov. 24, 1775, as a private in Capt. E. Daniels' company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops; was thirty-three years old, and John, Jr., of Kittery. Was at Fort Sullivan Dec. 2, 1775, and Jan. 1, Feb. 12, and March 18, 1776. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton," at Kittery, Capt. E. Johnston; was captured on her, taken to Mill Prison, Plymouth, where he remained until March 15, 1779, when he was exchanged to Nantes,

France, where, on April 14, 1779, he enlisted for one year in the Continental Navy, resident of Kittery, and went overland to L'Orient, and joined the Continental frigate "Richard," Capt. Paul Jones, as carpenter of her, and was in the battle of Sept. 23, 1779, with the British squadron, when the "Serapis" and the "Countess of Scarborough" were captured, and was wounded in the fight.

John Gunnison's name was on back of a list of the third militia company of the town July 12, 1779. John, Jr., of Kittery, married Margery Irwin Oct. 29, 1764, at Kittery.

#### GUNNISON, JOSIAH, Private.

Enlisted service in 1776 and 1777, was in Capt. T. Salter's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Washington, in the harbor, May 26, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777. He said in his application for pension on Jan. 7, 1833, that he was born in 1754, at Kittery, had always lived in the town and was living there then, that he enlisted in the above company in spring of 1776, for one year, which he served at Fort Washington, then re-enlisted for six months, in same company, and served his full time.

Married Mary Tucker, Jan. 11, 1781, at Kittery, and both were residents. Pensioned, Aug. 8, 1833, at sixty dollars a year, for private in New Hampshire State service, lived in York County, Me., and about seventy-nine years old.

#### GUNNISON, PELETIAH, Private.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again in 1776, as a private in Capt. T. Salter's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Washington, Feb. 16, 1776, also May 26, 1777.

Marriage intentions to Jane McIntire of York, published at Kittery, in November, 1778; his residence Kittery.

#### HALEY, EBENEZER, Private.

Enlisted, April 23, 1781, as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan or Washington, in the harbor, June 25, 1781.

Baptized Nov. 29, 1765, in Third Parish of the town. Son of Andrew and Elizabeth Haley. Married Temperance Norton, Feb. 19, 1789, at Kittery. Both were residents.

**HALEY, JAMES, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, in 1776, as a private in Capt. T. Salter's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Washington, Feb. 17, 1776, also May 26, 1777. Enlisted, Aug. 1, 1777, as a marine, for the cruise on the Continental frigate "Raleigh." Residence, Kittery; six feet and half inch tall, dark hair; an American. Not on her Jan. 22, 1778.

**HALEY, JOSHUA, Private.**

Enlisted, in 1775, as a private in Capt. George Jerry Osborne's company, of New Hampshire State Troops. Was in company at Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted again as a private in Capt. T. Salter's company of Artillery, and was at Fort Washington, in the harbor, May 26, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

**HALEY, RICHARD, Private.**

Enlisted, in June, 1782, for three years. He received £90 of Col. John Shapleigh, June 17, 1782, at Kittery, to serve three years in the Continental Army for the town, for his class. Served as a private in Capt. Nathan Goodale's company, of the Fifth Massachusetts Continental Regiment, in 1782; was transferred to Capt. John Hobby's company, First Massachusetts Regiment, June 12, 1783, and discharged, Dec. 31, 1783, by Gen. Knox. His discharge paper is with his pension papers, in Pension Office at Washington. Resident of the town in 1781.

Pensioned, April 8, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, at Alfred, Me., which was continued until his death. He was living at Alfred, Me., July 4, 1820, aged seventy-nine years; a farmer, and owned a farm; wife, Mary, aged seventy-five years. Died Jan. 25, 1829, aged eighty-eight years.

**HALEY, THOMAS, Private.**

Enlisted, in 1775, as private in Capt. G. J. Osborne's company, New Hampshire State Troops. At Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted again, in July, 1776, as a private in Capt. J. Arnold's company, of Col. J. Wingate's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops. Service around Lake Champlain and Ticonderoga. Probably dis-

charged, in December, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company, of Col. J. Storer's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y. Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company, of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778. Enlisted, April 10, 1781, as private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Washington June 25, 1781.

#### HALL, JOHN.

Enlisted, in February, 1778, for three years or the war, for Lynn, Mass.; resident of Kittery. Served in Capt. David Allen's company, of Third Continental Regiment of Artillery, Col. John Crane.

#### **HALL, SAMUEL,** *Private.*

Enlisted, Feb. 23, 1776, as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment of Infantry, and re-enlisted in November, 1776, in Capt. S. Burbank's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Regiment. A resident of the town, and enlisted for the town. *Died Dec. 31, 1776.*

#### HAMMET, THOMAS, Sailor.

Enlisted in November, 1776, at Kittery, on the privateer "Dalton." Was captured on her and taken to Mill Prison, England. Exchanged to France in March, 1779. Enlisted, April 14, 1779, for one year, on the Continental ship "Richard," Capt. P. Jones, and was in the fight with and capture of the British fleet on Sept. 23, 1779. Resident of Kittery July 10, 1776, when he subscribed money to raise soldiers.

#### HAMMOND, EBENEZER, *Private.*

Enlisted May 6, 1775, resident of the town, as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies. Was in company July 31 and Oct. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months' service in Rhode Island. A resident of town and served as a private in Captain S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops.

Resident of lower part of Second Parish of the town in 1760.

**HAMMOND, EDMUND, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops. On roll of company March 14; not on roll June 1 and Sept. 1, but said he served the time though. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Quemans Heights, N. Y.

Born at Kittery. Marriage intentions of Edmund, Jr., to Mary Hutchins, both residents, published at Kittery, in November, 1775. Lived in the Third Parish of the town in 1780, and in York County, Maine, in 1834, aged eighty-three years. Moved to Cornish, Me., from the town in 1786, and lived in that town until 1832, and later.

Pensioned March 4, 1831, at fifty dollars a year for private in Massachusetts State service.

**HAMMOND, ELISHA, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies. Was in company, Nov. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

Married Mary Libby, June 24, 1776, at Kittery; both were residents. Marriage intentions to Sarah Libby, both residents, published at Kittery, March, 1780.

**HAMMOND, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months' service, a resident of town; served as private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops.

Enlisted, April 8, 1758; residence, Kittery, and served as private in Capt. J. Gowen's company, in the King's service at Lake George; discharged, Sept. 6, 1758. Probably the John Hammons, private in Capt. D. Bean's company in the Province service, at Penobscot; enlisted, March 31, 1759; discharged, July 23, 1759. Enlisted again, March 6, 1760, residence same, and served as a private in Capt. H. Chadburn's company in the King's service at Ticonderoga and Canada; discharged, Nov. 30, 1760.

Born, March 24, 1741, at Kittery, son of John and Hannah (Littlefield) Hammond of Kittery.

**HAMMOND, JONATHAN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, and was discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y.

Jonathan, Jr., married Elizabeth, daughter of Nathaniel and Jane (Libby) Remick, July 28, 1774, at Kittery; both were residents.

**HAMMOND, SETH, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 1, 1777, for eight months' service, for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was reported on roll of company, Jan. 23, 1778, as sick and absent.

**HANDSON, DANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment; discharged, Nov. 30, 1777.

**HANSCOM, AARON, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, April 2, 1778, as a private in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's Regiment of Guards, Massachusetts State Troops. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 24, 1780.

A resident of the lower part of the Second Parish of the town in 1760.

**HANSCOM, EBENEZER, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1780, as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieutenant-Colonel Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged June 10, 1780.

**HANSCOM, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May, 7, 1780, in same company as Ebenezer Hanscom above. Discharged, July 20, 1780. Enlisted, March 13, 1782, for three years, for the town, and was a private in Capt. Ebenezer Smith's company of the Eighth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, May 24, 1783, when he had twenty-one months and nine-



teen days to serve in the army. Was probably transferred to one of the other Massachusetts regiments about June 1, 1783, and was honorably discharged in 1784.

Married Catherine Frost, Oct. 14, 1792, at Kittery. Pensioned April 18, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, which continued until his death at Litchfield, Me., April 27, 1827, aged seventy-seven years. He had lived at Litchfield for many years. His widow, Catherine, a resident of the same town, about 1836, applied for the State bounty. Said he enlisted for Kittery for three years.

#### HANSCOM, MARK, Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was in the company at Fort George, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1776, and was honorably discharged.

Born at Kittery. Married Eleanor Fernald, Feb. 6, 1773, at Kittery, and both were residents. She was living in Shapleigh, Me., in 1843, aged ninety-one years and said he also served six weeks in a company in 1775, at Kittery. She married, second, a William Wooster, of Sanford, Me., there, Sept. 27, 1802, who also died before 1843. The pension of Eleanor Wooster, of Shapleigh, Me. (widow of Mark Hanscom), under Act of July 4, 1836, was suspended for further proof. She was living at Sanford, Me., in 1851, and was pensioned again in June, 1853. Hanscom died June 3, 1793.

#### HANSCOM, NATHANIEL, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 1, 1776, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, of Col. E. Francis' regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1776. Enlisted, Feb. 20, 1777, for three years, for the town, a resident; served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was in the company at Valley Forge Jan. 22, 1778. Honorably discharged Feb. 20, 1780, at Fishkill, N. Y. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company, of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion. Discharged Dec. 8, 1780.

Born Oct. 19, 1756, at Kittery, son of Moses and Mary (Hammond) Hanscom. Married Lucy Staples, Dec. 1, 1781, at Kittery; both were residents. Pensioned April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, a shipwright; which was continued until his death. A resi-

dent of Eliot, Me., July 4, 1820, aged sixty-three years, owned a house and land, wife Lucy, aged sixty-three years. He died April 1, 1830, at Eliot, Me. His widow Lucy, in 1835, residence Eliot, aged seventy-eight years, applied for State bounty.

**HANSCOM, PELETIAH, Corporal.**

Enlisted, May 8, 1775, as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies; resident of town; was in company, Nov. 28, 1775, and re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year with same Captain, as Corporal in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776.

Married Susanna Cole, Jan. 12, 1775, at Kittery; both were residents.

**HANSCOM, REUBEN, Private.**

Enlisted, May 22, 1775; resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment; was in company Aug. 1 and Nov. 28, 1775, and re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, with same captain in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, as a private; was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776; enlisted again, in 1777, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 4; residence, Kittery, also Sept. 23, 1777; and in October, 1777, enlisted on the Continental frigate "Ranger," Capt. J. Paul Jones, as a marine, at Kittery; sailed on her to France; was on her when she captured the British war vessel "Drake," also when she captured a merchant brig "Patience"; he was put on board of the "Patience," as one of her guard; she was used at Brest, France, as a prison ship; he remained on her about three months; then returned to the "Ranger," and came back to Portsmouth in her, and was discharged in October, 1778, from her.

Born at Kittery. Married Lucy Moor, Sept. 9, 1779, at Kittery; both were residents. Married Alice Abbot, Sept. 11, 1783, at Berwick; both were residents of Berwick then. Pensioned, April 15, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, living in Berwick; age, sixty-four years; pension revoked in 1820. Died March 2, 1831, at North Berwick, Me. His widow, Alice, was living in 1835, at North Berwick, aged ninety-seven years, and applied for State bounty.

**HANSCOM, STEPHEN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted in August, 1779 (arrival at Springfield, Mass., Aug. 23, 1779), for nine months' service in the Continental Army for

the town. Resident of the town, seventeen years old, five feet seven inches tall, brown complexion, and belonged to the sixth company of town militia. Probably served in the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Enlisted or drafted in July, 1780, for six months' service in the Continental Army (from time of arrival at Springfield, Mass.), for the town. Was eighteen years old, five feet nine inches tall, light complexion. Probably served as a private in the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Discharged Jan. 14, 1781.

Married Hannah Tobey, Jan. 19, 1783, both residents of the town. Hannah Hanscom, a pensioner in 1843, lived at Kittery or Eliot.

#### HANSCOM, TOBIAS, Private.

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, resident of the town, as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. Was in company July 8 and Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, April 2, 1778, and served as a private in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.

Lived in upper part of the Second Parish of the town, in 1782 and 1786. Married Mary Foster, May 25, 1786, at Kittery; both residents.

#### HARVEY, THOMAS, Sergeant.

Enlisted, Feb. 17, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, was in company, Dec. 8, 1776, and re-enlisted Nov. 15, 1776, for three years, from Jan. 1, 1777, and belonged to Kittery, and enlisted for the town; served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's and T. Remick's companies of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; discharged, Dec. 31, 1779. Enlisted again, March 1, 1780, for the war, for Portsmouth, N. H., and served as Sergeant of Capt. Samuel Cherry's company of the Third New Hampshire Continental Infantry to Jan. 1, 1781, then transferred to Captain Dennett's company of the Second New Hampshire Continental Infantry, where he served until March 1, 1782, then to the New Hampshire Battalion of the Continental Army, until he was honorably discharged in June, 1783, at Newburgh, N. Y. He was at the battle of the Brandywine, where General Lafayette was wounded, and bore him on his back from the field. He was at the reception to Lafayette, in Portsmouth, on

Sept. 1, 1824, when they renewed the acquaintance. Served over seven years in the Continental Army; a fine record.

Lived at Portsmouth after the war, where he was pensioned, April 3, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service as a private in the New Hampshire Line. Had wife, Mary, in 1820, aged fifty years, and three children, all grown. A pensioner at Portsmouth, in 1835, aged seventy-five years, and died there Jan. 18, 1842, aged eighty-four years. Has a gravestone in North Cemetery there; left no descendants.

#### HARVEY, WILLIAM, Sergeant.

Enlisted, Aug. 8, 1777, for three years, for the town, and a resident; was mustered in September, a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, but was a private in Capt. John Hasting's company of Col. Henry Jackson's Continental Regiment of Infantry, all of 1778-79, and to Aug. 8, 1780, when he was honorably discharged. Enlisted again, Feb. 20, 1781, for three years for the town, as a private in Capt. Isaac Pope's company of the Eighth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; in this company, in February, 1782; was promoted to Sergeant, and in June, 1783, was transferred to the Fourth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, and was honorably discharged, Dec. 31, 1783, at Soldier's Fortune, N. Y.; was in battles of Monmouth, Springfield, and the retreat in Rhode Island.

Commissioned Ensign, Sept. 3, 1790, residence, Kittery, in the Second Regiment of York County militia, and promoted to Lieutenant, May 6, 1794, in same regiment, and held it until his removal to Berwick, where he bought a farm of one hundred acres.

Born at York, Me. Probably lived some in Portsmouth, N. H., as he was claimed as one of her soldiers, a brother to Thomas Harvey before mentioned. His first wife, Sally, died Sept. 2, 1794. Married, as second wife, Keziah Came, of York, Me. Intentions published at Kittery, Nov. 21, 1795, he of Kittery. Living in the upper part of the Second Parish of the town in 1786, also 1788 to 1797.

Pensioned, June 6, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, living in South Berwick; also July 4, 1820, a farmer, aged sixty years, wife, Hephsebeth, age forty-seven years, and four children. His pension was revoked, but on March 4, 1831, he was pensioned again at eighty dollars a year, which continued until his death. Was living in South Berwick in 1835, and had lived there twenty-nine years when he applied for the State bounty. Died there aged eighty-seven years.

**HENDERSON, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted, service as a private ; was in Capt. Nicholas Rawling's company. New Hampshire State Troops, on Pierce's Island, in Piscataqua Harbor, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted, Sept. 23, 1776, as a private in Capt. Jonathan Robinson's company, of Col. Thomas Tash's regiment, of New Hampshire State Infantry, on service with the Continental Army around New York until Dec. 1, 1776. Enlisted, Sept. 8, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. Nich. Rawling's company, of Col. A. Drake's regiment, of New Hampshire State Infantry, around Saratoga, in the Burgoyne campaign. Deserted Oct. 10, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company, in Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion, Massachusetts State Infantry, at Portland and Camden. Discharged Dec. 8, 1780. Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 16, 1781, and served as a private in Capt. John Evans' company, of Massachusetts State Infantry, on the Androscoggin River. Discharged Dec. 3, 1781.

**HENNY, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, Dec. 1, 1775, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was in company Dec. 8, 1776, at Fort George. Enlisted again, in 1777, for three years or the war, and claimed by the town in 1778, as one of her three-year or war men, and his family was supplied by the town in 1777-79. He was probably discharged in 1779 for some cause. Enlisted or drafted in August, 1779, for nine months, for the town, a resident, and belonged to the fifth company of the town militia, forty years old, five feet three inches tall, dark complexion. During this service he seems to have enlisted for the war, but deserted April 27, 1780, from the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry, when he was a resident of the town, thirty-eight years old, five feet six inches tall, dark hair and complexion.

**HICKEY, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops ; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775 ; enlisted, Sept. 1, 1776, as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops ; discharged, Nov. 13, 1776.

Born, Jan. 16, 1745, at Kittery, son of John and Joanna (Cole-ridge) Hickey, who lived in the upper part of the Second Parish of the town in 1760.

**HILL, JAMES, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment; discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y.

Born, Nov. 16, 1760, at Kittery, son of Joseph and Katharine (Staples) Hill. Married Sarah Hammond, Feb. 11, 1787, at Kittery, and both residents.

**HILL, NELSON, Private.**

Enlisted, June 1, 1776, as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, and was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776; re-enlisted, Nov. 15, 1776, for three years, from Jan. 1, 1777, for the town, and a resident, as a private in Capt. Daniel Merrill's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; in this company, March 17, 1777, at Boston, and Feb. 1, 1778, at Valley Forge; discharged, Dec. 31, 1779, from Captain Hitchcock's company of same regiment.

Born, April 23, 1755, at Kittery, a brother to James Hill, before mentioned. Married an Abbot, and lived after the war in Sanford, Me.

**HILL, SAMUEL, Private of Marines.**

Enlisted, Oct. 20, 1779, on the Continental frigate "Ranger," Capt. Thomas Simpson, as a marine, or ordinary seaman, for one year, and served on her until her capture at Charleston, S. C., on May 12, 1780, when that city was captured by the British. He said in pension papers that he served on her, and after the capture was put on a prison ship for six weeks, then sent in a cartel to Philadelphia, where he went to the hospital with smallpox, and arrived home in Kittery, in August, 1780.

Born, Sept. 22, 1763, at Kittery. A brother to Nelson and James, before mentioned. Married, Oct. 10, 1789, Rebecca, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Deed) Remick, and lived in Eliot where John Shapleigh lived in 1851. Pensioned, April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, which was continued until his death. A shipwright in 1820, age fifty-nine years; owned house and land in Eliot. Died, June 4, 1824, at Eliot, and his gravestone is in the Fogg Cemetery, in Eliot. His widow, Rebecca, was a pensioner in 1840, living at Eliot, and died there, Jan. 27, 1848, aged eighty-seven years.

**HILL, THEODORE, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as a private in Capt. T. Cutts' company of Major D. Littlefield's battalion. Discharged Sept. 10, 1779.

Marriage intentions published at Kittery, May 3, 1817, to Joanna Bradbury, both residents.

**HOMES, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. Edward Grow's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops, at York, Me. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 22, 1776, as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops. In company to Sept. 1, 1776, and probably discharged about this time. Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 1, 1777, for eight months' service for the town, and a resident; was in Capt. D. Merrill's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. A private in same company, at Valley Forge, Feb. 1, 1778. Time out May 1, 1778.

Married Dorcas Wentworth, Jan. 19, 1775, at Berwick, Me., and both residents of Berwick then.

**HOOPER, NATHANIEL, Private and Drummer.**

Enlisted, May 13, 1775, as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies, resident of the town; was in company at Cambridge, Mass., Aug. 1 and Nov. 28, 1775. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year with same captain in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, and served as drummer. Was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. Re-enlisted again, Nov. 14, 1776, for the war, for the town and a resident. Served as drummer of Capt. Robert Davis's company of the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Continued in service with regiment until July 14, 1779, when he deserted from Captain Hancock's company when he was twenty-five years old, five feet seven inches tall, light hair and complexion, and born at Kittery. This regiment was in General Glover's Brigade (Fourth Massachusetts) and served around New York until July, 1777, then to the north in General Schuyler's army in Burgoyne's campaign; in fall joined Washington's army and at Valley Forge, then at battle of Monmouth; then the brigade went to Rhode Island, and under General Sullivan took part in that campaign; then to Connecticut and New York.

Nathaniel, Jr., name on back of list of the third company of the

town militia on June 23, 1779, and he belonged to the same company Oct. 20, 1785.

Probably a son of Nathaniel and Anne (Webber) Hooper, who were living in the First Parish of the town in 1760. Nathaniel Hooper married Betsey Nowel, Aug. 21, 1794, at Berwick, and both were residents of Berwick.

#### HUBBARD, JOSHUA.

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months' service in Rhode Island, for the town, a resident, as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment. His name not on the final roll of the company, so he may not have served. A private in the fourth company of the town militia in 1762. Always lived in what is now the upper part of the town of Eliot. Alive in 1798.

#### HUTCHINGS, EASTMAN, Sergeant.

Enlisted, May 8, 1775, for Arundel (Kennebunk), as a private in Capt. Jesse Dorman's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. In company at Cambridge Aug. 1 and Nov. 28, 1775. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, as private in Capt. S. Wild's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Regiment of Infantry. Promoted to Corporal June 16, 1776. Was reported sick on rolls at Fort George Dec. 8, 1776. Enlisted again, March 18, 1778, for three years, and served in Captain Hitchcock's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was transferred to the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry in December, 1780, when he was twenty-five years old, five feet ten inches tall, dark complexion, black hair, and belonged to Arundel, Me. He was honorably discharged, at West Point, N. Y., March 18, 1781, as Sergeant of Capt. John Pray's company, of the First Massachusetts.

Born in Kittery, son of William and Sarah Hutchings, and baptized Oct. 19, 1755, in the Third Parish of the town. Married Betsey — May 1, 1794, both of Alfred, Me., she was born at Arundel. Pensioned Oct. 29, 1818, of Alfred, Me., at ninety-six dollars a year. On July 4, 1820, he was living at Alfred, Me., aged sixty-eight years, a farmer, and owned a farm, with wife Betsey, aged fifty-two years, and his mother Sarah, aged eighty-seven years. Pension was revoked. He died May 8, 1826, at Alfred, aged seventy-three years. Widow Betsey applied for State bounty in 1835.



**HUTCHINGS, EDMAND, Private.**

Enlisted service as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, also Sept. 22, 1777. He said in 1819, when he was living at Kittery, that he enlisted in June, 1776, in Capt. T. Salter's company, New Hampshire State Troops, for one year and served it; then immediately enlisted in Capt. E. Daniel's company, New Hampshire State Troops, for one year, and served part of this term at Fort Sullivan and the remainder at Fort Washington; then honorably discharged.

Born, Dec. 12, 1754, at Kittery, son of Joseph and Elizabeth Hutchings. First marriage intentions published at Kittery, March 15, 1776, to Mary Weeks, both residents; second marriage intentions published at Kittery, June 30, 1792, to Eunice Perry, both residents. Pensioned, Dec. 10, 1819, age, sixty-five years, residence, Kittery, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service in New Hampshire Line, which was continued until his death, March 1, 1825, aged seventy years, in York County, Me. Had wife, Lucy, age sixty-seven years in 1820 at Kittery.

**HUTCHINGS, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 17, 1776, as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 31, 1776. Enlisted, again, in Capt. Ebenezer Deering's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at one of the forts on the river, June 14, 1779, and April 18, 1780. Enlisted again, March 12, 1781, for three years for the town, and served as a private in Capt. Rufus Lincoln's company of the Seventh Massachusetts Continental Regiment of Infantry. He was mustered out of this company about May, 1782, as decrepit, and too old for a soldier, being then fifty-nine years old, five feet five inches tall, dark complexion and hair; a cordwainer.

Living in the First Parish of the town in 1760 and 1780.

**HUTCHINGS, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted, Feb. 16, 1776, as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; deserted, Sept. 30, 1776; enlisted again, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

He enlisted (Joseph, Jr.), March 3, 1760, in Capt. John Wentworth's company, in the King's service, at Crown Point and Canada; discharged, Dec. 14, 1760, a minor; residence, Kittery.

He belonged to the Second Foot Company of the town's militia in 1757.

Marriage intentions of Joseph, Jr., to Mary Wilson, published at Kittery in March, 1772, both residents.

#### HUTCHINGS, MOSES, Private.

Enlisted in July, 1775, was a private in Capt. Noah M. Littlefield's company, Massachusetts State Troops, Nov. 5, 1775, on Coast at Wells; probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted in February, 1777, for the war, for Portsmouth, N. H.; residence Kittery, and nineteen years old; was a private in Capt. Isaac Farwell's Company of the First New Hampshire Continental Infantry, all of 1780 and 1781.

