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REGISTER OF MARRIAGES

IN MILTON, MASS.

FROM THE DIARY OF REV. PETER THACHER.

1686—1727.

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THE following marriages are printed from a list in the hand-writing of the Reverend Peter Thacher, minister of the Church at Milton, Massachusetts, from 1681 until his death, 27 Dec. 1727. They were entered in his diary, not all together, but on separate pages scattered through the book. The leaves containing the entries were subsequently removed from the volume, and were presented in their loose form by Mr. Henry McKean to the late William Thaddeus Harris, LL.B., of Cambridge, by whom they were carefully mounted and bound, and in whose library they have since been preserved.

The first page of the record contains this endorsement with its date, both in hand-writing unknown. "A Register of Marriages in Milton from 14 Sept. 1686 to Sept. 1727, By Rev. Peter Thacher. Taken out of a volume of his Diary found among the papers of the late Rev Dr. Peter Thacher of Boston, his great grandson. Feb. 1803."

It is probable that the record of the larger portion of these marriages does not exist elsewhere, or in any other form. It is certain that of the first thirty of the list, Savage had found but six, and of these six, one was doubtful. The importance of the record, for the first time now printed, is evident to genealogists.

The Rev. Peter Thacher was born at Salem, Mass., 18 July, 1651, the son of the Rev. Thomas Thacher of Weymouth and Boston. He was graduated at Harvard College in 1671, ordained in the ministry over the church at Milton 1 June, 1681, and died there greatly lamented and beloved, 27 Dec. 1727, after a pastorate of forty-six years. An account of his labors and usefulness may be read in Sibley's Graduates II. 370, and a genealogy of a fragment in the family in the N. E. Hist. Gen. Reg. xxxviii. 13.

EDWARD DOUBLEDAY HARRIS.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., DEC. 1883.

MILTON MARRIAGES.

Sept^r 14, 1686. Richard Hixson was married to Margeret Wadkins both of Milton.

17 Jan. 1686. Jonathan Gouliver was married to Mary Roberson of Dorchester.

Octo. 11, 1687. Thomas Smith married to Mary Richards, y^e man belonged to Cambridge, y^e woman belonged to Waymouth.

Octo. 25, 1687. Nathaniel Stairus of Deadham was married to Mary Raine of Waymouth.

Octo. 28. Thomas Thair was married to Mary Pool, y^e man belonged to Mendam, y^e woman to Braintry.

Nov. 18, 1687. Joseph Cortas of Dorchester was married to Mary Eline of Milton.

Dec. 6, 1687. Samuel White was married to Anna Bingley Both of Waymouth.

Dec. 12, 1687. John Drake was married to Sarah King both of Waymouth.

Feb. 14, 1687. George Lion was married to Thankfull Badcock both of Milton.

April 25, 1688. Thomas Fuller Juni^r was married to Esther Fisher, both of Deadham.

April 27, 1688. Dependance French of Braintry was married to Rebecca Fenno of Milton.

May 9, 1688. Samuel Chapin was married to Mary Hobart both of Braintry.

June 26, 1688. Samuel Deerin was married to Hannah Farebanks both of Deadham.

Aug^t 30, 1688. Nathaneel Wales was married to Susanah Black both of Milton.

Sept. 27, 1688. Ephraim Tucker was married to Hannah Gouliver, both of Milton.

October 3, 1688. M^r Stand-fast Foster of Dorchester was married unto M^{rs} Abigail Holman of Milton.

Nov. 2, 1688. Thomas Bacon was married to Rebecca Bugbey both of New-Roxbury.

Dec. 13, 1688. Nathaniel Wiet of Dorchester was married to Mary Corbin of New-Cambridge.

Dec. 25, 1688. John Whiting of Wrenthem was married to Mary Billing of Dorchester.

Jan. 10, 1688. Israel Nichols was married to Mary Sumner of Milton, y^e man was of Hingham.

John Paine was married to Deborah Neall both of Braintry, y^r were married y^e 22 Jan. 1688.

Jan. 22, 1688. Benjamine Neall was married to Lidea Payne both of braintry.

Feb. 10, 1688. Timothy Crehore of Milton was married to Ruth Rioll of Dorchester.

Feb. 10, 1688. Charles Redman of Milton was married to Martha Hill of Dorchester.

