BUSHNELL FAMILY GENEALOGY

Ancestry and Posterity

of

FRANCIS BUSHNELL

(1580 - 1646)

of
Horsham, England
And
Guilford, Connecticut

Including Genealogical Notes of other Bushnell Families, whose connections with this branch of the family tree have not been determined.

Compiled and written

by

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The sudden and untimely death of the family historian, George Eleazer Bushnell, of Nashville, Tennessee, who devoted so many years to the completion of this work, necessitated a complete change in its publication plans and we were required to start anew without familiarity with his painstaking work and vast acquaintance amongst the members of the family.

His manuscript, while well arranged, was not yet ready for printing. It has therefore been copied, recopied and edited. However, despite every effort, prepublication funds have not been secured to produce the kind of a book we desire and which Mr. Bushnell's painstaking work deserves. His material is too valuable to be lost in some library's manuscript collection. It is a faithful record of the Bushnell family, more complete than anyone could have anticipated.

Time is running out and we have reluctantly decided to make the best use of available funds by producing the "book" by a process of photographic reproduction of the typewritten pages of the revised and edited manuscript. The only deviation from the original consists in slight rearrangement, minor corrections, additional indexing and numbering. We are proud to thus assist in the compiler's labor of love.

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Abbreviations.

* (asterisk) (record appears in following generation).
abt. about
acct. account
adm. Administrator
adopt. adopted
ae. aged
 aft. after
amt. Amount
app. appointed
Arch. Archdeacon
auth. author (ity)
b. born
bapt. baptized
bef. before
Berks. Berkshire
bet. between
biog. biography
bro. brother
bur. buried
cem. cemetery
ch. church
ch. yd. churchyard
coll. college
comm. committee
d. died
d.y. died young
dau. daughter
Dea. Deacon
dec'd deceased
disch. discharged
dist. distribution
do. ditto
ed. edition
Eng. England
enl. enlisted
ent. entered
est. estate
exec. executor
FR kept or submitted
Genealogy
Gen. General
Gov. Governor
gr. grand
grad. graduated
gt. great
hist. history
inf. infant
inv. inventory
jr. junior
leg. legatee
m. married
med. medical
Ms. Manuscript
nunc. nuncupative (oral)
p.- pp. page
P.G.C. prerogative Court of Canterbury
pres. President
prob. probate, probably
Prof. Professor
prov. proved.
pub. published
(R-) reference number ____
rec. recorded
reg. register
Regt. Regiment
ref. reference
rem. removed
Rep. Representative
res. reside
res. residuary
sig. signed
sis. sister
supt. Superintendent
soc. society
tw. twin
tp.-twp. township
unm. unmarried
vide see text
vit. vital
vol. volume, volunteer
wid. widow
wit. witness
Note: At the time of the first English settlements in New England, the New Year began on March 25th (Annunciation or Ladies Day), and a date written as "10th day of the second month" referred to 10 April, and not February. From 1671 to 1686, the New Year began on March 1st and in the next year, 1667, it began on January 1st as at the present, but the change was not made in England until many years later. During these periods a form of designating the years was employed consisting of a double date 1649/1650 (1649 old style, 1650 new style). The first time this form was used by the General Court of Connecticut was on 20 March 1649/50. (Ref. Handbook of Genealogy, by Henry R. Stiles, pp. 52).

Note: In early colonial times Clergymen, graduates of colleges, members of the General Court, and planters of good families, were called, "Gentlemen" and addressed as Mr. Those without these advantages, including those of respectable character, and who owned lands, and the better class of laborers and tenants were called "Yeomen" and addressed as "Goodman" and the wife as "Goodwife," or sometimes "Goody." (Lyman Beecher's Autobiography, Vol. 1, pp. 11).
Arms: Argent five fusils in fesse, gules, in chief three molets, sable.

Crest: On a Ducal coronet, or, a wyven sans feet.

Motto: Mes droits ou la mort.
In presenting, at this time, this manuscript of the Bushnell Families, I do so with the knowledge that it is incomplete, but advancing years, and the lack of adequate facilities for carrying on the required research and correspondence, and the desire that what has been accumulated shall not be lost, have impelled me to present this compilation now, with the hope that future research will amend its deficiencies.

The data herein presented is the result of some thirty-five years of research and has been culled from official records of Church and State, Bible records, grave-stone inscriptions, published and unpublished compilations of Bushnell and co-related families, and from many hundreds of letters written by those interested in preserving the data of their branches, and others whose interest in genealogical studies has induced them to devote many tedious hours to research. Only one other attempt, to the writer's knowledge, has been made in the past to cover this ground, and that by Rev. Fred Chapman, formerly of Rocky Hill, Conn., who in the early 1870's began a general compilation for a genealogy of the Bushnell Families, but his early demise brought an end to the work, and such material as he had accumulated passed into other hands, and has not been available for assistance in this work.