#### HUTCHINGS, NOAH, Sr., Private.

Enlisted, July 2, 1775, residence Kittery, as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colony; was in company, Nov. 28, at Cambridge, and re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, as a private under the same captain, in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, on roll Dec. 8, 1776, at Fort George. Re-engaged, Nov. 15, 1776, for three years, for the town, and a resident, from Jan. 1, 1777, as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was in company at Boston, March 20, 1777, and at Valley Forge, Jan. 22, 1778. Honorably discharged, Dec. 31, 1779, from Capt. T. Remick's company of same regiment. Family supplied by town, in 1777-79.

#### HUTCHINGS, NOAH, JR., Sergeant.

Enlisted, Aug. 28, 1778, for three years, and served in Captains Wilcox, Bryant, and Patten's companies of Major J. Baldwin's battalion of artificers, of the Continental Army; was in one of these companies as Sergeant, all of 1780; enlisted for the town, and also a resident. On Jan. 1, 1781, he was in Captain Parker's company of Artificers, and credited to the town. On one roll he is put down as enlisted March 24, 1780, for the war.

Marriage intentions published at Kittery, Oct. 3, 1795, to Isabel Ingerson; both residents.

**HUTCHINGS, SOLOMON, Private and Seaman.**

Enlisted service, was a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777. Enlisted on the Continental frigate "Ranger," Captain Jones, and was on her in the river Loire, France, in December, 1777. His leg was broken by a spar on the cruise over from Kittery to France.

**HUTCHINGS, THOMAS, Private.**

Enlisted, service; was a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company above, at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

**HUTCHINGS, WILLIAM.**

Enlisted, service, was on the Continental frigate "Boston," Capt. Hector McNeil, at Portsmouth, in 1777.

Resident in 1752 and 1795; of the First Parish of the town in 1760.

**INGERSON, RICHARD, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted service as a private in Capt. T. Salter's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Washington, May 26, 1777, and had been there some time probably. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y. Enlisted again, and was Sergeant of Capt. E. Deering's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, in one of the forts on the river June 14, 1779, also on April 18, 1780. He said in 1818, that he enlisted in January, 1776, for one year, in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattresses, at Fort Washington, and served his time.

Married Sarah Parker Feb. 22, 1778, at Kittery; both were residents. Pensioned, April 13, 1818, of Kittery, at ninety-six dollars a year. On July 4, 1820, he lived at Kittery, sixty-nine years old. Had no family or property. Said he served in Captain Salter's and Capt. E. Shapleigh's companies, above, as a private. Pension was continued, and he was a pensioner, living in York County, Me., at the age of seventy-five years.

**JACOBS, DANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, for York, Me., and served as a private in Capt. Jonathan Nowel's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. In company, Oct. 30, 1775, at Cambridge. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months, a resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, in Rhode Island. Enlisted as seaman on the Continental ship "Ranger," Captain Jones, and was on her at Nantes, France, in December, 1777.

**JAMES, JOHN, Private and Boatswain's Mate.**

Enlisted, Nov. 6, 1775, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775, and June 4, 1777. Was Boatswain's Mate of the Massachusetts State ship "Mars," Capt. Simeon Sampson, on Jan. 13, 1783.

A private in the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779, also Oct. 20, 1785.

A resident of the town in 1769 and 1782; lived in the Third Parish in 1780. Married Margery Spinney, April 22, 1802, at Kittery, both residents. Lived near the junction of roads from Eliot at Kittery, Depot.

**JELLISON, JAMES, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Service in the Burgoyne campaign. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777.

**JENKENS, BENJAMIN, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, Jan. 13, 1776, for one year, and served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was in company at Fort George, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1776. Enlisted again, in 1777, probably as a private, in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan Sept. 22, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, May 27, 1778, for eight months, and served as corporal of Capt. T. Hodgdon's company of Col. T. Poor's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Feb. 12, 1779. Enlisted or drafted again, July 10, 1779, and served as a Corporal of Capt. T. Cutts' company of Maj. D. Littlefield's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Sept. 10, 1779. Enlisted

or drafted, Aug. 29, 1780, and served as Sergeant of Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 29, 1780.

Belonged to the third company of the town militia, June 23, 1779, and a resident of the Third Parish in 1780.

Married Anna Batson, Nov. 21, 1783, at Kittery. Both were residents. Lived in that part of the town near where Joseph Jenkins now lives.

**JENKENS, LEMUEL**, Private and Fifer.

Enlisted, April 9, 1778, and served as a fifer of Capt. Joseph Boynton's company of Col. N. Wade's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Service in Rhode Island to end of the year. Enlisted, in February, 1781, for three years for the town. Marched to West Point, N. Y., and joined the Ninth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, but next day was transferred to Capt. Lawrence's company of Major Bushnell's corps of Sappers and Miners, as a private; was at the battles resulting in the capture of Lord Cornwallis' army at Yorktown, in October, 1781. Was honorably discharged, Oct. 31, 1783, by Gen. Knox at West Point, N. Y.

His name on back of a list of the third company of the town militia, June 23, 1779, and belonged to same company, Oct. 20, 1785.

Born at Kittery. A brother to Thomas Jenkins, hereafter mentioned. Married Abigail Shepherd, Aug. 29, 1785, at Kittery. Both were residents. Lived near Benj. Jenkins, before mentioned. Removed to Bowdoin, Me., about 1794, where he lived about 1836, when he applied for the State bounty; was then seventy-two years old, and had lived there forty-two years. Was pensioned in 1818, when he was fifty-six years old.

**JENKENS, RICHARD**, Sergeant.

Enlisted in 1775, and served as a Corporal in Capt. T. Salter's Company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops; at Fort Washington Nov. 5, 1775, and Feb. 16 and March 20, 1776. Was promoted to Sergeant of the same company, and at same fort, May 26, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

Born Oct. 28, 1739, at Kittery, son of Thomas and Mary Jenkins.

**JENKENS, STEPHEN**.

Enlisted service in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan in July, 1776.

Son of Roland Jenkins, and lived on Fernald's (Seavey's) Island.

**JENKENS, THOMAS, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted for town of York, and marched July 22, 1776, as a private in Capt. J. Goodwin's company, of Col. E. Wigglesworth's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Was discharged Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months, resident of the town, as private in Capt. S. Grant's company, of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, in Rhode Island. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1779, as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company, of Col. J. Storer's regiment, in Burgoyne campaign. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y.

Born Sept. 28, 1735, at Kittery, a brother to Richard, before mentioned. Lived in Third Parish of the town in 1780, and belonged to the third company of the town's militia Oct. 20, 1785. Married Grace Keen (daughter of Isaac Keen, of Kittery, probably). Lived near Benj. Keen's, and was buried there.

**JENKENS, THOMAS SHEPHERD, Private.**

Enlisted, May 4, 1775, for York as a private, in Capt. Jonathan Nowel's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company Nov. 16, 1775, at Cambridge, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted Sept. 8, 1778, as a private in Capt. W. Spinney's company of Colonel Cogswell's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1778.

**JOHNSON, DANIEL.**

Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for three months, and served in Capt. William Holbrook's company in Col. J. Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged in March, 1777; was a resident of the town then.

Born, June 13, 1750, at Kittery, son of James and Rebecca (Benson) Johnson. Married Mary Green, April 29, 1773, at Kittery, both residents. Living at North Berwick, Me., in 1832.

**JOHNSON, DENNIS, Sergeant.**

Enlisted in July, 1776, and served as a Corporal in Capt. J. Arnold's and Grant's companies of Col. J. Wingate's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops, service in the northern army. Probably discharged in December, 1776, at Albany, N. Y. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served (as a Corporal probably) in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops in the Burgoyne campaign. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777,

at Queman's Heights, N. Y. Enlisted or drafted Oct. 8, 1778, and served as Sergeant of Capt. William Spinney's company of Col. Cogswell's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1778. Enlisted May 30, 1782, for three years for the town, and received £90 from Joseph Field's class for bounty. Served as a private in Capt. S. Smith's company of the Fifth Massachusetts Continental Infantry from June, 1782, to June, 1783, then transferred to Capt. Joshua Benson's company of the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Had a two-months furlough in November, 1783, then returned to the army and served until June, 1784, in the American regiment, Col. Henry Jackson, when he was honorably discharged.

Born, Jan. 20, 1754, at Kittery, son of James and Rebecca (Benson) Johnson. Married Mary Carter, May 11, 1779, at Kittery, and both residents. Living in upper part of Second Parish of town in 1782 and 1786. Pensioned, April 14, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year. Wife, Mary, alive in 1820, aged sixty-two years. Living in Waterboro, Me., in 1838, and had lived there thirty-seven years; was a pensioner, eighty-two years old and asked for the State bounty.

#### JOHNSON, JAMES, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, as a private in Capt. T. Cutts' company of Major D. Littlefield's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Sept. 10, 1779.

Probably the James, born June 29, 1742, at Kittery, son of James and Rebecca (Benson) Johnson. Lived in upper part of the Second Parish of Kittery, in 1762. Marriage intentions to Rebecca Hutchings were published there, July 18, 1765, and both were residents. Probably lived at Hollis, Me., in 1832, when his application for a pension was rejected, as he did not serve six months in person.

#### JOHNSON, JOHN, Sergeant.

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, and served as a Sergeant of Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of Foot of the United Colony.

Residence, Kittery, in company July 31, 1775; probably died or killed before November, 1775.

#### JOHNSON, JOSEPH, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment; discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights.

Married, Phebe Moore, June 23, 1773, at Kittery, and both residents. Resident of upper part of Second Parish in 1776 and 1782.

JONES, SAMUEL, Private.

Enlisted, May 6, 1775, as a private in Capt. Ebenezer Sullivan's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the United Colonies; residence, Somersworth, N. H.; probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; enlisted in January, 1776, for one year, and served in Capt. T. Easterbrook's company, of Col. T. Bedel's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; service in Canada and at Lake Champlain; enlisted, again, Jan. 30, 1777, for three years for the town, and a resident; served as private in Captain Wheelright's company of the Eleventh Massachusetts Continental Regiment; in company, Jan. 25, 1778; enlisted in April, 1779, for the war, for Berwick, Me.; served in Captain Francis' company of the same regiment; in company, Dec. 31, 1779.

A resident of upper part of Second Parish in 1782, and married Mary Adams, Sept. 9, 1784, at Kittery, and both were residents.

JORDAN, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted, May 5, 1775; residence, Portsmouth, N. H., and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Regiment of Foot of the United Colonies; probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775; enlisted, again, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. Re-enlisted, Dec. 2, 1776, to serve three years for Kittery, from Jan. 1, 1777, and a resident; served in Capt. S. Burbank's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, as a private; was in company at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778; honorably discharged, Dec. 31, 1779.

Married Sarah Morrell, May 10, 1781, at Kittery; both residents. Resident of upper part of Second Parish in 1786.

KEATING, WILLIAM, Private.

Enlisted, Feb. 22, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was on board the fleet on Lake Champlain Dec. 8, 1776.

Probably a son of William Keating, whose marriage intentions to Susanah Mitchel were published at Kittery Nov. 1, 1750; both were residents. They were living in the First Parish June 4, 1752.



**KEATING, RICHARD, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 8, 1779, and served as a private in Capt. P. H. Ulmer's company, Col. S. McCobb's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, in the Penobscot expedition. Discharged Sept. 24, 1779.

Son of William Keating, whose wife had him baptized June 4, 1752. in the First Parish of the town. Died July 10, 1783, at York, Me.

**KEEN, ISAAC, Private.**

Enlisted, March 12, 1781, for three years, for the town, and served as a private in Capt. Christopher Marshall's company of the Tenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, during 1781 and 1782; then in the Sixth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, Capt. Eben Smith's company, until June, 1783, when he was transferred to Captain Abbot's company, of the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry, where he served until December, 1783, when he was honorably discharged at West Point.

Was a member of the third company of the town militia June 23, 1779, and Oct. 20, 1785.

Born at Kittery, son of Isaac and Jane Keen. Resident of the Third Parish in 1780. Marriage intentions published at Kittery in November, 1787, residence Kittery, to Mary Main, of York, Me. Lived in the town, near the present residence of William Gerry, until 1799, then moved to Wells, Me. In 1836 he was living at Clinton, Me., and had lived there several years. Was over seventy-five years old, and applied for the State bounty.

**KELLY, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of town, served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; in company, Nov. 28, 1775, and probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as private with same captain in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; in company, on Dec. 8, 1776, and reported as on the fleet, on Lake Champlain.

Name on back of the list of third company of the town's militia, June 23, 1779.

**KENNARD, EDWARD, Private.**

Enlisted service as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan,

June 4, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, April 4, 1778, for three months, in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, July 3, 1778. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company, of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 24, 1780.

Born, May 24, 1757, at Kittery, son of Edward and Elizabeth Kennard. Married Mary Hanscom, June 12, 1785, at Kittery; both residents.

**KENNARD, NATHANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; was discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 11, 1776, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery; was at Fort Sullivan Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776; abode at Kittery, and twenty-one years old. Enlisted on the privateer brig "Dalton," in November, 1776, of Massachusetts, Capt. E. Johnson, of eight guns, twenty swivels, and one hundred and twenty men; she sailed from the Piscataqua, on Nov. 26, 1776, and one month later was captured by the British warship "Reasonable." He was taken to the Mill Prison, in England, where he remained until March 15, 1779, over two and a quarter years, when he was sent to Nantes, France, in a cartel. Here he enlisted, April 14, 1779, for one year in the Continental Navy, resident of Kittery, Me., and joined the Continental frigate "Bon Homme Richard," Captain Jones, on April 20, 1779, at L'Orient. She sailed Aug. 14, 1779, and captured the British frigate "Serapis," on Sept. 23, 1779, after one of the hardest sea fights on record. Kennard was put on one of the prizes which sailed for France, the prize was captured by the British and he was again a prisoner. Was carried into Hull, transported to Spithead, put on board the man of war "Unicorn" and compelled to do duty, until he escaped to the Island of Jamaica, and returned to Kittery. He enlisted very soon after on the privateer brig "Venus," and she was captured June 1, 1781, and he was again committed to Mill Prison, England. The "Venus" was probably the one owned in New Hampshire, in 1781, Capt. H. Moore, four guns and thirty-five men.

After the war he lived at Portsmouth, N. H., and was a ship master until April 28, 1808, when he was commissioned a First Lieutenant in the United States Revenue Cutter Service, and was promoted to Captain, Nov. 5, 1812, serving through the second war with Great

Britain. Was honorably discharged in 1817, and was then employed at the Portsmouth custom house until his death.

He was born May 4, 1755, near Kennard's Hill, Eliot, son of Edward and Elizabeth (March) Kennard, and was a brother to Edward before mentioned. He married Margaret (Peggy) Peverly, of Portsmouth, N. H., Oct. 10, 1783; his residence then was Kittery. He died June 24, 1823, at Portsmouth and has a gravestone there.

#### KENNARD, TIMOTHY, Private.

Enlisted, Aug. 9, 1776, resident of the town and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged about Nov. 30, 1776. Drafted Sept. 1, 1777, for eight months for the town, and a resident. Joined his company at Albany; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was in company at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778, and served his time. His discharge for this service on May 1, 1778, signed by Colonel Brewer, is with his pension papers in the Pension Office, Washington.

Born, Feb. 19, 1756, son of Michael and Dorcas Kennard of Kittery. Married Abigail Stevens, Sept. 8, 1779, at Kittery, both residents. Always lived in Eliot. Pensioned March 4, 1831, at forty dollars a year for above service. Living at Eliot, Me., in 1834, aged seventy-eight years. Died, Sept. 25, 1839, at Eliot. His children in 1851 were sons, Alpheas of Kittery, John, and Alcot and daughter, Mary Irish.

#### KENNISTON, HUGH.

Enlisted on the privateer brig "Dalton," Capt. E. Johnston, in November, 1776, at Kittery, and belonged there. Was captured in her and taken to Mill Prison, but escaped from the prison.

Married Anna Stace Nov. 19, 1772, at Kittery; both residents. Married Meribah Stacy Sept. 7, 1794, at Kittery; both residents.

#### KINGSBURY, ELIPALET, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. Jonathan Nowel's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment, of the Colonies. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1875.

Born Feb. 6, son of Joseph and Patience (Came) Kingsbury, of York, Me.

**KINGSBURY, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as a private in Capt. T. Cutts' company, of Major D. Littlefield's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Sept. 10, 1779. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company, of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 24, 1780.

Lived in the upper part of the Second Parish in 1776 and 1782.

**KNIGHT, DANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 15, 1776, abode Kittery, twenty years old, served as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, service at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776. Enlisted on the "Dalton," a privateer, in November, 1776; was captured Dec. 24, 1776, and confined, in June, 1777, in the Mill Prison, England. Was exchanged in March, 1779, and enlisted, April 5, 1779, at Nantes, France, on the Continental frigate "Alliance," Capt. Peter Landais. Was on her in the fight with the "Serapis," Sept. 23, 1779, and remained in her until she arrived at Boston, in August, 1780, when he was discharged, Aug. 15, 1780.

He was a resident of the town. Married Betty Bradbury, of York, Jan. 9, 1782, at York. Lived at Kittery in 1785, and died Oct. 10, 1799. His widow Betty was pensioned in 1838, when she was seventy-seven years old, and living at Portsmouth; was living at Kittery in 1840. Among her pension papers at Washington is a list of three hundred and seventy-seven names of privateersmen who were confined in the Mill Prison, Plymouth, England, in 1778-79.

**KNIGHT, RICHARD, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as a private in Capt. T. Cutts' company, Major D. Littlefield's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Sept. 10, 1779.

Marriage intentions published at Kittery, March 3, 1792, to Anna Staples, both of the town.

**KNIGHT, THOMAS, Private and Carpenter.**

Enlisted, May 22, 1775; resident of the town; served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company, Nov. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 11, 1776; resident of town, twenty-three years old; served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's com-

pany of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776; enlisted in 1777, on the Continental frigate "Ranger," Capt. Jones, and was on her in France in December, 1777; was carpenter's mate of the Continental frigate "Richard," Captain Jones; enlisted, April 7, 1779, in France, and was on her in fight with the "Serapis," Sept. 23, 1779, and was wounded.

Marriage intentions published, Oct. 21, 1804, at Kittery to Betsey Welch, both residents.

#### KNOWLTON, JOHN.

Enlisted, July 11, 1780, for six months for Ipswich, Mass., seventeen years old, five feet two inches tall, for the Continental service; discharged, Jan. 9, 1781; enlisted, Feb. 3, 1781, for three years, and served in Capt. Abraham Watson's company of the Third Massachusetts Continental Infantry, in 1781, and in Capt. Simon Jackson's company of same regiment in July, 1782. May 4, 1783, he was twenty-one years old, five feet six inches tall, light complexion, brown hair; a tailor; residence, Ipswich, Mass. Was honorably discharged from the Third Massachusetts, Dec. 22, 1783, by Major-Gen. H. Knox.

Was a resident of the Second Parish of Kittery in 1786.

Married Dorcas Shapleigh, about December, 1789, near Kittery; both residents of the town; died Oct. 18, 1798, at Kittery; age, thirty-four years. Dorcas Knowlton, a pensioner at Eliot in 1840, aged sixty-nine years.

#### LAMB, SAMUEL.

Enlisted or drafted, in July, 1776, and marched from the town July 22, as a private in Capt. J. Goodwin's company, of Col. E. Wigglesworth's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. A resident of the town. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y.

A son of Richard and Rebecca (Kerswell) Lamb, who were married at Kittery, in 1751, and both were residents. He was baptized Aug. 9, 1752, in the First Parish.

#### LAWREY, JACOB, Private.

Enlisted, Nov. 13, 1775, in Capt. E. Daniel's company, at Fort Sullivan. In company Dec. 2, 1775. Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776; served in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, of Col. J. Frost's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged in March, 1777. Enlisted, Sept. 8, 1777, as private in Capt. N. Rawling's

company, of Col. Drake's regiment, of New Hampshire State Troops ; served in Burgoyne campaign, and deserted Oct. 29, 1777.

LEACH, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted service, was a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops (residence, Kittery), at Portsmouth, N. H., Sept 2, 1776, to Jan. 7, 1777. Refused to march to Ticonderoga with his company in February, 1777. Enlisted, in February, 1777, for three years for the town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Darby's company, of the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's Battalion. Discharged Dec. 8, 1780.

Born, Nov. 8, 1760, at Kittery, son of Ebenezer and Elizabeth Leach.

LEIGHTON, JONATHAN, Probably a Private.

Enlisted or drafted, April 2, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company, of Col. J. Gerrish's Regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.

Born, Jan. 17, 1760, at Kittery, son of William and Mary (Bane) Leighton.

LEIGHTON, THOMAS, probably a private.

Enlisted or drafted, July 2, 1779, residence, Kittery, and served in Capt. Adam Martin's company of Col. Nathan Tyler's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops in Rhode Island. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1779.

LEIGHTON, TOBIAS, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town ; served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. Was in the company, Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge, and was probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, June 14, 1778, for eight months for the town, and served in the Sixth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. This regiment was in Gen. John Nixon's Brigade, and served in Washington's army, around West Point during this time.

Belonged to the fourth company of town militia in July, 1762.

Marriage intentions published at Kittery, Sept. 24, 1763, to Mary Worster, both residents. Living in the upper part of the Second Parish in 1776.

**LEWIS, BENJAMIN.**

Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, from the town and served three months in Capt. William Holbrook's company, Col. J. Frost's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops.

**LEWIS, DIAMOND, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights.

Marriage intentions published at Kittery, April 13, 1777, to Mary Hutchings, both residents. Living in the Third Parish in 1780. Marriage intentions published at Kittery, Dec. 4, 1805, to Ruth Paine, of York, he of Kittery.

**LEWIS, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 5, 1780.

**LEWIS, JOS<sup>H</sup> (Prob. JOSEPH), Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

**LEWIS, THOMAS HUTCHINGS, Sergeant.**

Enlisted May 12, 1775, resident of the town, and served as sergeant of Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company at Cambridge, Aug. 1, 1775. Probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Baptized March 6, 1743, an infant, in the First Parish. Marriage intentions published at Kittery, March 22, 1765, to Mary Hutchings, both residents. Lived in the Third Parish, in 1780 and 1781.

**LEWIS, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted service in Capt. R. Follett's Artillery company at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted, Nov. 24, 1775, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company, New Hampshire State Troops, was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775; was in Capt. T. Salter's company of Artillery at Fort

Washington, Feb. 17, 1776. Enlisted, Aug. 13, 1776, as a Corporal on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, for seven and two thirds dollars per month; was five feet eight and a half inches tall. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton"; was captured on her and taken to Mill Prison, at Plymouth, England; was a resident of Kittery; was exchanged in March, 1779, to France.

Married Mary Johnson, Feb. 7, 1781, at Kittery; both residents of the town, and lived there. He died there, May 15, 1788.

**LIBBY. AZARIAH, Private.**

Enlisted, March 1, 1777, for three years, for Kittery, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was with company at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778; discharged, Jan. 8, 1780, by Captain Burbank, commanding regiment, he having obtained a man to serve his time out. His discharge is with his pension papers in Pension Office at Washington. Family supplied by town in 1777-79.

Living at Limerick, Me., in 1818, aged seventy-five years. Living in York County, July 4, 1820; had been pensioned, April 13, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year; but it was suspended at that time.

**LIBBY, GEORGE, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, April 4, 1778, and served as private in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 24, 1780.

Born, Jan. 21, 1760 (and always lived in that part of the town now Eliot), at Kittery, son of Reuben and Katharine Libby. Marriage intentions to Mary Bartlett, published at Kittery, Oct. 13, 1799, both residents. Pensioned, March 4, 1831, at forty dollars a year for service as private in Massachusetts State service. Living in Kittery, York County, in 1834, aged seventy-four years.

**LIBBY, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted in July, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. J. Arnold's company of Col. J. Wingate's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops. Service around Ticonderoga, etc. Probably discharged in December, 1776. Enlisted July 4, 1777, as a marine for one year on the Continental frigate, "Raleigh"; was five feet eight and one half



inches tall, light hair, an American, residence then Portsmouth, N. H. Was on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France.

Marriage intentions to Sarah Leathers of Durham, N. H., published at Kittery, May 13, 1781, he of Kittery.

LIBBY, NATHANIEL, Private.

Enlisted in April, 1779, resident of the town, in Capt. Ebenezer Deering's company of artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and served nine months at Fort Sullivan and Fort Washington; there June 11, 1779. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 26, 1780. Enlisted again, Feb. 18, 1782, for three years for the town, and served in Capt. T. Remick's company and also in Capt. Nat. Cushing's company of the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was nineteen years old, five feet seven and one half inches tall, light complexion and hair. Was discharged in April, 1783, having obtained a substitute.

Born at Kittery and lived there until May, 1785, then moved to Limerick, Me., where he ever after lived. Pensioned, May 10, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year for private in Massachusetts Continental service; this was revoked in 1820, when he was a farmer, with wife, Miriam, fifty-four years old. Pensioned again, March 4, 1831, at eighty dollars a year, for same service. He applied for bounty or land from Maine in 1837, residence Limerick, and seventy-four years old. Living at Limerick in 1840, a pensioner, aged seventy-seven years.

LIBBY, SAMUEL, Mariner.