Feb. 10, 1688. Thomas Lambe was married to Thankfull Hill both of Dorchester.

May 8, 1689. Ebenezar Weeks of Dorchester was married to Deliverance Sumner of Boston.

Nov. 25, 1689. Thomas Davis was married to Abigail Wadsworth of Milton.

Dec. 13, 1689. Ebenezer Craine of Milton was married to Mary Tolman of Dorchester.

March 25, 1689². Gregory Belcher was married to Elizabeth Ruggles both Braintry.

June 25, 1690. Samuel Miller of Rehoboth was married to Rebecca Belcher of Dorchester.

John Fenno Juni^r of Milton was married to Rachel Newcome of Braintry.

John Man of Milton was married to

Jan. 24, 1692³. John Baxter was married to Huldah Hayward both of Braintry.

May 24, 1693. Jonathan Elmes of Cytuate was married to Patience Spur of Dorchester.

June 14, 1693. William Basset was married to Sarah Swetland both of Bridgewater.

July 6, 1693. John Staaple of Braintry was married to Jemima Jewitt of Dorchester.

Octo. 30, 1693. Samuel King of Sutbury was married to Abigail Clap of Milton.

Octo. 31, 1693. Joseph Haughton of Lancaster was married to Jane Vose of Milton.

Nov. 22, 1693. M^r William Blake was married to M^{rs} Hannah Lion both of Milton.

Dec. 25, 1693. Thomas Horton was married to Susannah Keney, both of Milton.

June 5, 1694. Samuel Spear of Braintry was married to Elizabeth Daniel of Milton.

Nov. 13, 1694. William Hack of Taunton was married to Susannah Kingley of Milton.

Dec. 19, 1694. Moses Belcher was married to Hannah Lion both of Milton.

Jan. 22, 1694⁴. Thomas Barret of Chelmsford was married to Mary Dike of Milton.

May 23, 1695. Thomas Vose Juni^r was Married to Hannah Badcock both of Milton.

June 11, 1695. Eleazer Carver of Taunton was married to Experience Sumner of Milton.

June 13, 1695. Ebenezar Thair was married to Martha Tomson both of Mendon.

— Nathaniel Black married to Martha Moore both of Milton.

— Henry Glover Juni^r was married to Mary Chre-hore both of Milton.

June 16, 1696. William Briggs Juni^r of Taunton was married to Mehitabel Black of Milton.

June 26, 1696. Edward Black was married to Betty Mooree Both of Milton.

Sep^t 23, 1696. Benjamine Fenno was married to Mary Belchar both of Milton.

Dec. 16, 1696. Nathaneel Vose was married to Mary Belcher Both of Milton.

Jan. 7, 1696. Thomas Dean of Taunton was married to Mary Kinsley of Milton.

Jan. 27, 1696. M^r Aaron Hobart of Hingham was married to m^{rs} Rebecca Sumner of Milton.

April 29, 1697. William Wadle was married to Abigail Belcher of Milton.

May 14, 1697. Bro. Matthias Puffer was married to Sister Mary Creboar of Milton.

June 2, 1697. William Sumner was married to Esther Puffer y^e One of Milton y^e other of Dorchester.

June 2, 1697. Ebenezar Warrin was married to Mary rider both of Milton.

Sep^t 2, 1697. Robert Pelton of Dorchester was married to Rebeccah Creehore of Milton.

July 1, 1698. Nathaneel Gulliver of Milton was married to Hanah Billings (Daughter to m^r R. B.) of Dorchester.

April 3, 1700. William Vose was married to Mary Badcock both of Milton.

June 27, 1700. m^r Benjamine Beale & m^{rs} Hannah Holman were married At m^r Holmans House.

July 1, 1700. John Vose was married to Sarah Clap Both of Milton.

Feb. 18, 1700. James Badcock was Married to Mary Fenno both of Milton.

May 27, 1701. Joseph Tucker & Judith Clap were married each to other both of Milton.

May 29, 1701. M^r Samuel Niles was Married to my Daughter Elizabeth.

Aug^t 6, 1701. Richard Smith Senior was married to Thankful Lion, both of Milton.

Nov. 29, 1701. John Glasher of Lancaster was married to Mary Bentley of Milton.

Dec. 24, 1701. Phillop Liscome was married to Charity Jerdon.

