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- 10-Robert Cutts (d 1664), prominent N.E. settler; m Mary Hole, of the Barbados (she m 2d, Capt. Francis Champernowne);
- 9-Bridget, m 1674, Rev. William Screven (1629-1713), from Eng.; settled at Kittery, Me., 1681; licensed to preach by the 1st Bapt. Ch. of Boston, 1681;
- 8-Samuel (ca. 1677- ca. 1732), m 1st, a dau. of James Witter, of James Island, S.C.;
- 7-James (1706-58), of James Island; m 1736, Mary Hyrne Smith (1717-58; Landgrave Thos., m 2d, Mary, dau. Edwd. Hyrne, m Elizabeth, dau. Sir Drayner Massingberd);
- 6-Brig. Gen. James (1744-78), Am Rev.; m 1764, Mary Esther Odingsell (d 1779, Chas.);
- 5-Mary Esther (1767-1845), to Sunbury, Ga., 1815; m Capt. John Hart (5 above);
- 2-William Robert Gignillat (1839-85), ed. U. Ga. and U. Va.; capt. C.S.A.; lawyer, Darien, Ga.; m 1860, Harriet Walker Heyward (1839-79); for issue and other lineages see Vol. I.
- 1-m Aug. 2, 1893, Mary Seddon Fleet, b Liberty, Mo., Jan. 27, 1876; dau. Col. Alexander Frederick Fleet, soldier and educator, Culver, Ind. (g.dau. John Seddon, Sec. of War in Cabinet of President Jefferson Davis); issue (all b Culver, Ind.): 1-Leigh Robinson, Jr., b May 18, 1900; m Charlotte Dill (issue: Leigh Robinson, III; Paul Charles, Charlotte); 2-Frederick Fleet, b Mar. 4, 1902; 3-Henry Culver, b Dec. 23, 1912.
- 1-Grad. Emerson Inst., Washington, 1891; V.M.I., Lexington, Va., 1895; M.A., Trinity Coll., 1915; (Sc.D. Colgate U., 1931; LL.D., Kenyon, 1935). Comdt. cadets, Culver Mil. Acad., 1897-1910, supt. 1910— (see Who's Who in America). Commd. maj. R. C., 1916; lt. col. 1st O.T.C., Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Aug. 1917; sr. instr. 2d O.T.C.; apptd. Gen. Staff, A.E.F., Sept. 1918; commd. col. Feb. 1919, brig. gen. Organized Reserves, Nov. 24, 1921; comdg. 163th Inf. Brig., 1921—; awarded D.S.M. (U.S.), Cdr. Legion of Honor (French), Cdr. Order of Nicham Iftikar (Tunis), Cdr. Order of the Star (Roumania), Cdr. Order of the Crown (Italy), Cdr. Order of Polonia Restituta (Poland). Mem. S.C.W., H.S.S.C., M.O.W.W., M.O.F.W., etc. Clubs: Union League, Army and Navy (Chicago), Army and Navy (New York), Army and Navy, Congressional Country (Washington). Residence: Culver, Ind.
- 1-GILBERT, Arthur Abbott, b Pana, Ill., Aug. 11, 1894.
- 10-Thomas Gilbert (qv);
- 9-Thomas (d 1662), land grants at Springfield, Mass., 1655; freeman, 1656; selectman, 1660; m 1655, Catherine (Chapin) Bliss (d 1712; Dea. Sam. Chapin⁹, qv);
- 8-Henry (1661-1740), sent by Col. Pyncheon to build a ("Gilbert's") fort at Brookfield, Mass., 1688; m Elizabeth Belden;
- 7-Nathaniel (1700-88), had grants of 231 acres at Brookfield; m Hannah Jones (b 1702; Sam.⁵, m Sarah Barnard; Robt.⁹);
- 6-Jonathan (1725-81), marched on Alarm of Apr. 19, 1775; 2d lt., 6th Regt., Mass. Militia, 1778; 5 sons in Am.Rev.; m 1748, his 2d cousin, Hannah Abbott (1729-73; Moses⁵, m Bethsheba Gilbert; Geo.⁹; Geo.⁹; Geo.⁹, "of Rowley," qv);
- 5-Simeon (1761-1835), Am.Rev.; to Pittsford, Vt., 1800; m 1786, Sarah Nye (1768-1850; Geo.⁹, m Jane, dau. Matth. Barr; Icha.⁷; Jona.⁹; Benj.⁹, qv);
- 4-Dr. George Nye (1789-1870), surgeon's mate on expdn. to Plattsburg, War 1812; postmaster, Belpre, O., 1837-70; m 1825, Lucy Eaton Putnam (1804-84; Maj. Aaron W.⁵, m Charlotte, dau. Col. Dan. Loring, Col. Israel⁹; Maj. Gen. Israel⁹; Jos.⁵; Lt. Thos.⁹; John⁹, qv);
- 3-Douglas Augustus (1833-1909), Pvt. Co. H, 13th Ohio Regt., Civil War; ry. station agt., Pana, Ill.; m 1858, Elizabeth Sabina Newport;
- 2-Dr. George Nye (2 below).
- 3-John Cadwallader (b 1675), from Wales to Pa. ca. 1697; minister Soc. of Friends, Hershams, Pa.; went as a preacher to Quaker colony at Cortuga, N.Y., where he d soon after; m 1st, 1701, Mary Cassell (d 1722);
- 7-Joseph (1717-48), Chester Co., Pa., m 1739, Mary Williams (b 1719; Rees⁵, m Elizabeth-);
- 6-Rees (b 1742), to Loudoun Co., Va., later to Brownsville, Pa., where he owned mill; m 1767, Ruth Perkins (b 1748; Isaac⁹);

