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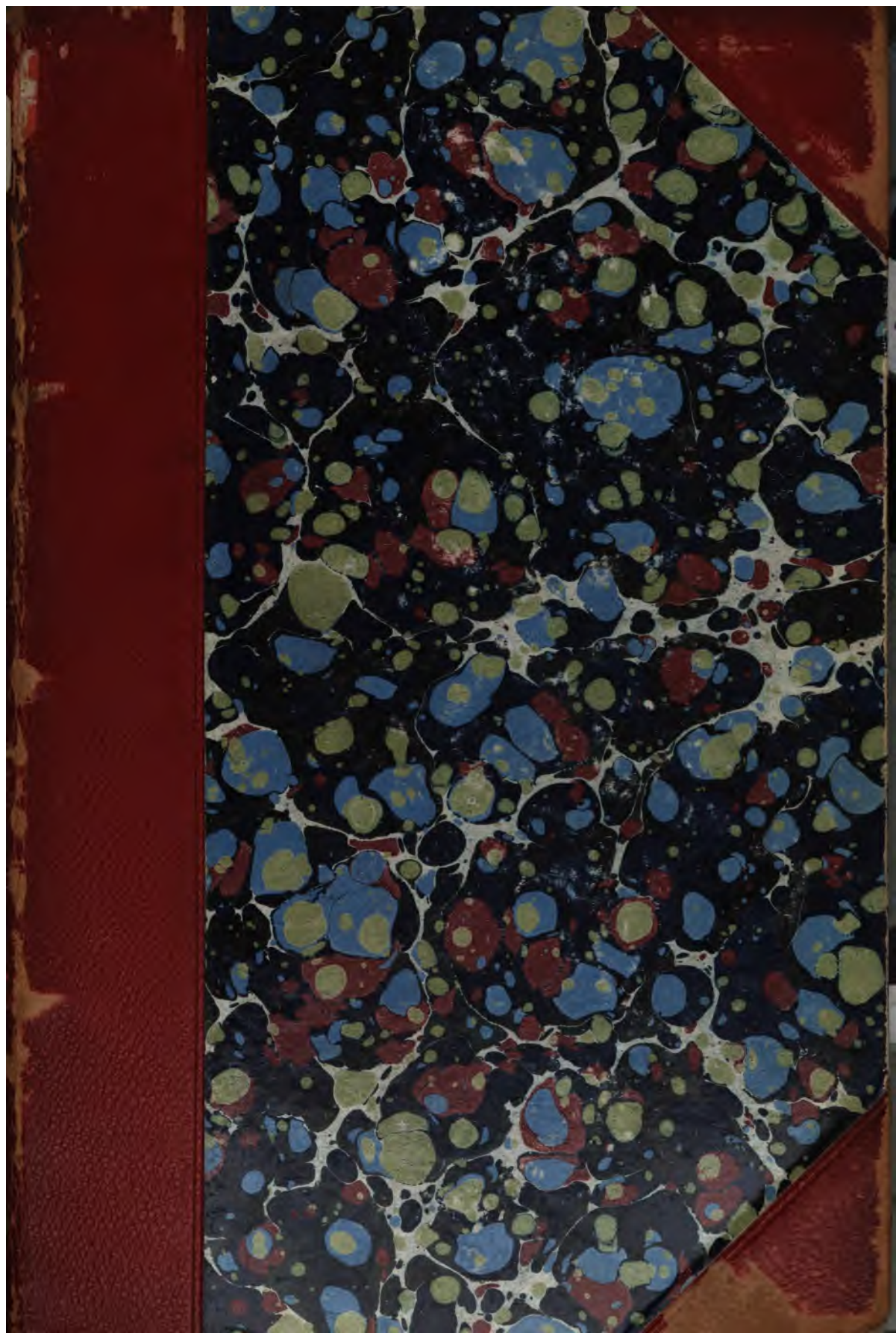
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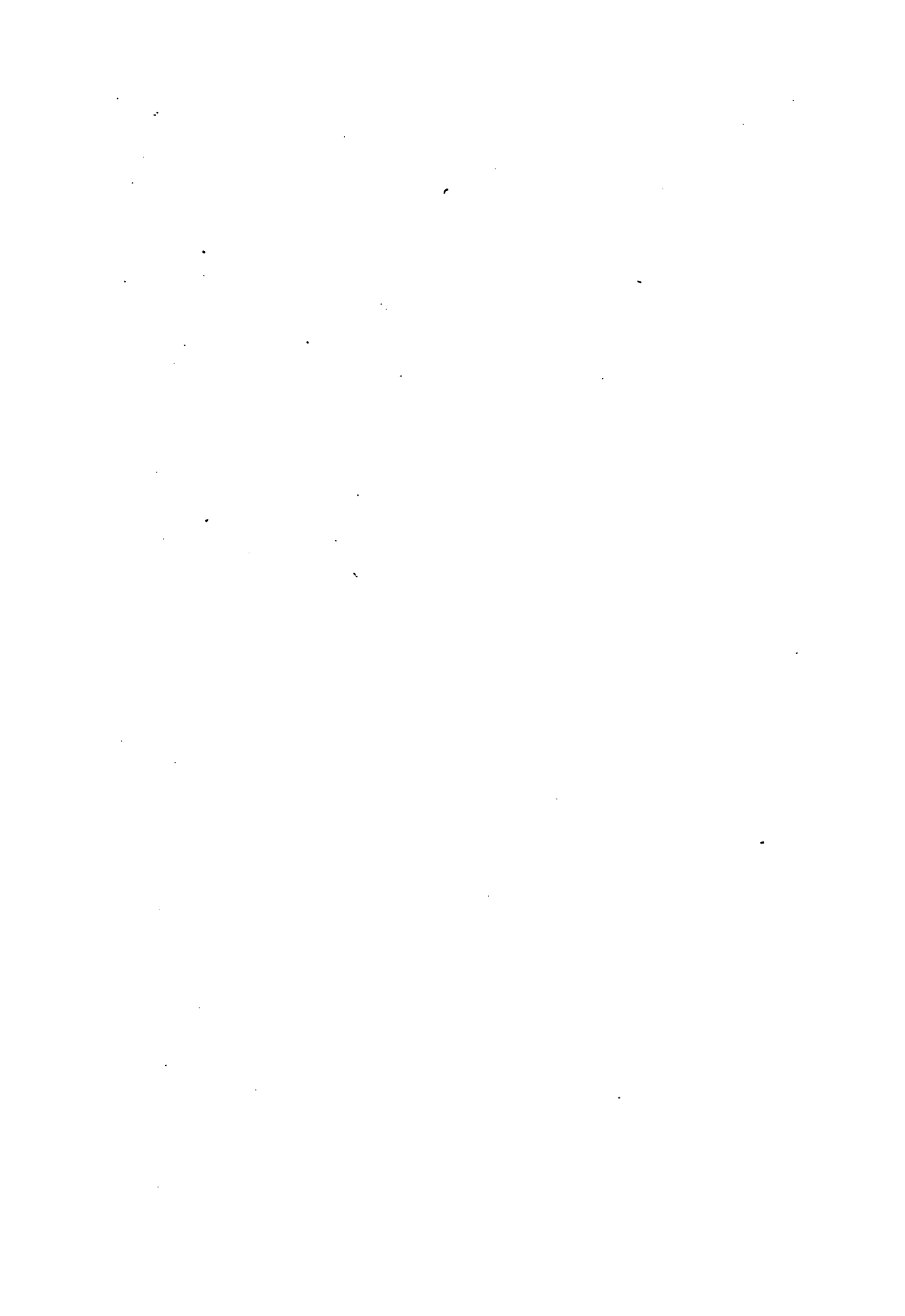
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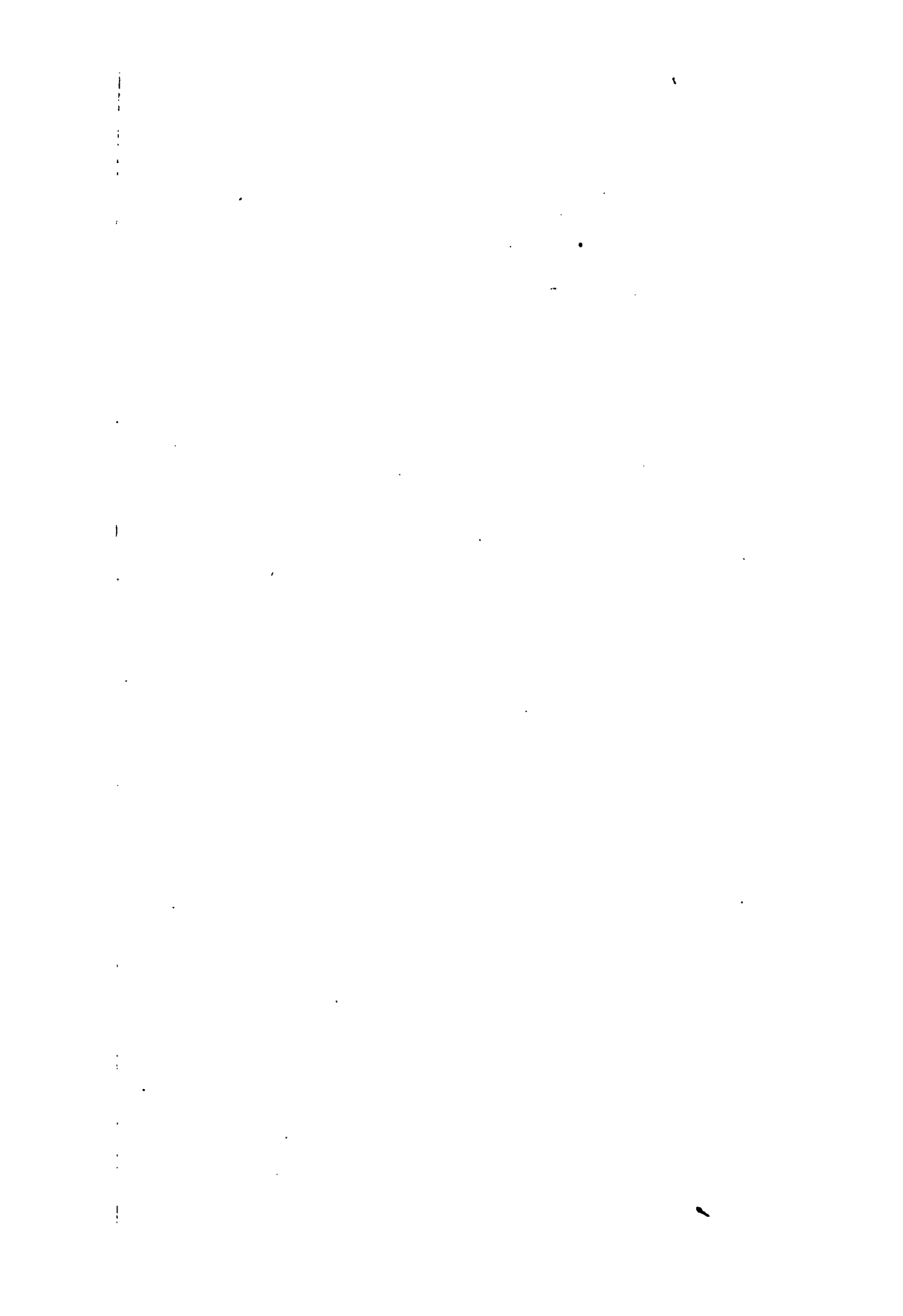
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INTRODUCTORY NOTES.

The town of Lee, Mass., was formed from parts of Great Barrington and Washington, the Glass Works Grant, and part of Williams's Grant. It was incorporated Oct. 21, 1777, and the first town meeting was held Dec. 26, 1777.

The number of inhabitants at the time of incorporation have been variously estimated from 250 to 350. It is probable that the latter number is more correct. In 1791 the population was 1,170; in 1800 it was 1,267.

The first settlers were mostly from neighboring towns, and from Connecticut. Several families, however, were from Plymouth and Barnstable counties, and several Dutch families from New York, were located on the Hoplands, and Glass Works Grant. Soon after the incorporation, a considerable accession to the population was made by families from Barnstable, Sandwich, Wareham, Falmouth and other Cape towns, where the sea-faring occupations of the people had been partly suppressed by the British during the War of the Revolution, forcing them to seek a subsistence elsewhere.

The publishments and marriages, birth, and deaths among these pioneers, which are recorded on our town and church records, with also, the few inscriptions in our early burial grounds are gathered into this volume.

The vital records of the town clerks include all entries to the present century, but as the birth records in this town were arranged by families until 1844, when the present uniform system of vital records went into effect in this state, in order to make this department of the records satisfactory, and of use to genealogists, each of these family records is given as completely as recorded — several extending into the third decade of the present century.

The town clerks for the period over which the birth records in the volume extend, were as below, with the term of service of each:—

Prince West was chosen at the first town meeting and served to March 18, 1782, but according to the first two publishments recorded (see p. 1), he acted as such before he was chosen Dec. 26, 1777; Thomas Beecher served from March 18, 1782 to April 7, 1783; Nathan Dillingham from April 7, 1783 to March 4, to 1793, and also from March 7, 1814 to March 4, 1816; Daniel Wilcox from March 4, 1793 to March 3, 1806; Nathaniel

Thayer from March 3, 1806 to March 9, 1807; Cornelius T. Fessenden from March 9, 1807 to March 7, 1814; Ransom Hinman from March 4, 1816 to March 8, 1824.

The records prior to Jan. 24, 1791, were first entered in a make-shift book, from which they were transcribed into a more permanent volume by Mr. John Powers, in accordance with a vote of the town Dec. 20, 1790. The original has not been preserved. The copy appears to be the work of a man of slight education. It abounds in rare orthography and construction, but is in a fairly legible hand. Mainly the records for that period pertain to town meeting transactions, elections for state and county officers, cattle marks, and road surveys;—the vital records received little consideration.

The copied part of the records extend over more than thirteen years from the town's incorporation, and the vital records entered during that time, were the publishments and marriages on the first two and a half pages of this volume, and the following birth records:—

Joseph Freeman Austin, p. 12;
 Sarah, Abigail and Rebecca Dillingham, p. 21;
 Children of Asahel Dodge, except Samuel p. 21;
 Percival record to Hannah, p. 33;
 Walker record, excepting death of Caleb, p. 38;
 Mary, Prudence, and John Brewster West, p. 39;
 Christian and Azuba Wood, p. 42.

The dates of most of the above mentioned births, prove that they were originally recorded by Dillingham, and judging from the peculiar form of entry, it is probable the others were recorded by West.

The only death noted is that of Huldah Walker, in the above mentioned Walker record.

The list of marriages at the bottom of p. 3, was recorded by Nathan Dillingham, and a few birth records are in his writing, also the record of Caleb Walker's death. Several of the publishments of the preceding clerk were recorded by Daniel Wilcox. It is supposed that the record of publishments and marriages by the latter is complete. Most of the birth records herein printed are wholly or in part in his writing.

Wilcox's records are not very plain. Evidently he drove a rapid, and careless quill. In his manuscript small e and i are generally indistinguishable, and the same character often stands for small a, o and u. Altogether his writing is very peculiar. Numerous words are not fully written out,—the most frequent fault in this respect being the omission of a letter or syllable from the end of words. The last peculiarity is not often seen in his vital records, but cler for clerk appears in the last intention on p. 5, and several times also on pp. 7, 8, 9. Some date-errors also appear; as for instance, he records that his brother Oziel was killed at Sheffield, March 27, 1787. Oziel was an adherent of Daniel Shays, and was killed in the skirmish which took place between the insurgents and state forces at Sheffield

Feb. 27, 1787. Other errors of date have been noticed, and where considerable are noted. His record of the death of his brother Peter (p. 46), and of his sister Electa (p. 48), are circumstantial to an extent seldom attempted by town clerks.

The records in Dillingham's own hand, and those by the other clerks, were more carefully written, and probably are more correct.

For further information regarding the birth records, consult note on p. 12, and regarding the record of deaths, consult note on p. 43.

There are doubtless some gaps in the continuity of the church records before Dr. Hyde's pastorate, but the names of all members of the church are mentioned therein, which appear for that period in the first published list (supposed date 1818), except David Baker, and Stephen Tobey, received in 1792. Whether all the baptisms are mentioned, cannot be determined.

The records kept by Dr. Hyde contain a list of all baptisms, admissions to the church, marriages solemnized by him, and deaths in town from June 6, 1792 to the time of his death in 1833. His records herein printed are limited to the close of the year 1800.

The matter from both the town and church records, has been carefully printed from the original manuscripts — the spelling, abbreviations, and punctuation being exactly given, and since it was printed has been compared with the original; and all typographical errors, which have been discovered, have been corrected or are noted among the errata on p. 108.

All the inscriptions antedating 1801 in the early burial grounds are carefully reproduced, and the marriages of some Lee people recorded in other towns, are given in the appendix; also several family records inadvertently omitted from the records of births, pp. 12-42.

The reason the volume is limited to so short a period of the town's existence is that it has been for the most part printed from forms for a larger book which contains all the extant records of the town officers, Congregational church, Hopland School District, etc., for the same period, — a few necessary changes of type having been made.

It was thought a few copies containing only the matter herein given, might be of value for local use, and for genealogical libraries, and so it was proposed to print 150 copies, but in printing, several extra sheets were struck off — the whole being 158.

Publishments and Marriages.

December 16th AD: 1777 then Was Noah Burdin of Lee and Avis Th* * * † of Chesterfield Was Published According to Law by me Prince West Town Clark —

December 22^d AD: 1777 then Was Ichabod Backus and Deliverance Hamlin both of Lee Was Published According to Law by me Prince West Town Clark —

February 2^d AD: 1778 then Was Amos fuller of Skeenborough and Anne Huggins of Lee Was Published as the Law Directs By me Prince West Town Clark —

March 19th AD: 1778 then Jacob Pratt of great Barington and Meribah Chanter of Lee Was Published as the Law Directs By Prince West Town Clark

March 19th 1778 Jacob Pratt and Meribah Chanter Was Joined in Lawful Wedlock By me Jah! Woodbridge Juse Peace

Lee March 25th A D: 1778 then Receiv'd and Recorded the above By me Prince West Town Clark

April 6th AD: 1778 then Jesse Clark and Sarah foot Both of Lee Was Published as the Law Directs ꝑr me Prince West Town Clark

July 28th AD: 1778 then the Intention of Marage Between George Chanter of Lee and Martha Owen of great Barington Was made Publick ꝑr me Prince West

Sep: 24 AD: 1778 then the Intention of Marage Between Constant Bozworth of Sanderfield [and] Marcy West was made Publick as the Law Directs Pr me Prince West

December 20 AD: 1778 then the intention of Marage Between Samuel Wright of Lee and Jeminiah Hencock of Springfield Was made Publick as the Law Directs Pr me Prince West †

January 20 AD: 1779 then was Published george Adkins and Sarah Dimmuck as the Law Directs Pr me Prince West —

† Record mutilated, —see p. 93.

‡ “The intention of Marriage between Sam! Wright of Lee and Jemima Hancock of Springfield are here entered Novr 30th anno Domini 1778 Notification posted ye 5th Day of Decr following”

Springfield Records of Marriages, Vol. 2, Page 210.

I find no record of the marriage of the above named persons.

[Signed,] E. A. Newell, City Clerk. [1897.]

Orasha Strong and Pasahance Stevens Was Published as the Law Directs
february 20th AD: 1779 Pr me Prince West —

february 20 AD: 1779 Timothy Treat of Lenox and Bulah Strong of Lee
Was Published as the Law Directs Pr me Prince West —

Published March the 1st AD: 1779 the Intention of Marage Between
Orasha Strong and Patiance Stevens Both of Lee as the Law Directs
Prince West

March 4th 1779 The Within Named Orasha Strong and Patience Stevens
Was Joyned in Lawful Wedlock Before me Stephen West
a True Copy atested By me Prince West Town Clark —

Published March the 3^d AD: 1779 fenner foot and sarah Willcox Both
of Lee Pr me Prince West Clark

March the 11th 1779 the Within named fenner foot and Sarah Willcox
was Joyned in Lawful Wedlock Before me Stephen West
a true Cppy Tested by me Prince West Town Clark

Published August 20 AD: 1779 francis Nye And Meriam Dodge Both of
Lee as the Law Directs By me Prince West Town Clark

Lee Sep: 2^d 1779 the Within Name[d] francis Nye and Meriam Dodge
was Joyned in Lawful Wedlock before me Stephen West
a True Copy Attest By me Prince West Town Clark

Lee October 10th AD: 1779 then Intention of Marage Between John
Nye of Lee and Louis West of Tolland has been published as the Law directs

Lee October 12 AD: 1779 then the Intention of Marage Between Eben-
ezer West of Lee and Mehitibel Nye of Wilingtown Was Published as the
Law Directs

Lee October 13th 1779 then the Within Named Seth Nye and Ama West
Ware Joyned in Lawful Wedlock before me Stephen West —

Lee June 20th AD: 1780 the Day Aaron Wormer and Pheba Vallet * * * †
Published as the Law Directs Pr me Prince West —

October Published Lewis Hatch of Lee and Mary Davis of Lee Pr me
Prince West T Clark

November 24 AD: 1780 Nathaniel Gillet of Newlebenon [and] Sibbel
Calkins of * * * † Published Pr me Prince West Town Clark

December 3 AD: 1780 Published Amasiah Dotty of Plimtown and Bathiah
Hamlin of Lee By me Prince West Town Clark

December 10 AD: 1780—Published John haas of Kinderhooch and ficha
Howk of Lee Pr me Prince West

Lee March 19 AD: 1782 Nathaniel Toby and Deborah finney Was Pub-
lished as the Law Directs Pr me Prince West

The Within Named Nathaniel Toby & Deborah finney Ware Joyned in
Lawful Wedlock Before me W^m Ingersoll Justice of the Peace

March 21 AD: 1782

† Record mutilated.

Lee 1782 Solomon Davis [and] Martha Mansfield Both of Lee are Published According to the Custom of the Town Pr me T B T C

Lee 1782 Jedediah Crocker and Sarah Gifford both of Lee are published According to the Custom of the Town pr me T B Town Clark —

Lee 1782 Ozial Willcox [and] Lois goodrich both of Lee are Published According to the Custom of the Town Pr me T B Town Clark
[See below for marriage.]

Lee November the 16th 1782 Jared Ingersoll of Lee Elizarbeth Nibelow of Sharron are Published According to the Custom of the town pr me T B Town Clark

Lee November the 24 AD: 1782 Ely Bradley and Phebe Bartiline Both of Lee Are Published According to the Custom of the Town pr me T B—Town Clark

Sunday April 18th 1783 Wm Ingersoll Jur and Marcy Crocker were Published by N Dillingham

Published the following, Isral Smith & Mehattabel Howard
Walter Tiffany & Sally Avery —
Levi West & Bathshua Rider —
David Baker & Vina Crocker —
Peter Willcox Jr & Polly Mansfield —
Jesse Bartholomew & Mamry Bradley —
Married May 26th 1784—Isaac Grant & Hanah Tracey

[The foregoing Publishments and Marriages are in the writing of John Powers, copyist The following list of Marriages is in Nathan Dillingham's writing:]

Marriages.

Capt Josiah Yale married to Ruth Tracey Septemr 26th 1776. —
Nehemiah Smith & Fanny Mansfield, May 28th 1789.
David Foot & Betsey Hamlin — Jan 7 — 12th 1789.
Rufus Stanton Jr & Rachel Eddey - Octr 18th 1789.
John Green & Martha Hamlin Decr 1st 1789
Calvin Ingersoll & Lydia Barlow Octr 8th 1789
John Sutherland & Jerusha Stanley Feb— 1790
Lemuel Barlow & Thankful Bassett Dec. 23^d 1785
Oziel Willcox & Lois Goodrich Octr 10th 1782 —
Sylvenus Gifford & Tabitha Dexter Decr 2^d 1790
Duncan Shaw & Abigail Gifford - Jan. 6th 1791
Benja Clark & Sarah Cole both of Lenox Sepr -1-1790
Seth Barden & Bethiah Dimmuck Decr 19th 1790 —

[The records of the following Publishments and Marriages are in Daniel Wilcox's writing.]