Enlisted on the Continental frigate "Ranger," Capt. T. Simpson, about June, 1779 (before June 18), at Portsmouth, N. H., and remained on her as a marine, until her capture at Charleston, S. C., on May 12, 1780, when he was confined on a prison ship for six weeks, then sent in a cartel to Philadelphia and exchanged, receiving a pass from Congress to return home.

Married Betsey Hardison, at Berwick, Jan. 3, 1782, both residents of Berwick. He was pensioned, May 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for above service; residence, Lebanon.

Was a resident of Lebanon, Me., July 4, 1820, a laborer, wife Betsey, and owned no land, sixty years old. Pension continued until his death, Jan. 14, 1829, aged sixty-nine years.

**LIBBY, SIMON**, Private.

Enlisted, June 11, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies, at Cambridge, Nov. 28, 1775; probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

**LAWLEY, or LOLEY, STEPHEN**, *Seaman*.

Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer brig "Dalton," at Kittery, and a resident of the town; was captured on her, Dec. 24, 1776, and confined in Mill Prison, Plymouth, England, until March, 1779; then was exchanged to France. Enlisted soon after on the Continental frigate "Richard," Capt. Paul Jones, *and was killed on her in the fight with the British frigate "Serapis," Sept. 23, 1779.*

**LOLLY (LOLLER, LILLEY), DANIEL**, Private.

Enlisted, Feb. 17, 1777, for three years, for the town, also a resident, and served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was in company at Valley Forge, Jan. 22, 1778; was transferred to the Invalids, Sept. 23, 1779, and was in service, Dec. 31, 1779.

Married Susanah Norton, in September, 1784; both residents of Kittery.

**LOLLER, JOHN**, Private.

Enlisted in 1776, as a private, in Capt. E. Deering's company of New Hampshire State Troops; abode was in the town; was not mustered in, March 22, 1776, at Portsmouth.

John Lawley, infant son of Elizabeth Lawley, Sr., was baptized Sept. 16, 1750, in First Parish. Was a resident of the First Parish in 1760 and 1769.

**LILLEY, PATRICK**, *Private*.

Enlisted, Nov. 3, 1775; abode in the town; fifty years old; and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, at Fort Sullivan, Nov. 5 and Dec. 2, 1775, Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776. Enlisted, Feb. 28, 1777, for three years or the war, for the town; also a resident, and served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Family supplied by town in 1777. *Died Sept. 23, 1777.*

He was a private in 1744 and 1745 in Major Richard Cutts' company (third) of Gen. William Pepperell's regiment (first) in the

King's service that captured Louisburg. Enlisted, April 22, 1756; also a private, resident of the town, in Capt. Joseph Hart's company of Colonel Plaisted's regiment, in the King's service at Crown Point; in French and Indian war. Discharged Oct. 17, 1756.

LORD, DANIEL, JR., Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company Oct. 23, 1775, and re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year; served as private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776.

Pensioned, April 27, 1818, for the above service, and it was continued. In July, 1820, he was living at Limerick, Me., aged sixty-eight years, a farmer, with wife, Hannah, fifty-nine years old, and he died there Dec. 15, 1833. A son of Simon Lord, of Kittery.

LORD, DANIEL, SR., Private.

A resident of Eliot in 1818, said he was sixty-nine years old, and enlisted in July, 1776, for twelve months' service in Capt. E. Daniel's company, at Fort Sullivan, and served his time also to end of 1777. He was on rolls in above company, at Fort Sullivan, on June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777. Was pensioned, June 27, 1818, for this service, but it was suspended in 1820. He of Kittery, marriage intentions to Abigail Moulton, of York, published at Kittery, in November, 1772. Living in the upper part of Second Parish of the town in 1776-82, and 1786. A Baptist minister at Kittery, 1796-99.

LORD, JEAB<sup>A</sup>, JR., Private.

Probably meant for Jeremiah, Jr. Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Probably the Jeremiah Lord, drowned, Dec. 11, 1801, at Cape Nedick, York.

LORD, SIMON, Private.

Enlisted, service in 1777; was in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, Sept. 22, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, July 2, 1779, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. Adam Martin's company, of Col. Nat. Tyler's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops, in Rhode Island. Discharged Dec. 31, 1779.

Born, July 19, 1746, at Kittery. Son of Simon and Mary Lord. Simon, Jr., married Elizabeth Gowen, Sept. 29, 1781, at Kittery; both were residents. Lived in upper part of the Second Parish in 1776 and 1782.

**LYDSTON, ANDREW**, *Private.*

Enlisted, May 8, 1775, a resident, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot of the Colonies. Was in company Nov. 28, 1775, and re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. In company Dec. 8, 1776, and re-enlisted again Jan. 1, 1777, for three years or the war, and served as a private in Captains Hitchcock's and Daniel Merrill's companies of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry.

Born, Nov. 29, 1755, at Kittery, son of Waymouth and Abigail Lydston of Kittery. *Died, Aug. 1, 1777, probably at Boston, in the service.*

**LYDSTON, JOHN**, *Private.*

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 9, 1776, a resident, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1776.

Born, Sept. 25, 1751, at Kittery, a brother to Andrew before mentioned.

**LYDSTON, ROBERT**, *Private.*

Enlisted or drafted, July 22, 1776, a resident, and served as a private in Capt. J. Goodwin's company of Col. E. Wigglesworth's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y. Enlisted, Feb. 1, 1777, for three years for the town, a resident, and served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was with company at Valley Forge, Jan. 22, 1778, and deserted July 7, 1779. Enlisted or drafted, May 4, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Aug. 6, 1780. He returned, Sept. 1, 1780, to his regiment above, the Twelfth Massachusetts, to serve sixteen months' enlistment, and was in Capt. T. Remick's company until December, 1780, when the company was transferred to the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Description on roll, Feb. 4, 1781: twenty-one years old, five feet ten inches tall, dark complexion

and eyes, residence, Kittery. On May 10, 1781, he enlisted for three years, serving in same company and regiment, and was honorably discharged Dec. 23, 1783, from same regiment at New York by Maj.-Gen. Knox, commanding the American forces on the Hudson River.

Commissioned Ensign, May 16, 1796, of the Second Regiment of York County militia, and promoted to Lieutenant May 25, 1801, but refused to serve.

Born June 1, 1760, at Kittery, a brother to Andrew, before mentioned. Married Olive Scriggins March 1, 1785, at Kittery, both residents. Always lived in the town.

He died May 27, 1809, at Kittery. His widow Olive, in 1837, when she was living at Kittery, and seventy-three years old, applied for the State bounty.

**LYDSTON, TIMOTHY, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 8, 1778, and served as a private in Capt. Wm. Spinney's company, of Colonel Cogswell's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1778.

**LYDSTON, WILLIAM, Corporal.**

Enlisted, service at Fort Sullivan before December, 1776, and he left before his term was up, and enlisted for a campaign with the Continental Army. This service was probably in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, of Col. John Frost's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops, from December, 1776, to March, 1777, around New York and Connecticut. Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as a Corporal in Capt. T. Cutts' company, of Major D. Littlefield's battalion, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Sept. 10, 1779.

Marriage intentions published at Kittery in November, 1780, to Sarah Gowel, both of Kittery. Living in the town with wife Sarah in 1781.

**MACE, ANDREW, Corporal.**

Enlisted, served as a private in Capt. D. Quinby's company of Colonel Wingate's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; service in Canada; was in company in July, 1776. Enlisted, Sept. 8, 1777, from East Kingston, N. H., and served as a private in Capt. E. Currier's company of Col. Abraham Drake's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; service in Burgoyne campaign; discharged, Dec. 16, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, July 7, 1780, and served as a Corporal in Capt. J. Eastman's company of Col. T. Bartlett's regiment

of New Hampshire State Troops; service at West Point, N. Y.; discharged, Oct. 24, 1780. Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 18, 1781, for East Kingston, N. H., and served as a private in Capt. J. Webster's company of Colonel Reynold's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; discharged, Nov. 25, 1781.

Was a private in Capt. James Gowen's company of Col. J. Preble's regiment, in the King's service. Enlisted, April 13, 1758, service at Crown Point and Ticonderoga; discharged Sept. 1, 1758. Belonged to the fourth company of town militia, March 19, 1759, and July, 1762.

Married, Dec. 12, 1759, at Kittery, Rebecca Ferbush, both of Kittery. Living in upper part of Second Parish, Kittery, in 1776, and at Berwick, in 1782.

#### MAHANY, THOMAS, Private and Seaman.

Enlisted, July 4, 1775, a resident, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies, in company at Cambridge, Oct. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted in 1776, and served in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Washington, Feb. 17, 1776. Enlisted, Aug. 13, 1776, as corporal marine, on Continental frigate "Raleigh," was five feet eight inches and a half tall, sandy complexion. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton," Capt. E. Johnston; was captured on her Dec. 24, 1776, and taken to Plymouth, England, where he was confined in Mill Prison, until March 15, 1779, when he was exchanged to Nantes, France; where on April 14, 1779, he enlisted for one year in the Continental Navy; resident of Kittery; went overland to L'Orient, France, and joined the "Richard" there. Was a seaman, of Irish birth, on the Continental frigate "Richard," Captain Jones, in the fight with the "Serapis," Sept. 23, 1779. Probably a son of Michael and Elizabeth Mahany of Kittery, in 1740.

#### MANSON, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted, Feb. 22, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Re-engaged Nov. 15, 1776. Was at Ticonderoga on command Dec. 8, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months' service, a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company, of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, in Rhode Island. Enlisted, Dec. 1, 1777, for

the war, for Boston; aged twenty-six years, five feet nine inches tall, dark complexion and eyes, a farmer. Served as a private in Captain Francis' company and L. Bailey's company, of the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry, to Oct. 1, 1780; then transferred to the Sixteenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, Captain Hastings' company, to Jan. 1, 1781; then transferred, with the same Captain, to the Ninth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, to Jan. 1, 1783; then transferred to the Seventh Massachusetts Continental Infantry, Captain Allen's company; and honorably discharged, June 9, 1783, by General Washington, his time having expired.

John, Jr., name on back of a list of the third company of town militia July 12, 1779, and John belonged to the same company Oct. 20, 1785.

Baptized, May 24, 1752, in the Third Parish, son of Joseph and Mary Manson. John, Jr., resident of the Third Parish in 1780. Married Betsey Shepherd, at Kittery, Jan. 4, 1790, both residents. He was drowned near the navy yard at Kittery about 1800.

MANSON, THOMAS, Private.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

Belonged to the third company of town militia June 23, 1779, also Oct. 20, 1785.

Born July 15, 1748, at Kittery, son of Joseph and Mary (Leach) Manson. Lived in Third Parish in 1780. Pensioned March 4, 1813, at \$20.55 a year, for services as private in Massachusetts militia. A pensioner in 1834, aged eighty-six years. Lived in York County, Me.

MENDUM, JOHN, Quartermaster and Seaman.

Enlisted, service on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson. Was a quartermaster on her in August, 1778, and was on her probably until she was captured, Sept. 28, 1778. Was not on her until after Jan. 22, 1778. His name was on a list of the town's three-year men in 1778.

Died in 1806, at Portsmouth, N. H., age, sixty-eight years. A sea captain.

MENDUM, JONATHAN, Fifer and Private.

Enlisted, Feb. 16, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry.

Re-engaged, Nov. 15, 1776, for three years; was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. After Jan. 1, was private in Capt. J. Donnell's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry (resident of the town and enlisted for it), to Nov. 16, 1777; promoted to fifer of same company; was at Valley Forge, Jan. 22, 1778; dropped to private, May 1, 1778. Discharged, Nov. 3, 1779, from Capt. T. Remick's company, same regiment.

His name on back of a list of the third company of town militia, July 12, 1779.

A resident of the Third Parish in August, 1780, when his marriage intentions, to Sally Partridge, of Portsmouth, were published at Kittery.

#### MENDUM, WILLIAM, Marine, Private.

Enlisted, June 9, 1777, as a marine for one year, residence, Kittery. Enlisted, service (five feet six and a half inches tall, dark hair), on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, and remained on her until his time was out, then honorably discharged as a marine. Residence, Kittery, in 1777. Was on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France.

William, Jr., married Anna Welch, Oct. 18, 1781, at Kittery; both were residents. Pensioned, April 13, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service as a marine in the Continental Navy. On July 4, 1820, he lived at Kittery; was sixty-six years old, a mariner; owned no land (wife, Anna, sixty-five years old, and daughter Anna); died, Feb. 18, 1831. Anna Mendum, of York, Me., in 1840, age, eighty-one years, a pensioner.

#### MITCHELL, CHARLES, Private.

Enlisted service in 1775, a private in Capt. George Jerry Osborne's company of New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 5, 1775; and in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses at Fort Washington, Feb. 17, 1776. Enlisted in July, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. T. Arnold's company of Col. J. Wingate's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, around Ticonderoga. Probably discharged in December, 1776.

#### MITCHELL, JOHN, Private, probably.

Enlisted or drafted, April 6, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.



Marriage intentions to Alice Ellis published at Kittery in April, 1783, both residents. His claim for pension under act of June 7, 1832, was rejected because he did not serve six months. He lived at Chesterville, Me., then.

**MITCHELL, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Oct. 23, 1777. May have been the Joseph Mitchell on board the Continental frigate "Boston," in 1777, Capt. Hector McNeil.

Lived in the First Parish in 1760. Married Elizabeth Gerrish at Kittery, July 15, 1787, both residents.

**MITCHELL, JOSIAH, Private.**

Enlisted, service in 1776. Served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops. Was in it Sept. 2, 1776, near Portsmouth. Deserted Oct. 17, 1776.

**MITCHELL, WILLIAM, Private and Seaman.**

Enlisted, Nov. 13, 1775, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniels' company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan Nov. 13 and Dec. 2, 1775. He said he was transferred, in 1776, to Capt. T. Salter's company, at Fort Washington, and served remainder of time there. Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for three months, and served in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, Col. J. Frost's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Enlisted or drafted in July, 1780, for six months, for the town, a resident. Marched July 19, 1780, from Kittery; served in the Continental Army. Discharged Dec. 7, 1780. Was twenty-six years old, five feet ten inches tall, and dark complexion. Enlisted on the privateer brig "Venus," Capt. H. Moore. She was captured June 1, 1781, by H. M. S. "Lively," and he was sent to the Mill Prison, England. Resident then of the town.

William, Jr. (same one), married Susanna Foy Jan. 1, 1776, at Kittery, both residents. Pensioned April 1, 1818, of Kittery, at ninety-six dollars a year, for services as a private in the New Hampshire Line. Died March 19, 1827, in York County, Me., aged seventy-four years. His widow Susanna, died Nov. 20, 1836, aged eighty-three years. Children and heirs in 1838 were: son Charles, of Kittery; daughter Susanna, wife of Andrew W. Black; daughter

Martha, wife of Henry Black ; son Richard, all of Kittery, and Hannah Mitchell, widow of son Joseph, who died Jan. 6, 1837, and left no children.

**MOODY, GEORGE, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 16, 1778, and served as a private in Capt. R. Rogers' company, of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 4, 1778.

Born, Aug. 1, 1735, at Kittery, son of Edward and Mary Moody.

**MOORE, BENJAMIN, Private and Seaman.**

Enlisted, service on the privateer brig "Venus," Capt. H. Moore, and was captured on her June 1, 1781, by H. M. S., "Lively," and he was put in the Mill Prison, in England. Residence, Kittery.

Pensioned, April 21, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year for service as a private in the New Hampshire Line. Dropped from roll in 1820, but was restored June 10, 1824 ; died May 14, 1826, in York County, Me., aged sixty-nine years.

**MOORE, EDWARD.**

Enlisted, June 10, 1775, for York, Me., and served as a private in Capt. Jonathan Nowel's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. Was in company Oct. 30, 1775, at Cambridge and re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year and served as a private with the same captain in the Seventh Continental Regiment ; service around Boston, to Long Island, and around New York City. Re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1777, for the war or three years, for Kittery, and served as private in Capt. S. Darby's company of the Second Massachusetts Continental Regiment. In his company at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778 ; also served in Capt. Alden's company and L. Bailey's company. Remained in Second Massachusetts to Oct. 1, 1780, then transferred to the Sixteenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1780, at West Point.

Marriage intentions to Lucy Haley, published in August, 1785, at Kittery, both residents. Pensioned, April 13, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year. Lived at Kittery in July, 1820, a fisherman, aged sixty years. Died in September, 1826.

**MOORE, ISAAC, Private and Drummer.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of town, served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the

Colonies, at Cambridge, Oct. 30, 1775, and re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served with same captain in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. Enlisted again, Feb. 6, 1777, for three years, for Deerfield, N. H., also claimed by Kittery. Served as a drummer, in the Third New Hampshire Continental Infantry; discharged, Jan. 30, 1780. Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 15, 1781, for Stratham, N. H., and served as a drummer in Capt. J. Parsons' company of Colonel Russell's Regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; service on northern border; discharged, Nov. 25, 1781.

**MOORE, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, service in 1776, served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, around Portsmouth, N. H.; was in it, March 22 and April 1, 1776, abode at Kittery, thirty years old. Enlisted or drafted, May 4, 1780, served as private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's Battalion, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 24, 1780.

Born, June 25, 1748, at Kittery, son of John and Jane Moore, of Kittery. Married Sarah Chaney, April 13, 1786, at Kittery, both residents.

**MOORE, ROBERT.**

Enlisted in August, 1776, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," was five feet three inches tall, an American; never returned on board, after enlisting. Enlisted on the "Ranger," in 1777, and served on her first cruise. Enlisted, service in 1780, served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Mattrosses, and was at one of the forts on the river, April 18, 1780.

Marriage intentions (to Elizabeth Hutchings, probably) at Kittery, in August, 1783; both were residents.

**MUGRIDGE, BENJAMIN, Corporal.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 28, 1778, and served as a Corporal of Capt. T. Hodgsdon's company of Col. T. Poor's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Jan. 29, 1779.

Baptized, June 10, 1751, in Third Parish, son of Benjamin and Hannah Mugridge. Resident of the town July 10, 1776, when he subscribed money to raise soldiers for the war.

**MUGRIDGE, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 24, 1780.

Married Temperance Beal, Oct. 3, 1782, at Kittery; both were residents.

**MUGRIDGE, WILLIAM, Sergeant.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1777, and served as Sergeant of Capt. T. Cutts' company of Maj. D. Littlefield's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Sept. 10, 1779.

Belonged to the second company of the town militia, a private, April 20, 1757.

Born, May 8, 1737, at Kittery, son of Thomas and Mary Mugridge. Married Elizabeth Johnson, Dec. 17, 1780, at Kittery, Third Parish, both residents. Resident of the town in 1784.

**NASON, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 16, 1778, and served as a private in Capt. R. Rogers' company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 14, 1778. Lived in the upper part of the Second Parish in 1776.

**NASON, JONATHAN, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of town and served as a private in Captain Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; served until Dec. 31, 1775, and then re-enlisted as a private in Capt. S. Darby's company of the Seventh Continental Infantry for one year; as he said in 1820, he was in this company and regiment and served his time. Was honorably discharged at Fishkill, N. Y.

Born, Aug. 1, 1741, at Kittery, son of Richard and Abigail (Libby) Nason of Kittery. Lived in upper part of the Second Parish in 1786. Pensioned, April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year; living in Eliot, on July 4, 1820; age, eighty-two years a laborer, with wife Mary, aged eighty-three years; owned no land, and retained his pension. Died March 18, 1831, aged ninety-three years.

**NASON, NATHANIEL, Private, probably.**

Enlisted or drafted, June 1, 1778, for nine months' service in the Continental Army for the town; age, twenty-seven years, five feet

eight inches tall; dark complexion, and belonged to the fourth company of the town militia. Lived in the upper part of the Second Parish in 1776.

**NASON, REUBEN**, *Private.*

Enlisted, Dec. 15, 1775, and served as a private in Captain Wild's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry.

*Died Sept. 30, 1776, in the service.*

**NASON, STEPHEN**, Corporal.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a Corporal in Captain Leighton's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment, of the Colonies. In company Oct. 28, and re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Captain Wild's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was in company at Fort George Dec. 8, 1776. His name was on a list of men from Kittery in 1778, who had enlisted for three years or the war.

A resident of the town in June, 1779, when his marriage intentions to Mary Jones, of Portsmouth, were published at Kittery.

**NEAL, SAMUEL**, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of town, and served as a private with Stephen Nason, before mentioned, in the same companies and regiments, during 1775 and 1776. Was at Fort George Dec. 8, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, July 1, 1778, and served as private in Captain Brown's company, of Colonel Wade's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, service in Rhode Island. Discharged Jan. 1, 1779. Enlisted again, May 30, 1782, for three years, for the town, where he was born also, and served in 1782, probably in Capt. E. Smith's company, of the Fifth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, but was in Capt. J. Benson's company, of the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry, when he was discharged (about July, 1783) at West Point, having got a substitute to serve the remainder of his time.

Married Mary Mendum Sept. 16, 1779, at Kittery, both residents. He lived in the upper part of the Second Parish in 1786, and lived at Kittery all his life, except the last two years before his death, which occurred at York, Me., Dec. 8, 1816. Widow Mary, born at Kittery, was living Dec. 18, 1837, aged seventy-seven years, at Portsmouth, N. H., when she applied for the State (Maine) bounty. His grandson, William Neal, of Kittery, a soldier in 1861, was killed at the

Battle of Gettysburg, and a great-grandson, Charles Neal (son of William), was a captain in the United States Army in the late Spanish War.

NEAL, WILLIAM, Private.

Enlisted, service, in 1775, as a private in Capt. Robert Ford's company, was at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted again, in 1776, and served as private in Capt. N. Brown's company, of Col. Pierce Long's Regiment, of New Hampshire State Troops, in the company at Newcastle, N. H., from Dec. 7, 1776, to Jan. 7, 1777. Was a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Mattrosses, in Fort Sullivan or Washington, June 14, 1779, April 18, 1780, April 10 and June 25, 1781. Also a private in Capt. Mesheck Bell's company, New Hampshire State Troops, at New Castle, from Oct. 13, 1785, to June 13, 1786. Also in Capt. T. Salter's company, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort William and Mary, from Sept. 14, 1786, to May 31, 1787.

NELSON, DANIEL, Probably Private.

Enlisted, service, at Fort Sullivan. There June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

NELSON, JOHN, Fife Major.

Enlisted, service, as fifer in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, at Fort Sullivan, eighteen years old, residence, Portsmouth. There Dec. 17, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, and there until December, 1776, when he enlisted, or was drafted, as fifer of Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, of Col. J. Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, and was appointed, Jan. 9, 1777, Fife Major of the regiment. Discharged in March, 1777.

NORTON, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, of Massachusetts State Troops, at Kittery and York. Discharged Dec. 31, 1776.

A resident of the First Parish, in 1760, and of the town, in 1778, 1779, and 1781. Married Hannah Hutchings, March 6, 1786, at Kittery, both residents.

NORTON, SAMUEL, Private.

Enlisted, for Wakefield, N. H., in April, 1775, for two and one half months, as a private in Capt. David Copp's company of New

Hampshire State Troops. Enlisted again, for eight months, in same company. Was at Peirce Island, in Piscataqua River, on Nov. 5, and 25, 1775; marched in December, 1775, to Cambridge and served several months there. Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year in same company, in Gen. Washington's army. Discharged in April, 1776, at Boston, for sickness.

Born, Dec. 18, 1756, in Greenland, N. H. Moved to Wakefield, N. H., then in 1780, to Kittery, and lived there to 1833, when he applied for a pension. Married, first, Margery Norton, March 21, 1779, at Kittery. Married, second, Eunice Gunnison, Aug. 19, 1784, at Kittery.

**NOWEL, KITTERY, (Negro) Cook's Mate.**

Enlisted service in 1780, was Cook's Mate on the privateer "America," Capt. J. Somes, June 9, 1780; was from Portsmouth, N. H., and five feet tall.

Probably Pharo Nowel, a negro, whose marriage intentions to Molly Morse, a negress, were published October, 1784, at Kittery; both were residents.

**NUTTER, JACOB, Quartermaster.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Also reported as in Capt. R. Follett's company of Artillery at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775. Was in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Washington, Feb. 17, 1776. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer brig "Dalton," Capt. E. Johnston; was captured on her Dec. 24, 1776; was taken to Plymouth, England, and confined in the Mill Prison, where he remained until March 15, 1779, when he sailed in a cartel for Nantes, France, and was exchanged. He enlisted here on the Continental frigate "Alliance," Capt. P. Landais, in April, 1779, for one year. He was a Quartermaster on the Continental frigate "Alliance," Capt. P. Landais, on Oct. 3, 1779, and was on her in the fight with the British frigate "Serapis" and her consorts, off the English coast, Sept. 23, 1779.

Born at Portsmouth, N. H., probably. Lived in upper part of Second Parish in 1782 and 1786, and a resident of the town July 4, 1801, when his marriage intentions to Betsey Johnson, of Berwick, were published at Kittery.

O'BRIEN, JOHN, Private, probably.