Jan. 14, 1701. John Payson was Married to Elizabeth Tucker, Bro. Manassah's daughter.

Sep^t 10, 1702. David Horton was Married to Mary Badcock both of Milton.

Nov. 11, 1702. M^r Ebenezar Clap was married to Elizabeth Dickerman both of Milton.

May 12, 1703. M^r William Paine & M^{rs} Margaret Steward were married at Milton.

March 23, 170 $\frac{3}{4}$. Lieutenant Jonathan Gulliver was Married to my daughter Theodora.

- Feb. 13, 1704. Joseph Sweetland was Married to Mercy Badcock, both of Milton.
- Nov. 15, 1705. Richard Hall of Roxbury was married to Elizabeth Newton of Milton.
- April 4, 1706. Joseph Billing was Married to Ruhamah Badcock both of Milton.
- May 3, 1706. Benjamin Sumner was Married to Elizabeth Badcock both of Milton.
- June 12, 1706. James Babcock of Stonington was married to Sarah Vose of Milton.
- June 13, 1706. David Sprage of Hingham was married to Sarah Jordon of Milton.
- * { William Hill of Cochester was married to Rebecca Charles of Boston, }
 June 19, 1691. { Daniel Willard was married to Mary Mills. }
- Sept. 11, 1706. Thomas Eelles was married to Mary Mooree both of Milton.
- Dec. 12, 1706. Ebenezar Tucker was married to Jemima Daniel both of Milton.
- Jan. 30, 1706-7. Ebenezar Tucker was married to Jane Clap, both of Milton.
- Feb. 18, 1706-7. George Talbut was Married to Mary Turel, published in Milton.
- Aug^t 5, 1707. John Daniel & Elliner Verin both of this Towne were married.
- Nov. 6, 1707. M^r Samuel Swift was married to M^{rs} Ann Holman both of Milton.
- Dec. 3, 1707. John Natiant was married to Peggee y^t for many years was my servant & I gave her her time.
- Dec. 8, 1708. Joseph Haughton was married to Margeret Redding both of Milton.
- Feb. 17, 1709. Thomas Eelles was married to Abigaile Glover, both of Milton.
- Nov. 4, 1709. M^r Jacob Waters of Charlstowne was married to M^{rs} Abigail Hutson of Milton.
- Nov. 17, 1709. M^r Thomas Speer of Dorchester was married to M^{rs} Elizabeth Kinsley of Milton.
- Dec. 19, 1710. Simes Langley was married to Elizabeth Long both of Milton.
- May 23, 1711. M^r Samuel Bass of Boston was married to M^{rs} Ruth Hayden of Milton.
- June 12, 1711. Preserved Lion was married Joanna Vose both Milton.
- June 21, 1711. Joseph Ganzy was married to Elizabeth Badcock.
- Dec. 24, 1712. Timothy Crehore of Milton & Mary Triscot of Dorchester were married.
- Dec. 25, 1712. John Sawin of Sherborne was married to Johanna Lyon of Milton.
- May 23, 1713. M^r John Chickley was married to M^{rs} Rebecca Miller of Milton.
- June 24, 1713. M^r Jones was married to M^{rs} Elizabeth Rider.

* These two are on a separate slip of paper, pasted on the original, but in same handwriting. Willard's mar. was probably at about the date of the other, 1691.

June 23, 1713. James Bagley was married to Jane Pierce, y^e One Braintry the other viz: y^e woman of Milton.

July 3, 1713. John Death of Sherborn was married to waitstill Vose of Milton.

Nov. 12, 1713. m^r Samuel French of Braintry, was married to m^{rs} Elizabeth Clap of Milton.

May 6, 1714. Mathew Adgelton was married to Ruth Newton both of Milton.

May 6, 1714. John Dickerman was married to Mary Tucker both of Milton.

Feb. 10, 1713-4. Son Oxenbridge Thacher was married to m^{rs} Elizabeth Lilly.

May 20, 1714. Recompence Wadsworth was Married to Sarah Moore both of Milton.

Jan. 12, 1714-5. Benjamine Jewet of Ipswich & Reforme Triscot of Milton were married Each to other.

July 14, 1715. George Badcock was married to Hannah Daniel, both of Milton.

Nov. 18, 1715. Ezra Clap & Waitstill Tucker both of Milton were joynd together in a marriage Covenant y^e Evening after y^e Thanksgiuing w^c was y^e 17 day.