The intention of Marriage between Jonathan Walley of Richmond and Mary Winslow of Lee was made public July 18th 1792 by Nathn Dillingham
And married by Revd Alvan Hyde July 19th 1792

The intention of marriage between Ebenr Jenkins Jr & Lydia Smith both of Lee was made public August 9th 1792 by Nathan Dillingham T. Clerk
And married by Revd Alvan Hyde Augt 23^d 1792

The intention of marriage between Heman Bradley & Anne West both of Lee was made publick August 28th 1792 by Nathn Dillingham T. Clerk
And married by Rev'd Alvan Hyde Novr 29th 1792

The intention of marriage between Josiah Willoughby & Sally Backus both of Lee was made public October 16th 1792 by Nathan Dillingham T. Clerk
And married by Revd Alvan Hyde Octr 18 1792 —

The intention of marriage between Joshua Nye & Charta Parker both of Lee was made public Novr 18th 1792 by Nathan Dillingham T. Clerk
And married by Revd Alvan Hyde Novr 20th 1792

The intention of marriage between Walley Backus & Grace Vandusen both of Lee was made public Jan'y 17th 1793 by Nathan Dillingham T. Clerk
And married by Revd Alvan Hyde Jan'y 17th 1793

The intention of marriage between Ichabod L[a]throp of Anodaque & Esther Pixley of Lee was made public Jan,y 31—1793 by Nathan Dillingham T. Clerk
And married by Rev,d Alvan Hyde Jan'y 31—1793

The intention of marriage between Ancel Bassett & Hannah Dimmuck was made public March 1st 1793 by Nathan Dillingham T. Clerk and married by the Revd Alvan Hyde Ap! 11th 1793

The intention of marriage between Rev'd Alvan Hyde of Lee and Lucy Fessenden of Sandwich were made public April 4th 1793 by D Willcox T. C
And married by Rev'd Stephen West Ap! 25th 1793 —

The intention of Marriage between Asael Foot & Anne Abbot was made public Aug.20th 1793 by Dan! Willcox T. Clerk. And married by the Rev'd Alvan Hyde Aug.21st 1793. —

The intention between Jabez Bursley & Abigail Perry both of Lee were made public June 30 1793 by Dan! Willcox T. C. A[nd] married by the Revd Alvan Hyde Octr 17th 1793 —

The intention of marriage between Joseph Whiton & Amanda Garfield were made public Octr 11th 1793 by Dan! Willcox T. C. And married by the Revd Alvan Hyde Octr 17th 1793 —

The intention of marriage between Pardon Austin of Tyringham and Rhoda Stanton of Lee was made public Novr 28th 1793 by Dan! Willcox T. C. and married the same evening by the Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of Marriage between Crispus Shaw & Levina Shaw both of Lee was made public Feby 24th 1794 by Daniel Willcox T. Clerk and married by Ebenr Jenkins Esq May 8th 1794

The intention of marriage between Jacob Penoyer & Alice Hoyt Crocker both of Lee was made public March 21 1794 by Danl Willcox T Clerk and married March 27th 1794 by the Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage between Ephm Sheldon of Stockbridge and Lydia Gifford of Lee was made public May 25th 1794 by Danl Willcox T. C. and married the Same Evening by the Revd Alvan Hyde. †

The intention of Marriage between Silas Easton of East Hartford and Rachel Nye of Lee was made public June 25th 1794 by Danl Willcox T. C. and married by the Revd Alvan Hyde June 30th 1794 —

The intention of Marriage between Daniel Willcox & Lydia Ball both of Lee was made public June — 1794 and married on the Sabbath October 19th 1794 by the Revd Alvan Hyde —

The intention of marriage between Isaac Barlow and Sally Casey both of Lee was made public July 6th 1794 and married July 8th 1794 by the Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage was made public July 20th 1794 between Joseph Hinkley and Polly Stewart both of Lee by Danl Willcox T. C. and Married Novr 19th 1794 by A. Hyde

The intention of marriage between Stephen Dexter & Lydia Backus both of Lee was made public July 21st 1794 by D. Willcox T. Clerk and married by the Revd Alvan Hyde Octr 24th 1794 —

The intention of marriage between David Hamlin and Sally Backus both of Lee was made public July 28th 1794 by D. Willcox T. C & married October 8th 1794 by Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage between John Read of Stockbridge & Elizabeth Crocker of Lee was made Public Aug. 18th 1794 by D. Willcox T. Clerk and married Aug. 24th 1794 by the Revd Alvan Hyde — †

The intention of marriage between Abraham Finney and & Huldah Gifford both of Lee was made public Sept 17th 1794 by Danl Willcox T. Clerk and married by the Revd Alvan Hyde Novr 20th 1794

The intention of marriage between Israel Thompson of Goshen & Sally Foot of Lee was made public as the Law directs October—1794 by Danl Willcox T. Cler

† In the Record of Marriages, Stockbridge, for 1794 is the following entry: "Ephraim Sheldon and Lydia Gifford of Lee were married May 23th."

‡ "John Read and Elizabeth Crocker of Lee were married August 24th." Ibid.

The intention of marriage between Josiah Crocker and Hannah Crosby both of Lee was made public October 27th 1794 by Dan^l. Willcox T. Clerk and married Jan^y 15th 1795 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage between Abijah Crosby & Caty Olds both of Lee was made public Nov^r 20th 1794 by Dan^l. Willcox T. Clerk and married January 15th 1795 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde —

The intention of marriage between Lemi Bradley of Lee, and Ruth Newel of Lenox was made public Feb. 18th 1795 by Dan^l. Willcox T. C- and married Feb. 19th 1795 by the Rev^d Alvan Hyde †

The intention of marriage between Benjamin Hamlin & Thankful Barlow both of Lee was made public Feb. 18th 1795 by D. Willcox T. Clerk and married Feb. 19th 1795 by the Rev^d Alvan Hyde —

The intention of marriage between Reuben Pixley Jr and Polly Chase both of Lee was made public June 1795 and Married June 1795 by the Rev^d Alvan Hyde —

[On the next page of the Records is another entry of the same, as follows:]

The intention of marriage between Reuben Pixley Jr & Polly Chase both of Lee was made public June 2^d 1795 by Dan^l. Willcox T. C- and married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde June 3^d 1795 —

Married June 27th 1795 Nath^l. Gleason & Polly Putman both of Becket by Eben^r. Jenkins Esq

The intention of marriage between William Sturges and Sallome Dimnuck both of Lee was made public Aug 31st 1795 by Dan^l. Willcox T. Clerk Married Sept^r 10th 1795 by Rev^d Alvan HyDE

[On the next page of the Records is the following entry of the same:]

The intention of marriage between W^m. Sturges and Salome Dimnuck both of Lee was made public Aug. 31 1795 by D. willcox T C — and married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde Sept^r 11th 1795

The intention of marriage between Stephen Johnston of Tyringham & Rebecca Clark of Lee was made public Aug. 31st 1795 by Dan^l. Willcox T. Clerk

The intention of marriage between Hope Davis and Lucy Bullard both of Lee was made public Sept^r 7th 1795 by Dan^l. Willcox T. Clerk and married the same day by the Rev^d Alvan Hyde

[On the next page of the Records is the following entry:]

This may Certify that the intention of marriage between Hope Davis & Lucy Bullard both of Lee was made public Sept^r 7th 1796 by D. Willcox T- C — and married the same day by Rev^d Alvan Hyde —

The intention of Marriage between Ichabod Sherman of Woodbury (Connecticut) and Avice Collins of Lee was made public Jan^y 3^d 1796 by D. Willcox T. Clerk —

† "1795, Feb. 4. Lemi Bradley of Lee and Ruth Newel of Lenox."

From Lenox T. R., Book 1 (original), page 363 under Intentions.

The intention of Marriage between Lewis Gifford of Lee and Betsy Backus of Lee was made public Jan^y 1796 by D. W. T Cler and married Jan^y 22 1797 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde —

The intention of Marriage between Nath^l Hudson of Grenville and Nabby Hinkley of Lee was made public Feb. 1796 by Dan^l Willcox T Clerk and married June 28th 1796 by the Rev^d Alvan Hyde

[On the next page of the Records is the following entry of the same:]

The intention of marriage between Nath^l Hudson of Grenville and Nabby Hinkley was made public Feb. 4th 1796 by D W. T Clerk and married June 28 1796 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde —

The intention of marriage between Reuben Penoyer & Polly Gifford both of Lee was made public Feb. 9th 1796 by D. Willcox T. C — and married March 19th 1796 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage between Paul Ewer & Susannah Hamblin both of [Lee] was made public Feb. 16th 1796 by D. Willcox T. Clerk and Married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde Feb. 18th 1796

The intention of marriage between Benjⁿ Adams & Sarah Parker both of Lee was made Public March 10th 1796 by D. Willcox T. C — and married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde on the same Evening

The intention of marriage between Jacob Winegar & Anne Parker both of Lee was made public June— 1796 by Dan^l Willcox T. Clerk Married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde Nov^r 1796

The intention of marriage between Moses Ingersoll of Lee & Prudence Taylor of Tyringham was made public July 8th 1796 by Daniel Willcox T. Clerk

The intention of marriage between Simpⁿ Wright of Rutland & Susanna Abbot of Lee, made public Nov^r 8th 1796—married Nov. 8th 1796

The intention of marriage between Ozias Judd & Lucena Hulett both of Lee was made public Nov^r 27th 1796 by D. Willcox T. Clerk and married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde Dec^r 15—1796

The intention of marriage between Eph^m Williams & Jemima Wormer both of Lee was made public Dec^r 4—1796 by D. W. T. Cler and married by Rev^d Alvan HYDE Jan^y 26—1797 —

The intention of marriage between Sam^l Winegar & Tabitha Crocker both of Lee was made public Dec^r 11th 1796 by D. Willcox T. Clerk and married by Rev.^d Alvan Hyde Jan^y 12th 1797

The intention of marriage between Harvey Osborn of Royal-Grant and Caty Gifford of Lee was made public Dec^r 15th 1796 by D. W. T. Clerk — Married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde Dec^r 25th 1796

The intution of marriage between Nathⁿ Bassett & Azuba Jones both of Lee was made public Dec^r 25th 1796 by D. Willcox T. Clerk and married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde Jan^y 12—1797

The intution of Marriage between Peleg Barlow & Esther Griffin both of Lee was made public Jan^y 1st 1797 by D. Willcox T. Cler^k and married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde Jan^y 19th 1797

The intution of marriage between Nathan Ball J^r and Fear Chadwick both of Lee was made public Jan^y 8th 1797 by Dan^l Willcox T. Clerk and married by Rev^d Alvan Hyde June 29th 1797

The intution of marriage between Benjⁿ Bassett of Tyringham and Molly Winslow of Lee was made public Jan^y 8th 1797 by D. Willcox T. Cler and Married Jan^y 23^d 1797 by Jo^s Avery —

The intution of Marriage between Zina Hinkley and Betsey Ball both of Lee was made public Feb. 26—1797 by D. Willcox T Cler Married June 29th 1797 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde

The intution of Marriage between Job Northrup of Lenox & Sally Bennet of Lee was made Public Sept^r 10th 1797 by D. Willcox T. C. Married Oct^r 19th 1797 by Rev^d A Hyde †

The intution of Marriage between Jer^h Vallet & Abiah Mott both of Lee was made Public Sept^r 10th 1797 by D. Willcox T. Cler Married Oct^r 4th 1797 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde

The intution of Marriage between W^m Foot of Stockbridge and Abia Vallet of Lee was made public Sept^r 10th 1797 by D. W. T. Cler Married Nov^r 9th 1797 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde †

The intution of marriage between Dan^l Parker of Sandisfield & Anne Handy of Lee was made public Sept^r 17—1797 by D. Willcox T. Cler Married Nov^r 23. 1797.

The intution of marriage between Azel Huntington & Hannah Robinson both of Lee was made Oct^r 15—1797 by D. Willcox T. Cler

The intution of marriage between John Hulett of Lee & Hannah Walker of Tyringham was made public Oct^r 22—1797

The intution of marriage between Joseph Frarey of Becket and Sally Gifford made public Oct^r 29th 1797—Married Dec^r 28 1798 [1797]

The intution of marriage between W^m Bradley & Tabitha Hamblin both of Lee was made public Dec^r 17—1797 Married Jan^y 3^d 1798 by Rev^d Alvan Hyde

† This intution entered also, on the Lenox Records, Book 1 (original), page 333.

† "William Foot and Abia Vallet of Lee were married November 9th by Rev. Alvan Hyde." Stockbridge Records.

The intention of marriage between Calvin Davis & Hannah Crocker both of Lee was made public Decr 17—1797 by D. W
Married Feb. 1st 1798 by Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage between Levi Fowler of Stockbridge and Silence Chase of Lee was made public Feb. 4th 1798 by Danl Willcox T. Cler
married Feb. 22^d 1798 by Ebeneꝛ Jenkins Esq †

The intention of marriage between Elisha Dodge & Betsey Crosby both of Lee, made public Apl 15—1798 married June 21st 1798 by Revd A. Hyde

The intention of marriage between John White Jr of Norton, & Fear Perry of Lee, made public June 17—1798 by D. Willcox T. Cler—
Married Decr 13th 1798 by Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage between Alvan Foot of Lee & Sally Percival of Lenox made public June 24th 1798 by D. Willcox T. Cler. ‡

The intention of marriage between Joshua West of Lee and Mary Newell of Lenox made public Aug. 5th 1798 by D. Willcox T. Cler ††

The intention of marriage between Elijah Kilborn of Lee & Lydia Tooley of G^t Barrington made public Novr 25 1798
Married Jan^y 3^d 1799 by Rev^d A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Oliver Wedge of Litchfield and Martha Grant of Lee, made public Novr 25 1798
Married Decr 20th 1798 by Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage between Luther Day of Granville & Meribah Smith of Lee made public Decr 1798
Married May 12 1799 by Rev^d A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Lodowick Gardner & Hannah Vallet both of Lee made public Decr 6th 1798

The intention of marriage between Luther Ingersoll of Lee & Betsey Gardner of Tyringham made public Decr 15th 1798

The intention of marriage between Andrew Howk & Betsey Mansfield made public Feb. 24th 1799 Married March 21 1799 by Rev A Hyde

The intention of mariag between John Gardner of Tyringham & Delia Childs of Lee, made public Apl 14th 1799
Married Sept^r 22 1799 by Rev A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Levi Church of Lee, & Hannah Gardner of Tyringham, made public June 2. 1799.

† "Levi Fowler and Silence Chase of Lee were married Feb. 22nd, 1798 by Ebenezer Jenkins Esq."

‡ "By Rev. Samuel Shepard—Alvan Foot of Lee to Sarah Percival of Lenox September 27. h. 1798."
Lenox T. R., Book 1 (original), p. 340.

†† "By Rev. Samuel Shepard—Joshua West of Lee to Mary Newell of Lenox September 11th, 1798."
Ibid., p. 341.

The intention of marriage between Thomas Chadwick & Lucinda Ingersoll both of Lee made public June 9th 1799.
Married Sept: 16 1799 by Revd A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Eli Church of Lanesborough & Elizabeth Chadwick of Lee made public Octr 6th 1799.
Married Feby 6 1800 by Revd A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Timothy Thatcher of Lee and Dorothy Phelps of Hebron (Connect) made public Octr 1799

The intention of marriage between Jednathan West & Phebe Willcox both of Lee made public Decr 29th 1799
Married Apl 24th 1800 by Revd A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Simeon Clark & Lucy Backus both of Lee made Public Jan^y 5th 1800.
Married by Revd Alvan Hyde Jan^y 26—1800

The intention of marriage between Sam^l Barlow & Sena Wilcox both of Lee made public Apl 5th 1800 Married May 1 1800

The intention of marriag between Cornel^s Fessenden & Nancy Ball both of Lee made public Apl 1800
Married Aug. 8th 1800 by Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriag between John Rathbun & Celia Tobey both of Lee made public May 4th 1800 Married June 26 1800 by Rv. A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Benjn Davis of Tyringham & Thankful Hamblin of Lee made public May 11th 1800
And married by Eben^r Jenkins Esq June 5th 1800

The intention of marriage between Thomas Backus & Rebecca Couch both of Lee made public May 1800 Married Oct^r 30 1800 by Revd A. Hyde

The intention of marriage between Philip Packard of Stockbridge and Rachel Gifford of Lee, made public Aug. 11th 1800
Married Sept^r 1 1800 by Revd Hyde

The intention of marriage between Job Childs of Lee & Nabby Hamblin of Lenox made public Aug. 17th 1800 †

The intention of marriage between Asael Stanton & Polly Ball † both of Lee made public Sept^r 7th 1800 Married Oct^r 6th 1800 by Revd Alvan Hyde

The intention of marriage between Eben^r Porter & Eunice Yale both [of] Lee made public Sept^r 14th 1800 Married Jan^y 8th 1800 [1801] by Revd Alvan Hyde

† This intention also entered (same date) on Lenox T. R., Book 1 (original), p. 364.

‡ See p. 106.

The intention of marriage between Amasa Porter & Betsey Winegar both of Lee made public Sept: 14th 1800 Married Oct: 30—1800 by A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Job Childs & Rhodah Hatch both of Lee made public Sept: 28th 1800 Married Oct: 30 1800 by Rev A Hyde

The intention of marriage between James Nye & Thankful Crocker both of Lee, made public Oct: 12th 1800 Married Jan: 23—1801 by Rev. A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Edward Hatch of Lee & Lucy Taylor Lenox made public Oct: 12th 1800 †

The intention of marriage between James Whiton & Deborah Bassett both of Lee made public Nov: 9th 1800 Married Dec: 18 1800 by Rev. A Hyde

The intention of marriage between Matthew Vandusen of Lee & Betsey Brayman of Tyringham, made public Nov: 9th 1800

The intention of marriage between Rev: Jabez Chadwick of Salem & Sally Stewart of Lee, made Public Dec: 1800 Married Jan: 8th 1801 by Rev: Alvan Hyde —

[Among the entries in 1803, is the following:]

This may certify that the intention of marriage between John Remmele & Hannah Barlow both of Lee [was] made public Feby 16, 1796 married by Rev: Alvan Hyde April 19th 1796

† This intention is also in the Lenox Records (same date), and the marriage recorded as follows: "1801, Jan: 1st Edward Hatch of Lee to Lucy Taylor of Lenox."

Note—From the appearance of the Records, it would seem that the publishments and marriages were not always promptly recorded, but were allowed to accumulate and entered when convenient. Thus several of Nathan Dillingham's publishments were recorded by the succeeding clerk, Daniel Wilcox. The entries also, are not always given chronologically, and there are several entered twice. The small number of entries between 1780 and 1790 can only be explained on the presumption that they are not all given.

The marriages of several Lee people have been found on the records of other towns, and will be given in the appendix.

Records of Births.

Note:—The following family birth records, which in the original are scattered over many pages without order, are arranged alphabetically for convenience of consultation.—All births recorded prior to January 1, 1801, are given, and every record commenced, given in full, except those of Ransom and Polly Hinman, and Reuben and Susanah Carey—no children being born to them until after the above date.

In some of these family records, all the births seem to have been recorded at the same time; in others after one or more had been recorded, space was left, which in some cases remains blank, but in some, more space, as the years passed was required, and the record was continued on another page.

Children of Seth Abbot Jr & Irene his wife

Cynthia born Sept: 23, 1797

Children of Benjamin Adams & Sarah his wife

James T. born July 7th 1797.

Joseph Freeman Austin, son of James and Achsah Austin, born May 3^d 1790 —

Zafne Austin born Feb. 18th 1792 Died Aug. 26, 1793

An infant born May 4, 1798 Died May 4, 1798

John Novr: 9 1799

Children of Ichabud Backus & Deliverence his wife

Deborah born Jan: 29 — 1779 Simeon Ap^l 16 1786

Joshua born Ap^l 16 — 1781 Cornelius Oct^r 8th 1788

Job, Feby 10 — 1784 David March 31 — 1791

Deliverence his wife died Novr: 13th 1793

Children of Walley Backus, & Grace his wife.

Alma Gager, born Octr 25th 1794.	Elizabeth born Octr 24 — 1807
Azel Huntington, Janr 26th 1797.	Walley — Dec 23 — 1809
Remember Toby, July 8th 1799.	Leander — June 10, 1812
Walley, Augt 4th 1801. Died	Jane E March 19, 1814
Mathew Vandusen, Janr 15th 1804.	George Allen Feby 27 1817.
A Son, born May 6th 1806, & died May 7th	

Children of Thomas Bailey, & Esther his wife.

Smith born in Haddam, Connecticut Novr 3 ^d 1789.	
Wealthy May 18th 1792.	David April 2 ^d 1801.
Orren July 21 st 1794.	Oliver Octr 30 th 1803.
Thomas born May 28 th 1797.	

Children of David Baker & Silvina his wife

Sally	born	Sept: 10th	1784	
Lydia	—	March 5th	1786	
Lemuel	—	July 8th	1788	
Silvina	—	Octr 30th	1790	
David	—	Sept: 1 st	1793	
Samuel Crocker	born	May 9th	1796	
John	—	Feb. 16	1799	
Avis	born	Sept: 2d	1801	Died the same day
An infant	born	Novr 14th	1802	& died Novr 15th 1802
Ebenr		Ap! 3d	1804	Died Ap! 4th 1804
Nancy	Born	Feby. 22,	1806	
Avis Crocker		August 16th	1808	

Children of Nathan & Ruhamah Ball

Nathan	Born	Feby. 23 ^d	1768	- in Stockbridge
Lydia	"	June 6th	1769	Do
Polly	"	March 16th	1772	Do
Sarah	"	April 25th	1773	Do — Died —
Elizabeth	"	Janr 21 st	1775	Do
Martha	"	May 13th	1776	— Lee
John	"	July 25th	1777	"
Anna	"	Decr 14th	1778	"
James	"	Octobr 18th	1781	"
Samuel	"	Augt 20th	1783	"
Isaac	"	July 1 st	1786	"
Joseph	"	April 30th	1787	"
Sally	"	Octobr 31 st	1788	"

Children of Nathan Ball, & Fear his wife.

Lucy	born	Oct ^r 17 th 1798.	Rhoda	born	Jan ^y 6 th 1807.
Nancy	—	July 20 th 1800.	William	—	July 29, 1809
Amanda	—	Sept ^r 19 th 1802.	Rhode	—	May 1, 1812
Nathan	—	Aug ^t 31 st 1804.	Harriot	—	March, 1814

Children of Lot Barden, & Lucinda his wife.

Sally,	born	June 2 ^d 1795.	Jerusha,	born	April 8 th 1803.
Deborah,	—	Feb ^y 17 th 1797.	Asa,	—	May 16 th 1805.
Betsey,		Feb ^y 27 th 1799.	Isaac	—	July 10 1807.
Elijah,		May 29 th 1801.			

Lydia R. Barlow, Daughter of Peleg & Esther Barlow, born Feb. 5th 1798.

Children of Ancel Bassett & Hannah his wife.

an Infant born May 6, 1797 Died May 26—1797
 Ephraim Dimmuck born Nov^r 16th 1798.
 Cynthia born Jan^y 28th 1802
 Semantha born July 24 1805
 Nancy Born August 31st 1807 —
 Marietta " Octobr 17th 1810 —

Children of Reuben Barlow and Nabby his wife

An infant born — 15th 1798 and Died March 16th 1798 —
 An infant born Sept^r 17th 1796 and died the same day —
 Joseph Warren born June 8th 1798
 Samuel Born April 13th 1802

Children of Cornelius Bassett & Remember his wife

Elisha born Jan^y 22 1782—
 John — Jan^y 3 - 1784
 Nathan June 29 1785
 an infant July 13- 1791 Died July 1791
 Remember Nye May 6—1793
 Experience March 6-1796
 Rachel July 25th 1799

Children of Cornelius Bassett Jr and Abigail his wife

Nancy born Monday March 1 - 1784 & died of the Small Pox March 19th 1785
 Nancy born Tuesday April 24 1786
 Lemuel born Friday 18th April 1788
 Lydia born Wednesday June 9th 1790
 Thomas born Sabbath April 14th 1793
 Harriet born - Sabbath January 10th 1796 Died Jany 19th 1798
 Cornelius born Aug. 31st 1799.

Children of Nathaniel Bassett & Bethiah his Wife

Deborah Webb Bassett born August 18th 1782
 Hannah — — May 30th 1784
 John Smith — — March 29th 1787. Died Sept^r 12th 1806.
 Nabby — — — Dec^r 14 1789
 Polly — — — Feb^y 26 1792
 Nathaniel — — — June 12 1794
 Isaac — — — Jany 18 - 1797
 Joseph — — — — Aug — 7 - 1799 Died Aug. 10 1800
 Joseph born — — — March 27 - 1801 —
 Harriet — — — Sept^r 12th 1803 —

Children of Aron Benedict and Marah his wife —

Esther born May 1 - 1778 Died May — 1778
 Eunice July 11 - 1779 Died July 13 1779
 Clarissa born August 7 - 1780 Aron Aug. 18-1786
 Stephen Nov^r 9 - 1782 Desire Nov^r 18-1788
 Lucinda Aug 7 - 1784 Nath^y July 1 1790 Died July 3-179†
 Marah his wife died July 11-1790 —
 Married Betsy Randal 1791
 Betsey born Jany 21-1792 Eunice Dec^r 4 - 1793
 Molley Jan 21-1792 Huldah Oct^r 11 - 1795

Children of George Bennett and Betsey his wife

Henry born June 21 - 1788
 Betsey born Apl 7th 1790 died Sept^r 8 - 1790
 Prudence born March 3 - 1792 Betsey born March 7 - 1796

Children of Joseph Brace & Mary his Wife

Harry born July 22, 1795 Caroline Aug^t 12 1801
 Charles April 11, 1799 Elisha Nov 9, 1806

† Last figure omitted.