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 9, 1779, for nine months for the town; eighteen years old; five feet four inches tall and light complexion; belonged to the fifth company of town militia; served in Captain Farley's company in the Continental Army; was taken prisoner, Feb. 3, 1780. Enlisted in 1781 on the sloop "Defence," Capt. James Nevins, of the Massachusetts State Navy. Enlisted, Dec. 20, 1781, for three years, for the town for John Rice's class, also a resident, and served in Captain Watraus' company, of the Eighth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. He was a private in Capt. John Burnham's company, of the above regiment, during one of his enlistments. He received an honorable discharge after peace was declared.

Marriage intentions published at Kittery, Nov. 2, 1797, to Nabby Wilson, both residents; pensioned, June 17, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year for service as private in Massachusetts Continental service.

In July, 1820, he was living at Cornish, Me., a farmer; fifty-nine years old; wife, Abigail, forty-nine years old; owned a farm, and his pension was revoked; pensioned again, March 4, 1831, at eighty dollars a year for same service. Lived at Cornish in 1836, and had lived there for thirty-six years, when he applied for the State bounty.

ORAM, ROBERT, Private.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Baptized, Feb. 15, 1736, in First Parish of town, an infant. Was on the alarm list of the second company of town militia, April 20, 1757. Lived in the First Parish in 1760.

ORDIORNE, SAMUEL, Carpenter and Private.

Enlisted in 1775; was in Capt. William's Deering's company of carpenters, at Kittery, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted, Nov. 13, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775; was a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, near Portsmouth, Sept. 2, 1776, to Dec. 7, 1776; residence, Kittery; in same company, Jan. 14, 1777; refused to march to Ticonderoga in February, and was put on board the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Jan. 27, 1777; was five feet six inches tall, and light complexion, an American; probably did not remain on her long.



Married, Temperence Underwood, Aug. 26, 1783, at Kittery, both residents. Resident of town in 1784.

ORDIORNE, SAMUEL, JR., Seaman.

Enlisted, service in 1777, on the Continental frigate "Ranger," Captain Jones, and went on her as seaman on her first cruise to Europe; sailed from the Piscataqua, Nov. 1, 1777, for France; captured the British man-of-war "Drake" in April, 1778; she returned to the United States, arriving in the Piscataqua, on Oct. 16, 1778, when he was honorably discharged; was then a resident of the town.

Commissioned Third Lieutenant, Dec. 18, 1792, in the United States Revenue Cutter Service; promoted to Second Lieutenant, Oct. 26, 1795, and to First Lieutenant, June 21, 1799; served on the cutters "Scammel" and "Governor Gilman" on the Maine and New Hampshire coasts.

He was pensioned under Act of March 18, 1818 of Kittery, (sixty-three years old,) for the above Continental service, and in July, 1820, was living in the town, aged sixty-two years, a seaman, wife Sampercine, aged fifty-two years, owned no land, and his pension was continued.

PAGE, EDWARD, Private.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, June 1, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776. Enlisted, Nov. 19, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery of New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H.; was in company Dec. 7, 1776, and Jan. 7, 1777. Enlisted, March 5, 1777, for one year, residence, Kittery, five feet six inches tall, fresh complexion, an American, as a marine, at six and two-thirds dollars a month wages, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. Thompson. Deserted, April 10, 1777. He said in his pension application that he was in Capt. William Holbrook's company, Col. J. Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, December, 1776 to March, 1777, and was also in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, in 1777.

Married Miriam Burbank, Dec. 19, 1782, at Kittery, both residents. Pensioned, April 13, 1818, of Kittery, sixty years old, at ninety-six

dollars a year, for service as private in New Hampshire Line. A pensioner in 1834, age seventy-seven years, living in York County; said he was eighty-two years old in 1837, living at Kittery.

**PARKER, WILLIAM**, Private and Fifer.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as fifer of Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Feb. 21, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y. Enlisted or drafted April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 22, 1780.

Born, May 9, 1756, at Kittery, son of Benjamin and Mary Parker. Marriage intentions at Kittery, Aug. 24, 1777, to Susannah Lewis, both residents. Lived in the Third Parish in 1780.

**PARKS, NOAH**, Private, probably.

Enlisted, March 12, 1782, for three years, born at Kittery, and a resident, twenty-six years old, five feet four inches tall, a laborer; was in Captain King's company, of the Seventh Massachusetts Infantry. In an earlier roll of the same company his description was: Twenty-five years old, five feet five and one half inches tall, brown hair, light complexion, a farmer. Enlisted, Dec. 1, 1781, for three years, for Weston, Massachusetts, and residence there.

**PARSONS, RICHARD**, Private.

Enlisted service in 1775, was a private in Capt. R. Follett's company of Artillery, at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted service as a private in Captains G. Turner and E. Deering's companies of Field Artillery, at Portsmouth, Jan. 17, 1776, Feb. 6, 1776, and March 22, 1776, also April 1, 1776; residence Kittery, and twenty-five years old.

**PATCH, BENJAMIN**, Private, probably.

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 23, 1779, for nine months, for the town, a resident; forty-nine years old, five feet five inches tall,

dark complexion, and belonged to the fourth company of town militia ; service in one of the Continental regiments.

Served as a private in Capt. James Gowen's company, of Col. J. Preble's regiment, in the King's service, for the reduction of Canada ; enlisted April 8, 1758, resident of the town ; discharged Oct. 10, 1758. Also as private in Capt. Humphrey Chadbourn's company, in the King's service about the Lakes and in Canada. Enlisted March 6, 1760 ; discharged Nov. 30, 1760.

Belonged to the fourth company of town militia Oct. 15, 1754, March 28, 1757, and March 19, 1759. Lived in the upper part of the Second Parish in 1760 and 1782.

PATCH, GEORGE, Private.

Enlisted, probably Dec. 13, 1776, and served probably as private in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company of Col. John Frost's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops ; probably discharged, March 13, 1777. Enlisted, Sept. 8, 1777, for three years, for the town, and served as private in Captain Lyman's company of Col. William R. Lee's Continental Regiment, until its consolidation, April 22, 1779, with Col. Henry Jackson's Continental Regiment, when he joined Capt. John Hastings' company of said regiment ; deserted, May 1, 1779 ; but returned to the regiment, Aug. 27, 1779 ; and on Dec. 27, 1779, he re-enlisted for the war, serving in same company and regiment which was called the Sixteenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, after July 23, 1780, until Jan. 1, 1781, when it was consolidated with the other Massachusetts regiments and he was transferred with the same captain to the Ninth Massachusetts Continental Infantry ; he was then twenty-two years old, five feet seven inches tall ; dark hair and complexion, a yeoman, and residence at Kittery and enlisted for same. He served in this regiment until Jan. 1, 1783, when it was consolidated and he was transferred with same captain to the Seventh Massachusetts Continental Infantry where he served until June 8, 1783, when he was honorably discharged, and was entitled to an honor badge for faithful service since August, 1777.

Married Sarah Black, March 14, 1782, at Kittery, both residents ; living in upper part of the Second Parish in 1786. He died Feb. 17, 1816, at Kittery. His widow, Sarah, was living on Gerrish Island in 1837, aged seventy-five years, when she applied for the State bounty ; she said that her husband first enlisted for three months, then for three years, then for the war, and that he had lived fifty-five years in the town before his death.

PATCH, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted in December, 1775, for one year and served as a private in Capt. Jonathan Nowell's company of the Seventh Continental Infantry his full time. Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for the war, for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was in company, Jan. 23, 1778; (was five feet ten inches tall; light complexion, brown hair); at Valley Forge, and was in company and regiment, Dec. 31, 1780; transferred to Capt. James Means' company of the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry, and honorably discharged by General Washington, at New Windsor, probably on June 10, 1783.

His family was supplied by town in 1777, 1778, and 1779. John, Jr., married Susannah Patch at Kittery, March 20, 1769; both were residents; he was also in 1815; pensioned, April 14, 1818, of Eliot, at ninety-six dollars a year until his death. Living in July, 1820, at Eliot, Me., age, seventy-seven years; said his wife had run away; children all dead. Died March 18, 1831, in York County, aged eighty-five years.

PATCH, JONATHAN, Private.

Enlisted, Oct. 16, 1776; residence at Kittery, in Capt. N. Brown's company of Col. Pierce Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops as a private. Was at New Castle, N. H., Dec. 7, 1776. Enlisted, Feb. 25, 1777, for the town, and a resident, for the war. A blacksmith, enlisted at Kittery by Lieutenant Frost, and served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778. In winter of 1780, went home to Kittery on a furlough as he was badly hurt by an explosion at West Point.

Family was supplied by town in 1777, 1778, and 1779. Born at Kittery, son of John Patch, and moved to Shapleigh, Me., after the Revolution, a brother to Samuel Patch, also a soldier from the town. Married Mary Davis, Dec. 16, 1773, at Kittery, both residents. Lived at Shapleigh, York County, in 1801, when he was allowed twenty dollars or two hundred acres of land by Massachusetts resolution of March 5, 1801. Pensioned July 11, 1806, at sixty dollars a year by the United States Act of April 10, 1806, for losing an eye and other injuries, by blasting rocks at West Point in the war; increased by Act of April 24, 1816, to ninety-six dollars. Transferred from March 4, 1826. Living in York County. Said he was living at Shapleigh in

1825, and was seventy-four years old. Died Sept. 20, 1832, at Shapleigh. His wife died before this at Shapleigh.

**PATCH, ROBERT, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, a resident of town, and served as a private in Captain Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. Was in the company Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge. Re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776; re-engaged Nov. 29, 1777, for the town, to serve three years or the war, from Jan. 1, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was in company Jan. 23, 1778, at Valley Forge. Deserted Feb. 4, 1778. Lived in upper part of Second Parish in 1776.

**PATCH, SAMUEL, Private.**

Enlisted, Oct. 16, 1776, residence Kittery, and served as a private in Capt. N. Brown's company of Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops; was at New Castle, N. H., in company, on Dec. 7, 1776, and Jan. 13, 1777. Enlisted, March 1, 1777, for the war, for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, with company, Jan. 23, 1778, at Valley Forge. Deserted, March 22, 1780.

Went home to Kittery, in winter of 1780, on furlough with his brother Jonathan, also a soldier from Kittery. Married Lydia Patch, Feb. 3, 1780, at Kittery, both residents. Had wife Lydia, in 1823, who was sixty-six years old. Lived at Shapleigh, Me., when he was allowed twenty dollars, or two hundred acres of land by resolution of March 5, 1801, of the Massachusetts Legislature; was also living there when his claim for a pension under Act of Congress of June 7, 1832, was rejected, for being a deserter. He said in 1834, to explain his desertion, that he started to return to the army when his furlough was up, but at Ipswich he fell from a house frame and had his shoulder dislocated, and so did not return; said he was born at Kittery, son of John Patch, would be seventy-seven years old in October, 1835, and moved to Shapleigh in 1780, and had lived there ever since, also living there in 1840.

**PAUL, AMOS, Private.**

Enlisted, May 8, 1775, resident of town, and served as a private in Capt. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company, Nov. 28, 1775, at Cambridge, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Amos, Jun., married Margery Tutherly, May 8, 1777, at Kittery, both residents.

**PAUL, JEREMIAH, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 9, 1776, resident of town, and served as a private in Captain Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged about Nov. 30, 1776.

**PAUL, JOSIAH, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a Sergeant of Captain Leighton's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; in company, Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge, and probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 9, 1776, resident of town, and served as a Sergeant with the same Captain, in Col. E. Francis' regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a Sergeant of Captain Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y.

**PAUL, JOSEPH, SR., Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 11, 1776, resident of town, thirty-eight years old; served as a private in Capt. E. Daniels' company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan Feb. 12, 1776, and March 18, 1776.

Marriage intentions to Margaret Huson, of Wells, Me., published Oct. 18, 1760, at Kittery, where he lived.

**PAUL, JOSEPH, JR., Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as a private in Captain Cutts' company of Major Littlefield's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Sept. 10, 1779. Enlisted or drafted, in July, 1780, for six months, for the town, and a resident, eighteen years old, five feet four inches tall, dark complexion; served as a private in Capt. John Williams' company, of the First Massachusetts Continental regiment. Discharged, Feb. 1, 1781, from this company.

Joseph, Jr., married Keziah Staples, Nov. 24, 1784, at Kittery, both residents.

**PAUL, MARK, Seaman.**

Enlisted service, in the Continental Navy. Was a boy of American birth on the Continental frigate "Richard," Capt. J. Paul Jones, and was on her Sept. 23, 1779, in fight with and capture of H. M. S. "Serapis." Was on the privateer "Aurora," Capt. David Porter (a ship of Massachusetts, same captain, in 1780, of ten guns and twenty men), at Boston, June 16, 1781. Age twenty-one years, four feet nine inches tall.

**PERKINS, ELIAS, Private.**

Enlisted, or drafted, March 18, 1780, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. Nathan Lord's company of Massachusetts State Troops, on detached duty at Camden, Me. Discharged, June 18, 1780.

**PERKINS, JOHN, Seaman.**

Enlisted, in November, 1776, on the privateer brig "Dalton," Capt. E. Johnston, at Kittery; was captured on her, and taken to Mill Prison, Plymouth, England, where he remained until March, 1779, when he was exchanged to France. A resident of the town.

Marriage intentions to Hannah Tod, published at Kittery, Nov. 25, 1792, both of Kittery.

**PERRY, RICHARD, SR., Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private, in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops, at Kittery Point. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, in 1776, and served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company, of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth; in it March 22, 1776, when he was thirty-eight years old, and abode at Portsmouth, also April 1, 1776, Sept. 2, 1776, to Jan. 7, 1777, and longer. Enlisted again, in 1777, in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, was at Fort Washington, May 26, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777. He was taken prisoner in June, 1779, by the British (probably was on a privateer), and put in Mill Prison, England. Enlisted again, as, on April 18, 1780, he was in Capt. E. Deering's company, New Hampshire State Troops, at one of the forts on the river.

Residence in First Parish, of Kittery, 1760.

**PERRY, RICHARD, JR., Private.**

Enlisted, Sept. 16, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, from that date to Jan. 7, 1777, and longer. Enlisted Feb. 9, 1777, for three years for the town and a resident; was at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778, in Capt. S. Darby's company and served also in Alden's company, both of the Second Massachusetts Continental Regiment, as private. Discharged Feb. 15, 1780.

Family was supplied by the town in 1777, 1778, and 1779.

**PICKERNAL, NELSON, Drummer.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as a drummer in Captain Cutts' company of Major Littlefield's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Deserted.

Baptized, March 15, 1752, in Third Parish, son of Samuel and Esther Pickernal. Marriage intentions to Anna Place published at Kittery, March, 1774, both residents. Lived in the Third Parish in 1780.

**PIERCE, STEPHEN, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, April 1, 1778, and served in Captain Preble's company of Colonel Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.

**PILLSBURY, NATHAN, Private.**

Enlisted, Feb. 11, 1777, for three years, for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Captains S. Darby's and Alden's companies, of the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry. With company at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778. Discharged Feb. 11, 1780, at West Point. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Captain Bragdon's company, of Lieut.-Col. Prime's battalion, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 20, 1780. Enlisted in April, 1781, for three years, for the town; served as a private in Capt. Ebenezer Smith's company, of the Fourth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Discharged in December, 1783, at West Point, from this company and regiment, by Gen. Michael Jackson.

He was fifty-eight years old in 1818, and said he was in the Burgoyne campaign, battle of Monmouth, and storming of Stony Point in his first enlistment, and at the taking of Yorktown in his



second enlistment. So that he was probably in the Light Infantry company of the Second Massachusetts, on July 15, 1779, at Stony Point, and belonged to the Light Infantry company of the Fourth, in the Yorktown campaign, in October, 1781, as the Fourth did not go to Yorktown as a regiment.

He lived at Thomaston, Me., for about forty years, and died in that town May 23, 1826. His widow Lucy, of Thomaston in 1835, aged seventy-three years, said he enlisted in 1775, under Colonel Scammell, and that he also served two three-year terms, and was a resident of Kittery when he enlisted.

**PHILLIPS, ANDREW, Sergeant.**

Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, and served as First Sergeant of Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, of Col. John Frost's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Honorably discharged in March, 1777.

He was living in the First Parish in 1760. Married Lettice Fernald March 19, 1771, at Kittery, both residents. He died July 10, 1830. A pension was granted to Lettice, widow of Andrew Phillips, under act of July 4, 1835; she lived at Kittery; but it was soon after suspended, as no roll of soldiers of the Revolution with his name on it could be found. Probably served in the companies raised in 1776. Widow Lettice was living at Kittery in 1837, and was eighty-two years old.

**PLAISTED, JOSEPH, Fifer.**

Enlisted service in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Washington, Feb. 17, 1776. Enlisted in July, 1776, and served as a fifer of Capt. J. Arnold's company of Col. J. Wingate's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops around Ticonderoga; probably discharged in December, 1776. Enlisted or drafted in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company of Col. John Frost's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, in December, 1776, and then enlisted into the Continental service for three years or the war, Dec. 25, 1776, for Kittery, and among her three-year or war men in 1778; was also claimed by the town of York, Me. Died Nov. 2, 1781, from a gun shot wound, probably at York, Me.

**PLUMBLEY, OLIVER, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 15, 1777, for the war, for the town, residence, Uxbridge, Mass., and served as a private in Capt. Daniel Wheelright's

company of the Eleventh Massachusetts Continental Infantry, until Dec. 31, 1779 ; with the regiment at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778, and belonged to York, Me. ; then in Capt. McFarland's company of the Invalid Corps, Jan. 1, 1780, to Aug. 15, 1780, when he deserted, but returned to duty, June 20, 1781, and served in Captain Francis' company of the Tenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry the remainder of that year but deserted again, July 17, 1782.

POKESFIELD (or SPOKESFIELD), HENRY, Private.

Enlisted, Dec. 1, 1775, and served as a private in Captain Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry ; sick in General Hospital at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776.

POKESFIELD (or SPOKESFIELD), THOMAS, Private, Corporal, and Seaman.

Enlisted, May 12, 1775, resident of town, and served as a private in Captain Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies, in company, Nov. 28, 1775, and re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year ; served as private with same captain in Eighteenth Continental Infantry, was at Fort George with his company, Dec. 8, 1776. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years for the town, and served as private and Corporal in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry ; was with company March 20, 1777, at Boston ; Jan. 22, 1778, at Valley Forge, and Dec. 31, 1779. Enlisted, Jan. 20, 1780, and served as a seaman on the Massachusetts State ship "Protector," Capt. John Foster Williams. Discharged, Aug. 17, 1780.

PRAY, EBENEZER, Carpenter's Mate.

Enlisted in 1775, in Capt. Wm. Deering's company of Carpenters on the Piscataqua River, in this company, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted or appointed carpenter's mate, July 29, 1776, pay, \$10 $\frac{2}{3}$  per month, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson. Enlisted again, Jan. 30, 1777, on her in same position, at \$9 $\frac{1}{2}$  per month, an American. Residence, Kittery, five feet seven inches tall, dark complexion, was on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France, and probably remained on her until her capture, Sept. 28, 1778.

His name was on roll of the third company of town militia, April 12, 1757, also on back of list of same company, June 23, 1779.

Born, Oct. 4, 1728, at Kittery, a brother to Capt. John Pray,

before mentioned. Marriage intentions to Elizabeth Gunnison, published Oct. 26, 1751, at Kittery; both were residents. Ebenezer and wife Elizabeth appeared to be living on the lower island of the Navy Yard, Oct. 6, 1769. He had a son William, baptized March 5, 1775, in the First Parish.

PRAY, JOSHUA, Carpenter.

Enlisted in 1775, in Capt. William Deering's company of Carpenters, on the river; in company Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 18, 1776, abode, Kittery, forty-two years old, and served in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattresses at Fort Sullivan; was there Feb. 12, 1776, and March 18, 1776.

His name was on back of a list of the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779, and he was on the alarm list of same company Oct. 20, 1785.

Born, Feb. 14, 1733, at Kittery, brother to Capt. John Pray before mentioned. Residence in First Parish in 1760.

PRAY, SAMUEL, Carpenter.

Enlisted in service in 1775, in Capt. William Deering's company of Carpenters, on the river; in company Nov. 5, 1775.

Belonged to the third company of the town militia April 12, 1757, also Feb. 18, 1777, and on back of list of same company June 23, 1779, on alarm list of same company Oct. 20, 1785.

Born, April 19, 1731, at Kittery, a brother to Capt. John Pray before mentioned. Married Susannah Dunn, Sept. 27, 1753, at Kittery. Marriage intentions to Mrs. Sarah Bever, published April 28, 1759, at Kittery, both residents. Residence in First Parish in 1760, probably on Fernald's Island (lower Navy Yard island).

RAITT, ANDREW, Private.

Enlisted service in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattresses, New Hampshire State Troops. At Fort Washington, Feb. 17, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment. Discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights. Enlisted or drafted, July 2, 1779, and served in Capt. A. Martin's company of Col. N. Tyler's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, in Rhode Island. Discharged, Dec. 1, 1779. Enlisted, Feb. 12, 1782, for three years probably, and served as a private in the Tenth Massachusetts Continental regiment until Jan. 1, 1783.

Born, Jan. 31, 1757, at Kittery, son of Alexander and Miriam Raitt. He lived in the upper part of the Second Parish in 1786. Died, May 27, 1791, leaving no issue.

**REED, BENJAMIN.**

Enlisted, service in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, at Fort Washington, Feb. 16, 1776, May 26, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

**REED, GEORGE, Corporal.**

Enlisted in 1775, and was a corporal of Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Washington, Nov. 5, 1775, Feb. 16, 1776, and March 20, 1776.

**REED, ISAAC, Private.**

Enlisted in 1775, and served as a private in Capt. S. Hodgson's company; was at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted or drafted, July 1, 1778, and served as a private in Capt. S. Brown's company of Col. N. Wade's regiment in Rhode Island. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1778.

Belonged to the third foot company of the town militia, April 12, 1757. Lived in lower part of the Second Parish in 1760.

**REMICK, JACOB, Private and Seaman.**

Enlisted, Sept. 8, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. N. Rawlins' company, of Colonel Drake's regiment of Infantry, New Hampshire State Troops. Service in the Burgoyne campaign, in New York and Vermont. Discharged Dec. 15, 1777. Enlisted on the privateer brig "Venus," Capt. H. Moore, of four guns and thirty-five men, hailing from New Hampshire. She was taken by the British June 1, 1781, and in the following November he was confined in the old Mill Prison, in England.

He, Jacob, Jr., was a member of the third company of Kittery militia June 23, 1779.

Born Dec. 9, 1756, at Kittery, a brother to Lieut. Benjamin Remick, before mentioned. Married Susannah Yeaton, of Rye, N. H., Nov. 1, 1789, and they lived in that part of the town now Eliot, near the residence of Augustus P. Shapleigh, where he died May 16, 1814, and was buried there. He was a cordwainer, sailor, sea captain, and farmer, and has several descendants.

**REMICK, JAMES, Private.**

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Captain Leighton's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regi-

ment, of the United Colonies. Was in company Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge. Probably discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

Probably the James Remick whose marriage intentions to Anna Parry, both of the town, were published July 25, 1776, at Kittery.

**REMICK, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months, and served as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company, of Col. J. Titcomb's Regiment, Massachusetts State Troops, in Rhode Island.

Belonged to the First Foot Company of town militia, March 15, 1757.

A son of Joshua and Dorcas (Hill) Remick, of Kittery. Married June 25, 1756, Sarah Wells, of Portsmouth, N. H., at Portsmouth. He lived in that part of the town now Eliot, until 1794, when he sold his farm in Kittery, and bought one in Lebanon, Me. Removed there and lived on it until his death, about 1805.

**REMICK, JOSIAH, Private.**

Enlisted, May 21, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was sick in hospital at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776.

Was private in the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779, also Oct. 20, 1785. Commissioned Ensign of same company, May 25, 1801, and Captain, March 30, 1807. Was honorably discharged April 24, 1817.

Born, Oct. 10, 1758, at Kittery, a brother to Lieut. Benjamin Remick, before mentioned. Married Martha Kelly Parry, of Kittery, Dec. 12, 1787, at Kittery, and lived in that part of the town now Eliot, at the head of the Great Cove, where he died, Jan. 9, 1844, and his gravestone is there, near to where he lived.

**REMICK, NATHANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted, or drafted, in August, 1776, and marched, Aug. 9, from the town, as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, of Col. E. Francis' regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Was a resident of the town. Discharged Nov. 29, 1776.

Born at Kittery, son of Ichabod and Sarah (Jackson) Remick. Married Abigail Paul, Jan. 26, 1789, at Kittery, both were residents. They lived in the Second Parish until his death, which occurred about 1824.

**REMICK, SAMUEL, Private.**

Enlisted in 1776 for one year, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses; was at Fort Sullivan in June, 1776, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777. Said he served a year in above company.

Commissioned Second Lieutenant July 5, 1781, in the second regiment of York County militia, was promoted to Lieutenant, July 11, 1791, to Captain, May 16, 1796, and to Major, Nov. 20, 1806, all in the same regiment. Honorably discharged, Aug. 22, 1814.