Feb. 8, 1715. Samuel Tapley of Dorchester was married to Hannah Triscot of Milton.

June 1716. Thomas Blunt was married to Hannah Momantaog both of Milton.

July 16, 1716. Sambo a negro servant of m^r Brightman of Boston & Hagar my woman servant was married.

Aug^t 16, 1716. m^r Nehemiah Clap was married to m^{rs} Lidea Tucker both of Milton.

Aug^t 30, 1716. m^r Stephen Tucker was married to m^{rs} Hannah Belcher both of Milton.

Nov. 21, 1716. m^r Manasseh Tucker Jun^r was married to Hannah Shepherd both of Milton.

March 28, 1717. John Gulliver was married to Lidea Gulliver both of Milton.

Octo. 1, 1717. Georg Hunter was Married to Betty Nateant, both of Milton.

Jan. 15, 1717-8. Samuel Fuller of Deadham was married to Elizabeth Craine of Milton.

February 6, 1717-8. Jason Williams of Charlstowne was married to Mary Sheperd of Milton.

March 24, 1718. m^r William Mountgomery of Roussick was married to Elizebeth Harsey of Milton.

May 26, 1718. William Thomas was married to Sarah Pocock both of Milton when published.

June 4, 1718. M^r Samuel Wadsworth was Married to m^{rs} Ann Withington, both of Milton.

Aug^t 6, 1718. Joseph Warrick & Hannah Blunt both of Milton (Indians) were married by Peter Thacher Pastor.

Nov. 20, 1718. John Spear of Brantry was Married to Anne Peirce of Milton by Peter Thacher of Milton.

Feb. 20, 1718-9. Joshua Mohu was Married to Sarah Momuntaog both of Milton by Peter Thacher Past^r.

Octo. 22, 1719. m^r Ephraim Tucker was Married to m^{rs} Mary Sumner both of Milton by Peter Thacher Pastor.

Feb. 4, 1719-20. m^r Ebenezer Clap was Married to m^{rs} Abigail Belcher both of Milton by Peter Thacher Pastor.

March 24, 1720. m^r John Marshall of Braintry was married to m^{rs} Elizabeth Gulliver of Milton p. P. Thacher Past^r.

April 21, 1720. Thomas Heren of Deadham was married to Sarah Tucker of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

Milton, Nov. 14. 1720. Noah Daman of Dorchester was married to m^{rs} Sarah Dickerman of Milton p Peter Thacher Past^r.

July 20, 1721. John Pitcher was married to m^{rs} Hannah Tucker both of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor at Deacon Tuckers her father.

Sep^r 14, 1721. m^r Robert Vose was married to m^{rs} Abigail Sumner both of Milton p me Peter Thacher Past^r.

Octo. 25, 1721. John Stimson & Mary Wadsworth (Deacon Ebenezer Wadsworth's Daughter) both of Milton were married by Peter Thacher Pastor.

Milton, Feb. 8, 1721-2. Nathaneel Vose & Rachel Bent both of Milton were Married By Peter Thacher Pastor.

Milton Feb. 23, 1721-2. Robert Lochridg was married to Hanna Clark both of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

Milton March 9, 1721-2. Moses Heiden was married to Jain Hunt both of Milton by me Peter Thacher Past^r.

May 3, 1722. Robert Carter Cowel of Boston was married to Jane Vose of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

May 10, 1722. Isaac Adams of Sherborn was married to Martha Vose of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

May 24, 1722. Robert Anderson was married to Abigail Bagley both of Milton By Peter Thacher Past^r.

Aug^t 14, 1722. John Kelton was married to Sarah Badcock both of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

Sep^r 27, 1722. Ebenezer Houghton of Milton was married to Sarah Evans of Dorchester By Peter Thacher Pastor.

✓ Dec. 27, 1722. Benjamine Crane was married to Abigail Houghton both of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

January 3, 1722-3. m^r Stephen Winchester of Brockline & m^{rs} Hannah Gulliver of Milton were married in Milton by Peter Thacher Pastor.

March 26, 1723. Andrew M^{ce} Kee and Jerusha Vose both of Milton were married By Peter Thacher Pastor.