Children of Asael I. Bradley & Abigail his wife
Noah Roger born Oct: 29 - 1797

Children of Eli Bradley & Phebe his wife

Philo born	Oct: 2 - 1783	Sall	Oct: 6 - 1793
Celia	Sept: 16 - 1785	William	Feb. 25 - 1796
Anne	Oct: 7 - 1787	Eli, born	July 31 st 1798
Polly	June 19 th 1789	Phebe, born	July 13 th 1803.
Josiah	July 31 - 1791		

Colonel Jared Bradley born Aug. 25 - 1760

Charity his first wife born March - 4 1759

Their Children as follows

Esther born Tuesday July 23-1783 Abigail born Thursday January 26-1786

Stephen - Thursday March 25-1784 Rhoda - Friday March 21-1788

Charity his wife Died July 31-1790

Married Phebe Munson June 8 1791

and born February 7-1767

Charity born Friday March 23 - 1792

Rachel born Monday Novr 25 - 1793

Thomas Eusine Munson born April 9 - 1796

Jared, born Oct: 3 1798 Auson born Apl 15, 1805

Charity, born Nov. 22^d 1800 Mary - Sept 5, 1807

Harriot - Decr 24th 1802 Hannah E. Jan 12, 1811

Children of Jesse Bradley Jr and Lucy his wife

An infant born Janv 27th 1791 and Dead Lucy born Aug. 13 1799

Betsey born Feb. 26, 1792 Jesse born Aug. 3^d 1802.

Amanda born Oct: 26 - 1794 Erastus born July 6th 1806.

Lydia born Decr 2 - 1796 Amanday, born April 27, 1815

Children of Joseph Bradley and Eunice his wife

An infant born May 23. 1789 and Died immediately

Senath - Sept 14 - 1791. Eunice born Novr 16 - 1794

Joel - March 22 - 1793 Pamela - July 25th 1798 -

Children of Seth Burden & Bethiah his wife.

Betsey, born Decr 1 st 1791.	Died Jan. 2 ^d 1797.	
David, — Sept. 27 th 1793.		William born Decr 9 th 1805.
Thomas — June 10 th 1796.		— Decr 20 ^h 1806.
Thankful — Augt 27 th 1798.		Simeon — Augt 11 — 1807
Bethiah — June 9 th 1800.		Hannah — Sep: 11 — 1809
Seth Augt 10 th 1802.		Ezra — Sep: 15 — 1812

[A partial, duplicate list is also given on another page of the Records, as the children of Seth Barden and Bethiah his wife.]

Reuben Carey born Feb 2ⁿ 1777
 Wife Susanah " Oct: 4, 1783

[No child born until 1838.]

Children of Abiathar Chadwick and Desire his wife

Fear born Oct: 19 th 1778	Mary born July 21 st 1784 —
Heman — June 11 — 1780	Archalaus - June 30 th 1786 —
Joseph Feb. 15 - 1782	Rhodema - May 27—1788
Desire his wife died Aug—13—1790 —	
Married Bathsheba Stewart Oct: 1791—	
Charles born June 19—1792.	Bathsheba July 25—1796 —
Desire — Dec: 15—1793	Abiathar Octobr 30 th 1790 —

Children of Archalaus Chadwick and Sarah his wife

Thomas born monday March 3^d 1777
 Jabez born Saturday August 14th 1779
 Elisabeth born thursday July 27th 1781
 John born Monday Nov: 13th 1783 And Died October 4th 1784 —
 John born Monday August 23^d 1784
 Samuel born Saturday February 24th 1786 And Died August 20th 1787
 Sarah born Saturday October 20th 1787
 Samuel born Sabath August 24th 1789 —
 Rhoda born February 12th 1792
 Ancel born Thursday November 21st 1793 —
 Daniel born Munday August 22 1796

Children of George Chanter & Martha his wife

William born Oct: 27th 1783 —

Children of Levi Chase and Temperence his wife

Polly born Decr 5 — 1777
 Silence born July 31 — 1779
 Levi May 25 — 1781
 Marcy Janv 8th 1782 Died Feb. 5th 1782
 Seth March 13 - 1783 Died May — 1785
 Thomas June 1 — 1785
 Nabby Apl 17 1788
 Betsey Decr 2 — 1789 —
 Tabitha July 7 — 1791 Died July 27—1791 —

Children of Daniel Church & Hannah his wife

Rachel born July 26th 1770.
 Daniel June 8th 1772 Died May 10—1783
 Levi Aug. 14th 1775
 Eli Aug. 19th 1777
 Danl Sept: 8 — 1783 Died Feb. 16 1784
 Hannah the wife of Daniel Church Died April 15th 1784
 Married Anne Bates Sept: 20th 1785
 Hannah born Aug. 7th 1787. Anne June 16th 1791

Children of Jesse Clark & Sarah his wife

Eli born Sept: 30 - 1779 John Feb. 14th 1793
 Cynthia Sept: 22 - 1782 Charles July 1 -- 1795
 Jesse Aug 21 - 1784 Alma born October 3d 1797
 Sarah Aug. 24 - 1786 Chauncy Fenner Decr 20th 1799
 Mildred Aug. 21 - 1788 Ruth May 24th 1802-
 Triphenia Nov: 5 - 1790

Children of Jonathan Clark, & Desire his wife.

Jonathan, } Sept: 20th 1784.
 Joshua, } April 11th 1786.
 Abel Potter, } born in Charlestown, Rhode island. Oct: 1st 1788.
 Rebecca, } Febr 16th 1790.
 Amy, } July 22d 1793.
 Samuel, born Oct: 14th 1795. Sylvia, born July 9th 1801.
 Joseph Crocker, born Nov: 21st 1797. Alvan, — Oct: 3d 1803.

Children of Archabald Collins and Rhoda his wife

Hannah born Nov: 24th 1788

Children of Samuel Couch & Hannah his Wife

Marcus	born May 26, 1790	Hannah	born July 23, 1802
Phebe	— June 26, 1793	Ferriss	— Nov 14, 1806
Fhirza	— Feb 14, 1795 —		

Children of Stephen Couch & Polly his wife

John Morten	born March 7—1794	Susanna	Aug 10—1797
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Children of Elisha Crocker & Lucy his wife

David	born Oct: 27 th 1775 —	William	born June 18 1789
Zeruah	born January 18 1778	Electa Lewis	May 16 th 1791
Sophia	born Nov: 22—1779	John Dimmuck	March 14 1793
Mira	born Sept: 17 th 1781	Lucy	born May 12 —1795.
Laura	born March 18— 1784	Lucius,	born April 16 th 1798.
Elisha	born Nov: 11 1785	Zeruah	born Sept. 21 st 1801.

Children of Jedediah Crocker and Sally his wife

Noah	born Aug. 3—1783 —	Elizabeth	Ap ^l 16—1793
Jedediah Davis	born May 30 1785	Polly	May 2—1795
Sarah	March 19—1787	Philna	Aug 1798.
Samuel	Ap ^l 17—1790		

Children of Joseph Crocker & Martha his wife

Sarah	born March 16—1782	Asa	June 19—1792
Benj ⁿ	born 14—1784	Abigail	Oct: 1—1794
Chrysilda	18—1786	Joseph	born Ap ^l 1 1797
Betsey Clark	Nov: 18—1788	William	born March 26—1800
Polley	Ap ^l 3—1790	Sabrina	— March 26 1803

Children of Joseph Crocker Jr and Polly his wife

Elizabeth Wormer born Sept: 4—1790
 Marcy Hamlin Dec: 1—1791 Died Sept: 7—1795 —
 Temperance born Nov: 10—1793 —
 Joseph born Dec: 17—1795 Died July 24—1796 —
 Joseph Crocker Jr died Jan: 8—1796 in the 30th Year of his age —

Children of Josiah Crocker & Hannah his wife

Seth born Jan^y 5—1796
 Thomas March 15—1797 Died April 6—1797
 Betsey Crosby born Apl^l 3^d 1798 Died Dec^r 23—1798
 Josiah born Sept^r 23^d 1799. Theresa born Febr^y 5th 1804.
 Betsey born March 3^d 1801. Thomas born March 23^d 1805.
 ——— born Jan^y 12th 1803 An infant died Febr^y 4 1804 †

Children of Abijah Crosby, & Caty his wife.

Abner, born Nov^r 4th 1795. Charles, born Dec^r 11th 1801.
 Lyman, — April 16th 1798. Thomas — Dec^r 14th 1804.

Children of John Crosby Jr and Salome his wife

An infant born March 24 1793 Died Apl^l 21—1793
 An infant born Apl^l 21—1795 Died May 1st 1795
 Salome born July 23—1796. Joseph born July 13, 1805
 Horace born Aug. 12, 1799 Josiah — June 28, 1809
 John, Jan 31, 1801 — Charles — July 4, 1811
 Anna, March 23, 1803

Children of Calvin Davis & Hannah his Wife

Joseph born Feb. 25th 1779. Isaac born Sept^r 8th 1801.

Calvin Davis, Son of Isaac Davis, born March 5th 1778. —

Reuben Davis Son to John Davis born June 8th 1783

Children of Nathan Davis and Lucy his wife

Jedediah born May 2—1779 Died May 16—1779
 Sarah March 21—1780 Died Nov^r 1780
 Lucy born Sept^r 11—1781 Isaac Dec^r 30—1791
 Hannah Oct^r 30—1783 Bathsheba August 26—1794
 Nathan Feb. 16 1786 Hope July 17—1796
 Charita August 18—1789 — Marcy July 1799

Children of Sam^l Davis & Priscilla his wife

Sally born August 16—1782 — Sam^l born June 1790
 Hope March 1783 — Priscilla Apl^l 1792
 Parmele Jan^y 1785 Wait Nov^r 26—1794
 Rebeca May 15—1787 Lewis March 1797

† Feb 7, in chh. rec.

Children of Solomon Davis and Martha his Wife

Sally Davis born May 24 th 1783	Lucinda born Sept 21 1791
Patty — Apl. 26 1785	Betsey Feb. 19—1794
Bathsheba — June 27 — 1787	Solomon born Aug. 25—1796
Oziel — Apl. 2 ^d 1789	

Children of Timothy Davis and Tabitha his wife born March 2^d 1741 —

Mary born Falmouth	Novr 29 th 1761
Thomas born Do	May 9 th 1764
Auna Davis Do	April 23 ^d 1766
Rowland Davis Do	Aug. 3 1770
Ephraim born Do	Octr 11 — 1772
Timothy born Do	Octr 21 — 1774 —

Children of Stephen Dexter & Lydia his wife

Benjamin Backus born July 30—1795	Eveline born Jan 27—1798
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Children of Nathan & Rebecca Dillingham born

Sarah Dillingham born Saty	Octr 11 th 1783.
Abigail Dillingham born Saty	Feby 25 th 1786
Rebecca Dillingham —	Friday Feby 29 th 1788.
William Henry Dillingham	Tuesday Augt 3 ^d 1790.
Lucy Dillingham born	Saturday, July 14 th 1792.
Nathan Dillingham	Octr 17 th 1794.
John Dillingham	Thursday Feb. 16 — 1797
Charles ——— born	Monday July 22 1799
Nancy, born	April 26 th 1802.
George Washington born	Octr 20 th 1804.
Bourn Green Born	May 30 th 1807 ———

Children of Asahel Dodge and his wife, born as follows —

Hanah, born January 12 th 1776 —	Asahel born Novr 23 ^d 1784
Seymour, — April 29 th 1778	Sarah — March 18 th 1787
Abraham — Septemr 29 th 1780 —	Samuel — May 29 th 1792
Heman — Novr 7 th 1782	

Children of Elisha Dodge & Betsey his wife

Harriot — born Aug. 13th 1799.
 Almira born June 6th 1802.
 Elisha — July 12th 1805.

Children of Henry & Hannah Donnelly ———

Eleazer Donnelly born Novr 9th 1788.
 George Gardner Donnelly born Novr 13th 1791.

Children of Silas Easton and Rachel his wife

Polly born January 30th 1795 and Died February 15th 1795
 Thomas Nye born Octr 20th 1796

Children of Paul Ewer & Marcy his wife

John born Sept: 2—1783 —	Nabby	1791
Tilson 1785	Martha	1798
Polly 1787	Paul	March 28—1795 —
Jane June 7—1789		
Marcy his wife Died March 28—1795		

Children of Abraham Finney & Huldah his wife

Ezra born August 23^d 1795
 an infant born Jan: 17—1797 Died Jan: 17—1797

Children of Ansel Finney & Polly his wife

Barnabas born July 23^d 1798.
 Benjamin Franklin born June 3^d 1801 Died Sept: 2^d 1802 —
 Leman Franklin born June 6th 1803 — Mary born March 13th 1811.
 Caleb Barnum born July 22^d 1805. Anselm Jr. November 2^d 1814.
 Amanda Manerva June 26th 1807.

Children of Barnabas Finney & Deborah his wife

Ansel born Decr 25th 1773 — Calvin Feb. 7th 1777
 Benja May 23—1775 — Sylvanus Decr 15th 1778 —
 Barnabas Finney died June 30—178 [Last figure omitted.]
 Deborah Finney Married Nathl Tobey—Their Children
 Experience born Decr 28—1782
 Samuel Octr 22—1784 —
 Marah Sept 18—1786
 Cynthia May 17—1792 —
 Barnabas March 18 1795—Died Apl 17—1795.

Children of Jonathan Finney and Sarah his wife

Polly born Octr 19th 1789 Died Novr 1—1791
 George born Apl 2—1791 Phebe Feb. 15—1794
 Polly July 2—1792 Selden Sept 1—1795

Children of Alvan Foot & Sally his wife

Twins born Aug. 4th 1799 One died same day The other's name is
 John William
 Alvan, born June 10th 1801. Sarah — May 22, 1808 —
 Elisha Percival, born, March 10th 1803. Jonathan, Dec. 5, 1812 —
 Marshal, born, Nov. 28th 1805. Harriot — April 3, 1815
 Huldah Jane Feb 7 1821

Children of Asael Foot and Anne his wife —

Sally born Apl 2—1794 Amanda — — Jan 13th 1803—
 Elizabeth Decr 25—1795 — Asahel & Anne twins born Decr 16th 1804
 Lyman July 9th 1798 Lydia — — Sept 13, 1807—
 Charles May 12th 1800

Children of David Foot & Betsey his wife

Betsey born June 23—1786 —
 Thomas May 21—1788
 Silas Aug. 18—1791
 David July 11—1792—Died Octr 13—1792
 Deliverence May 3—1794 Temperance, born Nov. 7th 1800.
 Laovisa Novr 29th 1796 — Ransom, Feb. 15th 1802.

Children of Elisha Foot & Dille his wife & born Apr. 29—1785

Chandser	born Aug. 19—1797	Sophia	—	July 13 th 1807
Amelia	born Feby 1 st 1799	Elisha	—	Augt 1, 1809
Justus Battle	“ Jan ^y 25 th 1801	Delia	born at Lenox	Apr ^l 5, 1814.
Ransom Hinman	April 13 th 1803	Geo. Franklin	born at albany	
Henrietta	Jan ^y 19 th 1805			March 13 1817

Children of Fenner Foot and Sarah his wife

Lucinda	born Sept ^r 8 th 1779	Erastus	born Sept ^r 4 1792
Calvin	born Dec ^r 15—1781	Fenner	born Oct ^r 10 1794
Daniel	born Feb. 17—1784	Sena	born Oct ^r 18 th 1796
Olive	born Feb. 2—1786	Cyrus	born June 18 th 1800.
Jerusha	born Oct ^r 20—1789		

Children of Jonathan Foot Jr an[d] Deliverence

Elisha	born Jan ^y 22 1775 —		
Alvan	May 29—1777		
Jerusha	May 22—1780 and died Dec ^r 9—1780 —		
Jerusha	Dec ^r 23—1781	John May	7—1791 Died Oct ^r 25—1791
Sylvanus	Ap ^l 12—1785	William	Aug—24—1793—& Died Oct ^r 1793
Jonathan	Feb. 11—1788 —		

Children of Lovisa Foot

Melinda born July 22 1789 — Parthenia Oct^r 12, 1790

Children of Elisha Freeman and Elizabeth his wife

Benjamin	born Jan ^y 21—1775		
Thomas	June 27 1777 and Died June 28 1780		
Betsey	March 27—1779	Thomas	born July 28—1786
Elisha	Sept ^r 4—1781	Lydia	Nov ^r 10—1788
Fanny	March 14—1784	Charles	March 16—1793

Children of Wm Freeman & Jerusha his wife

Alva Freeman	born October 12 th 1791		
Sally	— born Nov ^r 10 th 1793		
John Percival	born February 23—1797		
Betsey	— born February 23 1797	Died	March 7—1797
Betsey	— born July 18 th 1799.		

Children of Varmun Gardner & Mehitable his wife

Sabrina, born Sepr 28, 1795 —	Elisha — born Nov 28, 1808—
Ira, born Augt 4, 1797 —	Benjamin born Dec 5, 1809
Lophina, born Augt 20, 1799 —	Mehitable born March 10, 1812—
James, born Dec 1, 1801 —	Caroline, born May 17, 1814

Children of James Gifford & Sarah his wife

Eunice born Aug. 27 th 1792	Charles Peck born Aug 30, 1805
James born March 10 th 1798	

Children of Jesse and Ruth Gifford

Caty born March 3—1775	Thos born Apl 17—1785
Betsey Aug. 20 th 1777	Lydia June 10—1787 —
Celia May 22—1779	Nabby Apl 11—1789 —
Abraham Jany 8 th 1781	Ruth Octr 18 th 1792
Phebe March 23—1783	Alvan Jany 13 th 1794

Children of John Gifford and Jehannah his wife

Sylvanus born Sept: 10 th 1781 —	John born May 31—1785
Sylvia May 18 — 1783	Jeneverah born Dec: 23—1787
Erastus Dec: 29—1791—Died Jany 5—1792	
Jesse born Feb—19—1793	Died June 29—1794
Lewis Apl 7—1795	Died Apl 11—1795
Sally born Jany 31 1797	Lewis born May 19, 1800 .

Children of Elisha Grant & Marah his wife

Elisha born Dec: 29—1774	
Ruth August 22—1776	
Esther Oct: 14—1778	
Prudence Dec: 7—1780	
Jared Sept: 6—1782	Died May 15 1785
David born June 4—1784 —	
Thankful May 12—1786	
Orris Oct: 16—1788	
Eunice Apl 17—1791	Died March 19—1794
Polly born Oct: 23—1793	Died Nov: 10—1795 —
Isaac born Aug. 29. 1797	

Children of Jonathan Graves & Anne his wife

Archalaus born Sept: 10th 1783
 Joseph Nov: 5—1785
 Jonathan Ap^l 17—1788
 Anne Ap^l 17—1788
 Lester Dec: 21 1790
 John Dec: 21 1790 Died Dec: 22—1790
 Rebeca Aug. 21—1793 Died Aug. 20—1795 —
 Rebeca Oct: 27—1796
 Alvan & Alma—Twins born Feb. 23^d 1799

Children of John Green & Martha his wife

Philo born Dec: 14—1791 Shubel born Feby 17th 1799.
 William born Jan: 16—1794 Abisha — Feb. 26th 1801.
 Daniel born Nov: 3—1795 Sally born Feby 24 1803
 Jerusha born Ap^l 17—1797 Huldah May 12th 1805.

Children of Abraham Hall & Rachel his wife

Lydia born Jan: 6th 1799 Harriot — Feb 27, 1807
 John “ June 15 1801 Albert — Feb 1, 1809
 Alma born March 25th 1803.

Children of Abraham Hall & Second Rachel his wife

Linus P — born Sept: 23^d 1810
 Rachel — March 28, 1812 —
 Luther Chaffee May 11, 1816

Children of Moses Hall, & Relief his wife.

Charles, born Sept: 12th 1798. Reuben }
 Nancy, — April 14th 1800. Relief } Twins, born Aug: 9th 1804.
 Lucy, — May 29th 1802.

Children of Cornelius Hamlin and Mercy his wife

Job born April 21—1795 —
 William Finney June 21—1796—Died Oct: 23—1797
 William Feb. 11 1799 Marcy, Nov 22, 1899.
 Stephen June 21, 1802. Mary — Jan 20, 1811.
 Lucy F. April 11, 1804 Job — Jan 15, 1813
 Hannah, June 12, 1806.

Children of David Hamlin and Sally his wife —

Nabby born Aug. 4—1795	Nathaniel _____
Maria, June 23, 1797.	Benjamin Aug ^t 8. 1809
David July 23, 1802.	

Children of Widow Anne Handy

Obed Handy born Oct ^r 16 1777	Darius Carpenter born May 18—1790
Eben ^r Handy born May 21—1779	Orsiah Hoose — June 19 1793.
Elizabeth Handy - Apl 15—1734	

Children of Wait Hatch & Marah his wife

† Rebeca born — 1756	Died May 1—1788
Edward born June 11 th 1776	—

Children of Moses Hill & Polly his wife

Lucy born Feb. 9—1783	Ira Dec ^r 1787 †
Justus born Feb. 9 th 1785	Silas Aug. 1789
Moses born June — 1786	Sally Jany 1795
Polly Sep ^r 1787 †	Harvey March 16, 1797

Children of Benjamin Hinckley & Puella Goodspeed his wife

Electa Hinckley Born	Thomas Goodspeed Born
Warren Hinckley Born April 24, 1795	
Charles Hinckley — Oct 22 1800	
Luther Thacher Hinckley — —	

Children of Heman Hinkley and Lydia his wife

Zenas born June 12—1779—	Edmund Apl 27—1789
Polly born Apl 26—1781	Carolina Nov ^r 1—1791
Lucretia Oct ^r 13—1783	Heman August 22—1793
Silas — Oct ^r 1—1785	Benjamin
Lydia March — 1787 —	

† See p. 106.

Children of Joseph Hinkley, & Polly his wife

Nabby	born April 14 th 1796.	Barnabas A	— March 23, 1808
Sally	— July 5 th 1799.	Luman	— June 12, 1810
Edmund	— Augt 29 th 1800.	Mary	— June 10, 1812
Hudson	— Aug. 12 th 1803.	Bradford	Feb. 26, 1817
Content Level	— July 3 ^d 1805.	Bathsheba	March 22, 1823

Children of Zina Hinkley, & Elizabeth his wife.

Priscilla	born Octr 28 th 1799.		
Eliza	— Octr 2 ^d 1802.	Died Octr	17 th 1806.
Alvira	— Sept 12 th 1804.		
William	— Augt 2 ^d 1806.		

Ransom Hinman Born May 14th 1785 —
 Polly Battle his Wife “ June 5th 1785—in Tyringham
 [No child born until 1805.]

Children of Abraham Howk & Esther his wife

Hannah	born Octr 24—1793—		
Roxe	June 1795 —	Died Jan 3 ^d	1799

Children of Andrew Howk & Betsey his wife

An infant born Decr 20th 1799 Died Decr 21st 1799

Children of Isaac Howk & Fiche his wife

Richard	born Apl 1—1787 —	Fiche	born April 16—1795 —
Caty	Sept 25—1788 —	Alonson,	born Sept 15, 1799 —
John	March 15 1791	Electa,	born, Oct. 17, 1801 —
Isaac	July 23, 1793 —		
		Isaac Howk Sen.	Died Jan 29 th 1805

Children of John Howk and Caty his wife

David	born March 20—1786 —	Mariah	born Decr 2—1794
Clarry	March 19 th 1788	Eliza,	Oct. 14, 1797 —
John	Feb. 7—1790	William,	Jan 19, 1802 —
Caty Hollembeck	Jan 25 1793 —	Alburt,	June 28, 1806

Children of John Hulett & Sarah his wife —

Achsah May 5—1784 —
 Betsey Aug 5—1786 —
 John Aug 25—1788 and Died Oct^r 15—1796
 Wealthy May 19th 1795 † — Died Feb. 8th 1794.
 Sally Feb. 21 1793 and Died June 28—1793 —
 Westley Aug^t 15—1794 —
 John Oct^r 13—1796

Sarah his wife died Jan^y 21—1797 —

Children of John Hulet & Sarah his wife † —

Isaac born June 22, 1792†† Teresa born Feb 26, 1805
 Sally — Jan 2, 1799 Betsey April 7, 1811
 Abijah — Aug^t 24, 1801 Samuel Feb. 3, 1814
 Fletcher — April 6, 1803

Children of Sam^l Hulett^f and Susanna his wife

Chauncy born March 14th 1790 — Orren born May 17—1796
 Electa May 3^d 1793

Children of Sylvanus Hulett and Mary his wife

Sally born Oct^r 29th 1787. Charlott born Nov^r 7—179††
 Charles born March 3—1790 — Rhoda born June 8th 1795 —

Children of Rev,d Alvan Hyde and Lucy his wife

Alvan born June 18th 1794 William born Aug^t 16th 1806.
 Charles Backus March 24th 1796 Edward born Sept^t 15th 1808
 Harriot born March 19—1798 Chauncey Thompson Sept^t 25th 1810
 Stephen born March 24th 1800 Theodore born Aug^t 5, 1812
 Joseph born Sept^r 3^d 1802 Alexander Hyde Sept 25 1814
 Lucy born June 3 1804

† Date of birth erroneous—The date of death corresponds, within a day, of that given by Dr. Hyde.

‡ Presumably this name should be Hannah—see page 140 for intention of marriage between John Hulett and Hannah Walker of Tyringham—proof of the marriage, however, cannot be given, for the marriage records of that town are wanting for this period.