Born, Jan. 26, 1757, on Bolt Hill, Kittery, son of Nathaniel and Jane (Libby) Remick. Married Anne Fernald, Dec. 26, 1780, at Kittery; both were residents. They lived in that part of the town now Eliot, where their grandsons, John W. and Joseph B. Remick now reside. Pensioned, May 15, 1818 (residence Eliot, and said he was sixty-two years old), at ninety-six dollars a year for service as private in the New Hampshire Line, which was suspended in 1820, when he was a resident of York County. He died Feb. 28, 1826, on his farm, and his remains rest in the family burying ground near Joseph's house.

**REMICK, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, resident of the town, aged thirty years; served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12, 1776.

**RICE, JOHN, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a Sergeant of Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, Jan. 17, 1776, and served as Corporal of Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops, and was in company, May 31, 1776.

Born, Dec. 25, 1750, at Kittery, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Rice. Lived in the town in 1781, and Oct. 20, 1785, belonged to the third company of town militia.

**RITTER, ANDREW. (This may have been Andrew Raitt, before mentioned.)**

Enlisted or drafted, June 14, 1778, for eight months for the town, and a resident; served in Col. Thomas Nixon's Sixth Massachusetts Continental Regiment in Gen. John Nixon's brigade, in Washington's army; around West Point during this time.

ROGERS, CATO (probably a negro), Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; in company, Dec. 8, 1776, at Fort George. Enlisted in 1777, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights.

ROGERS, DAVID, Corporal.

Enlisted, May 24, 1775, a resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company on Nov. 28, 1775, and was probably discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted again, May 14, 1776, and served as private with the same captain in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; was in company at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. Enlisted the third time, March 27, 1777, for three years, for the town, and a resident; served in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, as a Corporal, until Sept. 26, 1778, then was reduced to a private; was with his company at Valley Forge, Jan. 22, 1778, and was honorably discharged, March 27, 1780, from Captain Remick's company, of same regiment.

Born, Jan. 4, 1751, in the Third Parish, son of William and Elizabeth Rogers; lived in same parish in 1780. Married Mary Remick, June 13, 1784, at Kittery; both were residents. Pensioned, Sept. 11, 1820, for service as private in Massachusetts Line, said he was sixty-six years old, residence, Shapleigh, Me. Died, April 1, 1828, in York County, Me.

ROGERS, THOMAS, Sergeant.

Enlisted in 1776, for one year, and was in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, also Sept. 23, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 8, 1778, and served in Capt. R. Rogers' company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 14, 1778. Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, to serve as Sergeant of Capt. T. Cutts' company of Major D. Littlefield's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops; deserted. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, served as Sergeant of Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 18, 1780.

Belonged to the third company of town militia, April 12, 1757, June 23, 1779, and Oct. 20, 1785.

Lived in the Third Parish, in 1760 and 1780; was living at Kittery, in 1818 and 1819, and said he served a year in Captain Daniel's company; of Eliot, in 1820, aged, fifty-nine years, with wife Eunice, sixty-three years old, and nephew John Place, eight years old. Was pensioned for the above service. He lived in Cheshire County, N. H., in September, 1823.

**RUMERY, DOMENICUS, Mattross, Private.**

Enlisted, March 12, 1781, for three years, for the town, for Joseph Gerrish's class, and a resident. He marched to Boston, and joined the Third Regiment of Continental Artillery, Col. John Crane; served there until July, 1781; then went to the North River and joined Capt. Wm. Treadwell's company, of the same regiment, and served until honorably discharged Dec. 23, 1783.

He said, in 1818, he was fifty-four years old, lived at Lubec, Me., and enlisted at Kittery, was a pensioner. His widow, Pamela, sixty-seven years old in 1836, and living at Lubec, said he died at Lubec Oct. 27, 1835, where he had lived forty-four years.

**SAMS, CATO, Private. (Probably a Negro.)**

Enlisted or drafted, Oct. 8, 1778, and served as a private in Capt. William Spinney's company of Col. Cogswell's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1778.

**SAMS, EDWARD, Private. A Negro.**

Enlisted or drafted in August, 1776, and marched from the town Aug. 9, also a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. He was in the company at Boston in August, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months for the town; a resident, and served in Rhode Island as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Enlisted or drafted in July, 1780, for six months for the town; a resident, thirty-one years old, five feet one inch tall, a negro; served as a private in Capt. S. Smith's company of the Fifteenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, in Brig.-Gen. John Glover's brigade, under Maj.-Gen. William Heath, on east side of Hudson River in New York. Discharged, Dec. 4, 1780. Enlisted, Dec. 20, 1781, for three years in the Continental Army, for Capt. William Holbrook's class of the town.

Lived in the Third Parish in 1780. Wife, Rachel.



**SARGENT, CHARLES, Private.**

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of New Hampshire; residence, Portsmouth, N. H. With his company at Cambridge, in December, 1775, and re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was in company Dec. 8, 1776, at Fort George. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years for the town; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1779, at Fishkill, N. Y. Enlisted in 1780, residence, Portsmouth, twenty-five years old, five feet seven inches tall, on the privateer "America," of Newburyport, Capt. J. Somes; on her June 9, 1780.

Born in York, June 17, 1755, now part of South Berwick, where he lived in July, 1820, and in 1840, aged eighty-six years. Married Mary, daughter of Simon Grover, of York, in May, 1784. Pensioned April 13, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year; revoked in 1820, when he was a farmer, with wife, Mary, fifty-four years old, but restored May 27, 1828. A pensioner in 1840, residence, South Berwick.

**SARGENT, DANIEL, Seaman.**

Enlisted in October, 1777, at Kittery, on the Continental ship "Ranger," Capt. John Paul Jones, and made the cruise to Europe, and returned in her to Kittery in October, 1778. He then probably enlisted on a privateer, as in August, 1779, he was on the British letter-of-marque "Union," which he had joined from a British prison in order to escape to the United States. The "Union" was captured by Com. Paul Jones' fleet, and he was taken from her and joined the "Richard," under his old commander, and was on her in the battle with the "Serapis," on Sept. 23, 1779. Was probably transferred to the "Alliance," and soon after discharged in Holland or France, as on June 9, 1780, he was on the privateer "America," Capt. J. Somes, at Newburyport.

He was a brother to Charles Sargent, before mentioned. Married Charity Grover July 2, 1784, at York, Me. She was a sister to Charles Sargent's wife. They lived at York, where he died Oct. 8, 1800. His widow Charity was pensioned in 1838 for his services, and was living in Kittery in 1840, also in 1843, aged eighty years.

**SCAMMON, NICHOLAS, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 9, 1776, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company, of Col. E.

Francis' regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Probably discharged about Nov. 30, 1776.

Living at Eliot in 1810, also Feb. 25, 1814, when his house was burned.

**SEAWARDS, RICHARD, Corporal, Seaman, and Midshipman.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. On Nov. 5, 1775, he was in Capt. R. Follett's Artillery company, temporarily. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, for one year, and served as Corporal of Capt. P. Hubbard's company, Massachusetts State Troops, where he remained until Aug. 30, 1776, when he enlisted on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, as a seaman. He did not remain long on her, as on Nov. 23, 1776, he sailed from Kittery on the privateer brig "Dalton," Capt. E. Johnson. She was captured on Dec. 24, 1776, by the British frigate "Reasonable," and he was taken to the old Mill Prison, in England, where he was confined until 1779, in March, when he was sent to France and was exchanged. Then (he said in 1818), he enlisted at L'Orient, France, on the frigate "Alliance," Captain Landais, and to have served as Midshipman. Served on her about five months, was discharged, and returned to the United States in the "Mifflin." She was cast away on Cape Cod. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1780, and served as Corporal of Capt. T. Bragdon's company, of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion. Discharged Dec. 24, 1780. He said he served a year in 1776, in Capt. E. Daniel's company, at Fort Sullivan, and he was pensioned April 13, 1818, of Kittery, seventy-six years old, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service in Daniel's company in 1776, as a private in the New Hampshire Line.

Born in Maryland. Married, first, Mollie Deering, of Kittery. Married, second, Sarah Deering, April 15, 1788, at Kittery, a sister to his first wife; both were residents. Married, third, Olive Fowler. Intentions published Nov. 20, 1812, at Kittery; both were residents. He died Oct. 6, 1832, at Kittery, aged ninety-two years, a pensioner. Had two daughters living in 1901, Mrs. Olive Chauncy, of Kittery, and Mrs. Sarah Marden, of Somerville, Mass.

**SEAVEY, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Sept. 1, 1777, for eight months' service in the Continental Army for the town, also a resident; served as a private in Capt. D. Merrill's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was in company at Valley Forge, Feb. 1, 1778.

**SEAVEY, STEPHEN.**

Enlisted, service in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, and Sept. 23, 1777, June 14, 1779, and April 18, 1780.

Baptized March 3, 1751, in the Third Parish, son of Nicholas and Hannah Seavey. Lived on what is now the lower part of the Navy Yard. Married Jane Chism in November, 1802; both were residents of the town:

**SHEPARD, JOHN.**

Enlisted, service in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Washington, Feb. 16, 1776, and before this.

His name on back of a list of the third company of town militia, July 12, 1779, and he belonged to the same company, Oct. 20, 1785.

**SHEPARD, LUKE, Corporal.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Nov. 4, 1776, a resident of the town, and served as Corporal of Capt. N. Brown's company, of Col. P. Long's regiment, of New Hampshire State Troops. Regiment at New Castle, N. H., until March, 1777, then marched to Ticonderoga, and in the Burgoyne campaign. Regiment at Ticonderoga, May 24, 1777, under Brig.-Gen. Enoch Poor; also there June 28, under Gen. St. Clair, and took part in the retreat to Fort George and Saratoga. Probably discharged about November, 1777. Enlisted or drafted, Oct. 8, 1778, and served as a Corporal of Capt. W. Spinney's company, of Col. Cogswell's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1778.

Corporal of the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779.

Baptized, June 22, 1755, in the Third Parish, son of widow Mchitabel Shepard, and lived in Third Parish, Sept. 13, 1779, near what is now called Remick's Corner. He died before June 20, 1780, leaving an estate in the Third Parish.

**SHOREY, JOHN.**

Enlisted or drafted, March 31, 1778, and served (as a private, probably) in Capt. E. Preble's company, of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, July 3, 1778.

**SHOREY, SAMUEL, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 22, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Nov. 13, 1776.

Married, first, Betsey Raitt, Oct. 27, 1793, at Kittery; both were residents. Marriage intentions, published Dec. 28, 1799, at Kittery, to Susannah Pray, of Berwick, he of Kittery. John and Samuel, above, were probably sons of Jacob Shorey, of Kittery, as he had two sons old enough, in 1782, to pay poll taxes in the upper part of the Second Parish, where they all lived on the same farm near the Berwick line.

**SIMPSON, ZEBADIAH.**

Enlisted or drafted, March 31, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, July 3, 1778. He also had more service as he was a pensioner.

He was born Oct. 10, 1756, at York, Me., son of Joshua and Maria (Bradbury) Simpson. His marriage intentions to Lucy Jacobs were published at York, in March, 1779. He lived in that part of Kittery, now the eastern part of Eliot. Their children's (ten) births are all recorded in the town records. He applied for a pension in January, 1833, when he was living in Eliot, and was pensioned from March 4, 1831, for services as a private in Massachusetts State Troops at forty dollars a year. He died Jan. 8, 1833, on his farm. His widow, Lucy, in 1840 was a pensioner, eighty-two years old, and living at Eliot.

**SKRIGGINS, SAMUEL, Seaman.**

Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton," Capt. Johnston. Was captured on her Dec. 24, 1776, and taken to Mill Prison, Plymouth, England, *where he died, May 17, 1777, of smallpox.*

**SKRIGGINS, THOMAS, Private.**

Enlisted for three years or the war, for the town, probably in 1781, as in December, 1781, he was in Capt. Mathew Chambers' company of the Sixth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; also served some or the most of his time in Captain Taylor's company of the Tenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry.

Married Lucy Moor, May 24, 1784, at Kittery, and both were residents. They were living at Eliot on July 4, 1820, he was fifty-seven years old and she was fifty-one years old. He was a pensioner

and his pension was continued; a shipwright and owned no land. He applied for the State bounty in 1835; residence Eliot, where he was also living in 1840, aged seventy-six years, a pensioner.

**SMART, JAMES, *Private.***

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of North America. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; was sick in barracks at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was in company at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778. *Died Aug. 1, 1778, in service.*

**SMART, JOHN, *Private.***

Enlisted, May 14, 1775, resident of the town, and served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of North America. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as private with the same captain, in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; was at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776. Re-enlisted, Nov. 15, 1776, for three years, for the town, to commence on Jan. 1, 1777; and served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; with company, March 20, 1777, at Boston, also Jan. 22, 1778, at Valley Forge; taken prisoner by the British in September, 1779.

He also enlisted, Aug. 30, 1756, in the French war, and served as private in Lieut.-Col. Thomas Williams' company in the Province service; residence, Kittery Point; discharged, Dec. 14, 1756. Also enlisted, March 30, 1758, resident of the town, and served as private in Capt. Wm. Osgood's company in Col. J. Preble's regiment in the King's service at Crown Point and Lake George; discharged, Nov. 18, 1758. Enlisted again, March 31, 1759, resident of town and thirty-nine years old; and served under General Jaffrey Amherst, in the King's service, at Crown Point and Ticonderoga, when they were captured. Enlisted, again, April 10, 1762, resident of town, and served as private in Capt. James Sayard's company in the Province service in Canada; discharged, Nov. 19, 1762.

He belonged to the second company of town militia, April 20, 1757.

Married Hannah Loller, July 30, 1752, at Kittery. Lived in the First Parish in 1760. Died before Feb. 7, 1785.

**SMITH, JACOB**, *Private.*

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. *Died in service April 8, 1776, of fever.*

**SMITH, JACOB**, 2D, *Private.*

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years, or the war, for the town, and a resident; served as private in Capt. S. Burbank's company in the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, until July 7, 1777, when he was taken a prisoner, by Burgoyne's army.

Pensioned, April 3, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service as private in the Massachusetts Line, dropped in 1820, but restored from June 24, 1823, and on roll in 1834, age seventy-three years. Residence in York County.

**SMITH, JOHN**, *Private.*

Enlisted in June, 1778, for nine months, and served in Capt. Josiah Jenkins' company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was at West Point, N. Y., and in skirmishes; discharged, March 14, 1779, at West Point. Enlisted, April 1, 1779, and served as private in Capt. G. Smith's company of the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry in General Glover's brigade under Gen. Wm. Heath, on east side of the Hudson River in New York State, taking the place of Samuel Smith, hereafter mentioned; discharged, Dec. 31, 1779. Enlisted, Aug. 2, 1780, for six months for the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Remick's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts and First Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was discharged from this company and the last mentioned regiment, Feb. 2, 1781; service on Hudson River, in New York State.

Pensioned in 1818, when he was living in Buxton, Me., fifty-eight years old; also in 1820, with wife Elizabeth, fifty-five years old, and several children; was pensioned for the nine months' service, in the Twelfth Regiment. Was a resident of Hollis, Me., in 1835, age, seventy-five years, a pensioner, and said he was discharged from the First Massachusetts, in January, 1781.

**SMITH, LEMUEL**, *Corporal.*

Enlisted, May 7, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth

Continental Infantry. Re-enlisted again Jan. 1, 1777, for the war, and served as private and Corporal of Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, where he served until Jan. 1, 1781, when he was transferred to Capt. A. Williams' company of the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry.

**SMITH, SAMUEL, Sergeant.**

Enlisted in July, 1775, and served as Sergeant in Capt. Noah M. Littlefield's company of Coast Guards, Massachusetts State Troops, on the coast of Wells and Arundel, but was at Kittery part of time to defend it and build fortifications. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Born at Kittery, March 29, 1749, son of Charles and Rebecca Smith, of Kittery. Moved to Kennebunk about 1775, and lived there ever after. Pensioned from March 4, 1831, at thirty dollars per year for above service; residence, Kennebunk. Living in York County in 1834, aged eighty-five years.

**SMITH, SAMUEL, 2D, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years, for the town and a resident, and served as a private in Capt. George Smith's company of the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry until April 1, 1779, when John Smith, before mentioned, took his place and served the remainder of his enlistment. This regiment was in Brig. Gen. John Glover's brigade (Fourth Massachusetts), and served under Washington around New York, until July, 1777, then marched to Saratoga to reinforce General Schuyler's army, and served under him and General Gates until Burgoyne's army was captured, then joined Washington's army at Philadelphia and Valley Forge, winter of 1777-78. Was in battle of Monmouth, then went to Rhode Island, in July, 1778, under General Sullivan, and took part in the campaign there, then to New York.

**SMITH, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, June 1, 1778, for nine months' service in the Continental Army for the town and a resident; was seventeen years old, five feet five inches tall, and belonged to the fourth company of town militia; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Enlisted or drafted, April 29, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's

company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 5, 1780.

Lived in upper part of Second Parish in 1782 and 1786. Married Sarah Morrill, Feb. 11, 1784, at Kittery, and both were residents. Living in Eliot, July 4, 1820, aged sixty-six years, wife, Eunice, forty-six years old. Owned no land. A pensioner of Eliot, commenced April 1, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year for service as private in the Massachusetts Line, and it was continued until his death, in April, 1828, in York County, aged seventy-four years.

**SPINNEY, CALEB**, Corporal and Sergeant.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as Corporal of Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops, residence Kittery. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted in summer of 1776 for one year; served as Sergeant in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan June 4, 1777, and Sept. 23, 1777. Enlisted for another year in the same company, and served as Sergeant, and was honorably discharged in summer of 1778.

He was First Sergeant of the third company of town militia June 23, 1779. Was promoted to Second Lieutenant July 1, 1781, of same company; commissioned Captain Sept. 3, 1790, of same company, and remained its Captain until 1807.

Born, April 30, 1755, at Kittery, son of Nicholas and Alice Spinney. Married, first, Margery Mendom, Oct. 31, 1780, at Kittery, and both were residents. Married, second, Margery Manson, March 20, 1784, both were residents. Married, third, Abigail Spinney, Nov. 29, 1786, at Kittery. He was a farmer and storekeeper, and lived near the bridge to Portsmouth. Pensioned Nov. 29, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for Sergeant in the New Hampshire Line, but it was suspended in 1820. Was pensioned again, March 4, 1831, at \$97.60 a year, for service as Corporal and Sergeant in Massachusetts State service. Was on roll in 1834, living in York County. Died at Kittery, and was buried near the Portsmouth bridge.

**SPINNEY, GEORGE**, Corporal and Carpenter.

Enlisted, July 2, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Foot regiment, of the Colonies. In company Nov. 28, 1775, at camp No. 1, Cambridge, and re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as Corporal under the same Captain, in the Eighteenth Continental



Infantry. Was in the company Dec. 9, 1776, at Fort George, N. Y. (sick in General Hospital). Enlisted, June 20, 1777, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, at Portsmouth, for one year, resident of the town, five feet four and one half inches tall, dark complexion, of American birth, and served in the carpenter's crew, at eight dollars per month. Was on her Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France.

Married Anna Libby Aug. 6, 1788, at Kittery; both were residents.

SPINNEY, REUBEN, Private.

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, resident of the town, served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in the company Nov. 28, 1775, at Camp No. 1, Cambridge, Mass.

STACY, WILLIAM, Private.

Enlisted, May 21, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was in company, Dec. 8, 1776, at Fort George, and honorably discharged at Albany, N. Y., on Dec. 31, 1776. Enlisted again, in February, 1777, and served in Capt. E. Daniel's company, of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan June 4, 1777, and Sept. 23, 1777. Soon after, he enlisted on the Continental ship of war "Ranger," eighteen guns, at Kittery, Capt. John Paul Jones, and was on her when she sailed from Kittery, Nov. 1, 1777, and in the fight with the British war vessel "Drake," resulting in the "Drake's" capture, and returned to Kittery in her in October, 1778, and was honorably discharged. He, of York, in 1819, gave the above record of his services, and also said he enlisted on the "Ranger" again in April, 1779, and served about six months; was discharged, at Boston, in fall of 1779.

Baptized, Sept. 10, 1758, in the Second Parish, son of William Stacy, and was living in upper part of the Second Parish in 1782. Married Hannah Frost, Nov. 24, 1785, at Kittery; both were residents. Pensioned April 17, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service as a mariner on the "Ranger." Living at York, Me., July 4, 1820, age, sixty-five years, a mariner, with wife, Hannah, aged sixty-two years, and owned a house. He was dropped from the roll in 1820, but restored again May 29, 1823. He was buried in the village church yard at York.

## STACY, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, and resident of the town, served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company, of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment, of the Colonies. Was in company Nov. 28, 1775. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775, at Cambridge. Enlisted, Jan. 11, 1776, resident of town, twenty years old, and served as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan March 18, 1776. Enlisted or drafted in July, 1776, a resident, and marched from the town on July 22, as a private in Capt. J. Goodwin's company, of Col. E. Wigglesworth's regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y. Enlisted again in 1777, in Captain Daniel's company, above, and was at Fort Sullivan June 4, 1777. He said, in 1818, residence Kittery, that he served three years with Captain Daniel in the forts, and was discharged in the summer of 1779. He probably was on a privateer after this, as he was a prisoner at New York, and lost a leg there.

Son of Ichabod Stacy, of Kittery. Married Eunice Leighton Nov. 26, 1778, at Kittery, both residents. Living in upper part of the Second Parish in 1782 and 1786. Pensioned, April 1, 1818, of Kittery, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service as private in New Hampshire Line. Living at Eliot in 1820, aged sixty-six years, with wife Eunice. On the roll in 1834, aged eighty years, living in York County. Died March 16, 1838. Widow Eunice a pensioner in 1840, from his death, aged eighty years, living at Eliot, also in 1843.

## STANLEY, JAMES, Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, with Lieut. Wm. Frost; served as private in Capt. S. Wild's company, of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was on command Dec. 8, 1776, as Artificer, at Ticonderoga. Honorably discharged Dec. 31, 1776, there.

Married Sarah Jellison Nov. 4, 1784, at Berwick, and both were residents of Berwick. Pensioned, May 11, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for the above service. Residence, South Berwick on July 4, 1820, aged seventy-one years, a farmer, and owned a farm; wife Sally aged sixty years. Pension revoked in 1820.

## STANLEY, JOHN, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge.

Born, Sept. 26, 1743, at Kittery, son of William and Mary Stanley of Kittery. Lived in upper part of Second Parish in 1760.

**STANLEY, MARK, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 9, 1776, resident of the town, served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged about Nov. 30, 1776. Enlisted or drafted about Aug. 14, 1777, and served as private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Queman's Heights, N. Y. Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1780, and served as private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 22, 1780.

Married Mary Brown, Jan. 7, 1782, at Kittery; both were residents.

**STAPLES, DAVID.**

Enlisted, service with New Hampshire State Troops; was in one of the forts on the Piscataqua River, June 14, 1779.

Resident of the lower part of the Second Parish in 1760. David, Jr., married Molly Staples, Nov. 22, 1787, at Kittery, both residents. Ancestor of T. Frank Staples and F. Alphonso Staples, of Eliot.

**STAPLES, EDWARD, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 13, 1776, for one year, resident of the town, aged eighteen years, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12, and March 18, 1776; served one year. Name was on a list of Kittery's three-year men in 1778. Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as a private in Capt. T. Cutts' company of Major D. Littlefield's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Sept. 10, 1779.

Marriage intentions to Anna Paul, published Oct. 10, 1779, at Kittery, both residents.

Pensioned, April 1, 1818, residence, Eliot, at ninety-six dollars a year for service as a private as above in New Hampshire Line. Sixty-one years old in 1819, of Eliot. Had son, Edward, twenty years old, daughters, Emmeline, nineteen years old, and Jane, fourteen years old, in 1820. A pensioner about 1834; resident of York County's Died, Dec. 30, 1837.

**STAPLES, HEZEKIAH, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, Jan. 9, 1776, a resident and forty-two years old; served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New

Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, July 22, 1776, resident of town, and served as Sergeant of Capt. J. Goodwin's company in Col. E. Wigglesworth's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as Sergeant of Capt. E. Shapleigh's company in Col. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Quemans Heights, N. Y.

Hezekiah, Jr., of York, marriage intentions published at Kittery July 5, 1755, to Mary Paul of Kittery. He married her and lived at Kittery from 1757 to 1777, and longer.

#### STAPLES, ISAAC, Private.

Enlisted, May 22, 1775, a resident, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company Nov. 28, 1775, at Camp, No. 1. Enlisted in 1776, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Sullivan in July and August, 1776.

Marriage intentions to Sarah Lydston, published at Kittery, Sept. 15, 1776; both were residents.

#### STAPLES, JAMES, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 9, 1776, a resident; served as private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of Col. E. Francis' regiment, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged about Nov. 30, 1776. Enlisted, service in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

#### STAPLES, JOHN, Private, probably.

Enlisted or drafted in July, 1780, for six months' service, in the Continental Army for the town; a resident, eighteen years old, five feet nine inches tall, light complexion, and arrived at Springfield, Mass., Aug. 1, 1780; discharged, Dec. 15, 1780.