May 30, 1723. m^r William Lackey of Boston was married to m^{rs} Sarah Woodey of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

June 20, 1723. m^r Benjamine Fenno & m^{rs} Abigail Wadsworth both of Milton were married by Peter Thacher Pastor.

July 5, 1723. m^r Seth Gulliver & Thankful Trot both of Milton were married in Milton By me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Nov. 14, 1723. m^r Joshua Hayward of Braintree & m^{rs} Elizabeth Niles of Milton were married in Milton By me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Nov. 26, 1723. m^r James Endicot of Dorchester & m^{rs} Hester Clap of Milton were married in Milton By me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Dec. 26, 1723. m^r George Sumner Jun^r & m^{rs} Susanna Clap both of Milton were married in Milton by Peter Thacher Past^r.

Feb. 13, 1723-4. Joseph Bent was married to Martha Houghton both of Milton By me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Feb. 25, 1723-4. Benjamin Baxter was married to Abigail Beal both of Braintry By P. T.

April 9, 1724. Simon Blake & Hannah Badcock both of Milton were Married in Milton by Peter Thacher Pastor.

April 30, 1724. Robert Swan of Dorchester & Mary Craine of Milton were Married in Milton By me Peter Thacher Pastor.

July 1, 1724. m^r John Crehore of Milton & m^{rs} Mehitable Billings of Dorchester were married in Milton by Peter Thacher Pastor.

Octo. 26, 1724. Robert Miller of Volentown & Jean Pateson of Milton were married in Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

March 10, 1724-25. Cap^t John Billing of Dorchester & m^{rs} Mary Vose of Milton were Married in Milton By me P. Thacher Past^r.

Milton. March 10, 1724-5. m^r Roger Sumner & m^{rs} Sarah Badcock both of Milton were Married by me Peter Thacher Pastor.

May 6, 1725. m^r Moses Billings of Dorchester & m^{rs} Miriam Vose of Milton were married by me Peter Thacher Pastor.

May 26, 1725. m^r Timothy Tolman of Dorchester & m^{rs} Elizabeth Wadsworth of Milton were married by me P. T.

June 10, 1725. m^r John Davenport of Dorchester & m^{rs} Mary Bent of Milton were married In Milton By me P. T.

Sept 16, 1725. m^r David Vose & m^{rs} Mehetable Miller both of Milton were married in Milton By me P. T. Pastor.

Dec. 1, 1725. m^r David Copland of Bridgewater was married to m^{rs} Elizabeth Bent of Milton by me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Dec. 9, 1725. M^r Samuel Kinsley was married to m^{rs} Mary Gulliver both of Milton by me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Dec. 30, 1725. m^r Edward Adam Junior was married to Deliverance Trot both of Milton by me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Milton. March 31, 1726. m^r Pennel Deming of Pomfret was Married to m^{rs} Ann Sumner of Milton By Me P. T. Pastor.

Milton. July 15, 1726. m^r Amos Wadland of Boston was Married to m^{rs} Jemima Fenno of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

Nov. 24, 1726. m^r Nathanael Stearns of Plainfeild was married to m^{rs} Anna Blake of Milton by Peter T. Pastor.

Dec. 8, 1726. m^r Joseph Fenno of Dorchester was married to m^{rs} Sarah White of Milton By Me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Dec. 14, 1726. m^r James Leonard of Taunton was married to m^{rs} Lidea Gulliver of Milton By Me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Dec. 15, 1726. M^r John Fenno Jun^r of Dorchester was married to m^{rs} Hannah Billing of Milton By Me Peter Thacher Pastor.

Dec. 15, 1726. m^r James Meares of Roxbury was married to m^{rs} Mehitabel Davenport by P. T.

February 9, 1726-7. m^r Joseph Hunt was Married to m^{rs} Esther Searle both of Milton by P. T.

Feb. 17, 1726-7. m^r Eliashib Faxson of Braintry was Married to m^{rs} Elizabeth Crane of Milton by P. T. Pastor.

March 2, 1726-7. Thomas White was married to Rachel Horton both Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

March 30, 1727. m^r John Ireland of Charlestown was married to m^{rs} Sarah Shepard of Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

April 4, 1727. m^r Justus Soper & m^{rs} Susanna Sumner both of Milton were married at Milton By P. T. Pastor.

Sept 6, 1727. Henry Crane & Mellatiah Vose both of Milton were married In Milton By Peter Thacher Pastor.