†† Date printed as recorded.

‡‡ Last figure obliterated —name as recorded.

Children of Calvin Ingersoll and Lydia his wife —

Electa born	May 1—1790	Cyrus	—	Septꝛ	2, 1802
Vashti	Janꝛ 14 th 1792	—	Lydia	—	Septꝛ 1, 1804
Philo	Decꝛ 2—1798	David Sanford		Oct.	23, 1806
Lem ^l †	Janꝛ 24—1796	—	Edward M	—	July 23, 1809
Horace,	June 23, 1798	Calvin	—	Feb.	5, 1812 —
Erastus	June 17, 1800				

Children of David Ingersoll and Sarah his wife —

Erastus born	Novꝛ 9—1782	David		March 3—1795
Lucinda born	June 2 ^d 1784 —	Sarah		March 3—1795
Theodore	April 26—1786 —	Elizabeth		June 21—1797
Lucretia	Feb. 9, 1788	Lucy		June 6 1799—
Moses	February 15—1790 —	William & Alvan		†
Sophia	March — 1792 —	Elihu Parsons		

[The last three names appear to have been written long after the others.]

Children of Elijah Ingersoll & Polly his wife

Clarrissa born	May 24 th 1787	Isaac	—	1797
Bathsheba —	Ap ^l 14 th 1789	Elisha	Janꝛ 7 th 1799	
Nathan —	Janꝛ 8—1791	Lucinda	—	1802
Laban —	Feby 5 th 1793	George Washington		1804
Levi —	March 10—1795 —			

Children of Jared Ingersoll and Elizabeth his wife

Ebenꝛ Kniblow born	June 29—1784	Elizabeth		June 1795
Polly	June 5—1785	Rhoda		May 8 1797
Lois	Janꝛ 29—1787	Ashur born		Nov 5, 1799
John	Septꝛ 23—1788	Stephen J.	“	Nov 6, 1801
David	June 10—1790	Phadime	“	Oct. 24, 1803
Merit	March 16—1792	Milton	“	Jan. 22, 1806
Reuben	Septꝛ 26—1793	Jared	“	July 30, 1808.

† See p. 108.

Children of Moses Ingersoll and Eunice his wife

Elener	born	March 11—1771	John Calvin	Ap ^l	13—1780
Anne	born	March 13—1776	Billey born	Ap ^l	10 th 1782
Luther	born	Jany 8—1778	Betsey born	Ap ^l	10—1782

Eunice his wife died Nov^r 19th 1785 in the 50th year of her age —

Children of Moses Ingersoll & Se[c]ond Prudence his Wife —

Moses born	May 27, 1797	Eunice born	Sept ^r 13, 1798
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Children of William Ingersoll Jr and Marcy his wife

Lydia	born	Nov ^r	10 th 1783	Joseph	Dec ^r	22—1796—
Seth Crocker	born	May	1— 1785	James	May	7 th 1799
William born	March	21	1787	Marshal	Jan	29, 1802.
Celia		Jany	21— 1790	Charles	May	2, 1804.
Sarah		June	21— 1792	Harriot	Jan	21—1807
Thomas		Nov ^r	2— 1794 —			

Children of Ebenezer Jenkins Jun^r & Lydia his wife.

Henry Willm	born	Aug.	17 th 1793.	Lydia,	born	Sept. 3 ^d 1800.
Nathan,	born	Feby	11 th 1795.	Elizabeth,	born	July 1 st 1802.
Josiah,	born	Nov.	9 th 1796.	Warren,	born	April 12 th 1804.
Ebenezer,	born	Sept.	12 th 1798.	Marshal,	born	Aug. 15 th 1806.

Children of Sam^l Jones and Remember his wife

Anne	born	June 30—1793	Caroline born	April 9 th 1797
Deborah Smith	born	August 11—1795	Sam ^l born	May -- 1799

Children of John Keep and Elizabeth his wife

Olive	born	July 30—1789	James	Sept ^r	30—1792
Abbe		Jany 18—1791	Jabez	Feb.	14—1794
Elizabeth his wife	Died	Feb. 20—1796	Married	Abigail Lenester	
			Lenester	born	Sep. 6—1797

Children of Arnold Lamphier & Anue his wife

Lois	(Windham)	Nov 26, 1796
Joseph	(Wt Greenwich R. I.)	Oct 7, 1797
Lorticus	(Springfield)	Apl 13, 1799
Lyman	do	Feb 6 1801
Arnold	(Mansfield)	May 18 1803
Zalmon	(Washington)	Aug 18 1805
Anue	(Hinsdale)	Oct 27, 1807
Lena	(do)	Apr 8, 1810
Angelina Matilda	(Saratoga)	March 22, 1812
Else	(Grafton N. Y.)	Feb. 18, 1816
Moses	_____	_____ 1818 died
Charles Bishop Moses	(Lee)	Feb. 22, 1822

Children of Zacheus Maltby and Ruhamah his wife

Ezra Burchard born April 1—1798 — Mercy born Feby 9th 1800

Betsey Mansfield born Janv 27—1772

Children of Reuben Marsh & Lydia his Wife

Alpheus born	Sept: 27, 1792	William	—	July 1, 1796
Triphena —	March 2, 1794	Amasa	—	April 24, 1800

Children of Thomas Miller & Annis his wife

Daniel Gain Miller born Sept: 23^d 1796

Children of John Nye and Lois his wife

Stephen born	Aug. 22—1780	Died Nov: 10—1780
Esther	Nov: 1—1781	Died Dec: 1—1781
Hannah born	Nov: 17—1782	
John	Janv 19—1785	
Ira	_____22—1787	Died May 22—1787
Ira	Apl 10—1788	
Esther	Dec: 19—1790	
Lois	Feb. 22—1793	
Charles	Janv 6—1796	Died March 6—1796

Children of Levi Nye and Sarah his wife

Joshua	born	August 24th 1767	Levi	May 6th 1777
Benjamin		February 9th 1769	Sally	July 28 1780
Marah and Rachel		Sept: 1 1772		
Thomas		Aug — 26—1774	Thomas	Died

Children of Seth Nye and Amey his wife

Elisha	born	Sept: 23—1782	Betsey	born	Sept: 13—1791
Jerod	born	Sept: 5—1785	Joshua	born	Sept: 26 1795
Caleb	born	Nov: 2d 1787	Sally	born	Nov: 23—1797
Thankful	born	Aug. 26—1789			

Children of George Parker & Remember his wife.

Hannah	born	March 18th 1780	Mahala	Aug. 17, 1791
Rebecca		Aug. 31— 1782	Benju	Jany 1795
Remember		Aug. 21 1784	Susana	May 21, 1797
Nathan		Dec: 29, 1789		

Children of Salmon Peck & Anne his wife

Olive	born	Jany 7th 1793	Moses Ingersol	born	—
Hiram	born	Oct: 5th 1797.			

Children of Jacob Penoyer and Alice his wife

Sally	born	Jany 19th 1795	—	Marcy	born	Aug. 10th 1797
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John Percival	Born	November 6th 1754	at	Sandwich
Ruth Percival	Born	January 9th 1759	at	Falmouth
Betsy Percival	Born	October 20th 1777		
Lydia Percival	Born	february 12th 1779		
John Percival Jun: Eorn		April 25th 1781		
Ruth Percival Eorn		Ap:il 25th 1783		
Samuel Percival	Born	August 29th 1785		
James Percival	Born	June 5th 1783		
Mont Gomery Percival	Born	Sep: 25th 1790		
Hannah Gates Percival	born	Jany 12— 1793		
Content	—	Lorn Feb 28 1796		
Nabby	—	Lorn Feb — 1798		

Children of Abm Perry and Temperence his wife

S[illegible] born	Apl 3—1789	— Died Apl 18—1789	—
Polly born	Apl 11—1790		
Arthur born	Janv 27— 1792		
Diadama	Decr 9th 1793		
Abram born	Decr 30 1797		
Lyman	Janv 5th 1801	Died March 9th 1802.	
Tempey born	Novr 4th 1803		

Wm. Perry's children, p. 94.

Sylvanus Phinney born Dec. 15. 1778

Lucy (formerly Kingsley of Becket,) his wife March 12, 1781

[No child born until 1808—This record found after the note on page 12 was printed.]

Children of Reuben Pixley Jr and Polly his wife

Reuben born Tuesday Octr 6th 1795

Children of Oliver Pool & Lucy his wife

Orrin born Aug. 23d 1797.

Lucy born May 1st 1800

Children of Levi G. Porter and his wife

Huldah born	Feb. 28th 1786	and died March 13—1794
Philander	Feb. 29— 1788	
Horace —	June 15— 1790	
Rhoda —	Apl 20— 1792	and died June 5—1795
Levi Goodwin	Apl 10— 1794	
Abel	Apl 15— 1796	—

Children of Samuel Porter & Prudence his wife

Ebenezer born	Octr 8th 1776	
Samuel	July 12— 1779	Died Feb. 20th 1784
Mary	Sept: 17th 1781	
Grace	Janv 2— 1784	
Abigail	Octr 5th 1786	
Laura	May 7th 1789	
Lydia	July 25 1791	
Kimbal	Novr 26— 1795	And died March 7th 1796

Joel Putnam's children, p. 94.

Children of John Reed & Elizabeth his wife —

Amanda born May 21—1795	Anne born Decr 24 th 1797
Fear born May 26—1796	Paulina born June 24 th 1799

Children of John Remmele & Hannah his Wife

Lydia born Sept 3, 1797	Curtis)	twins Sept 22d 1806
Hannah — Feb 20, 1800	Calista)	
John M — June 13, 1802		

Children of Simeon Reynolds, & Zernah his wife

Cyrus Almond, born	June 11 th 1786.
Polly Asenath, born	March 23 ^d 1791.
Edward, born	Sept 21 st 1793.
Rachel, born in Benson Vermont,	April 8 th 1800.
Lucy, born	Decr 1 st 1803.
David, born	Aug. 31 st 1806.
Simeon Jun	Janv 13 1809

Children of Amos Roberts & Susanna his wife —

William born Novr 21— 1778 —	
Deborah born May 11 th 1780	
Dorse born March 22— 1782, and died Octr 17 th 1783 —	
Timothy born June 11— 1784 —	Susanna Decr 11 th 1793 .-
Amos March 8 th 1786	Sheirman Apl 24 th 1785 †
Anne — Apl 11 th 1788 —	Elijah born June 18 1799.
Dorse June 28 th 1790 —	

Children of Levi Robinson & Elizabeth his wife

Amos Benton born Octr 9—1784 † —	Polly	Feb. 18—1790
Sally Novr 21— 1784 †	Fanny	August 9—1794
Beisey July 26— 1786	Amanda	Janv 31—1796

Children of Ephraim Sheldon & Lydia his wife

Lydia born May 6th 1795

† Doubtless intended for 1795.

‡ Dates printed as recorded.

Children of Benjnⁿ Smith and Sarah his wife

Lydia born	Sept ^r	14—1777	Matthias born	Feb.	10 th 1786
Meribah —	Oct ^r	24 1779	Sarah born	Feb.	21 —1788
Benjn ⁿ	Nov ^r	1—1781	Assenath	March	27 1793
William	Oct ^r	8—1783			

Children of Eben^r Squire & Adrye his wife

Sally born	Sept ^r	18 th 1781	Daniel born	March	5—1784
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Children of John Starnes and Lucy his wife —

Polly	born	March	16	1780	
Sally	—	July	22—	1781	
John	—	March	29—	1783	
Abijah	—	Oct ^r	22	1784	Abijah Died 1786
Fanny	—	August	26—	1786	
Thomas		July	5	1788	Died July 14—1799
Abijah	born	June	27	89	
Betsey	—	June	3—	1790	Betsey Died Oct ^r 5 th 1799.
James	—	Oct ^r	4—	1792	
Bulah	—	Nov ^r	2—	1793	
Dan ^l	—	Sept ^r	29—	1795	

Children of Benjnⁿ Stevens and Sarah his wife

Susanna born	Aug.	29—1785	Sally born	March	8—1791
Marcy	Aug	29—1787	Chauncy	Jan ^y	27—1793
Lucy	Feb	20 1789	Benjn ⁿ	May	19 1795

Children of James Stevens and Lucretia his wife

An Infant born	Dec ^r	3—1792	Died Dec ^r	3—1793
Richard Williams born	March	17 th 1794	—	
Norman Denison Born	March	1 th 1798		
Zar Banfford	“	March	25 th 1800	
Roxa Minerva	“	Dec ^r	8 th 1803	
Lydia Millonia	“	March	7 th 1807	—
Anna Williams	“	May	4 th 1808	

Children of Squire Stone & Rebecca his wife

Triphena born June 20 th 1790	Almes born Feb. 23, 1796
Harvey March 9 th 1792	Palmira March 3 1798.
Zaphne March 22 1794	William Sept: 13 th 1799

Children of William Sturges & Salome his wife

Samuel born June 2— 1796	John, April 4, 1807.
Nabby born May 24 th 1798.	Persis, May 4, 1809.
William Aug. 1 1800	Ebenezer Feb 7, 1812
Franklin born Sept: 4 th 1803.	Eliza July 4, 1814.
Sally Sept: 7 th 1804.	Josiah 1816

Children of John Thatcher, & Parna his wife.

Luther Robinson born in Wareham Jan 15 th 1791.	
Hannah born in Wareham Sept: 6 th 1792.	
Lucy born in Leicester June 1 st 1796.	
Thomas born Sept: 9 th 1798.	Emily — April 4 th 1806.
Sylvia — March 22 ^d 1800.	Harriot — March 7, 1808

Children of Timothy Thatcher, & Dorothy his wife.

Crocker, born Oct: 9 th 1800.	Adah Ells — Feby 25 th 1808 —
Charles Skinner, — May 5 th 1802.	Eliel — Feb—12— 1812
Betsey Freeman — Jan 23 ^d 1803.	Martha — Feby 5, 1815
Bulkley — March 22 ^d 1806.	

Children of Doct. Nathaniel Thayer, & Anne his wife.

William Austin, born in Woodbury, State of Connecticut, August 5th 1792.
 Lucius Fowler, born in Durham, State of Connecticut, June 21st 1797.
 Nancy Lucretia, born November 27th 1804.

Children of Elijah Thomas & Patience his wife

Patience born Feb. 24—1780	Abraham Aug. 11—1790
Nathan Feb. 4—1783 —	Isaac Aug. 11—1790
Asa Nov: 10—1785	Ezra June 25 1794
	Rebeca Sept: 2—1796 —

Children of Dr Gideon Thompson & Olive his Wife

Rhoda born December 11th 1786 Chauncy — May 24 1790
 Hezekiah Orton Novr 11th 1789 Olive — Aug. 1st 1793

Children of Samuel Tilley and Hannah his wife

Electa born July 16—1786
 Marcy June 21 1788 Died July 5—1789
 Rhoda Novr 13—1791 Lucy Apl 10—1794 —

For children of Nathaniel and Deborah Tobey, see page 13.

Children of Steph Tobey and Lydia his wife

Nathaniel born Sept: 10th 1775 & died the 18th
 Remember born Apl 11 1777 Asael born Novr 21—1790
 Celia born Apl 10—1780 Sarah born June 17 1793
 Steph born Decr 20—1782 Mary born Aug. 14—1796
 Lydia born July 7 1785 An infant born March 12th 1799
 Nathl born Feb. 17 1788 Died same day

Children of Laurance Vandusen and Christeen his wife

Betsey born Oct: 14 1790
 Isaac March 7—1793 Died Decr 4—1793
 Andrew Sept: 8 1794 Christeen Van Deusen born May 27—1797

Richard Montgomery Walker, Son of Caleb & Huldah Walker, born Friday February 8th 1788—Huldah, Wife of Caleb Walker deceased March 16th 1788

Caleb Walker died at Genesee in the Summer of 1790.—

Children of Henry Wansy & Chloe his wife

Betsey born Feb. 24—1788 — Electa Novr 24—1789
 Reuben May 10—1784 Esther March 25—1791
 John Decr 28—1786 Lucretia Apl 22—1793 —
 Benjn Apl 28—1788— Jared Apl 1—1795

Children of Daniel West and Elizabeth his wife

Elizabeth born	Feb. 28 th 1776	Died Jan ^y 23 ^d 1785		
Zeruah born	April 4 th 1777	Elizabeth	March 18 th 1788	
Thomas Tracy	Sept ^r 21 1798 †	Orson	Jan ^y 4— 1791	
Daniel born	Aug. 1, 1780.	Pelathiah	Feb. 26— 1798	
Lucy	May 19 th 1782	Alvah	June 21— 1795	
Sally	Feb. 25— 1784	Eunice at Lenox	June 29 th 1797	
Ira	May 24 th 1786			

Children of Elijah West and Marah his wife

Jeduthan born	Nov ^r 5, 1779	Erastus	Aug. 29—1783
Orange	Aug. 5— 1781	Deborah	Sept ^r 5—1785
Parmelia	Aug. 27— 1787	Died March 12—1789	
Ashbel	May 10— 1789		
Wareham	Ap ^l 7 th 1791	Alpheus born	Nov ^r 1—1795—
Sabara	June 28— 1793	Edna born	Dec ^r 5—1797

Mary West Daughter to Elisha West and Olive his Wife Born March the 4th 1773

Prudence West Daughter to Elisha West and Olive his Wife Born December the 9th AD: 1773

Ann West Daughter to Elisha West and Olive his Wife Born October the 31st AD: 1775

John Bruster West Son to Elisha West and Olive his Wife Born December the 11th AD: 1777

Children of Jonathan West & Elizabeth his wife

Miner born	Feb. 29— 1774		
David born	June 18 th 1775	Died Oct ^r 17—1777	
Lydia born	Oct ^r 9 th 1776	Died Oct ^r 8—1777	
David	July 4— 1778	—	
An infant born	Jan ^y 17 th 1779	Died Jan ^y 19—1779	
Jared	June 11— 1780		
an infant born	July 1781	— Died July —1781	
Betsey born	Aug. 5— 1782	Jonathan	March 30—1786
Laura	Feb. 11— 1784—	Thomas	Aug 24—1787
Lydia	Dec ^r 24— 1788	Died Dec ^r 14—1790	—
Lois born	Feb. 29— 1791	Alvan	May 29 th 1793
Lydia	Feb. 29— 1791	Susanna	Jan ^y 15 th 1795

Jonathan West Died Sept^r 1795

† Evidently a mistake for 1778.

Children of Levi West and Bathsheba his wife who died Apl 20th 1805

Nabby born	June	16—	1784			
Nathaniel	Sept:	18—	1785			
Patty	August	13—	1787	Died April—	1791	—
Amasa	August	4th	1789	—		
Patty	Novr:	6—	1791	Anne	Feb. 29—	1796 —
Marcy	Novr:	30—	1793	Mercy	June 18th	1798

Children of Prince West and Hannah his wife —

Bathsheba born	Aug. 12—	1763.	Heman	born	June 7th	1777.
Hannah	Jany 18th	1766	Amey		October 30th	1779 —
John	Feb. 15th	1770.	Philo		Feb. 16th	1782.
Sylvanus	July 23,	1772.	Ezekiel		May 2d	1784.
Christopher	Decr: 14,	1774	Prince		Novr: 1st	1786—

Children of William Whitney and Sarah his wife born Aug. 13—1754

Nabby born	Apl	10—	1774	William	Jany 9—	1783
Sarah	Apl	23—	1776	Clarissa	Sept: 6—	1785
Patty	Novr:	6—	1778	John	Jany 29—	1788
Mary	June	26—	1790	Died July 27—	1790	
Marah	Sept:	27—	1791			
Richard	Feb.	10—	1795	Died April 23—	1796	
Esther	Octr:	5	1797			

Children of Joseph Whiton & Amanda his Wife

Semanthe	born	Augt:	30,	1794	Edward V	—	June 2d	1805
Harriot	—	March	7,	1796	Eliza	—	April 16,	1807
Amanda	—	Octr:	10,	1797	Catharine	—	March 8,	1810
Joseph Lewis	—	July	14,	1799	Agnes	—	Augt: 12,	1813
Daniel G	—	March	20,	1801				

Children of Daniel Willoox and Lydia his wife

Hudson	born	Monday	October 12th	1795	—
Electa	born	Saturday	Apl 12	1800	
John	born	Sabbath	Feb: 21st	1802	
Hudson	Died	May 28th	Seven o Clock	P. M.	1802

Children of Edward Willcox & Deborah his wife

Edward born Sept: 14—1790 Sally Feb. 22—1794 —
 Randal Decr: 9—1792

Peter Willcox born Killingsworth, June 6th 1735

Jerusha his wife born Coventry Decr: —1738 and Died May 30th 1778

Their Children born as follows

Oziel born Aug. 16—1759 and was Killed at Sheffield March 27th 1787
 Sarah born Jan: 30—1761 Jerusha born March 22 1769
 Daniel born May 16th 1763 Ephraim Willcox Decr: 24th 1778
 Peter born July 12th 1765 Erastus Willcox Feb: 26 1775
 Elijah born Aug 26th 1767 Sena born May 17 1777

Peter Willcox Married to Tabitha Davis Feb. 1779 —

Phebe born July 10th 1779 Electa born March 2d 1781

Children of Peter Willcox Jr. & Polly his wife

Jerusha born Sept: 10th 1784 Lee
 Polly born Ap^l 29 1786 Lee
 Rhoda born October 16th 1788 Warrens bush
 Oziel born Jan: 9th 1791 Warrens-bush
 Peter born July 2d 1793 Warrens bush —

Children of Ephriam Williams & Mima his Wife

Nancy C— born Feb 16, 1800 Thomas G. born March 16, 1811
 Lucretia W. “ Feb. 8, 1805 Thankful C. — March 14, 1815

Children of Josiah Willoughby and Sally his wife

Polly born March 29—1794 — Lydia born July 27—1796

Children of Jacob Winegar and Anne his wife.

Zacheus born May 10th 1798
 Anna Clarena Born June 2d 1800
 Anne born June 16th 1802.

Children of Jacob Winegar & Sally his 2d wife

Oliver West born Aug: 8th 1804. Elizabeth — Feb. 19, 1811.
 Sophronia born July 2d 1805. Jacob — July 30. 1813.
 Thankful Nov. 15th 1806. Sally — Oct: 31, 1815.
 Loisa born June 5th 1809.

Children of John Winegar & Betsey his wife

Caty	born	May	31—1765.			
Sam ^l		Feb.	11—1767			
Zacheus		Novr	25—1768	Died March 4—179†		
Jacob		July	18—1773	Jesse	Feb.	11—1780
Huldah		Aug.	31—1774	David	Janr	8—1781
Betsey		Ap ^l	6—1775.	Stephen	Novr	13—1784
John		June	10—1777	Electa	Aug.	10—1786

Children of Sam^l Winegar & Tabitha his wife

John born Sept^r 19th 1797. Elizabeth March 3^d 1799

Samuel Wood and Azubah his Wife

Christian Wood son to Samuel Wood and Azubah his wife Born february the 24th AD: 1775 —

Azubah Wood Daughter to Samuel Wood and Azubah his Wife born March 30th 1777

Children of Jeremiah Wormer and Keshe his wife

Polly	born	Novr	20—1773.	Richard	Decr	12—1784
Mime		March	1—1776	Laurance	February	11—1790
Hannah		Aug—	10—1779			

Children of Joseph & Elizabeth Wyllys

Huldah born Feb. 17th 1787
 Rhoda — Feb. 11th 1790 and Died Ap^l 10th 1790
 Elizabeth Ap^l 10th 1792. And Died May 8th 1792
 Maria — May 26th 1793
 William Augustus born Oct^r 8th 1795

Children of Cap^t Josiah Yale & Ruth his Wife.

Eunice Yale	born	July	7 th 1777	John	born	July	13—1788
Betsey	—	—	May 28 th 1779	Lucy Tracy	—	Oct ^r	24—1791
Ruth	—	—	Janr. 18 th 1782	Electa	—	Aug.	22—1794
Cyrus Yale	born	May	17 th 1786	Josiah	—	July	29—1796

† Last figure obliterated, but the date on the stone over his grave is 1791.

Deaths.

The necrology of the early years of the town is very brief. The inscriptions on a few crumbling stones in the cemeteries, and the short list of deaths given in connection with the family birth records, contain it all until 1792, when Dr. Hyde commenced his admirable Church Records, included in which is a carefully recorded list of deaths which occurred in town during his pastorate.

The death of Pelatiah West is given after the birth record of Elijah and Marah West's children, and the deaths of several of the Crocker family, after the birth record of Joseph and Polly Crocker's children; but except as connected with the records of births, there is no registry of a death on the Town Records until that of Molly Casey, May, 1795, and there is no other recorded until 1797. Scattered here and there on several of the pages allotted to the birth records, are entries of some of the deaths in town between 1797 and 1804—the list of 1799 being nearly complete. In 1804 a systematic record was commenced, and has been continuously kept. These scattered entries, and also those deaths noticed in the preceding Records of Births, are here arranged chronologically. The latter are designated by the page on which they are printed being placed after them; the others are printed as recorded. Some of the dates and ages given in this record, Dr. Hyde's, and in the inscriptions in the cemeteries do not correspond. These are noted if the discrepancy is considerable.