Because the writer has not had the opportunity to verify the data from original sources, it is expected that errors will be found, however he has endeavored to use his best judgement in the attempt to have the matter as free from errors as possible, but it must not be overlooked that original records frequently conflict. Where such instances have been noted, the writer has chosen that one, which in his judgement appeared to be the most reliable, and has attempted to give full references; also it has been discovered that in a few instances, certain family lines have heretofore been erroneously allocated, and these with the light of a more comprehensive study, have been amended.

Biographical and historical data which has been furnished, or has been culled from other sources, has been included with the omission of non-essential details, and it is regrettable that more of such data had not been ascertained. It is also regretted, that those who failed to respond to our request for the data of their branches, as well as those who we failed to contact, may fail to find herein, the data of their immediate family lines, but it is hoped that such omissions will not seriously detract from the value of this compilation as a whole, and it is hoped that this deficiency too may be overcome by future research.

I acknowledge here my thanks to the many hundreds who have so kindly manifested their interest in this endeavor by sending me their family records, some of which were very valuable and comprehensive; in the text I have endeavored to indicate individually such contributors; had their assistance been denied me it would have been impossible to have gathered together in one continuous record, the scattered data of our numerous families
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whose representatives are to be found in nearly all the larger cities, and in many towns and counties, in nearly every State in the Union.

To those whose interest in genealogical research have impelled them to spend many hours in searching for Bushnell data, I also acknowledge thanks, and I wish to make special acknowledgement to those enumerated whose valuable contributions have so materially aided in the presentation of the earlier generations.

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And so, my dear friends and relatives, I leave this labor of thirty-five years of research to you for further Amplification and correction.

Yours very sincerely,
George Eleazer Bushnell,
Nashville, Tennessee,
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EDITORS NOTE.

In late 1945, I received a telegram carrying the sad news of the death of Mr. George Eleazer Bushnell. Only a few days before I had a letter from him stating he would not be a good correspondent for the following few weeks because of a necessary surgical operation.

Some time later, Mrs. Bushnell decided that the original manuscript and its copy (carbon) should not be kept in one location for reasons of safety. I was honored by being selected as the custodian of the copy, and the further responsibility of arranging the copy for publication. That copy in my possession has not been touched by as much as a pencil mark by me. The work I have done has been from a working copy made by me, and this the revised copy, has been carefully compared with the original for possible error.

The numbering system has been added, intermarriages have been cross indexed, some material has been shifted in location, and minor repetitive statements eliminated, otherwise, the whole remains as in the original. That these may assist you in locating data you wish, and that the whole would please "The Sachem," and Mrs. Bushnell is my greatest desire.

I was touched to find myself listed amongst those he thanked for assistance, yet, in my years of correspondence with The Sachem, it was always thus, he was continually thanking one for a favor he did for you.

George Elmore Bushnell,
Santa Monica, Calif.
1948.
INTRODUCTION.

When and where the Bushnell name originated is not known, although it would appear probable that it was in Berkshire county, England, in the section west of Reading bordering on the Kennet River, but while we have succeeded in tracing it back for some 600 years, more or less, to trace it back to its origin would perhaps be impossible, certainly beyond the facilities of the writer; however it appears probable that it does not ante-date century xi, for, prior to the Norman Conquest, individual family names do not seem to have been taken, at least by the middle classes, and even when they first made their appearance, they do not seem to have been handed down from father to son, except perhaps when derived from property which the son inherited from his father.

Before the Norman Invasion of England and for some time after, given names only had been customary in that country, but by the end of century xii a great change had taken place in English nomenclature, and the old Saxon and Teutonic single names had been replaced by those given names which have come down to our times. At a later period surnames began to be adopted, and by the end of century xiii, were becoming hereditary, and in centuries xiv and xv came the great formative period for English family names.

Many of these surnames denoted some phenomena of nature, or personal description, vocation, locality, or names of birds, animals, etc. and while nobles and land owners had been designated as "de," "de la," or "of" etc. others had been called "atts" (at the), or had perhaps assumed his father's name with the termination "son," or "ham," (hamlet), or "ton," "tun" (town), or various other descriptive terminations, or had perhaps added a given name to his father's name.