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- 5-Mary (b 1770), m Aaron Newport (1761-1831), Belmont Co., O. (Jesse, Phila. to Brownsville, Pa., 1794; Thos.⁷, from Eng., settled at Phila., joined Soc. of Friends);
- 4-Rees Cadwallader (b 1734), operated ferryboat, Sharpsburg, Pa., and Newport, O.; active on "underground railroad" for escaping slaves; m 1834, Mary Ann Cole (1812-53; Sam.⁵, Belmont Co., m Eliza Thompson);
- 3-Elizabeth S. (1836-1910), teacher pub. sch. and her own pvt. sch., Pana, Ill.; m Douglas A. Gilbert (3 above);
- 8-James Abbott (b 1665), from Eng., 1701, settled at Foster Meadows, L.I.; soldier Indian wars; m Martha-;
- 7-Benjamin (1705-40), L.I., N.J., and Bucks Co., Pa.; m Hannah Burroughs (John⁹, m Mary Jennings; John⁹; John⁹);
- 6-James (b 1730), Gloucester Co., N.J.; m his cousin, Elizabeth Burroughs;
- 5-James (1763-1851), m Ann Jackson;
- 4-Joseph Jackson (1783-1855), N.J., Ohio, Ind.; War 1812; m 1812, Mary Osborn (1795-1877);
- 3-Russell Bigelow, D.D. (1823-1917), Albert Lea, Minn.; A.B., Ind. U., 1847; founder and pres. Albert Lea Coll., 1884-1917 (see Who's Who in America, Vol. IV); m 2d, 1861, Sophronia Jane Leech;
- 2-Corena Leech (2 below).
- 6-David Leech, from Ire., settled in York Dist., S.C.; Am.Rev.; m 1st, —; m 2d, Mary McDowell;
- 4-Joseph Alexander (d 1841), Moulton, Ala., and Dunlapville, Ind.; m 1816, Sarah Fullerton (1800-82; Matth.⁵, m Mary McDowell);
- 3-Sophronia J. (1841-79), m Russell B. Abbott (3 above);
- 2-Corena Leech (b 1869), A.B., Albert Lea Coll., 1890; m 1891, Fana (III), Tp. High Sch. Ed. 18 yrs.; m 1891, George Nye Gilbert (b 1863), attended Miami U., Ill. Coll., Chicago Coll. Dental Surgery; issue: I-George Newport (b 1892; m 1919, Mildred Tallitha Moyer; issue: Geo. Nye III, b 1921); II-Arthur Abbott (I above); III-Elizabeth (1900-1918; m Walter E. Downs; she died of influenza contracted in training as a war nurse).
- 1-m May 24, 1917, Myrtle Larimer, b Ky., Dec. 8, 1895; dau. Edward Jesse Lee Larimer, Herrin, Ill.; issue: I-Gilbert Larimer, b Herrin, Nov. 3, 1918.
- 1-U. Ill. Coll. of Engring., 1913-15; B.S., D.D.S., Coll. of Dentistry, U. Ill., 1925 (Delta Sigma Delta), Reporter Chicago Herald, and Chicago Evening Journal, 1916; actor Keith Vaudeville, 1917; auditor, O. H. Paddock Lumber Co., Pana, Ill., 1919; practice of dentistry, 1925—; Cadet aviator U.S. Air Service, 1918; commd. lt. cdr., Dental Corps, U.S. Naval Reserve, Sept. 9, 1935. Mem. I.A.G., A.L., Naval Order Republic, Chicago Dental Soc., Ill. State Dental Soc., Am. Dental Assn., Presbyterian, 32^d Mason. Residence: 7659 Bosworth Av., Chicago, Ill.
- 1-GILKEY, Mildred Virginia Talbot (Mrs. Herbert J.), b Urbana, Ill., Feb. 6, 1891.
- 4-Charles Talbot (b 1806), Eng. to DeKalb Co., Ill., ca. 1833; m Susanna Key (b 1803);
- 3-Charles A. (1833-88), settled at Cortland, Ill.; m Dec. 16, 1856, Harriet Newell (1834-1905; Geo.⁵ b Eng., 1795), scholar, to Canada, 1831, to Rockford, Ill., 1851, m 1827, Hannah Elizabeth Shuttleworth (b 1803);
- 2-Arthur Newell (2 below).
- 4-John Hammet, Ire. to Va., ca. 1815, to Bourbon Co., Ky., 1828, to Camargo Tp., Douglas Co., Ill., Nov. 1830; m in Va., 1818, Diana Gardner (b Ire., 1796-d 1868);
- 3-William Soule (b Va., 1823-d 1900), farmer; m Nov. 6, 1854, Rachel Jane Wibley;
- 2-Virginia Mann (2 below).
- 4-George Wibley (b Ger., Jan. 1, 1801-d Nov. 12, 1840), among the early pioneers of Douglas Co. and central Ill.; m in Ill., Betsey (or Elizabeth) Sargent (b Ohio-d July 14, 1867), of English descent;
- 3-Rachel Jane (b nr. Camargo, Ill., Dec. 25, 1836-d May 1919), m William S. Hammet (3 above);
- 2-Virginia Mann (b Camargo, Ill., Mar. 6, 1800-d Urbana, Ill., Dec. 4, 1919), B.S., U. Ill., 1881; m June 7, 1836, Arthur Newell Talbot (b Cortland, Ill., Oct. 21, 1857), B.S., U. Ill., 1881, C.E., 1885, LL.D., 1931; Sc.D., U. Pa., 1915; D.Eng., U. Mich., 1916; teacher of engring., 1885-1926; prof. emeritus, U. Ill., 1926 (see Who's Who in