1775.

Sept. 18—Nathaniel, s. of Stephen and Lydia Tobey, æ. 8 d. P. 38.

1777.

Oct. 8—Lydia, d. of Jonathan and Elizabeth West, æ. 1 yr. P. 39

Oct. 17—David, s. of Jonathan and Elizabeth West, æ. 2 y., 4 m. P. 39.

1778.

May 30—Jerusha, w. of Peter Wilcox, æ. 39 y., 6 m. P. 41.

May— Esther, d. of Aaron and Marah Benedict, P. 15.

1779.

Jan. 19—Child of Jonathan and Elizabeth West, æ. 2 d. P. 39.

May 16—Jedediah, s. of Nathan and Lucy Davis, æ. 14 d. P. 20.

July 13—Eunice, d. of Aaron and Marah Benedict, æ. 2 d. P. 15.

1780.

June 28—Thomas, s. of Elisha and Elizabeth Freeman, æ. 3 y. P. 24.

Nov. 10—Stephen, s. of John and Lois Nye, æ. 2 m., 19 d. P. 32.

Nov. —Sarah, d. of Nathan and Lucy Davis, æ. about 7 m. P. 20.

Dec. 9—Jerusha, d. of Jonathan and Deliverance Foot. P. 24.

[“Jerusha died Jan 7th 1781, aged 7 Months”.—See p. 87.]

1781.

- July—Child of Jonathan and Elizabeth West. P. 39.
 Dec. 1—Esther, d. of John and Lois Nye, æ. 1 m. P. 32.

1782.

- Feb. 5—Marcy, d. of Levi and Temperence Chase, æ. 4 w. P. 18.

1783.

- May 10—Daniel, s. of Daniel and Hannah Church, æ. 10 y., 11 m. P. 18.
 May —Seth, s. of Levi and Temperence Chase. P. 18.
 Oct. 17—Dorse, d. of Amos and Susan Roberts, æ. 1 y., 7 m. P. 35.

1784.

- Feb. 16—Daniel, s. of Daniel and Hannah Church, æ. 5 m., 8 d. P. 18.
 Feb. 20—Samuel, s. of Samuel and Prudence Porter, æ. 4 y. 7 m. P. 34.
 Apl. 15—Hannah, w. of Daniel Church. P. 18.—[“in the 44th year of her age.”—See p. 89.]
 Aug. 1—Sarah, d. of Nathan and Ruhamah Ball, æ. 11 y., 3 m. P. 13.
 [Date of death, and age taken from inscription in the cemetery.—See p. 76.]
 Oct. 4—John, s. of Archalaus and Sarah Chadwick, æ. 1 y., 11 m. P. 17.

1785.

- Jan. 23—Elizabeth, d. of Daniel and Elizabeth West, æ. 9 y. P. 39.
 Mar. 19—Nancy, d. of Cornelius Jr. and Abigail Bassett, of small pox, æ. 1 y., 19 d. P. 15.
 May 15—Jared, s. of Elisha and Marah Graut, æ. 2 y., 8 m. P. 25.
 Nov. 19—Eunice, w. of Moses Ingersoll in the 50th yr. of her age. P. 31.
 [The inscription in cemetery (see p. 80), and Dr. Hyde's record give 1795 as the year of death, and both state in the 51st year of her age.]

1786.

Abijah, s. of John and Lucy Starnes. P. 36.

[“A Bijah Son to Mr JOHN STARN'S Died June 27th AD 1789 in y^e 5 ye ar of his age.”—See p 91.]

1787.

- Mar. 27—Oziel, s. of Peter and Jerusha Willcox, Killed at Sheffield, æ. 27 y., 7 m., 11 d. P. 41. [See introductory notes.]
 May 22—Ira, s. of John and Lois Nye. P. 32.
 Pelatiah West Died July—11—1787—
 Aug. 20—Samuel, s. of Archalaus and Sarah Chadwick, æ. 1 y., 5 m., 24 d. P. 17.

1788.

- Mar. 16—Huldah, w. of Caleb Walker. P. 38.
 May 1—Rebeca, d. of Wait and Marah Hatch, æ. about 32 y. P. 27.

1789.

- Mar. 12 - Parmelia, d. of Elijah and Marah West, æ. 1 y., 6 m., 13 d. P. 39.
 Apl. 18—Child of Abraham and Temperence Perry, æ. 15 d. P. 34.
 May 23—Child of Joseph and Eunice Bradley—"Died immediately". P. 16.
 July 5—Marcy, d. of Samuel and Hannah Tilley, æ. 1 y., 15 d. P. 38.

1790.

- Apl. 10—Rhoda, d. of Joseph and Elizabeth Wyllys, æ. 2 m. P. 42
 July 11—Marah, w. of Aaron Benedict. P. 15.
 [—"in the 8.th year of her age."—See p. 87.]
 July 27—Mary, d. of William and Sarah Whitney, æ. 1 m. P. 40.
 July 31—Charity, w. of Col. Jared Bradley. P. 16.
 [—"in the 32d year of her age."—See p. 87.]
 Aug. 13—Desire, w. of Abiathar Chadwick, P. 17.
 [—"in the 35th year of her age".—See p. 78.]
 Caleb Walker Died at Genessee in the Summer of 1790.—P. 38.
 Sep. 8—Betsey, d. of George and Betsey Bennet, æ. 5 m. P. 15.
 Dec. 14—Lydia, d. of Jonathan and Elizabeth West, æ. about 2 y. P. 39.
 Dec. 22—John, s. of Jonathan and Anne Graves, æ. 1 d. P. 26.

1791.

- Jan. 27—Child of Jesse Jr. and Lucy Bradley. P. 16.
 Mar. 4—Zacheus, s. of John and Betsey Winegar. P. 42.
 [—"in the 2d year of his age".—See p. 89.]
 Apl. —Patty, d. of Levi and Bathsheba West, æ. about 3 y., 8 m. P. 40.
 July —Child of Cornelius and Remember Bassett. P. 14.
 July 27—Tabitha, d. of Levi and Temperence Chase, æ. 20 d. P. 18.
 Oct. 25—John, s. of Jonathan and Deliverence Foot, æ. 5 m. P. 24.
 [Date given in inscription in cemetery is Oct. 9, 1791:—see p. 87.]
 Nov. 1—Polly, d. of Jonathan and Sarah Finney, æ. 2 y., 12 d. P. 23.

1792.

- Jan. 5—Erastus, s. of John and Jehannah Gifford, æ. 1 w. P. 25.
 May 8—Elizabeth, d. of Joseph and Elizabeth Wyllys, æ. 4 w. P. 42.
 Hannah Crocker Died June 18—1792 in the 60th year of her age.
 Oct. 13 - David, s. of David and Betsey Foot, æ. 3 m. P. 23.
 Nov. 2—Thomas, s. of Levi and Sarah Nye. P. 33.
 [—"in the 19th year of his age".—Date of death and age taken from
 inscription in cemetery:—see p. 81.]
 Dec. 17—Child of James and Lucretia Stevens—died day of birth. P. 36.

1793.

- Mar. 16 - Child of Reuben and Nabby Barlow. P. 14.
 Apl. 21 - Child of John and Salome Crosby, æ. 4 w. P. 20.
 June 28 - Sally, d. of John and Sarah Hulett, æ. 4 m., 1 w. P. 29.
 Aug. 26—Zafne, s. of James and Achsah Austin, æ. 18 m. P. 12.
 Oct. —William, s. of Jonathan Jr. and Deliverence Foot. P. 24.
 ["William died Oct 1st 1792 aged 5 weeks".—See p. 87.]
 Nov. 13 - Deliverence, w. of Ichabud Backus. P. 12.
 Dec. 4—Isaac, s. of Laurence and Christeen Vandusen, æ. 9 m. P. 38.

1794.

- Feb. 8—Wealthy, d. of John and Sarah Hulett. P. 29.
 Mar. 13—Huldah, d. of Levi G. Porter, æ. 8 y., 13 d. P. 34.
 Mar. 19—Eunice, d. of Elisha and Marah Grant, æ. 2 y., 11 m., 2 d. P. 25.
 June 29—Jesse, s. of John and Jehannah Gifford, æ. 1 y., 4 m., 10 d. P. 25.
 Peter Willcox Jr born at Richmond July 12th 1765 and died
 in Grenville of 48 hours illness of the bilious Cholc July
 16th AD 1794 in the thirtieth year of his age.

1795.

- Feb. 15—Polly, d. of Silas and Rachel Easton, æ. 16 d. P. 22.
 Mar. 28—Marcy, w. of Paul Ewer. P. 22.
 [Date and age from inscription in cemetery:—"March 18th 1795 in the 39th year of
 her age".—See p. 79.]
 Widow Abigail Crocker died Apl 10—1795 in the 90 Year of
 her age.
 Apl. 11—Lewis, s. of John and Jehannah Gifford, æ. 4 d. P. 25.
 Apl. 17—Barnabas, s. of Nathaniel and Deborah Tobey, æ. 1 m. P. 23.
 May 1—Child of John and Salome Crosby, æ. 11 d. P. 20.
 Molly Casey Died May 1795.—["May 5th aged 24 y." Dr. Hyde's record.]
 June 5—Rhoda, d. of Levi G. Porter—in her 4th year. P. 34.
 Aug. 20—Rebeca, d. of Jonathau and Anne Graves, æ. 2. y. P. 26.
 Sep. 7—Marcy Hamlin, d. of Joseph Jr. and Polly Crocker—in her 4th
 year. P. 19.
 Jonathan West Died Sept 1795. P. 39.
 Nov. 10—Polly, d. of Elisha and Marah Grant, æ. 2 y., 17 d. P. 25.

1796.

- Joseph Crocker Jr died Jan 8—1796 in the 30th Year of his age.
 P. 19.
 Feb. 20—Elizabeth, w. of John Keep. P. 31.
 [—"in the 40th year of her age."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
 Mar. 6—Charles, s. of John and Lois Nye, æ. 2 m. P. 32.
 Mar. 7—Kimbal, s. of Samuel and Prudence Porter. P. 34.
 [The inscription in cemetery (see p. 91), and Dr. Hyde give 15 months as the age,
 which does not correspond with the record on page 34. Probably he was born in 1794
 instead of 1795, as there given.]
 Apl. 23—Richard, s. of William and Sarah Whitney, æ. 1 y., 2 m., 13 d.
 P. 40.
 Capt. Thomas Crocker died July 5—1796 in the 62 Year of his
 age —
 July 24—Joseph, s. of Joseph and Polly Crocker, æ. 7 m., 20 d. P. 19.
 Sep. 17—Child of Reuben and Nabby Barlow—died day of birth. P. 14.
 Oct. 15—John, s. of John and Sarah Hulett, æ. 8 y., 1 m., 20 d. P. 29.

1797.

- Jan. 2—Betsey, d. of Seth and Bethiah Burden, æ. 5 y., 1 m. P. 17.
 Jan. 17—Child of Abraham and Huldah Finney—died day of birth. P. 22.
 Jan. 21—Sarah, w. of John Hulet. P. 161. [—"aged 33 yrs."—Dr. Hyde's rec.]
 Pegg Casey died Feb. 16—1797—[—"in the 16th year of her age."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
 Ebenezer Chadwick Jr Died Feb, y 25th 1797—
 [—"in the 25th year of his age."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
 Mar. 7—Betsey, d. of William and Jerusha Freeman, æ. 12 d. P. 24.
 Apl. 6—Thomas, s. of Josiah and Hannah Crocker, æ. 3. w. P. 20.
 May 26—Child of Ancel and Hannah Bassett, æ. 20 d. P. 14.
 Eleazer Turner Died at Lee July 29th 1797.—
 [—"in the 30th year of his age."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
 Died at Lee Aug. 30 Widow Silence Chase.
 [—"in the 76th year of her age."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
 Sep. 22—Child of Eleazer Turner Died Sept'r 22d 1797 aged 6 months.
 Oct. 23—William Finney, s. of Cornelius and Mercy Hamlin, æ. 1 y., 4 m. P. 26.
 Mr David Perrys wife died Dec'r 19th 1797 [See pp. 74, 85.]
 Mr Nathan Ball Died Dec'r 29th 1797 in the 61st Year of his age.

1798.

- Jan. 19—Harriet, d. of Cornelius and Abigail Bassett, æ. 2 y., 9 d. P. 15.
 Mr John Winegar died March 14th 1798—
 [—"Aged 55 years & 2 M"—See p. 89.]
 Mr Benjamin Hamlin Died May 2d 1798—
 [—"in the 67th year of his age."—See p. 91.]
 May 4—Child of James and Achsah Austin—died day of birth. P. 12.
 Dennis Casey Died may 6th 1798 —
 [—"aged 20 years."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
 Anner Bassett Daughter of Nathan Bassett Died June 5th 1798
 [—"aged 18 years."—See p. 77.]
 Katharine Winegar Died June 13th 1798 —
 [—"aged 33 years & 13 days".—See p. 89.]
 Cynthia Chadwick Died July 28th 1798—
 [—"aged 13 years."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
 Zeruah Crocker Died Sept'r 2d 1798 —
 [—"in the 21st year of her age."—See p. 78.]
 Dec. 23—Betsey Crosby, d. of Josiah and Hannah Crocker, æ. 8 m., 20 d. P. 20.

1799.

- Jan. 3—Roxe, d. of Abraham and Esther Howk—in her 4th yr. P. 28.
 Phineas Graves's wife Died Jan'y 7th 1799
 Remember Tobey Died Feb. 7th 1799—
 [—"in the 22 year of her age."—See p. 75.]
 Widow Elizabeth Turner Died Feb. 20th 1799 —
 [—"aged 39 years."—Dr. Hyde's record.]

- Daniel Church Sen. Died March 9th 1799—
 [—"aged 82 years".—See p. 80.]
- Timothy Barden's wife died March 10th 1799—
 [—"Burden," in Dr. Hyde's record.]
- Mar. 12—Child of Stephen and Lydia Tobey—died day of birth. P. 38.
 Lydia Tobey wife to Stephen Tobey Died April 3d AD 1799—
 [—"in the 43d year of her age."—See p. 81.]
- John Couch Sen's wife Died June—1—1799—
 [—"in the 77th year of her age."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
- John Couches Child 18 months Died June 8th 1799
 A Child of Elijah Peet Died June 29th 1799 —
 [—"Aged 8 years 10 M & 5 days".—See p. 91.]
- July 14—Thomas, s. of John and Lucy Starnes, æ. 1 y., 9 d. P. 36.
 Laurence Vandusen died July 19 1799 —
 [—"in the 33d year of his age."—See p. 85.]
- Nabby Polly Died July 20 1799 —
 [—"in the 2nd Year of her age."—See p. 85.]
- Aug. 4—Child of Alvan and Sally Foot—died day of birth. P. 23.
 Thomas Northrup Died Aug. 8 1799—[—"aged 72 years."— Dr. Hyde.]
 Samuel Couch's child died Aug. 19th 1799 —
 [—"aged 15 months."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
- Jerusha Polley Died Sept: 6th 1799 A 1 Year 9 m
- Oct. 5—Betsey, d. of John and Lucy Starnes, æ. 9 y., 4 m. P. 36.
- Dec. 21—Child of Andrew and Betsey Howk, æ. 1 d. P. 28.

1800.

- Widow Elizabeth West Died March 17th 1800 —
 [—"aged 88 years."—Dr. Hyde's record.]
- Electa Wilcox Died May 17th 1800 of the following disorders (viz)
 Inflammation in the bowels, Spasm in the Stomach and Cramp
 Cholice.
- Aug. 10—Joseph, s. of Nathaniel and Bethiah Bassett, æ. 1 y., 3 d. P. 15.
 Josiah Hatch's wife Died Novr: 9th 1800 —
 [—"aged 83 years."—Dr. Hyde's record.]

The dates of the two following are uncertain:

- Barnabas Finney died June 30—178 (Last figure omitted.) P. 23.
 July 3—Nathan, s. of Aaron and Marah Benedict, 179 (Last figure omitted.)
 P. 15.

Congregational Church Records.

[Many matters are omitted from the Records here printed, but all the Admissions to the Church, the Baptisms, and Dr. Hyde's list of Marriages and Deaths are given.]

Lee May, 25 AD. 1780:

The Professors of religion in the town of Lee met and formed themselves into a Church, The Revd Mr Daniel Collins of Lansborough being present at their request to assist in forming them:

The Church being then formed made choice of Mr Wilm Ingersoll for their Moderator: after which they made choice of Mr Wilm Ingersoll, Mr Jesse Bradley and Mr Prince West as a Committee to sign Letters missive to the Churches in Sheffield, Egremont, Stockbridge, Lenox, Pittsfield, Lansborough, and Williamstown to request their assistance by Pastors and Delegates in the Ordination of Mr Abraham Fowler to the work of the Ministry and pastoral charge of the Church to be on June 8, AD. 1780. On the 6 day of July, Sarah the wife of Levi Nye, Phebe the Wife of Thomas Beecher, Tabitha the wife of Peter Willcocks, Eunice the Wife of Moses Ingersoll, Lydia the wife of Aaron Ingersoll and David Ingersoll were all received as members of full Communion with this Church: The same day Truman son to James Penoyer was baptized.

December 3. Hopenstill son to Thomas Beecher was baptized.

December 17. James Penoyer, Daniel Church, and Hannah his wife were received into full Communion with this Church.

December 31. Lois the Wife of Joseph Handy and Elizebeth the Wife of Seth Barlow were received into full Communion with this Church.

Jan. 17. AD. 1781. Heman and Amey Children to Prince West, and Elenor, Anna, Luther, and John-Calvin Children to Moses Ingersoll were baptized.

Jan. 28. Levi Nye, and Hannah the Wife of Hope Davis were received into full Communion with this Church.

Febry 25. John Crosby, and Martha his Wife, Elizebeth Chadwick, and Thankfull the Wife of John Goodspeed were received into full Communion with this Church.

April 22. AD. 1781. Electa Daughter to Peter Willcocks and Benjamin son to James Young were baptized.

June 23. AD. 1782. Abigail Wife to Elisha Goodspeed was received into full Communion with this Church, and she and hir Daughter thankfull were baptized.

August the 4. Josiah Bartholomew, Desire Wife of Abiathar Chadwick, and Moriah Backus were received into full Communion with this Church: Moriah Backus, Billy and Betsy Children to Moses Ingersoll, and Daniel Son to Nathan Ball were baptized the same day.

These are the accounts recorded of the Church by Mr Wil^m Ingersoll while Moderator of the Church.

July 3, AD. 1788. Mr Elisha Parmele was ordained to the work of the Gospel ministry and pastoral charge of this Church.

The members of this church and their children that are baptized are these that follow.

Josiah Bartholomew Phebe his Wife. Lemuel Hatch Temperance Hatch

Their Children
Oliver Bartholomew
Phebe Bartholomew
Jesse Bartholomew

Their Children
Oliver Hatch
Timothy Hatch
Joseph Hatch
Lemuel Hatch
Ebenezer Hatch
Tempe Hatch
Jonathan Hatch

Hope Davis Hannah Davis

Will^m Ingersoll Lydia Ingersoll

their Children
Moses Ingersoll
Aaron Ingersoll
Barsheba Ingersoll
Jared Ingersoll
David Ingersoll
Will^m Ingersoll
Lucinda Ingersoll
Elijah Ingersoll
Calvin Ingersoll
Betsy Ingersoll

Prince West

his Children
Barsheba-West
Hannah-West
John West
Silvanus West
Christopher West
Heman West
Amey West
Philo West

Jesse Bradley Mary Bradley. †

Their Children.
Jared Bradley
Eli Bradley
Jesse Bradley
Mamry Bradley
Joseph Bradley
William Bradley
Lemi Bradley
Lydia Bradley
Daniel Bradley

Joseph Totman

his Children
Sarah Totman
Elizebeth Totman
Mary Totman
Benjamin Totman

Oliver West Thankful West

Their Children
Amy West
Caleb West
Amasa West
Anna West
Sarah West
Joshua West
Oliver West

Nathan Ball S Ruhannah Ball †

Their Children
Nathan Ball
Lydia Ball
Mary Ball
Sarah Ball
Elizebeth Ball
Martha Ball
John Ball
Anna Ball
James Ball
Samuel Ball
Cesar.

† See p. 108.

John Crosby Martha Crosby

their Children
 John Crosby
 Abijah Crosby
 Hannah Crosby
 Thomas Crosby
 Abner Crosby
 Elizebeth Crosby

Lemuel Crocker Sarah Crocker

their Children
 Samuel Crocker

Levi Nye Sarah Nye

their Children
 Joshua Nye
 Benjamin Nye
 Mary Nye
 Rachel Nye
 Thomas Nye
 Levi Nye
 Sarah Nye

James Penoyer Sarah Penoyer

their Children
 David-lovel Penoyer
 Reuben Penoyer
 Jacob Penoyer
 Truman Penoyer
 Zina Penoyer

Daniel Church Hannah Church

Their Children
 Rachel Church
 Levi Church
 Eli Church
 Daniel Church

Phinehas Fish Marcy Fish

Their Children
 Joseph Fish — born Decr 20, 1767.
 Job Fish — born Decr 2, 1769.
 Phinehas Fish- born July 9, 1771.
 Samuel Fish — born Sepr 9, 1773.
 Elizebeth Fish- born Novr 1, 1776.
 Bethia Fish — born Aprl 5, 1779.
 Susannah Fish- born Febr 17, 1781.
 Thankful Fish- born Febr 11, 1783.

David Kellogg Elenor Kellogg

their Children
 baptized } Lydia Kellogg
 in the } Rhoda Kellogg
 half way } Russell Kellogg
 } Adosha Kellogg
 } David Kellogg
 } Welthy Kellogg
 } Hannah Kellogg
 } Ira Kellogg
 } Otis Kellogg

David Ingersoll Sarah Ingersoll

Children
 Erastus Ingersoll

James Youngs Hannah youngs

their Children
 James Youngs
 Rebekah Youngs
 Hannah Youngs
 Lydia Youngs
 Elizebeth Youngs
 Benjamin Youngs
 David Youngs
 Anna Youngs

Thomas Ewer Mary Ewer

their Children
 Thomas Ewer
 Ebenezer Ewer
 Ansel Ewer
 Lydia Ewer
 Seth Ewer
 Elisha Ewer

Sarah Foot Wife of Jonathan FootCaty Perry Wife of Arthur Perry.

her Children
 Ruth Perry
 Cloe Perry
 Mary Perry
 Johannah Perry
 Abraham Perry
 Abigail Perry

Elizebeth Winegar Wife of John
Winegar. her Children

Catharina Winegar
Samuel Winegar
Zachariah Winegar
Jacob Winegar
Huldah Winegar
Elizebeth Winegar
John Winegar
Jesse Winegar
David Winegar
Stephen Winegar

Elizebeth Chadwick
her Children

Rose Chadwick
Abiathar Chadwick
Archelus Chadwick
Samuel Chadwick

Fannah Collins Wife of Oliver Collins.

her Children
Elisha Collins
Archebal Collins
Oliver Collins
Avis Collins
Elias Collins
John Collins
Isaac Collins

Tryphena Marsh Wife of Reuben
Marsh. her Children

Judith Marsh

Tabitha Willcocks Wife of Peter
Willcocks. her Children

Mary Davis
Thomas Davis
Anna Davis
Rowland Davis
Ephraim Davis
Timothy Davis
Phebe Willcocks
Electa Willcocks

Desire Chadwick Wife of Abiathar
Chadwick. her Children

Fear Chadwick
Heman Chadwick
Joseph Chadwick

Thankfull Goodspeed Wife of John
Goodspeed. her Children

Obed Goodspeed

Eunice Ingersoll Wife of Moses In-
gersoll. her Children

Elenor Ingersoll
Anna Ingersoll
Luther Ingersoll
John-Calvin Ingersoll
Billy Ingersoll
Betsy Ingersoll

Moriah Backus

her Children

Hannah Backus
Sarah Backus
Nathaniel Backus
Auson Backus
Benjamin Backus

Sarah Chadwick Wife of Archelus
Chadwick. her Children

Thomas Chadwick
Jabez Chadwick
Elizebeth Chadwick
John Chadwick

Lydia Ingersoll Wife of Aaron In-
gersoll. her Children

Jonathan Ingersoll
Stephen Ingersoll

Deliverance Foot Wife of Jonathan
Foot. her Children

Elisha Foot
Alvin Foot
Jerusha Foote

Thankfull Dimmuck Wife of Sylva-
nus Dimmuck. her Children

Hannah Dimmuck

Lydia Gifford Wife of Thomas
Gifford. her Children

Abigail Gifford
Isaac Gifford
Huldah Gifford
Sarah Gifford
Cornelius Gifford

Catherina Winegar

Naomi Goodspeed Wife of David

Goodspeed her Children

Naomi Goodspeed
Antony Goodspeed

Mary Hatch Wife of Wate Hatch

her Children

Rebekkah Hatch
Lewes Hatch
Priscilla Hatch
Edward Hatch

Elizebeth West the Wife of Daniel

West. her Children

Elizebeth West
Saviah West
Thomas-Tracy West
David West
Lucy West.