#### STAPLES, JOSEPH, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, July 10, 1779, and served as private in Capt. D. Cutts' company of Major D. Littlefield's battalion, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Sept. 10, 1779.

Probably the Joseph, born Aug. 16, 1763, at Kittery, son of Hezekiah and Mary Staples before mentioned.

**STAPLES, JOTHAM, Mariner.**

Enlisted, July 14, 1777, for the cruise, as ordinary seaman, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson; was five feet five inches tall, brown hair, an American, residence Penobscot. Was not on her Jan. 22, 1778.

Married Mary Stevens, June 22, 1778, at Kittery, and both were residents of the town.

**STAPLES, MARK, Mariner and Private.**

Enlisted in September, 1777, on the Continental warship "Ranger," Capt. J. Paul Jones, at Kittery, and served on her as able seaman, in her first cruise to Europe, and was transferred to her prize (brig "Patience") same as Reuben Hanscom, before mentioned, and was discharged at the same time, as he was at Portsmouth in October, 1778. Was severely wounded in action with the "Drake." Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 22, 1779, for nine months, for the town, in the Continental Army; was eighteen years old, five feet six inches tall, dark complexion, and belonged to the first company of town militia. Served in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Discharged May 22, 1780.

Born at Kittery, and lived there until marriage to Sarah Rackley, of Newmarket, N. H., on Sept. 17, 1787, at Kittery, after which he lived at Portsmouth, and moved to Newmarket about 1791, where he lived until he was pensioned. Pensioned May 15, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service as mariner in the Continental Navy. Living in Stratham, N. H., in 1820, aged fifty-nine years. Died April 3, 1830, in Newmarket, Rockingham County, N. H., a pensioner. His widow Susan was pensioned in 1838, at Newmarket, and was living there in 1850, aged eighty years.

**STAPLES, NATHANIEL, Private and Sailor.**

Enlisted, May 12, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot regiment of the Colonies. Was in the company at Cambridge Nov. 28, 1775. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer brig "Dalton," Capt. E. Johnson. She sailed from Kittery on Nov. 26, 1776, and was captured on Dec. 24, 1776, by the British warship "Reasonable." He was taken to England, and confined in the Mill Prison, at Plymouth, in June, 1777; was exchanged in March, 1779, and arrived back in the town in August, 1780.

Married Elizabeth Leighton April 4, 1782, at Kittery ; both were residents.

STAPLES, SAMUEL, Private.

Enlisted, May 27, 1778, and served as a private in Capt. T. Hodgson's company of Col. T. Poor's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops ; discharged, Feb. 12, 1779.

Belonged to the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779.

STAPLES, SIMON.

Enlisted, service in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattresses, New Hampshire State Troops ; was at Fort Sullivan, Sept. 22, 1777. Enlisted on the Continental frigate "Ranger," Captain Jones, after this date, and was on her in France, in December, 1777.

STAPLES, SOLOMON, Private.

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town ; served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies ; was in company at Camp No. 1, Cambridge, Nov. 28, 1775.

Married Ruth Staples, July 13, 1792, at Kittery.

**STAPLES, THOMAS**, *Private and Coxswain.*

Enlisted in 1777, as Coxswain on the Continental warship "Ranger," Capt. J. Paul Jones, at Kittery, and served on her the first cruise to Europe ; was transferred to her prize, the brig "Patience," same as Reuben Hanscom, before mentioned, and was probably discharged at same time he was. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 22, 1779, for nine months' service, for the town, and a resident, eighteen years old ; five feet six inches tall, dark complexion, and belonged to the first company of town militia ; served in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry ; discharged, May 22, 1780. Enlisted, Feb. 16, 1781, for three years probably, and served in Captain Lunt's company of the Tenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, until Nov. 14, 1782, *when he died in the service.*

STAPLES, WILLIAM, Private.

Enlisted in December, 1776, for three months, and served as a private in Capt. W. Holbrook's company of Col. John Frost's regiment of Infantry, Massachusetts State Troops ; discharged in March, 1777. Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1777, for eight months for the town ; marched

to Boston, and in Fort No. 2 at Cambridge for a few days, then marched to Albany, N. Y., and joined Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Infantry, and served until May 1, 1778, then discharged as private; did not join Donnel's company until late in October, 1777. Enlisted in July, 1780, for six months' service for the town; and a resident, twenty-one years old, six feet one inch tall, ruddy complexion; discharged, Dec. 15, 1780; marched to Boston, then to West Point, where he joined Captain Hitchcock's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Infantry, as a private.

Born in the town in 1758. Marriage intentions published, Sept. 19, 1784, at Kittery, to Anna Lydston, both residents. Married Eadey Stevens, Sept. 8, 1785, at Kittery, both residents. Pensioned, March 4, 1831, at fifty-six dollars and sixty-six cents a year for service as private in Massachusetts State service. Living in York County in 1834, in Eliot, aged seventy-six years, a pensioner, and always lived in that part of the town now Eliot.

STEVENS, EDMUND, Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 15, 1777, for three years for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Captains D. Wheelright's and T. Francis' company in the Eleventh Massachusetts Continental Infantry. In service with the regiment at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778. Discharged, Jan. 15, 1780.

Married Lydia Holbrook, March 8, 1764, at Kittery.

STEVENS, EDWARD, Private (probably).

Enlisted, service for the war. Born, at Kittery, and a resident. Was in the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry, June 1, 1780, when he deserted; was then twenty-five years old, five feet seven inches tall, light hair and complexion.

STEVENS, JOHN, Carpenter and Private.

Enlisted service, was in Capt. Wm. Deering's company of Carpenters at Kittery, Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted, Nov. 28, 1775, in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775. Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Nov. 13, 1776.

Also enlisted, April 10, 1758, and served as a private in Capt. James Gowen's company of Col. Jed. Preble's regiment of Massachusetts troops in the King's service, under General Abercrombie, in

the campaign against the French on Lakes George and Champlain; was then a resident of the town. Was discharged, Oct. 21, 1758.

Belonged to the second company of town militia, April 20, 1757.

**STEVENS, JOHN, JR., Private.**

Enlisted, April 23, 1780, as a Mattross in Capt. E. Deering's company, of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; served nine months at Fort Washington, and was discharged in December, 1780. Also, enlisted again, in April, 1781, in same company, and served nine months at Fort Sullivan; and was in the company at one of the forts (Sullivan or Washington), June 25, 1781; was discharged in December, 1781.

Said he was born in 1758, at Kittery.

John, Jr., married Jane Seavey, July 17, 1782, at Kittery, both residents. John, Jr., married, second, Miriam Lillis, May 8, 1790, at Kittery. Pensioned, March 4, 1831, at sixty dollars a year, for services as private in New Hampshire State Service. A resident of Kittery, York County, in 1834, aged seventy-six years. The only soldier pensioner living at Kittery in 1840; aged eighty-two years. Residence on Crocket Neck at the Point.

**STEVENS, MOSES, Marine and Private.**

Enlisted, Feb. 4, 1777, as a marine on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson; was a resident of the town; five feet nine and one half inches tall, brown complexion, an American. Did not stay on her long. Enlisted, Feb. 17, 1777, for three years, for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; discharged, Feb. 17, 1780. His family was furnished with supplies by the town, during his service.

Married Catharine Leach, April 8, 1777, at Kittery, both were residents.

**STEVENS, WILLIAM, Cook.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Aug. 5, 1776, as a carpenter on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson, at eight dollars a month, was five feet seven inches tall, dark complexion, and an American. Enlisted again, Feb. 1, 1777, on same ship, as cook, at



nine dollars a month; residence, Kittery, and same description as before, and was on her as cook, Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France.

Belonged to the Third Foot Company of town militia, April 12, 1757.

Resident of the First Parish, in 1760.

**STEVENS, WILLIAM, JR., Private.**

Enlisted in 1776, for one year, resident of the town, served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, at Portsmouth, N. H.; was in company, Sept. 2, 1776, to Jan. 30, 1777, when he was put on the frigate "Raleigh," for refusing to march to Ticonderoga, with his company, but was soon discharged; was five feet six inches tall, and of light complexion. Enlisted, Feb. 13, 1777, for three years, for the town and a resident; served as a private in Captains S. Darby's and J. Alden's companies of the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778. Re-enlisted in December, 1779, for the war, and served as private in Capt. Adam Bailey's company of same regiment, in 1780, and was in same company on Jan. 1, 1781, when he was five feet eight inches tall, with light complexion and hair, and was twenty-four years old.

**TOBEY, PETER, Private and Seaman.**

Enlisted, Nov. 25, 1775, as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattresses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775. Enlisted, July 29, 1776, as a seaman at eight dollars per month on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson. Was five feet five and one half inches tall, dark complexion, an American. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton"; was captured on her, taken to Mill Prison in June, 1777, where he remained until March 15, 1779, when he was exchanged to France. A resident of Kittery.

Marriage intentions of Peter Tobey, of Kittery, to Lucy Booker, of York, published at Kittery, March 17, 1818.

**TOBEY, SIMON, Private.**

Enlisted in 1775, and was in Capt. R. Follett's company of Artillery, Nov. 5, 1775, at Kittery Point. Enlisted again, Nov. 27, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattresses; was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775.

**TOBEY, WILLIAM,** *Privateersman.*

*Died on board a privateer.* Son of Samuel and Mary (Spinney) Tobey, of Kittery. Married Hannah Remick, May 8, 1777, at Kittery, and both were residents.

**TODD, JOHN,** Seaman.

Enlisted, service in the Continental Navy; was a seaman on the Continental frigate "Dean," thirty-two guns, Capt. S. Nicholson; enlisted about June, 1779, at Kittery and joined the "Dean" at Boston; went on a cruise, or cruises, and was discharged at Boston about May, 1780.

Baptized, Feb. 15, 1761, in First Parish, son of Nathaniel Todd. Married Sarah Webber, April 28, 1789, both of Kittery.

A pensioner, July 4, 1820, age sixty years, with wife, Sally, age sixty years, daughter, Jerusha, age twenty years, son John, age seventeen years, living in the town near the residence of Benjamin Keen, in the house now owned by John Ryan. Died, Dec. 12, 1835, at Kittery, aged seventy-three years, and his gravestone is in a field owned by the above Keen. He also served in the British navy.

**TODD, NATHANIEL,** Carpenter.

Enlisted service in Capt. R. Follett's company of Artillery, also in Capt. William Deering's company of Carpenters on the Piscataqua River. His name on rolls of both companies, Nov. 5, 1775. Living in the First Parish in 1760.

**TODD, SAMUEL,** *Private.*

Enlisted, Sept. 20, 1776, for one year, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. A. Perkins' company of Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops, at New Castle, N. H., until February, 1777, when he refused to march to Ticonderoga with his company. Enlisted, Feb. 28, 1777, for the war, for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, *until Oct. 7, 1777, when he was killed in the second battle of Stillwater, N. Y.*

**TODD, WILLIAM,** Private and Carpenter.

Enlisted in 1775, and served in Capt. W. Deering's company of Carpenters, on the Piscataqua River; in company Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted, Sept. 1, 1776, and served as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1776. Enlisted, June 27, 1779, and served as Carpenter's Mate of the

Massachusetts State ship "Vengeance," Capt. Thomas Thomas, on the Penobscot expedition. Discharged Aug. 27, 1779.

Living in the town in 1781, 1784, and 1787.

**TOWARD, DANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted, May 24, 1775, a resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. W. Stuart's company of the Thirty-first Regiment of Foot, of the Colonies; service around Boston; was in company at Cambridge Oct. 26, 1775. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776; served as private with the same captain in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry until his death, April 17, 1776; then with Capt. J. Sawyer, of the same regiment. Was on command at Albany, N. Y., Dec. 8, 1776, attending the sick. Re-engaged, Nov. 17, to serve three years in the army, for the town, from Jan. 1, 1777, and served as private in Captains J. Jenkins' and H. Sewall's companies, in the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Honorably discharged Dec. 31, 1779.

He belonged to the first company of town militia March 15, 1757. Lived in lower part of the Second Parish in 1760.

**TOWARD, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 27, 1778, for eight months' service, and served as a private in Capt. T. Hodgsdon's company in Col. T. Poor's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Jan. 29, 1779. Enlisted or drafted in June, 1779, for nine months' service in the Continental Army for the town; was eighteen years old, five feet four inches tall, and light complexion; belonged to the fifth company of town militia; was delivered at Springfield, Mass., Aug. 23, and was to serve nine months from that time; probably joined as a private Capt. J. Edes' company in the Ninth Massachusetts Continental Infantry, as he was in this regiment all the year, 1780; service around New York City on Hudson River, and re-enlisted for the war, during that year; was in same regiment, Jan. 28, 1781, when he was nineteen years old, five feet seven inches tall; light complexion, dark hair; served in same regiment during 1781 and 1782, and belonged to the Light Company; service in Virginia in 1781, under General Lafayette; was at capture of Yorktown, Va.; was transferred in December, 1782, to the Third Massachusetts Continental Infantry, where he served until June, 1783, when he was honorably discharged by General Washington, who stated in his discharge, that he had served the United States faithfully for four years and one month.

**TOWNSEND, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted, Sept. 4, 1777, for three years, or the war, for the town; residence, Georgetown or Vassalboro, Me.; served as private in Capt. N. Blaisdell's company of the Thirteenth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. This regiment was in General Glover's brigade (Fourth Massachusetts Brigade); served around New York, until July, 1777, then joined the army at Saratoga, under General Schuyler and Gates, in campaign against Burgoyne's Army, until the surrender of his army, then marched to Philadelphia and joined Washington's army, in December, 1777. Was in company, Feb. 5, 1778, at *Valley Forge*, where he died March 16, 1778.

**TREFETHEN, GEORGE, Private.**

Enlisted, Nov. 3, 1775, as private in Captain Turner's company of Field Artillery of New Hampshire State Troops, was at Portsmouth, Nov. 5, 1775, Dec. 1, 1775, and Feb. 22, 1776. Was in Capt. E. Deering's company at same place Sept. 2, 1776, and deserted Nov. 18, 1776. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton," at Kittery, was captured on her and taken to Mill Prison, England, where he remained until March 15, 1779, when he was exchanged and enlisted on the frigate "Richard," Capt. Paul Jones, as a seaman; was in the battle with the "Serapis," Sept. 23, 1779, was wounded in the fight, but for some reason did not receive any prize money, probably on account of a meeting on the "Alliance," to which vessel many of the "Richard's" crew were transferred after the battle.

**TRIBE, RICHARD, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1775.

Marriage intentions to Elizabeth Gage, of Dover, published Jan. 3, 1778, at Kittery, where he lived.

**TRIBE, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, and served as private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops; was in company Aug. 31, 1776.

Born, Dec. 24, 1749, at Kittery, a brother to Capt. Silvanus Tribe, before mentioned.

**TROTT, JOHN, Private.**

Enlisted in 1776, residence in the town; as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, but was not mustered March 22, 1776. Enlisted or drafted in December, 1776, for three months' service, for the town; served as a private in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company, of Col. J. Frost's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Was put on roll of this company as having deserted Jan. 27, 1777; but he enlisted in February, 1777, for three years or the war, for the town, also a resident, and joined Capt. J. Donnel's company, of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was reported on a roll of the company of Jan. 22, 1778, as having been taken by the civil magistrate, before this date.

**TUTHERLY, WILLIAM, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, July 1, 1778, for six months; served as a private in Capt. S. Brown's company, of Col. N. Wade's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1778.

There were three men of this name living in the Second Parish in 1776 and 1782.

**TWEED, SAMUEL, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. He was also reported Nov. 5, 1775, as belonging to Capt. R. Follett's company of Artillery. Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Sept. 1, 1776, and enlisted Sept. 2, as a private in Capt. E. Deering's Field Artillery company, at Portsmouth, N. H., and was in the company to February, 1777, when he refused to march to Ticonderoga with his company.

Living in First Parish on April 26, 1779, as a Tweed, had a daughter baptized there.

**VAUGHN, DANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted in July, 1776, resident of the town, marched July 22, 1776, from town, as a private in Capt. J. Goodwin's company of Col. E. Wigglesworth's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Nov. 30, 1776, at Albany, N. Y. Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years, for the town, and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts

Continental Regiment; was in company, at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778. *Died, March 14, 1778.*

Probably a son of Michael and Elizabeth (Gray) Vaughn, both residents, whose marriage intentions were published at Kittery, Aug. 29, 1747.

VINCENT, JONATHAN, Carpenter.

Enlisted in 1775, in Capt. Wm. Deering's company of Carpenters on the Piscataqua River; was in company on Nov. 5, 1775. Enlisted service as a private in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Washington, May 26, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777.

He belonged to the second company of town militia, April 23, 1757, and was living in the First Parish, in 1760.

Married Margery Bray, June 11, 1767, at Kittery.

VINCENT, THOMAS, Private, probably.

Enlisted, service in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, June 4, 1777, and Sept. 23, 1777.

WARREN, CHADBURN, Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1776.

Lived at Biddeford, June 19, 1781, when he married Hannah Hodgson, of Berwick, at Berwick. Lived at Berwick, Nov. 26, 1795, when he married Sally Knight of Berwick, at Berwick. Married Nancy Harvey, Nov. 18, 1813, at Berwick, both of same town.

WEBBER, EDWARD, Sergeant.

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as Sergeant in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, and served as private and Sergeant in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1776. Enlisted, Feb. 13, 1777, for three years or the war, for the town and a resident. Served as a private in Capt. J. Donnel's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry. Was reported on roll of Jan. 22, 1778, as sick at Pumpton. His family was supplied by the town in 1777 and 1778. Deserted, May 1, 1778. Lived in the First Parish in 1760.

**WEEKS, ABRAHAM, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; was in company Nov. 1, 1775. Enlisted in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, near Portsmouth, N. H., but did not pass muster March 22, 1776; abode at Kittery. Enlisted in July, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. J. Arnold's company of Col. J. Wingate's regiment, New Hampshire State Troops; service around Ticonderoga, in the Northern army. Probably discharged in December, 1776. Enlisted, Feb. 13, 1777, for three years, for the town, also a resident; served as a private in Captains S. Darby's and J. Alden's companies in the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry; with his company at Valley Forge, Jan. 25, 1778. Discharged, Jan. 21, 1780, from Capt. L. Bailey's company of same regiment. Enlisted in 1780, and served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan or Washington on April 18, 1780. Enlisted on the privateer ship "Franklin," Capt. Allen Hallet, and was on her June 20, 1781. Enlisted, April 10, 1782, for three years for the town, and received at Wells, Mass., ninety pounds, May 20, 1782, for so enlisting. Served as a private in companies of Captains M. Chambers and Benjamin Pike in the Sixth Massachusetts Continental Infantry to Jan. 1, 1783.

His family was supplied by the town, 1777 to 1780.

**WEEKS, ELIHU, Private.**

Enlisted, service as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops; on pay roll from Sept. 2, 1776, to Jan. 7, 1777; resident of the town. The company was attached to Col. P. Long's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops before this time. The regiment was ordered to Ticonderoga and he refused to march with it in February, 1777.

He belonged to the second company of the town's militia, April 20, 1757, and lived in the First Parish in 1760.

**WEEKS, JOHN, Corporal.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops; discharged, Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops; promoted to Corporal June 1, 1776, and was in company to Sept. 1, 1776.

Born, April 8, 1753, at Kittery; son of Joseph and Joanna Weeks. Married Arabella Deering, Nov. 30, 1777, at Kittery; both were residents. Lived in the First Parish in 1780.

**WEEKS, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted, Sept. 4, 1777, for three years for Marlboro, Mass.; residence, Kittery; served as a private in Col. David Henley's regiment in the Army; deserted, Jan. 13, 1778.

Belonged to the second company of town militia, April 20, 1757. Lived in the First Parish in 1760.

**WEEKS, MARK, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775.

His marriage intentions to Lucy Nowell, of York, published at Kittery, April 10, 1773, where he lived.

**WEEKS, PELETIAH, Corporal.**

Enlisted in 1775; served as Corporal in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was at Fort Washington Nov. 5, 1775, also Feb. 16, 1776. Mustered, March 22, 1776, as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, New Hampshire State Troops, abode Kittery, and thirty-four years old; stationed near Portsmouth, N. H.; was in company April 1, 1776. Enlisted, July 15, 1776, as a seaman on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson; was five feet ten inches tall, dark complexion, an American. Probably served on her one month. Enlisted again in August, 1776, in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan Sept. 22, 1777; served from August, 1776. Enlisted or drafted, April 6, 1778, and served in Capt. E. Preble's company of Col. J. Gerrish's regiment, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged July 3, 1778.

Living at Kittery in 1821, a shipwright, seventy-five years old. Pensioned, July 2, 1823, at ninety-six dollars a year, for services as private in the New Hampshire Line. Died, May 26, 1827, in York County, Me., aged eighty-one years.

**WEEKS, SAMUEL, Private.**

Enlisted in 1775, and served in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Washington,



Nov. 5, 1775, also on Feb. 16, 1776. Enlisted, Feb. 18, 1776, for one year; served as private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. Was sick in General Hospital, Dec. 8, 1776.

Baptized, Nov. 10, 1751, in the Third Parish, son of Samuel and Mary Weeks.

WEEKS, SAMUEL, JR., Private.

Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, for the year, and served as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776. Enlisted, Nov. 19, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company in Col. P. Long's Regiment, of New Hampshire State Troops. He lived in Kittery, and, in February, 1777, he refused to march to Ticonderoga with his regiment. Enlisted, June 14, 1777, for one year, as a seaman, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson; resident of the town; five feet ten and a half inches tall, light hair and complexion; an American; not on her Jan. 22, 1778.

Born, Dec. 9, 1756, at Kittery, son of Joseph and Joanna Weeks.

WELCH, DAVID, Private.

Enlisted, April 23, 1781, and served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops. Was in one of the forts on the river, June 25, 1781.

David, Jr., married Sarah Berry, Aug. 10, 1779, both of Kittery.

WELCH, THOMAS, Private.

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months' service, for the town and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, in Rhode Island.

WELCH, WILLIAM, Private.

Enlisted, May 8, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; resident of the town; was in company, Nov. 28, 1775, at Camp No. 1, Cambridge. Discharged, Dec. 31, 1775, and on Jan. 12, 1776, enlisted for one year, as private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was twenty-one years old and lived at Kittery; was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12, and his name was on the pay roll of March 18, 1776.

He said, in 1818, he served a year in this company and was discharged from Fort Sullivan; was living at Eliot, and sixty-five years old, a shipwright, and was pensioned for this New Hampshire service, in 1818.

Married Anna Remick, daughter of Ichabod Remick of Kittery, June 29, 1780, in the town; they lived in that part of the town now called South Eliot, near the No. 7 School-house; had four children. He died, July 27, 1832, at Eliot, and his gravestone is near the above house. His widow Anna was living at Portsmouth, N. H., in 1843, aged eighty-six years, with her daughter Louisa, wife of Phineas Taylor. She was pensioned from March 4, 1836. Died, Sept. 22, 1844.

#### WENTWORTH, ANDREW P., Private.

Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 10, 1779, for nine months' service in the Army, for the town of Pepperellboro (now Saco), from the time he arrived at Springfield, Mass. (Aug. 22, 1779); was eighteen years old, five feet three inches tall, and dark complexion; served in the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry, in Captain Derby's company.

He was born at Kittery Dec. 2, 1761, son of Capt. John Wentworth, before mentioned, and Hannah Fernald, his wife, and married Sally Weeks Jan. 19, 1793, at Kittery. She was the daughter of Lieut. Nicholas Weeks, before mentioned. Pensioned, Nov. 29, 1818, of Kittery, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service as a private in the Massachusetts Line, but it was suspended in 1820, when he was sixty years old. He died June 25, 1823, at Kittery, and his remains lie on the farm now owned by his grandson, John Wentworth, of Kittery, where he also lived. He was the grandfather of Gen. Mark F. Wentworth, in the civil war, 1861 to 1865, also of Kittery.

#### WHERREN, WILLIAM, Private.

Enlisted, May 8, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot regiment of the Colonies; was in the company Nov. 28, 1775, at Fort No. 1, Cambridge. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served in the same Captain's company, as a private, in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; was with company at Fort George Dec. 8, 1776.

Married Peggy Paul, at Kittery, Feb. 22, 1781, both residents. He died March 31, 1816. Peggy Wherren was a pensioner in 1840,

living at Eliot, aged seventy-nine years. She was living in Newington, N. H., on Sept. 14, 1848, aged eighty-eight years; had moved from Eliot three years before.

### **WHITELOCK, JOHN, Corporal.**

Enlisted, May 5, 1775, resident of town, and served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in company Oct. 28, 1775, at Cambridge, Mass. Enlisted in 1776 in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Washington, Feb. 17, 1776. Enlisted, Aug. 13, 1776, as a Corporal of Marines, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson; he was five feet nine inches tall, and received seven and two thirds dollars per month wages. Enlisted in May, 1777, as a substitute for Robert Gunnison of Kittery, and served as a Corporal of Capt. S. Grant's company in Col. J. Titcomb's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops for two months in Rhode Island.