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1. W.W.Hinshaw "Ency. of Am. Quaker Genealogy" v.2 p.446; IN: Philadelphia Monthly Meeting;
list of deaths of persons not Friends:

Newport, Hannah, daughter of Thomas, buried 5-28-1728

transcript of a photocopy of the "middle" portion of a handwritten letter--no first or last pages, so no date, or name of author.

photocopy sent to JNJ by Warren Co Historical Society as an encl to their letter of 9 Nov 1985; each page of the photocopy has been stamped "WarrenCo Museum".

Author states she/he is grandchild of John Newport.

This John Newport is 01.01.01.07.03;

JNJ assumes the grandchild & author is 01.01.01.07.03.03.0 Mary B. (Grisham) Emery and the "original" is filed there.

"...home of Robert Sweeney. We are attempting a small history of the Newport family and if you can help us in any way we will be very grateful. There is a tradition that his this(sic) Thomas Newport's immediate ancestors, one or two generations back; came from Pennsylvania. Also, there is an unsubstantiated tradition that Newport, Rhode Island was named for our ancestor. It has even been rumored that he was a captain of the "Mayflower" on one or more of her voyages. It is frustrating to have no verification of rumors and traditions such as this.

This is what I have:

I Thomas Newport, born about 1735, a Lutheran minister; had three brothers David, James T., and Jesse. James T. was a captain in the Revolution; David was a soldier.

II Thomas Newport, born in 1760; married Mary Evans, daughter of John and Hannah Evans, had two sons, John was a captain in the War of 1812, and Thomas, of whom further.

III Thomas Newport was born October 29, 1795; married Sarah Biggs on July 5, 1821. She was born October 18, 1802, and died July 17, 1844; settled near Eton(sic) Ohio. He was the Swedenborgian minister.

children--Aaron, born July 20, 1823.

John, born September 20, 1824; died July 1, 1913 (my grandfather).
sic

Margaret, born July 9, 1826; m -- Baker.

Elizabeth, born March 11, 1830; m Lewis or Louis Casto.

Amanda Jane, born June 20, 1835; m Poindexter Toney.

James C., born June 3, 1837; died January 21, 1917.

Ephraim, born January 23, 1839; died September 5, 1928.

Rachel, born October 22, 1841; died January 10, 1865; m -- Rose

all were born in Preble County, and grew up there.

Thomas Newport died at the home of his daughter, Elizabeth Casto and is buried at Waldron, Indiana.

Two of his sons, James and Ephraim, were Union soldiers in the Civil War.

I have been attempting to join the Daughters of the American Revolution, and have tried several lines with no success. Of course, there is no hope with..."

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01.01. Jesse Newport
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01.01.01.05 James T. Newport
01.01.01.10 Jesse Newport
01.01.01.07 Thomas Newport
01.01.01.07.01 Aaron Newport
01.01.01.07.02 Thomas Newport
01.01.01.07.03 John Newport
01.01.01.07.04 Margaret Newport Baker
01.01.01.07.05 Mary Newport Elder
01.01.01.07.06 Elizabeth Newport Casto
01.01.01.07.07 Amanda Jane Newport Toney
01.01.01.07.08 James C. Newport
01.01.01.07.09 Ephraim Newport
01.01.01.07.10 Rachel Newport Rose