Experience Coffey Wife of John

Coffey her children

Mary Coffey
Betsy Coffey
Rachel Coffey
Crecia Coffey

Phebe the Wife of Thomas Beecher

her Children

Hopestill Beecher
Submit Beecher

Seth & Amy Nye

their Children

Elisha Nye

Lois Handy Wife of Joseph Handy

their Children

Joseph Handy
Nathaniel Handy
Seth Handy

Aaron Benedic

Children

Clarissa Benedic
Stephen-Thomas Benedic

Mary the Wife of Elisha Grant

Their Children

Elisha Grant
Ruth Grant
Prudence Grant
Jared Grant

Elizebeth Wife [of] Seth Barlow

her Children

Samuel Barlow
Nathan Barlow

Lydia the Wife of Stephen Toby

Jerusha Standly

Olliver Hatch & Rebekah Hatch

Their Children.

Thomas Crocker Mercy Crocker.

[Several pages in the original, are blank after the above list, on which evidently, it was designed that the names of persons taken into the church from time to time, and their children, should be entered. The list, however, remains as left by Wm. Ingersoll; the clerks following him, making no additions to it.]

Lee July 18, 1783. The Church agreed to choose two Deacons: and choose Mr David Ingersoll Choirester. [See p. 108.]

July 19. Thankful Fish daughter of Phinehas and Marcy Fish was baptized.

July 20. Hannah Backus, Sarah Backus, Nathaniel Backus, Anson Backus, Benjamin Backus, Children of Moriah Backus: John Chadwick Son of Archelus and Sarah Chadwick: and Fear Chadwick, Heman Chadwick, and Joseph Chadwick, Children of Abiathar and Desire Chadwick were all baptized.

July 24, Mafy the Wife of Thomas Yure, and Amy the Wife of Seth Nye were examined by this Church: and propounded with a view to join this Church in full communion on the 26, of July.

July 27, Crecia daughter of John and Experience Coffey was baptized.

August 3, Otis the son of David and Elenor Cellogg, Samuel the son of Lemuel and Sarah Crocker, and Elizebeth, Saviab, Thomas Tracy, Daniel, and Lucy the Children of Daniel and Elizebeth West, were all baptised.

August 10. Mary the Wife of Thomas Ewer and Amey the Wife of Seth Nye were both received into full communion with this Church: and Mrs Ewer was baptized the same time being not certain that she was baptized in her infancy.

August 29, The Church met and passed the following votes:

1. That no complaint shall be brought before the Church of any member except by the desire of one or two members exclusive of the offended Brother.
2. That no member of another Church shall be allowed to partake of the Lords supper occasionally more than nine months from the time of his becoming an Inhabitant of the Town unless circumstances shall be such as the Church shall judge it proper to vary from this term of time, making the time of Ordination that from which they begin to reckon.
3. That at all Church meetings any Brother being absent or not being there by the time appointed shall be deemed censurable unless he has such reasons as shall by the Church be judged sufficient for his excuse.

August 31. Elisha son of Seth and Amy Nye was baptised.

September 4. The Church choose Mr Oliver West and Mr Jesse Bradley to the Office of Deaconship.

Sept: 7. Samuel son of Nathan and S. Ruhamah Ball was baptised.

Sept: 21. Lydia Wife of William Ingersoll, Phebe the Wife of Josiah Bartholomew, Aaron Benedic, Mary Wife of Elisha Grant, Lydia Wife of Stephen Toby, and Jerusha Standly were received into full communion with this Church: and Mrs Toby with Thomas, Ebenezer, Ansel, Lydia, Seth and Elisha Children of Thomas and Mary Ewer, were all baptized.

September 28. Nathan son of Seth and Elizabeth Barlow was baptized.

October 5. Clarissa and Stephen-Thomas children of Aaron Benedic were baptized.

October 12. Elisha, Ruth, Prudence, Jared Children of Elisha and Mary

Grant were baptized.

November 2. Olliver Hatch and Rebekah his Wife were received into full Communion with this Church.

November 23. Thomas Crocker and Marcy his Wife and also Sarah the Wife of David Ingersoll were received into full communion with this Church.

January 15, AD. 1784. Daniel son of Daniel and Hannah Church was baptized, being sick and not likely to live he was baptized at his Fathers house.

Jan. 18. Stephen son of John and Elizebethe Winegar was baptized.

February 6. The Church met and passed the following Votes:

1. That when any matter is to be decided by the Church, no Person exclusive of the Church shall be present while they are deciding the matter.
2. That it is their opinion, that there is an absolute and certain connexion between the faithfulness of believing Parents in training up their children and the Salvation of the Children thus trained up:

That this their opinion arises from their supposing that this connexion is graciously made in the Covenant of Grace.

[The preceding Records were written by Wm. Ingersoll, whose hand does not appear again. The next entries are supposed to be in Deacon Jesse Bradley's writing.]

May 13. The Church met and passed the following Vote: viz Takeing into consideration the circumstances of Mr Parmele as to his low and declining state of health ---

Voted that we are willing he should take a journey to Virginia with a view to recover health.

May ye 18. At a church meeting; after consulting with Mr Parmele and takeing into view his state of health and his desire to journey into the southern states—We do mutually agree and vote that he shall be at liberty to settle amongst any people (should he ever recover such a measure of health as to be able); likewise we on our part are at liberty to call and settle a nother Minister.

[Here the Records commence in a different hand, supposed to be Deacon Oliver West's. Except when otherwise noted, the remainder of the 1st book is in this hand. The first entry below is not the next in order in the original, but is next in time.

Lee August ye 8th 1784 Mr Monson Preachd and Adminnestred the Sacrament here Seth Nye was Received into ful communion with this Church and was baptized Ezekiel Son of Prince and Hannah West Salle daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth west and Esther and David Children of Elisha and Mary Grant and Remembrance Celah and Stephen Children of Stephen and Lidia Toby ware all baptized

December ye 5th Mr Monson Adminnestred the Sacrament and Baptized
 † of Thomas and Phebe Beacher and Mary daughter of Abiather [and] Desire Chadwick and John Son of Achelus and Sarah Chadwick ---

† Probably the space should have been filled by: "Submit, daughter." See p. 53.

January the 9th 1785 Mr West Adminnestr'd the Sacrament Jesse Gifford and Ruth his Wife Samuel Davis and Priscilla his Wife Josiah Yale and Ruth his Wife Sarah the Wife of Roswel Hubbort Cornelus Bassett and Archelus Chadwick all were recvd into the Church and Jesse Gifford and Samuel Davis +Mary and Hopestill Children of Samuel and Priscilla Davis all were baptized.

August the 14th 1785 Mr Kirkland Preached here and baptized Isaac Son of Nathan and Ruhamah Ball and Lucina daughter of Aaron Benedic and Eli Son of Oliver Hatch and Elisha and John Sons of Cornelius Bassett

Lee June y^e 25th 1786 Mr Monson preach'd here and Baptized Theodor Son of David and Sarah Ingersol and Elisha Parmale Son of Samuel and Prissilla Davis

September the 17th 1786 Mr Perry Preached here and administred the Sacrament and Baptized Electa daughter of John and Elizebath Winegar and Lidia daughter of Stephen and Lidia Toby, and Ira Son of Daniel and Elizabeth West Thankful daughter of Elisha and Mary Grant and Sirus Son of Josiah and Ruth Yale Archelus Son of Abiather and Desire Chadwick Daniel Lewes Son of oliver and Rebekah Hatch and Samuel Son of Archelus and Sarah chadwick, and Elizabeth Wife of Cornelius Gifford and Eunice Wife of Ebenezar Brown were taken into the church

Sabathday june the 10th 1787 Mr Camp Preach'd here and Baptized Prince Son of Prince and Hannah West and David Son of Cornelus Bassett and Lucy daughter of John and Lucy Williams was given up by Jerusha Standly and † Thomas and Mary Ewert

April 6th 1788 Mr Avery preach'd here and Baptized Lucreace daughter of David and Sarah Ingersol

April the 20th Mr Bell baptized Caleb Son of Seth and Amy Nye

May the 4th Mr Steevens Baptized Hannah daughter of Dannel and Ann Church and Jonathan Son of Jonathan and Deliverance Foot

Sabathday June y^e 1—1788 Mr West preached att Lee and baptized Elisebeth daughter of Daniel and Elizebeth West.

Sabathday August the 24 Mr West Preached here and baptized Nathaniel Son of Stephen [and] Lydia Toby

February the 22 1789 Mr Sanford preached here and baptized Ezra Son of James and Hannah Youngs and Sarah Daughter of Archelus and Sarah Chadwick

Lee March the 16th 1789 the church met and voted unanimously to desire Mr William Fowler Miller to take the Pastoral Care and Charg of this Church Provided the Town will unite in Supporting him

† The name "Sally," instead of Mary, is given on p. 20.

‡ See p. 51. Seth and Elisha Ewer were baptized Sept. 21, 1783. Probably the name of a later child should have been here inserted, and obviously, "was baptized," was also omitted.

June the 20th 1790 Mr Monson Preached here and administred the Sacrament and John Son of Josiah Yale and Moses Son [of] David and Sarah Ingersol and Thankfull Daughter of Seth and Amy Nye all were baptized

July the 29 the Church met and voted to Desire Hope Davis Nathan Ball & Prince West to go and Converse With Mrs Bradley and inquire the Reason of her not attending our meeting and also to Converse with Mr Penoy[e]r respecting his Ideas of all mankinds being finaly happy

August the 1 Mr Avery Preachd here and Eleaser Son of Thomas Ewer Aaron & Desire children of Aaron Bennedick and Lemuel & David children of Oliver Hatch all were baptized

october the first day Mr Avery preached a lecter here and baptized
†of Samuel and Prissilla Davis

September the 18th 1791 Mr Shaw Preached here and Baptized Pamela daughter of Thomas and Phebe Beacher Orson Son of Daniel and Elisebeth West and Eunes Daughter [of] Elisha [and] Mary Grant and John son of Jona[t]han [and] Deliverence Foot and September 25 he baptized anna daughter of Daniel and anna Church and Elizabeth daughter of Thomas and Mary Ewer and Alvin Son of James and Hannah youngs

Novr 20th Mr Monson Preached in this town, & baptized Charlotte, daughter of Lucy Bullard.

[This last item above, is in the Rev. Alvan Hyde's writing.]

February 23^d 1792 the Church met and voted unanimously to give Mr Alvin Hide a call to take the Pasteral Care and Charge of the Church

Sabathday may 6 Mr Avery preached here & adminnestered the Sacrament and baptized Abraham Phebe Thomas Lidia & Abigail Children of jesse and Ruth Gifford and Asel Son of Stephen and Lydia Toby and Soffe Daughter of David and Sarah Ingersol and betsy Daughter of Seth & Amy Nye and Ruth Daughter of Archelus and Elizebeth Chadwick

† See p. 20. The three oldest children having been baptized (Jan. 29, 1785 and June 25, 1786,) perhaps Rebecca and Samuel were baptized at this time.

[ORDINATION OF MR. ELISHA PARMELE.]

At an ecclesiastical Counsel convened at Lee pursuant to Letters mis-
sive received from the Church of Christ in said Town, requesting our as-
sistance in setting apart Mr Elisha Parmele to the pastoral Office over
them in the Day 3rd of June AD 1788. Present

Elders Rev. Messrs —	Delegates
Stephen West, Stockbridge	Elijah Brown Esq
Daniel Collins, Lanesborough	Samuel Durham
Thomas Allen, Pittsfield	Josiah Bright — —
Samuel Munson, Lenox.	John Staughton
Eliphalet Steel, Egremont	Eberer Olds — — —
Zadock Hurn, † Becket	Isaiah Kingsley
Joseph Avery, Alford.	Robert Johuson — —
Seth Swift Wnt †	Benjamin Skinner

Docke West was chosen Moderator and Mr. Collins Scribe, the Counsel
was opened by prayer seeking to God for Counsel and direction in the
important Matters to be laid before them. ———

The Counsel then gave a full and candid hearing to a paper laid before
them signed by 21 of the inhabitants of the town, containing a request
that the Counsel would not proceed to ordain Mr Parmele to the work of
the Gospel Ministry in this place, [in] which also their reasons against it
were stated. — After which the Counsel proceeded to a strict and
carefull Examination of the Candidate, and were unanimously agreed that
he appeared to be a person duely qualified for the important Office of the
Gosp Ministry and after carefully deliberating the Objections which
were made against Mr Parmeles being set apart to the pastoral Office
amongst them the Council were of the Opinion that these Objections sen-
tered in a Disapprobation of Mr Parmeles religious Sentiments, and that
his Sentiments were in their Judgement strictly founded on scripture so
that they judjed these objections to be groundless: the Counsel wer of
opinion they ought to proceed to the Ordination of Mr Parmele and did
accordingly set him apart by prayer and the true position of hands to the
pastoral Office over the Church and people in this Town.

Signed

Stephen West Modr

Test Daniel Collins Scribe

Alvan Hyde Jun 2 Scribe

† Hunn.

‡ Williamstown.

[It may reasonably be supposed that the above account of the ordination of Mr.
Parmele was copied into the Records about 25 years after the event, for Alvan Hyde,
Jr. was born in 1794, and the writing has the characteristics of that of a boy in his
early teens.

The following Church Records are entirely by Dr. Hyde, and contained in a separate
book from the preceding.]

THE RECORDS OF THE CHURCH OF CHRIST IN LEE.—

Result of the Council appointed for the ordination of Mr Alvan Hyde.

At an ecclesiastical Council at Lee on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1792 — in consequence of letters missive from the Church in that place in order to set apart Mr Alvan Hyde to the work of the gospel-ministry, & to commit to him the pastoral care of the church, & the administration of the gospel among that people.

Present

Elders.	Delegates from the Churches.
Rev. Stephen West of Stockbridge.	Erastus Sergeant Esqr —
Daniel Collins — Lanesborough.	Mr Eldad King.
Thomas Allen of Pittsfield.	Deacon John Partridge.
Ephraim Judson of Sheffield.	Deacon Aaron Foot.
Eliphalet Steele of Egremont.	Mr Bartholomew Heath.
Charles Backus of Somers.	Mr Charles Sheldon.
David Perry of Richmond.	Deacon James Gates.
Joseph Avery of Tyringham.	Deacon William Hale.
Samuel Nott of Franklin.	Deacon Joshua Willis.
Jacob Catlin New Marlborough.	Col. Daniel Taylor.

The council made choice of Mr West Moderator, & Mr Catlin Scribe — after which the council was opened by prayer by the Moderator.

It was then proposed to attend to the examination of Mr Hyde; & after a most careful examination of his knowledge in the doctrines of the holy scriptures, & of his experimental acquaintance with the religion of Jesus Christ; as also, of his other qualifications for the work of the gospel-ministry, the council voted unanimously that they approve of his qualifications, & proceed to the public solemnities of ordination.

The parts in the public solemnity were assigned to the Reverend Elders in the following manner — viz — Mr Nott to make the introductory prayer, Mr Backus to preach the sermon, Mr Collins to make the consecrating prayer, Mr West to give the charge, Mr Steele to give the right hand of fellowship, and Mr Avery to make the concluding prayer.

June 6th 1792. The council proceeded to a convenient stage erected for the purpose, & in presence of the church & congregation of Lee, & a respectable assembly, solemnly consecrated Mr Hyde to the sacred office of a minister of Christ, & committed to his charge the church of Christ in that place.

Jacob Catlin Scribe

Stephen West, Moderator.

An account of persons taken into the church of Christ in Lee, since June 6th 1792, the time M^r Alvan Hyde was ordained.

June 17th 1792 — Elisha Freeman, & Elizabeth, his wife, Cornelius Bassett & Abigail his wife, Anne the wife of Daniel Church, & Mehitabel, the wife of Andrew West, were all received into this church in full communion.

August 12th 1792 — David Perry, & Desire his wife, Thomas Beecher, Samuel Winegar, Elizabeth West, Temperance Chase the wife of Levi Chase, Abigail Parcival the wife of Elisha Parcival, were all taken into this church in full communion.

Sept 9th 1792. Lewis Hatch, Sarah Dodge the wife of Asel Dodge. & Mercy Ingersol the wife of William Ingersol Jun^r, were taken into this church.

Oct 14th 1792. — Seth Abbott and Martha his wife, Joseph Bradley and Eunice his wife, Mehitabel Northrop the wife of Thomas Northrop, Elizabeth Crocker the wife of Job Crocker, Nabby Barns, and Miriam Dickinson were received into this Church.

November 11th 1792. — — — Elisha Parcival, Peter Willcox, Nathaniel Hamlin and Abigail his wife, James Austin and Achsah his wife, — Daniel West, Nathaniel Bassett, Daniel Willcox, Asahel Foot, Widow Silence Chase, Phebe Bradley the wife of Eli Bradley, Anne Abbott, and Daniel Santie, and Betsey his wife, were all taken into this Church.

December 9th 1792 — — — Edmund Hinckley and Content his wife, Nathan Davis and Lucy his wife, Paul Ewer and Mercy his wife, Daniel Church, Jared Ingersol, Ebenezer Jenkins Jun^r, Elizabeth Jenkins the wife of Eben^r Jenkins Esq., Sarah Tuttle ye wife of James Tuttle, & Martha Crocker ye wife of L^t Joseph Crocker were all taken into this church.

December 23^d 1792. Widow Thankful Dimick was taken into this chh.

January 13th 1793. Jonathan Foot, David Goodspeed, Levi Chase, Solomon Foot, Mehitabel West, the wife of Ebenezer West, Anne Bradley the wife of Heman Bradley, Nabby Barlow the wife of Reuben Barlow, Molly Stanley, Louis Nye, the wife of John Nye, and Joshua and Charity Nye, were all received into the communion and fellowship of this church.

March 10th 1793. Jedidiah Crocker and Sarah his wife, James Tuttle, Samuel Tilley and Hannah his wife, Josiah Crocker, Jabez Chadwick, Salvina Baker the wife of David Baker, Deborah Taylor, Sarah-Ann Foot,—Hannah Barlow, and Huldah Winegar, were all received into this Church.

May 5th Nathaniel Toby & Deborah his wife, John Parcival & Ruth his wife, John Nye, Samuel Porter, Ebenezer West, Tabitha Gifford, Zurviah Wells, Ruth Tyler, Joanna Gifford, Thankful Barlow, Olive Thompson, Lucy Hyde, Mary Casey, Lydia Ball, Huldah Gifford & Han-

nah Dodge, were all received into this church. —

July 14th Daniel Church, Thomas Fuller Remember Bassett, Sarah Tyler, Tempe Perry, & Lydia Bradley were received into this Church. —

Sept 8th Jeremiah Wormer, Joseph Crocker Senr, Eli Bradley, Elizabeth Bennett, & Eunice Fuller, were all received into this Church. —

November 17th — John Gifford, Jesse Bradley Junr — William Bradley, Dorcas Crocker, & Zina Penoyer were received to the communion & fellowship of this Church.

1794.

Jan^y 12th Sarah Lee, the wife of Ashbel Lee, was received into the communion & fellowship of this church. — —

March 2¹ Enoch Garfield was received to the communion & fellowship of this Church. — —

May 18th John Couch Senr & his wife, James Gifford & Sarah his wife, — Mamre Bartholomew, the wife of Jesse Bartholomew, Lydia Hinsdale, & Tabitha Crocker were all received by this church to their fellowship & communion.

July 13th Tabitha Hamblin was received by this church to their communion & fellowship. —

Decem^r 23^d Benjamin Backus was received by this church to their communion & fellowship, at his own house, where the church convened, on the account of his being sick. — —

1795.

July 12th Ephraim Sheldon, & Mrs Sarah Blackman, wife of Mr Jonth Blackman, were received by this church to their communion & fellowship.

Nov^r 8th Mr Levi Robinson and ——— his wife were received by this church to their communion & fellowship, being recommended by the church of Christ at Meriden in Connecticut.

1796.

Jan^y 10th Mrs Prudence Porter, wife of Mr Samuel Porter, was received by this church to their communion & fellowship.

June 7th Mrs Lydia Barlow, wife of Mr Peleg Barlow, was received by this Church to their communion & fellowship, at her own house, where the Church convened on account of her being sick.

Nov^r 13th Widow Thankful Bassett, and Martha, the wife of Mr Nath^l Howland, were received by this Church to their communion and Fellowship, being recommended from the West Church in Barnstable. —

1797.

Samuel Leonard Junr was received by this church to their communion and fellowship, on the 12th day of March — also at the same time widow

Experience Childs was received, by this church, to their communion and fellowship, being recommended from the West Church in Barnstable.—

April 23^d Mr^s Hambleton was received, by this church, to their communion and fellowship, being recommended by the Rev^d Gideon Hawley, Pastor of the church at Marshpee. ——— ———

July 30th Lemuel Barlow and Josiah Willoughby were received, by this church, to their communion & fellowship.

Sept 10^h Widow Sarah Parsons, recommended from the church in Stockbridge, and Mrs Prudence Ingersol, recommended from the church in Willington, were recommended to communion — also Grace Wormer, the wife of Jeremiah Wormer — and Chloe Wansey, the wife of Henry Wansey, were received into the church. ———

1798.

April 22^d 1798 Squire Stoue and his wife, recommended from the church at West Stockbridge, were received as members of this church.

Sept 2^d Deidama Perry was received by this church to their communion & fellowship.

1799.

Jan-y 13th Abigail Bradley, the wife of Mr Asahel Bradley, was received to the communion and watch of this chh, being recommended from the church at Cornwall, in Connecticut.

March 10th Hannah Crocker, wife Mr Josiah Crocker, was received by this church to their communion, watch and fellowship.

April 14th Abraham Hall, and Rachel, his wife, were received to the communion, watch & fellowship of this Church.

June 30th Esther Bailey, wife of Mr Thomas Bailey, was received to the omunion and fellowship of this Church.

July 28th Anne Parcival, daughter of Mr Elisha Parcival, was received to the communion and fellowship of this Church.

Sept 8th Deap Rowland Thatcher and his wife were received to the communion and fellowship of this church.

Novr 3^d Samuel Couch & Hannah his wife, Stephen Bradley & widow Rebecca Putnam, were received to the communion & fellowship of this church. ——— ———

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Jan-y 12th Prudence Couch, wife of John Couch Junr — Lucy Crocker, wife of Elisha Crocker — Thankful Humphrey, wife of Elias Humphrey and Sally Squire were all received to the communion and fellowship of this Church.

March 9th Dr Nathl Thayer & Anne his wife, recommended from the church at Durham, in Connecticut — John Couch Junr — Lydia Bradley, the wife [of] Stephen Eradley — Hannah Davis, the wife of

Calvin Davis — Sarah Stewart, Patience Dexter, Sophia Crocker, Lemira Crocker and Laura Crocker, were all received to the communion and fellowship of this Church.

May 4th John Winegar and Lydia Stanton were received to the communion & fellowship of this Church.

Sept 14th Adria Squire, wife of Ebenr Squire, Rhoda Hatch and Elizabeth Robinson were received to the communion & fellowship of the church.

Octr 19th Samuel Prince Robbins, and Sally Barlow were received to the communion & fellowship of this church. —

An account of persons baptized by the Rev^d Alvan Hyde, who was ordained to the work of the Gospel-ministry and charge of this church, June 6th 1792. — —

June 17th Elizabeth Freeman, wife of Elisha Freeman,— Nancy, Lemuel, and Lydia, children of Cornelius Bassett and Abigail his wife, — Hannah and Abigail, children of Mehitabel West, wife of Andrew West— Molly and Betsey, children of Aaron Benedict — and Justus and Oliver, children of Oliver Hatch were all baptized.

June 24th — Elisha, Fanny, Thomas, and Lydia Parcival, children of Elisha Freeman & Elizabeth his wife were baptized.

July 8th Lucy Tracy, daughter of Josiah and Ruth Yale, and Elisha son of Lydia Ingersol, wife of Aaron Ingersol were baptized. [See p. 102.]

July 15th Sarah, Lydia Lemuel and Salvina, children of David Baker were baptized. —

July 22^d — Elizabeth, daughter of Elizabeth Barlow, wife of Seth Barlow, was baptized.

August 5th Priscilla, daughter of Samuel and Priscilla Davis was baptized.

Sept 2^d Elisha, Huldah, Fear, Polly & John, children of Elisha & Abigail Parcival were baptized [Deliverance ?]

Sept 23^d William, son of Jonathan and Mehitabel Foot, — Wait, Thomas Davis, Alpheus, and Tabitha, children of Lewis Hatch, — Lydia, Seth Crocker, William, Cela, and Sarah, children of William and Mercy Ingersol — & Darius Carpenter, a child taken to be educated by Thankful Goodspeed—were all baptized. — —

Octob. 14th Elizabeth Crocker, the wife of Job Crocker, Miriam Dickin-son, and Heman, Asahel, Sarah and Samuel Stanley, children of Asahel and Sarah Dodge, were baptized. — —

Octob. 28th — — Huggins, Betsey, Celah, Electa & Olive, children of Job and Elizabeth Crocker were baptized. — —

Novr 4th Asenath, daughter of Joseph & Eunice Bradley was baptized.

Novr 11th Elisha Parcival, Daniel Willcox, and Asahel Foot were baptized.