Married Mary Pray, Oct. 2, 1776. Lived at the Lower Foreside, so called, near the Austin house. She was living at Portsmouth, N. H., in 1836. Said she was eighty-one years old, and was married at Kittery; that he served a year with Captain Salter, and she thought also a year at Fort Sullivan, both terms after 1777. He enlisted on a privateer in May, 1780; was captured and *died on the prison ship "Jersey" at New York in January, 1781.* He had a daughter named Sarah Keating Cozine in 1838.

### **WILLEY, STEPHEN, Private.**

Enlisted, Nov. 28, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775.

### **WILLEY, WINTHROP, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 11, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company above; was thirty years old and his abode was at Kittery; was at Fort Sullivan, Feb. 12 and March 18, 1776. He also enlisted later in war for the town of Seabrook, N. H. Enlisted in November, 1776, on the privateer "Dalton"; was captured on her and taken to England, and confined in June, 1777, in Mill Prison, until March 15, 1779, when he was exchanged to France.

Was a resident of the town. He was sick with a fever when he left the cartel, April 3, 1779, in France.

**WILLIAM (a Negro).**

Enlisted in 1775, in Capt. R. Follett's company of Artillery ; was at Kittery Point, Nov. 5, 1775.

**WILLIAMS, AMOS, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, Nov. 13, 1775, for one year, in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops ; was Sergeant of the company, Dec. 2, 1775, at Fort Sullivan. Transferred to and was in Capt. T. Salter's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Washington, Feb. 17, 1776 ; served the balance of his time in company, as Sergeant. Enlisted or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company of Col. J. Storer's regiment of Massachusetts State Troops ; left service, Oct. 23, 1777.

Baptized, Aug. 26, 1756, in the First Parish of the town, son of Paul Williams. Married Hannah Garland, April 14, 1776, at Kittery ; both were residents. Resident of the town in 1781. Pensioned, April 1, 1818, of Kittery, "sixty years old, at ninety-six dollars a year, for service as private in New Hampshire Line. Wife, Hannah, sixty-five years old, in 1820. He died, Jan. 7, 1825, in York County, aged sixty-nine years.

**WILLIAMS, JOHN, Sergeant.**

Enlisted in 1775, and served as gunner in Capt. T. Salter's company of New Hampshire State Troops ; was at Fort Washington, Nov. 5, 1775 ; Feb. 16, 1776 ; Aug. 1, 1776 ; also May 26, 1777, and Sept. 22, 1777. He also enlisted, Aug. 13, 1776, as Sergeant of Marines, on the Continental frigate "Raleigh," Capt. T. Thompson ; received eight dollars per month, was of dark complexion, an American.

**WILLIAMS, RICHARD, Mate.**

Enlisted, service as a seaman on the Continental frigate "Bon Homme Richard," Capt. Paul Jones ; was in the fight with the "Serapis," Sept. 23, 1779, and was wounded, but for some reason got no prize money. Was master's mate of the privateer "Dean," Capt. Elisha Hinman ; she belonged in Massachusetts ; he was on her at Boston in November, 1780, when he was twenty-seven years old ; and of light complexion.

**WILSON, AARON.**

Enlisted in Capt. Wm. Holbrook's company of Col. John Frost's Regiment of Massachusetts State Troops, in December, 1776, served to March, 1777, and was discharged.

Born, Aug. 12, 1747, at Kittery, son of Moses and Elizabeth Wilson. Marriage intentions published at Kittery, April 13, 1776, to Betty Hutchings; both were residents of the town. Married May 18, 1776. She was living at Kittery in 1837, and said she was seventy-eight years old; that her husband, Aaron, was in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company and Capt. P. Hubbard's company, at Kittery Point, and that he also served eighteen months in Capt. E. Daniel's company of New Hampshire State Troops, at Fort Sullivan, in the town, in 1777 and 1778. She said he died July 17, 1825. She was pensioned from May 7, 1838.

**WILSON, DANIEL, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1777, for two months, for the town, and a resident. Served as a private in Capt. S. Grant's company of Col. J. Titcomb's Regiment of Massachusetts State Troops in Rhode Island.

Baptized, Aug. 30, 1751, in the Third Parish, son of William and Edie Wilson.

**WILSON, ELIHU, Sergeant.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a Corporal of Capt. J. Shapleigh's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, March 1, 1776, as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company, Massachusetts State Troops. Promoted to Corporal, June 1, 1776. Discharged Nov. 13, 1776. Also enlisted in Capt. E. Deering's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was in one of the forts on the river, June 14, 1779, April 18, 1780, April 10, 1781, when he was a Sergeant, also June 25, 1781.

Born, Aug. 26, 1745, at Kittery, a brother to Aaron above. Marriage intentions to Joanna Mitchel, published May 2, 1766, at Kittery; both were residents. Marriage intentions to Hanuah Weeks, published Sept. 25, 1776, at Kittery; both were residents.

**WILSON, JOSEPH, Private.**

Enlisted, July 10, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. J. Shapleigh's company of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Dec. 31, 1775. Enlisted, Jan. 17, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. P. Hubbard's company of Massachusetts State Troops. His name on roll of company Sept. 1, 1776. Enlisted, Sept. 2, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. E. Deering's company of Field Artillery, of New Hampshire State Troops, near Portsmouth. Was

in company Dec. 7, 1776, also on Jan. 7, 1777. Enlisted again in 1777, in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops, and was at Fort Sullivan Sept. 23, 1777. He was also in one of the forts on the river June 14, 1779. He was living at Cornish, Me., in 1818, and said he served three years with Captain Daniel in the forts, summer of 1776 to 1779.

Born April 29, 1749, at Kittery, a brother to Elihu and Aaron, before mentioned. Marriage intentions to Sarah Hammons published March 30, 1772, at Kittery, both residents. Lived in the Third Parish in 1780. Pensioned, May 16, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, and it was continued July 4, 1820, when he was living at Cornish, Me., aged seventy-one years, a farmer, with wife Sally, aged seventy-one years. He died July 22, 1823, aged seventy-four years.

**WILSON, MICHAEL, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 4, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged Nov. 22, 1780.

**WILSON, MOSES, Private.**

Enlisted or drafted, May 7, 1780, and served as a private in Capt. T. Bragdon's company of Lieut.-Col. J. Prime's battalion of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Dec. 24, 1780.

**WILSON, MOSES, Jr., Private.**

Enlisted, May 14, 1775, resident of the town, and served as a private in Capt. T. Fernald's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies. Re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1776, for one year, and served as a private with same captain in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry. *Died in service Oct. 31, 1776.*

Born, June 19, 1751, at Kittery, son of Joseph, Jr., and Mary Wilson. Marriage intentions to Abigail Cavinea, published March 9, 1774, at Kittery; both were residents.

**WILSON, RICHARD, JR., Private.**

Enlisted, Oct. 26, 1775, on the brig "Polly," Capt. J. Mills of the New Hampshire State Navy, stationed at Portsmouth. Discharged Nov. 23, 1775. Enlisted, Nov. 22, 1775, and served as a private in Capt. E. Daniel's company of Mattrosses, New Hampshire State Troops; was at Fort Sullivan, Dec. 2, 1775, also in March, 1776.

Married Polly Fernald, July 16, 1791, at Kittery; both were residents.

WINKLEY, JOHN, Carpenter.

Enlisted in 1775, in Capt. William Deering's company of Carpenters, on the river, and his name was on roll of said company, Nov. 5, 1775.

His name on the alarm list of the third company of town militia, June 23, 1779; also Oct. 20, 1785. Lived in the First Parish in 1760, and in the town in 1781.

WITHAM, ELIJAH, Private.

Enlisted, Dec. 15, 1775, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry; was in company, Dec. 8, 1776, at Fort George, N. Y., and discharged there Dec. 31, 1776; was in skirmish at Lechmere Point, Cambridge, and with Indians near Lake George.

Married Mehitabel Horne Jan. 10, 1788, at Dover, N. H. He was pensioned April 4, 1818, and was then living at Rochester, N. H., and was sixty-two years old. Died Nov. 11, 1825, at Rochester. His widow Mehitabel was living in 1838, at Rochester, eighty-two years old. She said he belonged to and enlisted from Kittery.

WITHAM, JAMES, 1st, Private.

Enlisted, March 15, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company of the Eighteenth Continental Infantry, and was with his company at Fort George on Dec. 8, 1776. He re-enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for three years, probably for the town of Harpswell, Me.; served as a private in Capt. G. Smith's company of the First Massachusetts Continental Infantry, in General Glover's brigade, at Saratoga, Valley Forge, Monmouth, and the Rhode Island campaign. Was sick at Fishkill, N. Y., Jan. 6, 1778, and was honorably discharged Dec. 31, 1779. He then enlisted on the ship "Queen of France" (probably the privateer of that name, of eight to twelve guns, and twenty to forty men, which hailed from New Hampshire in 1780, Capt. J. Dixey, also in 1782, Capt. J. Tracy), and served on her until the end of the war.

Married Olive Black, of Kittery, about December, 1783, when he lived at Harpswell. Pensioned, April 13, 1818, at ninety-six dollars a year, and it was continued. On July 4, 1820, he was living at Kittery, aged sixty-three years, and owned a house, a laborer, with wife Olive, aged fifty-six years. He died Dec. 2, 1833, aged seventy-seven years, at Kittery. Widow Olive, aged seventy-one years, in 1835, lived at Kittery, and applied for State bounty.

**WITHAM, JAMES, 2D, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 1, 1777, for the war, for the town and a resident, and served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; was sick in camp at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778; he deserted Aug. 18, 1780, from Capt. J. Means' company of the same regiment, when his residence was at Berwick; he returned to duty Feb. 1, 1782, and was doubtless in the Second Massachusetts Continental Infantry until the end of the war, as a James Witham who served in that regiment was given twenty dollars by the State of Massachusetts under resolves of March 4 and June 19, 1801.

**WITHAM, JEDEDIAH, Private.**

Enlisted, July 1, 1776, and served as a private in Capt. Wm. Stilson's company of Col. Isaac Wyman's regiment of New Hampshire State Troops. Service in the Northern army around Lake Champlain. Enlisted, March 1, 1777, for three years or the war, for the town and a resident; served as a private in Capt. S. Burbank's company of the Twelfth Massachusetts Continental Infantry; with his company at Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778. *Killed at the battle of Monmouth, N. J., June 28, 1778.*

Married Hannah Davis of Kittery, about June, 1777, by whom he had a son, who has descendants living in the town. His widow, Hannah, married twice again, and in 1840 was a widow, living at Eliot, Me., aged eighty-six years, a pensioner, when she applied for the State bounty.

**WITHAM, MOSES, Corporal.**

Enlisted, May 14, 1775, resident of the town, served as a Corporal of Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in the company Oct. 28, 1775, at Camp No. 1, Cambridge, Mass.

Private in the Fourth Company of Town Militia, in July, 1762.

Married Abigail Hammond, March 8, 1776, at Kittery, both residents. Lived in the upper part of the Second Parish in 1776, 1782, and 1786.

**WITHAM, NATHAN, Private.**

Enlisted, Jan. 15, 1776, for one year, and served as a private in Capt. S. Wild's company in the Eighteenth Continental Infantry;



served his time and was honorably discharged at Fort George, in January, 1777.

He was born Dec. 31, 1752. Married Rhoda Osgood Sept. 20, 1781, at or near Salisbury, Mass., and lived near there until about 1799, when he came to his brother's at Kittery. Was living at Eliot in 1818, when he was pensioned for the above service. He joined the Shakers' colony at Alfred, Me., and died Nov. 6, 1824, at Guilford, N. H. His widow Rhoda died July 21, 1838, at Meredith, N. H., aged seventy-eight years.

**WITHAM, PELETIAH, Private.**

Enlisted, May 3, 1775, resident of the town, served as a private in Capt. S. Leighton's company of the Thirtieth Foot Regiment of the Colonies; was in the company Oct. 28, 1775, at Camp No. 1, Cambridge.

Private in the Fourth Company of town militia, in July, 1762.

Married Elizabeth Nason, Aug. 27, 1778, at Kittery, both residents. Lived in the upper part of the Second Parish, in 1776.

**WITHAM, ZEBIDEE, Private.**

Enlisted, or drafted, Aug. 14, 1777, and served as a private in Capt. E. Shapleigh's company, of Col. J. Storer's Regiment, of Massachusetts State Troops. Discharged, Nov. 30, 1777, at Queen's Heights, N. Y.

Married Keziah Witham, Oct. 11, 1770, at Kittery, both residents.

## APPENDIX.

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**Copy of 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. William Frost's Commission, of Kittery,  
Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>, 1777, in the American Army.**

IN CONGRESS.

The Delegates of the United States of New Hampshire, Massachusetts Bay, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, the counties of New Castle, Kent and Sussex, in Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, to WILLIAM FROST, Gentleman,

We reposing special Trust, and confidence in your Patriotism, Valour, Conduct and Fidelity, do by these Presents, constitute and appoint you to be first Lieutenant of Captain Silas Burbank's Company in the Regiment of Foot where of Samuel Brewer is Colonel in the Army of the United States, raised for the Defence of American Liberty, and for repelling any hostile invasion thereof. You are therefore carefully and diligently to discharge the Duty of First Lieutenant, by doing and performing all manner of things thereunto belonging. And we do strictly charge and require all Officers and Soldiers under your command, to be obedient to your orders as First Lieutenant. And you are to observe and follow such Orders and Directions from Time to Time, as you shall receive from this or a future Congress of the United States, or Committee of Congress, for that purpose appointed, or Commander in Chief for the Time being of the Army of the United States, or any other your superior Officer, according to the Rules and Discipline of War, in Pursuance of the Trust reposed in you.

This commission to continue in force until revoked by this or a future Congress.

By Order of the Congress,

JOHN HANCOCK, *President.*

ATTEST: CHAS. THOMSON, *Sec.*

Boston, this first day of January, A. D. 1777.

**Copy of Ensign Nicholas Weeks Commission, of Kittery, dated  
Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>, 1776, in the Massachusetts State Service.**

COLONY OF THE } THE MAJOR PART OF THE COUNCIL OF THE  
MASSACHUSETT BAY. } MASSACHUSETT BAY IN NEW ENGLAND.

TO NICHOLAS WEEKS, GENTLEMAN, *Greeting.*

You being appointed Ensign of Captain Abel Moulton's company in the Regiment whereof Lemuel Robinson is Colonel raised by the Colony to reenforce the American Army until the first day of April next.

By Virtue of the Power vested in us, We do by these Presents (reposing special Trust and Confidence in your Loyalty Courage and good Conduct) commission you accordingly, You are therefore carefully and diligently to discharge the Duty of an Ensign in leading, ordering and exercising said company in Arms, both Inferior Officers and Soldiers, and to keep them in good order and Discipline. And they are hereby commanded to obey you as their Ensign and you are yourself, to observe and follow such Orders and Instructions as you shall from Time to Time receive from your Superior Officers.

Given under our Hands and the Seal of the said Colony at Watertown the twenty first day of February, in the 16th year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the 3d A. D. 1776.

By command of the Major }  
Part of the Council. }

PEREZ MORTON, *Dep. Sec.*

**Copy of Lieut. Thomas Cutts' Commission, of Kittery, in the  
Mass. Colonial Army, May 19<sup>th</sup>, 1775.**

THE CONGRESS OF THE COLONY OF THE MASSACHUSETTS BAY,

TO THOMAS CUTTS, gentleman, *Greeting.*

We reposing especial Trust and Confidence in your Courage and good Conduct, Do by these Presents, Constitute and appoint you the said THOMAS CUTTS to be Lieutenant of the Foot Company in the Regiment of Foot whereof James Scammon, Esq., is Colonel,

raised by the Congress aforesaid for the Defense of said Colony. You are, therefore carefully and diligently to discharge the Duty of a Lieutenant in leading, ordering, and exercising said Company in Arms, both Inferior Officers and Soldiers, and to keep them in good Order and Discipline. And they are hereby commanded to obey you as their Lieutenant, and you are yourself, to observe and follow such Orders and Instructions as you shall from Time to Time receive from the General and Commander in Chief of the Forces raised in the Colony aforesaid, for the Defence of the same, or any other your superior officers, according to Military Rules and Discipline in War, in Pursuance of the Trust reposed in you.

By Order of the Congress,

JOS. WARREN, *President P. T.*

Dated the 19th of May, A. D. 1775.

SAM. FREEMAN, *Secretary P. T.*

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**Copy of 2<sup>d</sup> Lieut. Joel Fernald's Commission, of Kittery, in the Massachusetts Militia, Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>, 1779.**

STATE OF                    } THE MAJOR PART OF THE COUNCIL OF THE  
MASSACHUSETTS BAY. } MASSACHUSETTS BAY IN NEW ENGLAND.

To JOEL FERNALD, GENT. Greeting,

You being appointed Second Lieutenant of the Company of Infantry commanded by Thomas Cutts in the Second Regiment of Militia in the County of York, whereof Ichabod Goodwin Esquire is Colonel.

By Virtue of the Power vested in us, We do by these Presents (reposing special Trust and Confidence in your Loyalty, Courage, and good Conduct) Commission you accordingly — You are therefore carefully and diligently to discharge the Duty of a Second Lieutenant in leading, ordering and exercising said Company in Arms, both Inferior Officers and Soldiers, and to keep them in good Order and Dicipline. — And they are hereby Commanded to obey you as their Second Lieutenant, and you are yourself, to observe and follow such Orders and Instructions as you shall from Time to Time receive from the Major Part of the Council or your Superior Officers.

Given under our Hands and the Seal of the said State at Boston,  
the twenty seventh day of November, A. D. 1779.

By command of the Major }  
Part of the Council }

JOHN AVERY, *Dep. Sec.*

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**Copy of Capt. Thomas Thompson's Commission, of Portsmouth, N. H. in the American Navy, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>, 1776.**

IN CONGRESS.

The Delegates of the United States of New Hampshire, Massachusetts Bay, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, the Counties of New Castle, Kent & Sussex in Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, To

THOMAS THOMPSON, Esquire.

We reposing special Trust, and confidence in your Patriotism, Valour, Conduct and Fidelity, Do by these Presents, constitute and appoint you to be Captain in the Navy of the United States of North America, fitted out for the defence of American Liberty, and for repelling every hostile invasion thereof. You are therefore carefully and diligently to discharge the Duty of Captain by doing and performing all manner of Things thereunto belonging. And we do strictly charge and require all Officers, Marines and Seamen under your command, to be obedient to your Orders as Captain. And you are to observe and follow such Orders and Directions from Time to Time, as you shall receive from this or a future Congress of the United States or committee of Congress for that purpose appointed, or Commander-in-Chief for the time being of the Navy of the United States, or any other your Superior Officer, according to the Rules and Discipline of War, and the usage of the sea in pursuance of the Trust reposed in you. This commission to continue in force until revoked by this or a future Congress.

Dated at Philadelphia, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 1776.

By Order of the Congress,

JOHN HANCOCK, *President.*

Attest CHAS. THOMSON, *Sec.*

Number six. The number of commission determines the rank.

JOHN HANCOCK, *President.*

**Copy of Capt. John Foster Williams' Commission in the  
Massachusetts Colonial Navy, May 8th, 1776.**

COLONY OF THE } THE MAJOR PART OF THE COUNCIL OF THE  
MASSACHUSETTS BAY. } MASSACHUSETTS BAY IN NEW ENGLAND.

TO JOHN FOSTER WILLIAMS, GENT. *Greeting.*

You being appointed to take the command of the armed sloop called the "Republic," of the burthen of — tons or thereabouts, mounting — carriage guns and navigated by — men, fitted out at the expense and for the service of this Colony.

By Virtue of the Power vested in us, We do by these Presents, (reposing special Trust and Confidence in your Loyalty, Courage, and good Conduct) Commission you accordingly, and give you the said John Foster Williams full power, with such persons as you shall engage to your assistance, by force of arms to attack, seize and take the ships and other vessels belonging to the inhabitants of Great Britain or any of them, with their tackle, Apparel, Furniture and Ladings, on the high seas, or between high water and low water marks, and to bring the same to some convenient Port in this Colony in order that the Courts, which have been or shall be hereafter appointed to hear and determine Maritime causes, may proceed in due form to condemn the said Captures, if they be adjudged lawful Prize: the said John Foster William having given Bond to the Treasurer of this Colony with sufficient sureties, that nothing be done by the said John Foster Williams, or any of the Officers, Mariners or Company of the said vessel contrary to or inconsistent with the usages and Customs of Nations, and the instructions that are or may be given to him by orders of the Great and General Court. And we will require all our Officers to give succor and assistance to the said John Foster Williams in the Premises.

This Commission to continue in force until farther orders.

Given under our Hands and the seal of the said Colony at Boston, the 8th day of May in the year of our Lord 1776.

By Command of the Major }  
Part of the Council. }

PEREZ MORTON, *Dep. Sec.*

### Roll of the "Ranger."

A nearly correct roll of the officers and crew of the Continental ship "Ranger" when she sailed on her first cruise, Nov. 1, 1777, from the Piscataqua River, —

Captain John Paul Jones, U. S. N., commanding, of Philadelphia, Penn.

First Lieutenant, Thomas Simpson, of Portsmouth, N. H.

Second Lieutenant, Elijah Hall, of Portsmouth, N. H.

Third Lieutenant, Samuel Wallingford, of Somersworth, N. H. (killed April 24, 1778, in battle with the "Drake.")

Master, David Collum, or Cullam.

Surgeon, Ezra Green, of Dover, N. H.

Midshipmen, Nathaniel Fanning, of Salem, Mass.; Arthur Green, of Kittery, Me.; Charles Hill, of Barnstable, Mass.; James Meserve and Pierce Powers, both of Portsmouth.

Captain's Clerk, James George.

Boatswain, John C. Robinson, of Philadelphia.

Gunner, James Falls, of Salem, wounded in action with the "Drake."

Carpenter, William Hichborn, of Salem.

Sailmaker, Thomas Lowe, of Boston.

Steward, Jacob Walden, of Portsmouth.

Chief Quartermaster, Nathan Sargent, of Portsmouth.

Quartermasters, John Dougall, of Boston, killed April 24, 1778, in battle, and Nathaniel Wells, of Portsmouth, died May 4, 1778, of wounds received in battle with the "Drake."

Coxswain, Thomas Staples, of Kittery.

Quarter Gunner, Owen Starbuck, of Nantucket, Mass.

Petty officers, seamen and boys arranged by towns they lived in :

#### RESIDENTS OF KITTERY, ME.

Stephen Dickson, boy.

Caleb Emery, boy.

Joseph Fernald.

Reuben Hanscom.

Solomon Hutchings, seaman.

Daniel Jacobs.

Thomas Knight.

Robert Moore.

Samuel Ordiorne, seaman.

Daniel Sargent.

William Stacy, seaman.

Mark Staples, seaman, severely wounded in battle with the "Drake."

Simon Staples.

## RESIDENTS (PROBABLY) OF BERWICK, ME.

|                    |                                    |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| Benjamin Brackett. | Reuben Ricker (correct residence). |
| Ephraim Grant.     | James Roberts.                     |
| George Grant.      | John Roberts.                      |
| James Ricker.      |                                    |

## RESIDENTS (PROBABLY) OF PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Amost Albert.     | John Holiday.                               |
| Charles Ball.     | Daniel Jackson.                             |
| Thomas Beck.      | Charles Lamont.                             |
| John Casey.       | Joseph LaPlante.                            |
| William Chandler. | Edward Shapley.                             |
| John Colbaith.    | Daniel Sherburne.                           |
| Nicholas Coverly. | William Shores.                             |
| Oliver Crommett.  | John Walker.                                |
| Darby Daley.      | Charles Ward.                               |
| William Finney.   | Eben Watson.                                |
| William Garritt.  | Jonathan Wells, seaman (correct residence). |
| John Grosvenor.   |   |
| Samuel Holbrook.  |   |

## RESIDENTS OF CASTINE, ME. (PROBABLY).

|                 |                   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Francois Andre. | Charles Gandreau. |
| Lewis Boutelle. | Gabriel Gautier.  |
| Joseph Brien.   | Joseph Mathieu.   |

## RESIDENTS OF CAPE ANN (PROBABLY).

|                   |              |
|-------------------|--------------|
| William Bicknell. | Robert Poor. |
| John Dolan.       |              |

David Sargent, seaman, of Cape Ann, severely wounded in the action with the "Drake."