Novr 18th — Deborah-Webb, Hannah, John-Smith, Nabby & Polly, children of Nathaniel & Bethiah Bassett, — Philo, Celah, Anne, Polly & Josiah, children of Eli & Phebe Bradley, — and Berenice & Zafne, children of James & Achsah Austin, were all baptized. ———

Novr 25th Daniel, son of Miriam Dickinson was baptized. ———

Decr 9th Content Hinckley the wife of Edmund Hinckley, Lucy Davis the wife of Nathan Davis, Mercy Ewer the wife of Paul Ewer, and Nathaniel, son of Nathaniel and Abigail Hamlin, were all baptized. ———

Decr 23^d Polly, daughter of Lewis Hatch was baptized. — — —

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Janv 13. Solomon Foot, Nabby Barlow, the wife of Reuben Barlow, Charity Nye, the wife of Joshua Nye, Lucy, Hannah-Crocker, Nathan, Charity-Hall, and Isaac, children of Nathau and Lucy Davis, — — and Ruth, daughter of Jesse and Ruth Gifford were all baptized.

Janv 27. Hannah, John, Ira, and Esther, children of John and Louis Nye, were baptized.

Febv 10th Sally, Benjamin, Grissilda, Betsey-Clark, Polly and Asa children of Joseph & Martha Crocker, — and Huldah, James and Polly, children of Daniel Church were baptized. ——— ——— ———

March 3^d Stephen, Ephraim, Phebe, Timothy-Nye, & Joel, children of Ebenezer & Mehitabel West were baptized.

March 10th Jedidiah Crocker & Sarah his wife, James Tuttle, Samuel Tilly and Hannah his wife, Salvina Baker the wife of David Baker, Deborah Taylor, and Sarah-Ann Foot, were all baptized.

April 7th Pelatiah, son of Daniel & Elizabeth West, — and Louis daughter of John and Louis Nye were baptized.

May 5th Nathaniel Toby & Deborah his wife, Mary Casey, Hannah Dodge, John Parcival & Ruth his wife, Charles, a son of Elisha & Elizabeth Freeman, & Joel a son of Joseph & Eunice Bradley were all baptized.

June 2^d Thomas, son of Cornelius & Abigail Bassett was baptized.

June 9th Sylvanus, Sylva, John, Genevra & Jesse children of Joanna Gifford, & Rhoda, Hezekiah-Orton, & Chauncey, children of Gideon & Oliver Thompson, were baptized. ——— ——— ———

June 16th Ebenezer-Nibloo, Polly, Louis, John, David, & Merit, children of Jared Ingersoll were baptized. ——— ——— ———

June 23^d Remember-Nye, a child of Cornelius Bassett, was baptized.

July 14th Lecta & Rhoda, children of Samuel & Hannah Tilly were baptized.

July 21st Sarah, a child of Stephen & Lydia Tobey was baptized. ———

Augt 4th John-Crocker, Mary-Busley, Tilson, Jane, Nabby and Martha, children of Paul & Mercy Ewer, were baptized. ———

Augt 11th Elizabeth Handy, a child taken to be educated by Hannah Collins, the wife of Oliver Collins, was baptized. ——— ———

Augt 25th Achsah, Samuel, Mary, Deborah & Cynthia, children of Nathaniel & Deborah Toby — Noah, Jedediah-Davis, Sarah, Samuel & Elizabeth, children of Jedediah & Sarah Crocker — Polly, & Arthur, children of Abraham & Tempe Perry were all baptized. — —

Sept 8th Asa, son of Thomas, & Mary Ewer — John, Samuel, Ruth, James, Montgomery & Hannah-Gates, children of John & Ruth Parcival — William Bassett, Cornelius, Hannah, & Reuben, children of Thankful Barlow;—Sibyl, David, & Sally, children of Sarah Tyler. were all baptized.

Sept 8. Joseph Crocker was baptized. — — —

Octo. 6th David, son of David & Salvina Baker was baptized. —

Octobr 20th Betsey Denio, a child taken to be educated by Sarah Dodge, was baptized.

Novr 17th — John Gifford, — Mary, Grace, Lorain, Abigail, & Lydia, children of Samuel Porter — Henry-Williams & Pruda, children of Elizabeth Bennett, — & Lucy, Elinu, Jacob, & Thomas-Williams, children of Eunice Fuller, were all baptized.

Decr 1st Betsey, a child of Jesse Bradley Junr was baptized.

Decr 15th Polly, daughter of Elisha and Mary Grant was baptized.—

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Janv 5th Sally, daughter of Eli & Phebe Bradley was baptized. —

Janv 12th Ancel, son of Archelans & Elizabeth Chadwick was baptized.

Febv 23. Tamar, daughter of Oliver Hatch was baptized.

May 4th Reuben, son of Jared Ingersol was baptized. — —

May 18th James Gifford, & Lydia Hinsdale were baptized — also Alvan, son of Jesse & Ruth Gifford, & Sarah-Ann, daughter of Asahel & Anne Foot.

June 1st Alvah, child of Thomas & Phebe Beecher, & Lucy, a child of Samuel & Hannah Tilly, were baptized.

June 15th Daniel, son of Daniel Church Junr, was baptized. —

July 15th Tabitha Hamblin was baptized. — —

July 27th Eunice, daughter of Aaron Benedict, — Mamre, Jesse-Bradley, Lemi, Augustus & Lydia, children of Mrs Mamre Bartholomew, Nathaniel, son of Nathaniel & Bethiah Bassett, Alvan. son of Alvan & Lucy Hyde, & Henry-William, son of Ebenezer Jenkins Junr & Lydia his wife, were all baptized. —

Sept 14th Eunice, daughter of James & Sarah Gifford, was baptized. —

Sept 28th Bathsheba, daughter of Nathan & Lucy Davis, was baptized.

October 19th Electa, daughter of Josiah & Ruth Yale, was baptized. —

Novr 2^d Abigail, child of Joseph Crocker Senr was baptized. — —

Novr 9th Olive, daughter of Gideon & Olive Thompson was baptized.—

Novr 30th Dama daughter of Abraham & Tempe Perry, was baptized.

Decr 14th Amanda, daughter of Jesse Bradley Junr was baptized. —

Decr 28th Polly, Silas, Daniel, children of Enoch Garfield—& Thomas son of Wm Ingersol Junr & Mercy his wife were baptized. —

1795.

- Jan^y 4th Eunice, daughter of Joseph & Eunice Bradley, & Sarah, daughter of Joshua & Charity Nye, were baptized. — — — —
- Jan^y 11th Kimball Porter, son of Samuel Porter, & Wait-Hatch Davis, son of Samuel & Priscilla Davis, were baptized. — — — —
- Jan^y 18th Artemesia, a child of Mr Joseph King of Barrington was baptized. — — — —
- March 19th Was baptized an infant son of Mr Paul Ewer, at his own house, by the name of Paul. — — — —
- March 25th Nathan, son of Ebenezer Jenkins Jun^r was baptized, at his fathers house, being dangerously sick.
- April 5th Lucy, a child of Samuel & Lydia Hodges, was baptized — —
- April 12th Content, daughter of John and Ruth Parcival was baptized.
- April 19th David and Sarah, twin-children, of Mr David and Sarah Ingersol, were baptized. — — — —
- June 14th Lydia, daughter of Ephraim & Lydia Sheldon was baptized.
- July 12th Polly, daughter of Jedediah & Sarah Crocker was baptized.—
- July 26th Alvah, son of Daniel & Elizabeth West was baptized — —
- Aug^t 2^d Was baptized Elizabeth, daughter of Jared Ingersol. — — — —
- Octob. 4th Was baptized Cornelius, son of Samuel Barlow.
- Oct^b 25th Was baptized Joshua, son of Seth & Amy Nye. — — — —
- Nov^r 8th Was baptized Ezra-Thompson, son of Huldah Finney.
- Nov^r 29th Was baptized Zafne, son of James and Achsah Austin.
- Dec^r 13th Was baptized Hudson, son of Daniel & Lydia Wilcox.

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- Feb^y 7th Was baptized Charles, son of John & Louis Nye.
- Feb^y 14th Was baptized Harriot, daughter of Cornelius & Abigail Bassett, and Elizabeth, daughter of Asael & Anne Foot.
- Feb^y 21st Was baptized Seth, son of Josiah & Hannah Crocker. — — — —
- March 20th Was baptized Ebenezer, son of Ebenezer West. — — — —
- April 24th Was baptized Experience, child of Cornelius Bassett Sen^r also William, son of Eli Bradley, and Charles-Backus, son of Alvan and Lucy Hyde.
- May 8th Was baptized Fanny and Amanda, children of Levi Robinson.
- June 5th Was baptized Betsey, daughter of Elizabeth Bennett. — — — —
- June 7th Was baptized Lydia Barlow, wife of Peleg Barlow, at her own house, being unable to attend meeting. — — — —
- July 1th Were baptized Hannah, daughter of Thomas Ewer, Huldah, daughter of Aaron Benedict, and Samuel-Crocker, son of David Baker.
- Aug^t 28th Was baptized Hope Davis, son of Nathan Davis. — — — —
- Sept^r 25th Were baptized Josiah, son of Josiah Yale, and Daniel, son of Archelaus Chadwick. — — — —
- October 23^d Was baptized Mary, daughter of Stephen & Lydia Toby.

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- Jan'y 8th Was baptized Lyman, child of Mr^s Anne Bradley of Milton
 in the State of New-York. _____
 Jan'y 15th Was baptized Lydia Bradley, daughter of Jesse Bradley Junr
 Jan'y 22^d Was baptized Josiah, son of Ebenezer Jenkins Junr
 March 5th Was baptized Isaac, son of Nath^l and Bethiah Bassett.
 March 12th Was baptized Samuel Leonard Junr — and at the same
 time, he covenanted with this Church. _____
 April 4th Thomas Crocker, an infant child of Mr^r Josiah Crocker, was
 baptized at the house of its father, on account of its being thought dan-
 gerously sick. _____
 April 16th — Lewis, son of Samuel Davis was baptized. — — —
 April 30th Sally, child of Mr^r John & Joanna Gifford was baptized.
 June 18th Joseph, son of Joseph & Martha Crocker, was baptized.
 July 30th Josiah Willoughby was baptized, an adult. — — —
 July 30th Elizabeth, daughter of David Ingersol, was baptized.
 Aug^t. 13th Eunice, daughter of Mr^r Daniel & Mr^s Elizabeth West, was
 baptized.
 Aug^t. 27th Polly & Lydia, children of Josiah Willoughby, were baptized.
 Oct^r. 30th Moses, son of Moses Ingersol, and John, son of Samuel Win-
 egar, were baptized.
 Dec^r. 24th Rhoda, daughter of Jared Ingersol, was baptized. _____

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- Jan'y 7th Heman, son of Mr^r Oliver Hatch of Granville, who removed
 from this church, was baptized. — — —
 Jan'y 14th Sally, daughter of Mr^r Seth Nye, and Lydia, daughter of Mr^s
 Hannah Remele, were baptized. — — —
 Feb'y 19th Isaac, son of Elisha & Mary Grant, and Charles, son of Paul
 & Susannah Ewer, were baptized
 March 11th Abraham, son of Abraham & Tempe Perry, was baptized.
 April 22^d Nabby, daughter of Mr^r John & Mr^s Ruth Parcival, — Pal-
 mira, daughter of Squire Stone, and Harriot, daughter of Alvan and Lucy
 Hyde, were all baptized. — — —
 May 14th Betsey-Crosby, daughter of Josiah & Hannah Crocker, was
 baptized.
 May 20th James, son of James & Sarah Gifford, was baptized. — — —
 June 17th Mehitabel, daughter of Ebenezer & Mehitabel West, was
 baptized. — — —
 July 8th Joseph-Warren, son of Reuben and Nabby Barlow, was
 baptized. — — —
 Aug^t. 5th Lyman, son of Asahel & Anne Foot, was baptized. — — —
 Sepr 9th Senah (alias Asenath) child of Huldah Finney, wife of Abra-
 ham Finney, was baptized.

Octor 1st Philena, daughter of Jedediah & Sarah Crocker, and Eli, son of Eli and Phebe Bradley, were baptized. — —

Octor 7th Harriot-Maria, daughter of Gideon & Olive Thompson, was baptized.

Octor 14th Eunice, daughter of Mr^s Prudence Ingersol, & Parmelia, daughter of Mr Joseph Bradley, were baptized.

Novr 4th Ebenezer, son of Ebenezer Jenkins Junr, was baptized.

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Janr 7th Daniel, son of Jesse & Mamre Bartholomew, was baptized.

March 3^d Seth, son of Lemuel Barlow & Thankful his wife.

March 10th Semantha, child of Josiah Willoughby. —

April 7th John, son of David Baker, and Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel and Tabitha Winegar.

April 14th Lydia, daughter of Abraham and Sarah Hall.

May 19th Alva, son of Paul and Susannah Ewer.

June 23^d James, son of William and Marcy Ingersoll.

June 30th Esther Bailey, wife of Thomas Bailey.

July 14th Lucy, daughter of David and Sarah Ingersoll — also Smith, Orra, Wealthy and Thomas, children of Thomas and Esther Bailey.

July 28th Anne Parcival — also Polly Turner, an adopted child of Mr Ebenezer & Mrs Mehitabel West — also, Reuben, John, Benjamin, Electa, Esther, Grace, Jared and Henry, children of Henry and Chloe Wansey.

Sepr 8th Rachel, daughter of Cornelius & Remember Bassett — also, Marcy, daughter of Nathan and Lucy Davis.

Sepr 15th Joseph, son of Nathan! & Bethiah Bassett.

Sepr 29th Cornelius, son of Cornelius & Abigail Bassett. — also Lucy, daughter of Jesse Bradley Junr —

Octor 13th Chloe, daughter of Henry & Chloe Wansey.

Novr 3^d Josiah, son of Josiah & Hannah Crocker. —

Novr 10th Abigail, daughter of Asahel & Abigail Bradley.

Novr 19th William, son of Squire Stone, was baptized at his father's house, by reason of the sickness and confinement of Mr^s Stone. —

Novr 20th John, son of James & Achsah Austin.

Decr 8th Ebenezer-Cook & Elisha, children of Stephen & Lydia Bradley.

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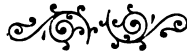
Janr 12^h Lucy Crocker, wife of Elisha Crocker, — also Phebe, Amanda, & Tirza, children of Samuel & Hannah Couch.

March 9th Lydia Bradley, wife of Stephen Bradley, — Sarah Stewart — Sophia Crocker, Lemira Crocker, & Laura Crocker, all adults. —

April 27th William, Electa-Lewis, John-Dimick, Lucy and Lucius, children of Elisha & Lucy Crocker.

May 1st Stephen, son of Alvan & Lucy Hyde.

- May 4th Lydia Stanton, an adult — also, William, son of Joseph and Martha Crocker —also, Hannah, daughter of John & Hannah Remele.
 June 1st Electa, daughter of Daniel and Lydia Wilcox.
 June 8th Charles, son of Asahel and Anne Foot.
 July 6th Lewis, son of John Gifford and Lyman, son of James and Sarah Gifford.
 Aug^t 3^d Thankful and Elias, children of Elias and Thankful Humphrey.
 Aug^t 17th Abraham Finney, son of Abraham and Huldah Finney.
 Aug^t 24th Asher, son of Jared Ingersoll. ———
 Aug^t 31st Benjamin, son of Eben^r & Mehitabel West.
 Sept 7th Mabel & John, children of John and Prudence Couch.
 Octo^r 19th Sally Barlow was baptized.
 Octo^r 26th Lydia, daughter of Eben^r and Lydia Jenkins, was baptized.
 Nov^r 9th Aurelia, daughter of Jedidiah Crocker, was baptizel.



An account of persons married by the Rev^d Alvan Hyde.

July 19th 1792. Jonathan Wally and Mary Winslow were married. _____
 August 23^d Ebenezer Jenkins Junr and Lydia Smith were married. _____
 October 18th Josiah Willoughby and Sally Backus were married. _____
 Novr 20th Joshua Nye and Charity Parker were married. ———
 Novr 29th Heman Bradley and Anne West were married. ———

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Jan^y 17th Wally Backus and Grace Vandusen were married. _____
 Jan^y 31st Ichabod Lathrop & Esther Pixley were married. _____
 April 11th Ancel Bassett and Hannah Dimmuck were married. _____
 Aug^t 21st Asael Foot and Anne Abbot were married. _____
 October 17th Joseph Whiton to Amanda Garfield. _____
 October 17th Jabez Bursley to Abigail Perry. _____
 November 28th Pardon Austin to Rhoda Stanton. _____

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March 27th Jacob Penoyer to Alice Hoyt Crocker. _____
 May 25th Ephraim Sheldon to Lydia Gifford. _____
 June 30th Silas Easton to Rachel Nye. _____
 July 8th Isaac Barlow to Sally Casey. _____
 August 24th John Read to Elizabeth Crocker. _____
 October 8th David Hamlin to Sally Backus. _____
 October 12th Samuel Hodges to Lydia Bradley. _____
 October 19th Daniel Wilcox to Lydia Ball. _____
 October 24th Stephen Dexter to Lydia Backus. _____
 October 30th Ebenezer Hawes to Electa Northrop. _____
 November 19th Joseph Hinckley to Polly Stewart. _____
 November 20th Abraham Finney to Huldah Gifford. _____

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Abijah Crosby to Caty Olds, Jan^y 15th _____
 Jan^y 15th Josiah Crocker to Hannah Crosby. _____
 Feby 19th Benjamin Hamblin to Thankful Barlow. _____
 Feby 19th Lemi Bradley to Ruth Newel of Lenox. _____
 June 3^d Reuben Pixley Junr to Polly Chase. _____
 Sept 7th Hope Davis to Mrs Lucy Bullard. _____
 Sept 10th William Sturges to Sallome Dimmuck. _____

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Jan^y 20th Sherman to Avis Collins. _____
 Feby 18th Mr Paul Ewer to Miss Susannah Hamblin. ———
 March 10th Benjamin Adams to Sarah Parker. _____
 March 29th Reuben Penoyer to Polly Gifford. _____
 April 19th John Remele to Hannah Barlow. _____
 June 29th Nathaniel Hudson to Nabby Hinkley. _____

Octoꝛ 16th Jacob Winegar to Anne Parker, — —
 Novꝛ 8th Simeon Wright to Sukey Abbott. — —
 Decꝛ 15th Ozias Judd to Lucena Hewlet. — —
 Decꝛ 25th Harvey Osborn to Caty Gifford. — —

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Janꝛ 12th Samuel Winegar to Tabitha Crocker. — —
 Janꝛ 12th Nathan Bassett to Azubah Jones. — —
 Janꝛ 14th Joshua Howe to Urania Stevens. — —
 Janꝛ 18th Peleg Barlow to Esther Griffin. — —
 Janꝛ 22^d Lewis Gifford to Betsy Backus. — —
 Janꝛ 26th Ephraim Willams to Jemima Wormer. — —
 June 29th Nathan Ball Junꝛ to Fear Chadwick. — —
 June 29th Zina Hinkley to Betsey Ball. — —
 Octoꝛ 4th Jeremiah Vallet and Abiah Moot. — —
 Octoꝛ 19th Job Northrop to Sally Bennet. — —
 Novꝛ 9th William Foot of Stockbridge to Abia Vollet. — —
 Novꝛ 23^d Daniel Parker to Anne Handy. — —
 Decꝛ 28th Joseph Frary of Becket to Sally Gifford. — —

1798.

Janꝛ 3^d William Bradley to Tabitha Hamblin. — —
 Febꝛ 1st Calvin Davis to Haunah Crocker. — —
 June 21st Elisha Dodge to Betsey Crosby. — —
 Decꝛ 15th John White to Fear Perry. — —
 Decꝛ 20th Oliver Wedge to Martha Grant. — —

1799.

Janꝛ 3^d Elisha Kilburn to Lydia Tooley. — —
 March 21st Andrew Howk to Betsey Mansfield. — —
 May 12th Luther Day to Meribah Smith. — —
 Sepr 16th Thomas Chadwick to Lucinda Ingersoll. — —
 Sepr 22^d John Gardner to Delia Childs. — —

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Janꝛ 26th Simeon Clark to Lucy Backus. — —
 Febꝛ 6th Eli Church to Elizabeth Chadwick. — —
 April 24th Jeduthan West to Phebe Wilcox. — —
 May 1st Samuel Barlow to Sena Wilcox. — —
 June 26th John Rathbone to Celah Tobey. — —
 Augt 8th Cornelius Fessenden to Nancy Ball. — —
 Sepr 1st Philip Packard to Rachel Gifford. — —
 Octoꝛ 6th Asahel Stanton to Patty Ball. — —
 Octoꝛ 30th Amasa Porter to Betsey Winegar. — —
 Octoꝛ 30th Job Childs to Rhoda Hatch. — —
 Octoꝛ 30th Thomas Backus to Rebecca Couch. — —
 Decꝛ 18th James Whiton to Deborah Webb Bassett. — —

An account of the Deaths in Lee, since the ordination of
Mr. Hyde. —

1792.

- June 28th 1792—Died Hannah Crocker.
Sept^r —An infant child of Mr Jonathan Foot Junr .
Novr 2^d Thomas Nye, son of Deacon Levi Nye.

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- Febv 15th An infant child of Mrs Farrar.
March 16th An infant child of Reuben Barlow.
April 5th Parmelia, daughter of Thomas Beecher.
April 21st A child of John Crosby Junr —
June 28th A Child of John Hewlits.
July 23^d A Child of Joshua Nye.
Augt 26th A Child of James Austin.
Novr 11th A son of James Youngs.
Decr 4th A Child of Laurence Vandusen.
Novr 18th Deliverance Backus, wife of Ichabod Backus, w^o died at
Falmouth.
Decr 5th A Child of Jabez Clark.

1794.

- Janv 14th Cornelius, son of Lemuel Barlow.
Febv 7th A Child of George Bennett.
Febv 9th A Child of John Hewlit.
March 3^d A Child of Paul Ewer.
March 13th A Child of Levi G. Porter.
March 20th A Child of Elisha Grant.
May 7th Died Arthur Perry Aged 73.
June 30th Jesse, son of John Gifford.
July 21st Content Crocker, wife of Noah Crocker, 63.
Augt 22^d Samuel Graves, aged 76 years.
Octo^r 20th An Infant child of James Austin.
Decr 10th An Infant child of James Gifford. —
Decr 16th A child of Jesse Smith.

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- Janv 5th Charles, son of Benjm Hinkley, aged 16 months.
Febv 16th An infant child of Silas Easton. —
Febv 23^d Hannah Davis, wife of Hope Davis, aged 64.
March 3^d An infant Child of Ebenr West.
March 3^d An infant Child of Caleb Chadwick.
March 18th Marcy Ewer, wife of Paul Ewer æt. 39.
April 9th An infant child of Mr Shaw.

- April 10th Widow Abigail Crocker, in the 90th year of her age.
 April 11th An infant son of John Gifford.
 April 14th An infant child of Sam^l Hodges. —
 April 16th An infant child of Nath^l Toby. —
 April 18th Benjamin Backus, of a cancer, aged 60 years.
 April 23^d An infant child of Aaron Graham.
 March. An infant child of Lodowick Gardner, of which I did not hear
 in season.
 May 2^d an Infant Child of John Crosby aged one week.
 May 5th Molly Casey, aged 24 years, who was eminent for her piety. .
 June 5th Rhoda, daughter of Levi G. Porter, aged 3 years.
 Sept^r 9th Marcy Crocker, daughter of Joseph Crocker Jun^r aged 3
 years and nine months.
 Sept^r 17th Died Mr Jonathan West, aged 58 years. — —
 Sept^r 17th Died a daughter of Mr Jonathan Graves, aged 2 years.
 Nov^r 10th Died Polly, daughter of Mr Elisha Grant, aged 2 years.
 Nov. 19th Died Mrs Eunice Ingersol, wife of Mr Moses Ingersol, in
 the 51st year of her age.

1796.

- Jan^y 8th Died Mr Joseph Crocker, son of Capt Thomas Crocker, in the
 30.^h year of his age.
 Jan^y 19th Died an infant son of Mr Silas Clark.
 Feb^y 11th Died an infant son of Mr John Keep.
 Feb^y 20th Died Mrs Elizabeth Keep, wife of Mr John Keep, in the 40th
 year of her age.
 March 6th Died Charles, son of Capt John Nye, aged 2 Months.
 March 7th Died Kimball Porter son of Mr Sam^l Porter, aged one year
 & 3 months. —
 April 23^d Died Richard Whitney, son of Mr W^m Whitney, aged one
 year & 2 months.
 May 1st An infant child of Mr James Gifford. — —
 May 4th Died Mrs Anner Basset, wife of Mr Nathan Bassett, in the
 41st year of her age.
 May 13th Died Joseph Jones of Sandwich, in a fit of drunkenness, at
 the house of Mr Wilcox, being as was supposed about 47 years of age.
 May 16th Died Henry Atkins, in the 70th year of his age.
 July 5th Died Capt Thomas Crocker, in the 62^d year of his age. —
 July 24th Died Joseph Crocker, son of Joseph Crocker Jun^r and grand-
 son of Capt Thomas Crocker, aged about 8 months. — —
 July 27th Died Abigail Swift, wife of Ebenezer Swift, aged 56.
 Aug^t 7th Died Orra Blackman, son of James Blackman, aged one
 year, & 11 months.
 Aug^t 11th Died Mrs Lydia Earlow, wife of Mr Feleg Barlow, aged 31
 years. —

- Augt 24th Died Mrs Lydia Ewer, aged 74 years.
 Sept 29th Died an infant Child of Mr Reuben Barlow, aged 12 hours.—
 Octor 15th Died John, son of Mr John Hewlit, aged

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- Jan^y 2^d Died a daughter of Mr Seth Burden, aged 5 years. — —
 Jan^y 21st Died Mrs Hewlit, the wife of Mr John Hewlit, aged
 83 years. — —
 Feb^y 16th Died Peggy Casey, in the 16th year of her age.
 Feb^y 25th Died Ebenezer Chadwick Jun^r in the 25th year of his age.—
 March 8th Died an infant child of Mr W^m Freeman, aged 2 weeks. —
 April 1st An infant child of Mr Jacob Winegar. — — — —
 April 6th An infant son of Mr Josiah Crocker, aged 10 days.
 May 26th An infant child of Mr Ancel and Mrs Hannah Bassett, aged
 8 weeks. — — — —
 June 25th Died Mrs Christene Gardner, wife of Mr Lodowick Gardner,
 aged 23 years. — — — —
 July 30th 1797— Died Mr Eleazer Turner, in the 30th year of his age.
 Aug^t 31st Died, widow Silence Chase, in the 76th year of her age.
 Sept^r 23^d An infant child of the widow Turner, aged 5 months.
 Oct^r 23^d A son of Cornelius Hamblin, aged 17 months.
 Dec^r 19th Died, Mrs Desire Perry, wife of Mr David Perry, in ye 66th
 year of her age. — — — —
 Dec^r 29th Died, Mr Nathan Ball, in the 62^d year of his age. — — — —

1798.

- Jan^y 19th Died Harriot Bassett, daughter of Mr Cornelius Bassett
 Jun^r, aged 2 years.
 March 14th Died Mr John Winegar, aged 55 years. In the 29th year
 of his age, he was severely frozen; being left in the woods, and without
 shelter. Both of his feet came off, and his constitution was so injured,
 that he never had good health afterwards.
 May 2^d Died Mr Benjamin Hamblin aged 67 years.
 May 3^d Died an infant child of Mr James Austin, aged but a few
 hours. — — — —
 May 6th Died Dennis Casey, of a consumption, aged 20 years. — —
 June 5th Died Anner Bassett, of a consumption, aged 18 years. — —
 June 13th Died Catharina Winegar, of a consumption, aged 33 years.
 She was an example of piety in her life, and met death with fortitude &
 composure. — — — —
 July 28th Died at Mr W^m Sturges, Cynthia Chadwick, aged 13 years.
 Sep^r 2^d Died Zeruiah Crocker, of a consumption, aged 20 years. — —
 Nov. 30th Died Widow Dorcas Crocker, in the 79th year of her age.
 Dec^r 23^d Died Betsey C. Crocker, aged 9 months.

1799.

Jan^y 3^d Died Roxana Howk, daughter of Mr Abr^m Howk, in the fourth year of her age.

Jan^y 7th Died, Mrs Sarah Graves, wife of Mr Phineas Graves.

Feb^y 7th Died Miss Remember Toby, daughter of Stephen Toby, in the 22^d year of her age. ———

Feb^y 21st Died Mrs Elizabeth Turner, widow of Mr Eleazer Turner, aged 39 years.

March 8th Died Mr Daniel Church, aged 92 years, wanting a few days.

March 11th Died Mrs Meribah Burden, the wife of Mr Timothy Burden, aged,

March 13th Died an infant child of Mr Stephen Tobey. ———

April 3^d Died Mrs Lydia Toby, the wife of Mr Stephen Toby, in the 43^d year of her age.

June 1st Died Mrs Sarah Couch wife of Mr John Couch, in the 77th year of her age.

June 8th Died a son of Mr John Couch Jun^r aged one year & nine months.

June 29th Died Bulah, daughter of Mr Elijah Peet aged 9 years. ———

July 19th Died Laurence Vandusen, in the 32^d year of his age.

July 20th Died a child of Mr Polly, aged one year and seven months.

Aug^t 5th An infant child of Mr Alvan Foot, aged but a few hours.

Aug^t 9^h Died Mr Thomas Northrop, aged 72 years. ———

Aug^t 18th Samuel Couch, son of Mr Samuel Couch, aged 15 months.

Sept^r 6th Died a twin child of Mr Polly, aged about one year & 9 months.

Sept^r 21st Died, Mary Ann Wormer, daughter of Mr Aaron Wormer, in the 8th year of her age.

Oct^r 5th Died a child of Capt John Stearns, aged one year and 6 months.

Dec^r 21st Died Moses Ramsdale, son of Mr Jehu Ramsdale, aged 7 years. ———

Dec^r 23^d An infant child of Mr Andrew Howk.

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Feb^y 22^d Died Miss Lucinda Ingersoll, daughter of W^m Ingersoll Esq^r in the 36th year of her age.

March 21st Died Mrs Elizabeth West, aged 88 years.

April 9th Died Mr Daniel Church, in the 60th year of his age.

May 16th Died Electa Wilcox, in the 20th year of her age.

May 27th An infant child of Mr Elijah West.

Aug^t 10^h Died Joseph Bassett, son of Mr Nath^l Bassett, aged one year.

Sept 30^h Died Achsah Taylor, wife of William Taylor, in the 24th year of her age. ———

Nov^r 9th Died Miriam Hatch, wife of Josiah Hatch, aged 83 years.

Inscriptions from the Cemeteries.

In the old grave-yard, now in the north-east corner of the cemetery near the center of the town, there are 72 monuments with memorials to 84 persons who died before 1801. Matthey, daughter of Joseph and Lois Hendy (see p. 85,) is supposed to have been the first person buried there. Doubtless there were earlier deaths among the settlers here, but no certain record of any has been found. In Holland's Hist. of Western Mass. (vol. 2, p. 316.) is the following: "The first death that occurred in Lee befell a child of John Winegar. The death occurred at Crow Hollow, and the child was buried on the West side of the river." Probably the statement was made on traditional authority.

It is supposed one of the earliest graves is marked by a rough stone bearing only the rudely carved letters S B. The names for which these letters stand has not been determined. The stone with the letters I V D, marks the grave of Isaac VanDeusen, 8 years old, a son of Matthew VanDeusen.

Only two dated before 1801 are in the South Lee cemetery; one at the grave of Isaac Davis, the first settler, the other at the grave Abijah Stearns.

A few early graves in each cemetery are marked with unincised, unhewn slabs of stone. There are, also, several early graves marked in the same manner near the residence of C. E. Morley, Cave St., where, according to tradition, some of the settlers in that section named Gifford and Roberts were buried.

If any of the early inhabitants were buried elsewhere in town, all knowledge of their graves is lost.

Owing to weathering, probably some of the punctuation has been effaced from some of the stones.

The interlined letters and words in the inscriptions here given, are shown as well as possible with ordinary type. On the stones they are close to the lines to which they belong.

Joseph F. son of Mr
James & Mrs Achsa
Austin, died May, 16^s
1791, aged 12 Month^s
Also Zefna; thir son^e
died August, 26th^a
1793, aged 18 Month^a
Margaret their dau'tr
died at salem state of
New York Oct 21 1786,
aged 3 Months.

An Infant Son of
Mr James & Mrs:
Achsa Austinⁿ
who was Still borⁿ
Oct 20 1794th

In memory of Zaf-
na son of Mr Jame^s
& Mrs Achsah
Austin died April
16 1797 aged 18M
Also their son was
born & died May
3d 1798

Sarah, daught^r of
Mr. Nathan &
Mrs. Ruhamah^{ft}
Ball, died Augu^{ft}
1 1784 aged^{ft}
11 Years & 3 Moⁿ

Annah Bassett,
 was born
 June 12, 1780.
 and died June
 5, 1798. aged
 18 years.

In memory of
 Harriot Daut^r to
 Mr Cornelius ^{junr} &
 Mrs Abigail Baf-
 sett who died Jan^y
 19th 1798 aged 2
 years & 9 days

Nancy, dau^r of Mr.
 Cornelius Bafsett Juⁿ
 by Mrs Abigail his
 wife. died with the
 Small pox March
 19th, 1785, aged 12
 Months & 19 days.

In Memory of
 Joseph Bafsett son
 to Mr Nathaniel &
 Mrs Bethiah Bafs-
 ett who died Au-
 gust 10th 1800
 aged one year &
 3 days

Phebe Died August 30th 1777
 Aged 1 year & 9 Months.
 Thomas Died February 17th
 1788 Aged 14 Months.
 Permela Died April 3^d 1793
 Aged 2 years & 3 Months.
 Children of Mr. Thomas &
 Mrs Phebe Beecher.

Betley (dau^r of
 Mr. Gerge & Mrs
 Elifabeth) Benne^t
 died Sep^t 7th 1790
 aged 5 Months.

Mrs Defire Chadwick^{ok}
 the late Confort of
 Mr Abiathar Chadwick
 died August 13th 1790 in the 35th
 year of her age
 No age nor sex can
 Death defy
 Think Mortals what
 it is to die

In Memory of Mrs
 Content, the late
 Confort of Mr Noah^h
 Crocker, who Died
 July 23d. 1794 in
 the 65th year
 of her age.

Mercy Hamblin ⁿ	Joseph Crocker ^r
Crocker Died	June 27 th Died July
Sep ^r 8 th 1795,	24 th 1796,
in the 4 th year	aged 7 Month ^s
of her age.	& 6 Days.

The above were the Children
 of Insign Joseph & Mary Crocker

—————
 The blooming cheeks, the lovely charms,
 Lie clasped in Deaths cold icy arms.

In memory of Miss Ze-
 ruiah Crocker who died
 Sep 2nd 1798 in the 21st
 year of her age

Tis long since death had
 the majority Yet strange:
 the living lay not to heart^{it}

Mrs. Hannah Davis
 the wife of Mr. Hope^d
 Davis Died February 23
 1795 in the 65th year
 of her age

—————
 How sudden was the stro^{ke}
 When the Almighty spoke
 My Friends & Children
 now draw near
 And see that you for
 Death prepare

Polly Dauter^r of Mr
 Silas & Mrs Rachel
 Easton died February
 15th 1795 aged 16 days.

Mrs Marcy Ewer the
 wife of Mr Paul Ewer
 died March 18th 1795 in
 the 39th year of her age
 Farewell my friends
 dry up your tears
 Here sleeps my dust
 till Christ appears

David (son of
 Mr. David &
 Mrs. Eliſabeth)
 Foot) died Oct.
 14th, 1790, age
 3 Months.

*Sleep on my babe
 and take your rest
 God call'd you
 home
 He saw it best.*

Thomas, son of
 Mr Eliſha & Mr.
 Eliſabeth Free-
 man. died June
 28th 1780 aged
 3 years.

The God that * * *
 [Stone broken.]

In memory of an
 Infant ſon to Mr
 Alvan & Mrs Sally
 FOOT who died
 August 5th 1799
 aged 9 hours

Ye active babes & childreⁿ
 Behold the ſcene of ^{all}
 My day was ſhort my ^{childrens} fall
 And bid this world & ^{hours few}
 all adieu

Jared died	Eunis died
May 15 th 1785	March 19 th
aged 2 Years	1794 aged
& 8 Month ^s	3 Years.
The heirs of Mr.	
Elish & Mrs. Mary gran ^t	

Nanfey Daut^r of
 Mr Moſes & Mrs
 Relie Hall who
 Died February 19th
 1797 aged 16 days

8)

William Phinney
Hamblin Son to
Mr Cornelius & M^{rs}
Marcy Hamblin
died October 23^d
1797 aged 1 year 4
Months & 15 days

Rochana Daut^r of
Mr Abraham &
Mrs Easter Howk
who died January
3^d 1799 in the 4th
year of her age

In Memory of Mrs
Mariam Hatch wife
to Mr Josiah Hatch
who died Nov^m
9th 1800 aged
83 years

Sacred to the memory
of Mrs Eunice Ingerfoll
Confort of M^r Moses In-
gerfoll who departed thi^s
life Nov 19 1795 in the
51st year of her age.

In Memory of Charles
son to Mr Benjamin &
Mrs Puella Hinckley
who died Jan^y 5th
1795 aged 16 months
& 20 days

Surviving friends altho you mo^{rn}
Let this confole I shall return
The righteous Judge can by his^{word}
Bring me triumphing with
the Lord

Leua, Daut^r to M^r
Samuel, & M^{rs} Ly-
dia Hodges, died
April 14, 1795
aged 2 months.

In memory of M^{rs} Elifa-
beth Jenkins Confort of
M^r Ebenzer Jenkins (late of
Barnstable deceafed) who died
Oct^r 28th 1788 aged 91 years

Behold my friends while pafing^{by}
This ftone informs you where I lie
Tho I have lived to ninty one
Yet you may die while you are
young

Here lies
 Worthy to be lamented
 M^{rs} SIBYL HURD
 Wife of
 STEPHEN LEONARD
 who departed this life
 July 19th 1787
 in the 24th Year
 of her Age.

My glass is run my Grave you see,
 Prepare for Death and follow me.

Stephen Leonard
 died
 May 1787

In memory of
 Thomas Nye son
 to Deacon Levy
 & Mrs Sarah Nye
 who Died Nov
 2nd 1792 in the
 19th year of his age

In memory of an
 Infant, dau^{tr} of Mr.
 Joshua & Mrs.
 Charity Nye. who
 died July 23^d 1793
 aged 5 days.

Hulda^h the dau-
 ghter of Mr. Le-
 vi & Mrs Catharin^e
 Porter, died Marc^h
 13 1794 aged 8
 years & 13 days.

Rhoda dau^{tr} to Mr
 Levi & M^{rs} Catharin^e
 Porter died June 5th
 1795 in the 4th year
 of her age.

In memory of M^{rs} Lydia
 Tobey confort to M^r Ste-
 phen Tobey who died
 April 3d 1799 in the
 43d year of her age.
 Gods people are made willing
 in the day of his Power

In memory of Miss Re-
member Tobey: Daut^r to
Mr Stephen, & Mrs Lydia
Tobey; who died Feb. 6th
1799. in the 22 year of
her age.

The blooming cheeks the lovely ch^{arms}

Lie clasp'd in Death's cold icy arms

This stone was Erected
by Seth Backus jun^r

In Memory of
^{Mrs} Lucy, wife of Mr.
John Williams,
who Departed
this Life, Aug. 28,
AD. 1786: Æ. 24.

Farewell my loving wife,
We bid a short Adieu,
You can not come to me again
But I must come to you.

Mary Dau^{tr} of M^r
William & M^{rs} Sarah
Whitney Died July 27th
1790 aged 1 Month

Inscriptions indistinct in the photo-engravings, pp. 85—91.

In Memory of
Mr. Arthur Perry
who died May 7,
1794 in the 73^d
year of his age.

*Adieu my spouse my
children dear*

I leave this world of ^{pain}

*Let virtue be your
Practice here*

we do meet at

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M RS
Rebecca, wife
of M^r Oliver Hat^{ch}
died May 1st 1788
in the 33^d year
of her age.

*Farewell my friends
dry up your tears,
My dust lies here
Till Christ appears.*

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On stone to the memory of Esther and
Lydia Bradley;—see p. 87:

*Decayng mortals
herè's the place
The house destin'd
for Adams race
Be ready then
to meet the Lamb
Of God, the Judge,
the Great I AM.*

This stone erected by Row
land THATCHER jun^r to
perpetuate the memory of
Miss Electa WILCOX who
departed this Life May 16th
1800 Aged 19 years 2 month^s
& 14 days.

All you that stop my tomb to see
As I am here so you must be,
Repent, repent now you have time,
For I was taken in my prime.

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On stone erected to the children of Jon-
athan Foot Jr.;—see p. 87:

*Those guiltless charms, those
marks of genius are surpris'd,
Which nurst the fondest hopes
in tender parents breasts.*

In memory of Mr
JOHN WIEGAR^N
who Departed this
Life the 14th of
March 1798
Aged 55 years & 2 Mo

In solemn silence here I lie
Pray from me learn that you must die
All youthful scenes of pleasure bright
Must end as watches of the night

O may this be your happy case
That he who gives you length of days
May raise you to His courts above
There to partake of boundless love

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Two infants of Jaco^b
& Anna Winegars
One died March
3 1797 The oth-
er died June 16
1802

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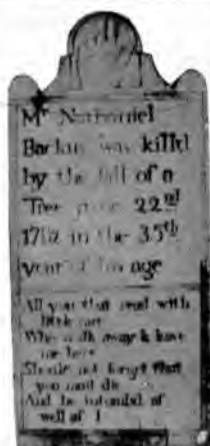
In Memory of M^{rs} Mary
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Mr Nathan Balsett who Died
May 4th 1796 in the 44th
year of her Age.

Death is a debt to Nature due,
Which I have paid & so must you,
Here let me rest my weary head,
Till Christ my Lord shall rais
the Dead.

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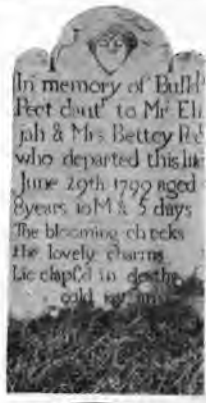
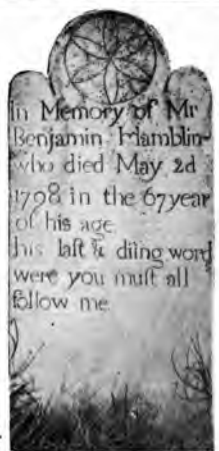
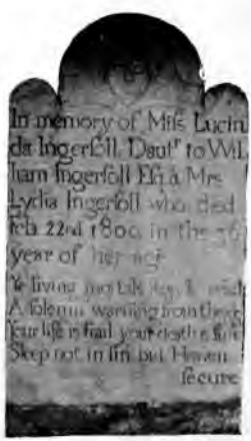












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Appendix.

First Publishment on page 1.

The following from Holland's History of Western Mass. vol. 2, p. 516, completes the mutilated record on p. 1 of this vol.:—

"The first 'publishment' of intentions of marriage, recorded on the town books, perpetuates the names of Noah Burdin of Lee and Avis Their of Chesterfield."

Marriages of Residents of Lee recorded in other Towns.

In a volume in the custody of the Town Clerk of Monterey containing a transcript of the records of Marriages by Rev. Adonijah Bidwell and Rev. Joseph Avery, the first two pastors of the church in Tyringham, are the following:—

Solemnized by Rev. A. Bidwell.

1778 June 4th Capt Abijah Merrill & Hannah Chadwick

1779 June 30th John Sterns & Luce Merrill

1782 Jan 10 Freeman Mosier & Hepzibah Orton

1782 Oct 17th Jonathan Graves & Anna Taylor

Solemnized by Rev. Joseph Avery.

1790 May 26th Reuben Davis of Lee & Polly Abbott of Tyringham

1790 Nov 11th Timothy Aldin of Tyringham & Lewis Wilcocks of Lee

1791 Jan 27th Stephen Markham of Tyringham & Dolly Jacksolin of Lee

1791 July 7th Reuben Marsh of Lee & Lydia Rathbun, of Tyringham.

1791 October 12th Artemas Rogers of Lee, & Phebe Cross, do [Lee]

1792 June 21st Jonathan Foot of Lee, & Temperance Holly, of G Barrington

— From the Lenox Records:—

By William Walker, J. P.,

Ephraim Hollister of Lee to Laurana Canfield of Lenox, 15th Decr 1785—

T. B. (Orig.) p. 337,

John Briggs to Martha Gibbs both of Lee on the 1st of Jan'y 1789. —

Do. p. 337.

By Eldad Lewis, J. P.,

David Hayward of Lee & Mercy Howland of Lenox, Feby 10th 1795.

Do. p. 339.

Also the following "Intentions":

1790, May 31, Intentions of Marriage Legally published and certified between Jonathan Keith of Lenox & Polly Backous of Lee

Do. p. 361.

— From the Stockbridge Records:—

David Ingersoll and Sarah Parsons were married Dec 13th 1781 by Rev. Stephen West.

— From 1st Book of Records, Cong. church, Pittsfield: —

By Rev. Thomas Allen.

1795, Dec. 24. Mr Silas Stephens of Lee & Miss Irene Tracy of Pitts^d were married—

— Under "Marriages" in a published vol. of vital records of Sharon, Ct., by Lawrence Van Alstine:—

Elisha Collins of Lee and Lovina Gates of Sharon, Mar. 20, 1785. m. by Ebenezer Knibloe, 1st Pastor of S. Amenia [N. Y.] Church.

Abraham Perry of Lee and Temperance Hatch of Sharon, m. Feb. 24, 1788.

Births omitted from the Records pp. 12-42.

Children of David Ingersoll & Sarah his Wife (See p. 83.)

William & Alvan — born Dec 23d. 1801 (Twins)
Elihu Parsons — " Sepr. 20. 1804.

Children of Wm Perry and Content his wife

Fear born	Feb. 20 - 1777 —	Ruth	Novr 14th 1783 —
Hannah —	21 - 1778	Sarah	July 28 — 1784
Phebe	March 22 1780	John	August 1 — 1788 —
Lucy	July 28 1781		

Children of Joel Putnam & Elizabeth

Sarah Maria Johnson (Becket)	Jan'y 30. 1808 —	Sally Putnam (Becket)	March 10. 1800
Lorinna	" March 23 1801	Abner do — do	June 18 1802
Caroline	" Feb 14. 1800	Joel do do	Nov 10. 1804
James Allen	Lee Sep 14 1817	Ransom Nathan do	June 18 1805
Orson R	" Apr 14. 1819	Sardis Barnes do	Jan'y 2. 1808
Julia Tryphena	" July 27 1831	Lucy Anne do	[?] oct 14. 183

The explanation of the above peculiar record is: Joel Putnam, a widower with five (or six) children, married Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, with three children, and three children were born to them. The births, except two, are recorded as below in Becket, but there is no record there of the death of James Johnson, or of marriage between any of the parties.

Sally Putnam dau.	Joel & Sally born	Mar. 10, 1799
Abner " son	" " " "	June 18, 1801
Joel " " " "	" " " "	Dec. 10, 1803
Ransom " " " "	" " " "	June 15, 1805
Sardis " " " "	" " " "	Jan. 22, 1807

Sally wife of Joel Putnam died June 10, 1813.

James Allin Putnam son of Joel & Elizabeth	born	Sept. 14, 1815
Orson Re-allion " " "	" "	Oct. 14, 1819

Sally Maria Johnson dau. James & Elizabeth	born	Jan. 30, 1804
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Caroline Content " " "	" "	Feb. 14, 1810

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 ERRATA AND OMISSIONS.

- Page 1. In second publishment, for "Ichabod," read "Ichobud."
 Page 10. In second intention from bottom, for "Polly Ball," read "Patty Ball."
 Page 27. Record regarding Rebecca Hatch doubtless incorrect:—"Rebecca, wife of Mr Oliver Hatch died May 1st 1788". See p. 87. Dates after Polly and Ira Hill, printed as recorded.

In a copy of the 1st vol. of town records, made by Franklin G. Taylor in 1858, is the birth record of Benjamin Hinckley's children with the three dates ~~wanted~~ which are ~~wanted~~ in the original 1st vol. These dates are not in the writing of the copyist, but in that of a town clerk later than 1858.

The record of the copy is:—

Children of Benjamin Hinckley & Puella Goodspeed his wife

Electa Hinkley Born Jan 10, 1787 ["Hinkley," in record.]

Thomas Goodspeed Born Feb 5, 1789.

Warren Hinckley Born April 24, 1795.

Charles Hinckley Oct. 22, 1800.

Luther Thatcher Hinckley May 2d, 1809.

- Page 30. "Leml", son of Calvin Ingersoll, indistinct,—may be Lemi.
 See p. 94 for births of three last of David Ingersoll's children.
 Page 50. Mrs. Jesse Bradley's name incorrectly recorded,—should be Mamry or Mamre (see p. 87).
 For "Ruhannah Ball", read "Ruhamah Ball".
 Page 54. For "choose" in second line, read "chose."
 Page 59. In fourth line,—“letters missive from the Church in that place”, etc., should be,—“letters missive from the church of Christ in that place”, etc.
 Page 63. In baptisms, July 8, for “Elisha son of Lydia Ingersol,” etc., read “Elihu, son of Lydia Ingersol,” etc.
 In baptisms, Sep. 23, Mrs. Jonathan Foot's name is incorrect in record:—see pp. 24, 87.

N. B. An error was made in ascribing the first part of the first book of church records to Wm. Ingersoll (see pp. 53, 55). A more careful scrutiny of the manuscript shows that it is not in his writing, though closely resembling it. The writer is unknown.

The writing stated in the second note p. 55, as supposed to be Deacon Oliver West's has been positively identified as his.

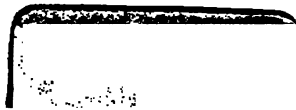






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