## RESIDENTS OF NEW BEDFORD, MASS. (PROBABLY).

|                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| Andrew Anderson. | Frank Conroy.  |
| Thomas Davis.    | William Garth. |

## RESIDENTS OF BOSTON, MASS. (PROBABLY).

|                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Thomas Adams.   | John Munson.     |
| Edward Boynton. | William Perkins. |
| James Marston.  |                  |



## RESIDENTS OF NANTUCKET ISLAND (PROBABLY).

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Nathan Aldrich.   | Reuben Joy.   |
| Nelson Aldrich.   | Freeman Lufkin.   |
| James Chase.      | Henry Martin.   |
| Reuben Chase.     | James Nicholson.  |
| Albert Cogswell.  | William Nye.  |
| Charles Crampton. | William Roberts.  |
| Barzilla Folger.  | Mathew Starbuck, seaman, severely wounded in action with the "Drake." |
| Seth Folger.      | Thomas Turner.  |
| Stephen Folger.   | Paul Worth.   |
| Henry Gardner.    |   |
| Latham Gardner.   |   |

## RESIDENTS OF PHILADELPHIA (PROBABLY).

|                 |                   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Robert Bowers.  | James Keen.       |
| Samuel Bowers.  | Lewis Morris.     |
| John Bettenham. | John Price.       |
| John Byerly.    | Peter Santgrath.  |
| Jacob Coxe.     | Amos Stockham.    |
| Mathew Davis.   | Mahlon Williams.  |
| John Hartley.   | Philander Wright. |

Obadiah Donnell, seaman, residence, York, Me.

William Young, of York, probably.

Theophilus Simpson, of York, probably.

William Allen, of New Castle, N. H., probably.

Samuel Stark, of Dover, N. H., probably.

Samuel Locke, of Rye, N. H., probably.

Abraham Knight, of Nottingham, N. H.

Anthony Jeremiah, an Indian of Martha's Vineyard Island.

Cato Jones, Negro of Virginia, Scipio Jones, Negro of Virginia, former slaves of Captain Jones.

One hundred and twenty-nine all told.

Dr. Green, in his journal, said a William Reading died March 17, 1778, and a Thomas Taylor lost a little finger in the action with the "Drake," while at the wheel; also on March 5, 1778, that he took Joseph Ratcliff to Pontolabby and secured lodgings for him as he was supposed to have smallpox, so that these three men were probably on her when she sailed from Kittery.

Capt. John Paul Jones, U. S. N., Chevalier in the French Navy, and Admiral in the Russian Navy, requires no description from the writer.

First Lieut. Thomas Simpson was born Oct. 9, 1738, son of Henry and Mercy (Young) Simpson, of York, Me. Married, first, Penelope Philbrick, March 23, 1762, at York. He was a sailor and sea captain, and removed to Portsmouth, N. H., soon after his marriage. His wife fell into the well near their house and was drowned, shortly before the Revolution, and he married, second, Mrs. Martha Barrell, who was a sister to Governor John Langdon, of New Hampshire, also a signer of the Declaration of Independence, and member of the Navy Board of the Continental Congress. A resident of Portsmouth.

Lieutenant Simpson was appointed to the command of the "Ranger," in France (when Captain Jones left her), by the American Commissioners in France, and remained in command of her until her destruction at Charleston, S. C., in May, 1780, when he was captured by the British Army; was paroled and exchanged soon after. In November, 1780, he was appointed to command the privateer ship "Alexander," of Portsmouth, and remained in command of her until end of the war. He probably died soon after as his widow, Martha, married James Sullivan, Dec. 31, 1786, at Portsmouth, who was afterwards Governor of Massachusetts.

Lieut. Elijah Hall was born Dec. 9, 1742, at Raynham, Mass., son of Phillip and Huldah (Leonard) Hall; he went to Portsmouth, N. H., when young; was a ship builder and merchant; married Elisabeth, daughter of Col. James Stoodley, of Portsmouth. He remained on the "Ranger" until she was destroyed; was captured and paroled, but was not exchanged until end of the war. Was commissioned Naval Officer, Jan. 28, 1818, of the port here, and held it until his death, which occurred June 22, 1830, at Portsmouth.

Lieut. Samuel Wallingford was the son of Col. Thomas Wallingford, of Somersworth, N. H., and was Lieutenant of a company of N. H. State Troops stationed near Portsmouth in 1775 and 1776. He left a widow, and a son, born Feb. 19, 1778, at Somersworth, N. H., named George Washington, who became a leading lawyer of Maine; lived in Kennebunk, Me. The widow of Lieut. Samuel, married Col. Amos Cogswell, of Dover, N. H.

David Collum was on her in fight with the "Drake," and was promoted to Lieutenant in place of Wallingford, killed, and was Second Lieutenant of the "Ranger" in 1779.

Surgeon Ezra Green was of Dover, N. H., and served in the Continental Army as Surgeon from June, 1775, to January, 1777. He kept a Journal during his first cruise on the "Ranger," which has been published; remained on her until August, 1779, and then resigned. Dr. Parker, of Exeter, N. H., appointed Surgeon of her then. Surgeon Green was appointed to the privateer ship "Alexander" in 1780, and made several cruises on her out of Portsmouth. He was born June 17, 1746, at Malden, Mass.; graduated from Harvard College in 1765; went to Dover in 1767. Married Susanah Hayes of Dover, Dec. 13, 1778, and always lived there, until he died July 25, 1847, over 101 years old; was the oldest living graduate of Harvard for many years.

Midshipman Pierce Powers, of Portsmouth, N. H., lost an arm in the action with H. M. S. "Drake," on April 24, 1778.

Midshipmen Nathaniel Fanning and Charles Hill left the "Ranger," in France, and went with Captain Jones to the "Bon Homme Richard," so did Boatswain John Calvin Robiusion and Carpenter William Hichborn; all were in the fight with the British frigate "Serapis," and occupied the same positions on the "Richard" that they had held on the "Ranger." They had all been with Captain Jones on the Continental ships "Alfred" and "Providence," as also had Nathan Sargent.

Chief Quartermaster Nathan Sargent was promoted to Acting Master of the "Ranger," after the action with the "Drake," but soon after left the "Ranger" to go as captain of a French privateer, out of Brest, France, taking eight other New Hampshire men with him by permission of Captain Jones.

**A list of the Officers and Crew on the Continental Frigate  
"Raleigh," when she sailed from the Piscataqua River  
about Aug. 12, 1777.**

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Commander, Thomas Thompson, Captain U. S. N., of Portsmouth, N. H.

1st Lieutenant, Peter Shores, of Portsmouth, N. H., joined her Sept. 1, 1776 ; salary, \$20 per month.

2d Lieutenant, Josiah Shackford, of Portsmouth, joined Aug. 5, 1776 ; same salary.

3d Lieutenant, Hopley Yeaton, of New Castle, N. H., joined Sept. 28, 1776 ; same salary.

Master, Thomas Manning, of Portsmouth, joined Jan. 13, 1777 ; salary, \$30 per month.

Capt. of Marines, George Jerry Osborne, of Exeter, N. H., joined Aug. 12, 1776 ; salary, \$26 $\frac{3}{4}$  per month.

1st Lieut. of Marines, Stephen Meads, of New York, joined Aug. 9, 1776 ; salary, \$18 per month.

2d Lieut. of Marines, Nathaniel Thwing, of Boston, joined Aug. 21, 1776 ; salary, same.

Surgeon, John Jackson, of Portsmouth, joined Sept. 2, 1776 ; salary, \$21 per month.

Mates, John Yeaton, of New Castle, joined May 22, 1777, and Robert Curtis, of Kittery, joined June 21, 1777 ; salary, \$15.

Midshipmen, John Frost, of Portsmouth, joined Dec. 24, 1776 ; Richard Littlefield, joined Feb. 3, 1777 ; Samuel McClintock, Jr., of Greenland, N. H., joined Feb. 10, 1777 ; Daniel Durgin, of Portsmouth, joined as Mate, Aug. 22, 1776, as Midshipman, July 2, 1777, and Daniel Lang, of Portsmouth, joined July 15, 1777 ; salary of each, \$12 per month.

Boatswain, William Bray, of Kittery, joined July 15, 1776 ; salary, \$15 per month.

Gunner, William Cambridge, of England, joined as Gunner's Mate, July 22, 1776 ; salary, same.

Carpenter, Simeon Fernald, of Kittery, joined July 24, 1776 ; salary, same.

Sailmaker, Benjamin Dam, of Kittery, joined July 14, 1777, as Sailmaker's Mate ; salary, same.

Surgeon's Mate, John Quin, of Kittery, joined June 27, 1777; same salary, \$15.

Captain's Clerk, Richard Langdon, of Portsmouth, joined Sept. 5, 1776; same salary.

Armorer, Robert Whipple, of Portsmouth, joined Oct. 15, 1776; same pay.

Master-at-Arms, Henry Frost Cate, of Portsmouth, joined Feb. 3, 1777; pay, \$10.

Steward, Samuel Parcher, of Portsmouth, joined as Seaman, Aug. 12, 1776; Steward, Feb. 12, 1777.

Cooper, Robert Cochran, of New Castle, joined Aug. 5, 1777; pay, \$9.

Cook, William Stevens, of Kittery, joined Feb. 1, 1777; same pay.

Coxswain, William Ward, of Portsmouth, joined July 22, 1776; same pay.

Quarter-Gunners, William Thresher, of Portsmouth, enlisted, Aug. 2, 1777, as seaman for one year, and Robert Heslop, an Englishman, enlisted, May 27, 1777, as seaman for one year, from Privateer "Satisfaction."

Captain's Steward, Joseph Clements, of York, Me., enlisted, June 3, 1777, for one year; pay, \$8 per month.

Mess Steward, Timothy Gleason, of Barrington, N. H., enlisted, July 11, 1777, for the cruise as a marine.

Boat Yeoman, Mathias Bell, of Portsmouth, enlisted, July 28, 1777, for one year as seaman.

Boatswain Mates, James Furlong, an Englishman, enlisted, June 23, 1777, from frigate "Nelly," for one year; Henry Williams (Hendrick Beilson), a Dane, enlisted, July 5, 1777, for one year, and Phillip McCann, of Portsmouth, enlisted Feb. 6, 1777; pay of each, \$9½ per month.

Gunner's Mate, Francis Little, of Portsmouth, enlisted, June 15, 1777, for one year; pay, \$9½ per month.

Gunner's Yeoman, Nicholas Bouffard, of Portsmouth, enlisted Jan. 25, 1777.

Carpenter's Mate, Ebenezer Pray, of Kittery, enlisted, July 29, 1776; pay, \$10 per month, reduced to \$9½ after Feb. 1, 1777.

Carpenter's Crew, same pay as seamen, Joshua Fernald, of Kittery, enlisted, June 12, 1777, as seaman, for three months; James Claridge, of Portsmouth, enlisted, June 30, 1777, for one year; Peter Kennistone, of Portsmouth, enlisted Feb. 8, 1777; John Carr

Roberts, of Somersworth, N. H., enlisted, June 17, 1777, for one year; George Spinney, of Kittery, enlisted, June 20, 1777, for one year, and Timothy Watson, of Portsmouth, enlisted in August, 1777, for one year.

Quartermasters, Thomas Passmore, of Portsmouth, enlisted, July 25, 1776, as seaman; Mark Pitman, or Bitman, of Portsmouth, enlisted Jan. 28, 1777; John Tanner, an Englishman, enlisted, March 27, 1777, for one year; Peter Meserve, of Portsmouth, enlisted, June 20, 1777, for one year; Ebenezer Stackpole, of Portsmouth, enlisted, July 10, 1777, for one year, and David Brown, of Kittery, enlisted, Aug. 8, 1777, as seaman, for one year; pay of each, \$9 per month.

#### SEAMEN, PAY \$8 PER MONTH.

| NAME.               | RESIDENCE OR NATIONALITY. | DATE OF ENLISTMENT. | TERM OF ENLISTING.                            |
|---------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|---|
| Abbot, Aaron,       | York, Me.,                | April 22, 1777,     | for one year.                                 |
| Barnham, Samuel W., | Salem, Mass.,             | July 31, 1777,      | for one year.                                 |
| Castle, John,       | Englishman,               | Feb. 6, 1777.       |   |
| Chase, Jonathan,    | New Castle, N. H.,        | July 29, 1777,      | for one year.                                 |
| Davidson, David,    | a Creole,                 | June 23, 1777,      | from "Nelly," frigate, for one year.          |
| Everett, Michael,   | Englishman,               | Jan. 28, 1777,      | from sch. "George."                           |
| Ellis, Robert,      | Englishman,               | Jan. 24, 1777,      | from sch. "George."                           |
| Foggett, James,     | Portsmouth, N. H.,        | Feb. 4, 1777.       |   |
| Follett, William,   | a Creole,                 | Aug. 22, 1776.      |   |
| Gerrish, Joseph,    | Portsmouth,               | July 16, 1776,      | as ordinary seaman.                           |
| Galteau, Peter,     | Bordeaux, France,         | July 8, 1777.       |   |
| Lear, Cæsar,        | a Negro,                  | Portsmouth,         | June 16, 1777, for Tobias Lear, for one year. |
| Melong, Daniel,     |                           | July 13, 1777,      | for one year.                                 |
| Morgan, John,       | Englishman,               | Jan. 28, 1777,      | from sch. "George."                           |
| Parker, John,       | Portsmouth,               | Jan. 30, 1777,      | for Nutter.                                   |
| Richardson, James,  | Englishman,               | Jan. 27, 1777,      | from sch. "George."                           |
| Spenley, John,      | Englishman,               | Jan. 28, 1777,      | from sch. "George."                           |
| Simpson, John,      | New Castle, N. H.,        | July 5, 1777,       | for one year.                                 |
| Smith, Thomas,      | Marblehead, Mass.,        | June 14, 1777,      | for one year.                                 |
| Spencer, Robert,    | American,                 | Aug. 14, 1776,      | for the cruise.                               |
| Turkan, John,       | North Britain,            | Jan. 24, 1777,      | from sch. "George."                           |
| Tibbets, Paul,      | Portsmouth,               | June 25, 1777,      | for one year.                                 |
| Watkins, Thomas,    | Englishman,               | Jan. 28, 1777,      | from sch. "George."                           |
| Weaver, Richard,    | Englishman,               | Jan. 28, 1777,      | from sch. "George."                           |

ORDINARY SEAMEN, PAY  $\$6\frac{2}{3}$  PER MONTH.

| NAME.                 | RESIDENCE OR NATIONALITY.  | DATE OF ENLISTMENT. | TERM OF ENLISTING.                 |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| Adams, John,          | York, Me.,                 | Feb. 26,            | 1777.                              |
| Adams, Peter,         | Negro, Durham, N. H.,      | Feb. 10,            | 1777.                              |
| Ayers, James,         | Portsmouth,                | Aug. 10,            | 1777, as tailor, for the cruise.   |
| Clark, Joseph,        | Portsmouth,                | Feb. 8,             | 1777.                              |
| Collins, Dodge,       | African, Worcester, Mass., | June 13,            | 1777, for one year.                |
| Cotton, Joseph,       | Portsmouth,                | July 28,            | 1777, for one year.                |
| Carr, John,           | Cape Porpoise, Me.,        | July 9,             | 1777, for the cruise.              |
| Carter, Robert, jr.,  | Kittery,                   | July 10,            | 1777, as a marine, for one year.   |
| Demerrett, Samuel,    | Madbury, N. H.,            | July 31,            | 1777, as a marine, for the cruise. |
| Furnace, Robert,      | Berwick, Me.,              | June 10,            | 1777, as a marine, for one year.   |
| Frost, Stephen,       | Berwick, Me.,              | June 28,            | 1777, as a marine, for one year.   |
| Gammon, John,         | American,                  | July 19,            | 1777, for one year.                |
| Gunnison, John,       | Portsmouth,                | June 26,            | 1777, as a marine, for one year.   |
| Harrison, William,    | York, Me.,                 | Aug. 1,             | 1777, as a marine, for the cruise. |
| Jones, Peter,         | Englishman,                | Feb. 10,            | 1777.                              |
| Lynch, Patrick,       | Irishman,                  | Feb. 8,             | 1777.                              |
| McCornel, Samuel,     | Nottingham, N. H.,         | July 11,            | 1777, for the cruise.              |
| McDaniel, Robert,     | Barrington, N. H.,         | July 11,            | 1777, for the cruise.              |
| Murphy, Peirce,       | Arundel (Kennebunk, Me.),  | June 25,            | 1777, for one year.                |
| Murphy, Thomas,       | Somersworth, N. H.,        | July 15,            | 1777, as a marine, for one year.   |
| Merritt, John,        | Pleasant River,            | March 19,           | 1777, as a marine, for one year.   |
| Nason, Robert,        | Deer Island,               | July 14,            | 1777, for the cruise.              |
| Noble, Moses,         | Portsmouth,                | Feb. 10,            | 1777, as a marine.                 |
| O'Grandy, Daniel,     | Englishman,                | Dec. 21,            | 1776.                              |
| Philbrook, William,   | Fox Island,                | June 30,            | 1777, as a marine, for one year.   |
| Ponel or Powey, John, | Exeter, N. H.,             | June 23,            | for one year.                      |

| NAME.                     | RESIDENCE OR NATIONALITY. | DATE OF ENLISTMENT.     | TERM OF ENLISTING.           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| Redman, Benjamin,         | Portsmouth,               | March 4, 1777,          | as a marine, for one year.   |
| Rundlet, George,          | Portsmouth,               | July 30, 1777,          | as a marine, for one year.   |
| Sullivan, James,          | Irishman,                 | Feb. 4, 1777.           |                              |
| Sweat, Pompey, Negro,     | York, Me.,                | Jan. 30, 1777,          | for John Sweat of York.      |
| Scates, Joshua,           | Berwick, Me.,             | June 19, 1777,          | as a marine, for one year.   |
| Shaw, George, Lee, N. H., |                           | July 31, 1777,          | as a marine, for the cruise. |
| Seawards, Benjamin,       | Portsmouth,               | Feb. 6, 1777,           | as a marine.                 |
| Sloper, John,             | American,                 | Feb. 3, 1777,           | as corporal of marines.      |
| Snider, Mark,             | Portsmouth,               | Feb. 6, 1777,           | as a marine.                 |
| Twombly, Moses,           | Berwick,                  | probably, August, 1777, | as a marine.                 |
| Williams, Robert,         | Borenton,                 | American, August, 1777, | for the cruise.              |
| Worster, Phillip,         | Berwick, Me.,             | June 11, 1777,          | as a marine, for one year.   |
| Walls, John,              | Portsmouth,               | Feb. 6, 1777,           | as a marine.                 |

#### BOYS, PAY \$5 PER MONTH.

Baxter, Richard, American, Sept. 6, 1776.  
 Muncher, Daniel, English, Feb. 6, 1777.  
 Noble, Reuben, American, Nov. 2, 1776, for Lieut. Yeaton.  
 Shores, John, Berwick, Me., April 22, 1777, as a marine.  
 Sdney or Edney, Peter, July 11, 1777, for Lieut. Shackford, for one year.

#### MARINES.

Sergeant William Hart, Jr., Portsmouth, Feb. 4, 1777, pay \$8 per month.  
 Sergeant Simeon Tibbetts, Casco Bay, Aug. 1, 1777, pay \$8 per month, for the cruise.  
 Corporal John Mills, Portsmouth, Feb. 4, 1777, pay \$7½ per month.  
 Corporal George Rollins, Newington, N. H., Feb. 21, 1777, pay \$7½ per month.  
 Corporal John Scates, Berwick, Me., June 11, 1777, pay \$7½ per month, for one year.  
 Drummer James McIntire, Portsmouth, Feb. 4, 1777, pay \$7½ per month.  
 Fifer Theodore Fernald, American, Jan. 25, 1777, pay \$7½ per month.



PRIVATES, PAY \$6 $\frac{2}{3}$  PER MONTH.

| NAME.                 | RESIDENCE OR NATIONALITY. | DATE OF ENLISTMENT.              | TERM OF ENLISTING. |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Allen, James,         | Wells, Me.,               | July 9, 1777,                    | for one year.      |
| Booker, Jotham,       | York, Me.,                | Aug. 1, 1777,                    | for the cruise.    |
| Clay, Samuel,         | Candia, N. H.,            | Aug. 1, 1777,                    | for the cruise.    |
| Davis, John,          | Berwick, Me.,             | June 30, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Evans, Wiggin,        | Cheshire, N. H.,          | July 26, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Goold, Alexander,     | Kittery,                  | July 10, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Gray, Simeon,         | Pownalboro, Me.,          | June 21, 1777.                   |                    |
| Hill, John,           | Nottingham, N. H.,        | July 22, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Hohn, George,         | Portsmouth,               | July 3, 1777,                    | for one year.      |
| Knight, William,      | Nottingham, N. H.,        | July 26, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Libby, John,          | Portsmouth, (Kittery),    | July 4, 1777,                    | for one year.      |
| Loud, George,         | Portsmouth,               | June 26, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Mendum, William,      | Kittery,                  | June 9, 1777,                    | for one year.      |
| Mills, John,          | 2d, Portsmouth,           | Feb. 4, 1777.                    |                    |
| McCoy, John,          | Nottingham, N. H.,        | July 12, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Nelson, Mark,         | Portsmouth, N. H.,        | July 16, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Parcher, George,      | Portsmouth, N. H.,        | Feb. 1, 1777.                    |                    |
| Rankins, G. Andrew,   | York, Me.,                | Aug. 1, 1777 (in room of Davis), | for the cruise.    |
| Rundlet, Satchewell,  | Portsmouth, N. H.,        | June 30, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Smith, Daniel,        | Berwick, Me.,             | June 30, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Tina, David,          | York, Me.,                | Aug. 1, 1777,                    | for the cruise.    |
| Tibbetts, Ichabod,    | Wolfboro, N. H.,          | March 30, 1777,                  | for one year.      |
| Wedgwood, Jesse,      | Newmarket, N. H.,         | June 26, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Whitehouse, Ebenezer, | Somersworth, N. H.,       | June 3, 1777,                    | for one year.      |
| Worster, Benjamin,    | Berwick, Me.,             | June 11, 1777,                   | for one year.      |
| Worthem, Isaac,       | Candia, N. H.,            | Aug. 1, 1777,                    | for one year.      |

Total, 152 all told, who were also all on the "Raleigh" on Jan. 22, 1778, at L'Orient, France. The following list of men were also on her at that time, but their names are not on her shipping list: they were probably, however, on her when she sailed from the Piscataqua. Seamen, John Adams, 2d, Nathaniel Allen, George Crump, Edward Parsons, Daniel Stewart, Samuel Weyman and Joseph Whittemore. Ordinaries, John Grant, John Harmon, Asa Kimbal, William Lawrey, Thomas Laraby, Charles Maus and Richard

Sweeny. Corporal of Marines, Joseph Jackson. Boys, William Bragdon and Edward Wilson. There were many men enlisted from vessels on the cruise to France, and also in France, so that on Feb. 2, 1778, she had a total of 228 souls on board.

Capt. Thomas Thompson was appointed to command the "Raleigh" on June 6, 1776, by Congress. He was born in England, and came to the United States about 1767, settled at Portsmouth, N. H. Married there. Was a sailor, and also a shipbuilder. Was removed from the command of the "Raleigh" in the summer of 1778, and returned to Portsmouth. Has descendants living in that city at present. Died there in 1809.

Lieut. Josiah Shackford was a son of Josiah Shackford, who lived at Portsmouth. Lieut. Josiah married Deborah Marshall, of Portsmouth, a step-sister. He probably remained on the "Raleigh" until her capture, in 1778. He was a sea captain, and sailed ships out of New York for many years. At one time he sailed a sloop of fifteen tons from Bordeaux, France, to Surinam, South America, alone. He wished his wife to move to New York, but she refused to leave Portsmouth, and for several years she did not hear from him, when he returned suddenly to Portsmouth, put up at the hotel, took tea with his wife, and left the town next morning, never to return. He was next heard of in Ohio, where he founded the present city of Portsmouth, in that State; became quite wealthy, and died there when he was over eighty years old.

Lieut. Hopley Yeaton was born in 1730, at New Castle, N. H. He was a sailor and sea captain. Was a leader of the Sons of Liberty, at Portsmouth in 1775-76. Remained on the "Raleigh" until her capture, Sept. 28, 1778. Soon after he was assigned to the Continental frigate "La Hague" (or "Dean"), and was on her in 1779 and 1780. He was commissioned by President Washington, on March 21, 1791, a Captain in the United States revenue cutter service, and commanded the cutter "Scammel," the first one built under the United States. She was stationed at Portsmouth, N. H., and patrolled the New Hampshire and Maine coasts. He resigned from the service Sept. 30, 1809, and moved to Lubec, Me., where he died in May, 1812, and was buried there.

Master Thomas Manning was a sea captain out of the river for many years. Married a Purcel, of Portsmouth, N. H.

Captain of Marines George Jerry Osborne was a school-teacher at Portsmouth for several years before the Revolution, and raised a company of artillery at Portsmouth in 1775, of which he was Captain. It was stationed near Portsmouth in 1775 and 1776. Married Olive, daughter of Capt. Thomas and Dorothy Pickering of Portsmouth, and he lived at Portsmouth after marriage.

Midshipman John Frost remained on the "Raleigh" until her capture. Was Second Lieutenant of the privateer ship "Jason," Capt. J. Manly, June 2, 1779; was captured on her Sept. 30, 1779. Was commissioned Captain of the privateer cutter "Swift," of Massachusetts, in February, 1783.

Midshipman Samuel McClintock was a son of the Rev. Samuel McClintock and wife Mary Montgomery, of Greenland, N. H. He was promoted to Lieutenant in the navy, and was lost at sea.





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