It is presumed that the pronunciation, of these names remained fairly constant from the earliest times, with perhaps a slight modification to conform to changes in the language or dialect, but the spelling often varied, due no doubt to the fact that few could read and write, and as the spelling would naturally be phonetic, the scribe would spell the name as he heard it, or more often as it pleased his fancy.

Several theories as to the derivation of our name have been proposed. It has not been identified, as I have been informed, in the Doomsday Book, a survey, or census, prepared for William the Conqueror in 1086, which before the German attack on England, was deposited in the Public Records office in London; however in the Battle Abbey Roll, another ancient record, there is found the name Busseuilie, or Busseville, and as "n," "u," and "v" are indistinguishable in these old records, the name might be read as Bussenille, and so connected to Bussenelle, the first known form of the name.
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Among the modern writers on this subject, we find: Harrison (Surnames of the United Kingdom), who gives Bushnill-Bushnell, and suggests Buschen-heal, or Bushy corner; but Bardsley (English Surnames); Barber (British Surnames); Baring-Gould (Family Names and Their Story); Ewen (History of Surnames); and Weakley (The Romance of Names), (Surnames) who is perhaps the greatest authority on English surnames, all fail to list the Bushnell name.

Rev. Dr. Horace Bushnell, of Hartford, Conn. (1802-1876), suggested that it might have been a Hugenot name derived from Bouchenell, and a number of years ago this name was noted on a sign board in Paris, France. Another form, de Bouchenelle, is given in a document now filed in a library in Hartford, Conn., but as the validity of the pertinent statements in this document have been disproved, it is referred to here merely to show our knowledge of its existence. There is also an Italian name, Businelli, which has some resemblance to these forms, but no evidence is known to prove its connection with our name.

Dr. George Herbert Bushnell, Librarian of St. Andrews College, St. Andrews, Scotland, who has made some studies in the English branches of the family, advises that he has not found the name in northern England as of an early date, and seems to have reached the conclusion that it developed from the name Bushell, basing his opinion on his discovery that the two names, in several instances, are found in the same document of the xvi century, but this synonymous use is evidently an error of the scribe, as the same has been found, in two instances at least, in our American records, viz; in a letter of introduction, dated 1635, from Edward Hopkins, of London, to John Winthrop, Jr. of Boston, Mass. (Mass. Hist. Soc. Collections, Vol. 1, pp. 329-30), where Edmond Bushnell is referred to as Edward Bushell, and in the Tyringham, Mass. records where Josiah Bushnell, who married Ann Young, in 1778, is recorded as Josiah Bushell, both of which are apparent errors, either of the scribe or of the copyist.

The writer is unable to concur in these theories, because, from the evidence in hand, it appears that the name Bushenell-Bushenell, had been known in England for a number of generations prior to the end of century xiv, in the section known by the end of century x as Wessex, or the country of the West Saxons, the northern part of which is now known as co. Berkshire, as here we are informed by J. Gardner Bartlett, a former Boston Genealogist, the name John atte Busschenelle was found in a tax list of 1380. This form persisted into the next century when the "atte" disappeared, and then for about 100 years appeared as Busshenell-Bushenell and for the last 400 years as Bushnel-Bushnal-Bushnall-Bushnell, the latter forms also appearing in our American records. During a part of the time at least, there were Bushell families residing in some of the sections where the Bushnell name is found, which might account for the errors in transcribing both names in the same document. It will be noted that all these forms of the Bushnell name would be phonetically similar.
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OUR ENGLISH ANCESTRY.

By the end of century xv Bushnell families had settled in several different localities in Berkshire (Berks) county, but from the known data it is not possible to determine whether the relationship was close or separated by several generations.

Through the kind offices of Oswald Greenway Knapp, Esq. of Parkstone, co. Dorset, England, we have received excerpts from the various early records, the earliest of which is a digest of a Subsidy Roll dated 15 Henry viii, (indenture made 15 Jan. 1524), and digests of later wills filed in the Archdeacons Court of Berks. county.

Referring to the Subsidy Roll Mr. Knapp states, "Though the subsidies were granted at irregular periods till after the Restoration, from the end of the reign of Edward iii, (1377), to the beginning of the reign of Henry viii, (1509), they contain no lists of contributors and so are of no use to the genealogist. The subsidies do not necessarily indicate a man's financial standing because, at these early dates, the total yield was calculated, and this amount was divided between the several counties. It is probable that the local hundreds men were the collectors, and they fixed the amount payable by each parish, where perhaps three or four of the more prominent men would make a rough assessment for individual payments.

"The assessments on goods is generally held to have included live stock, and five pounds to 10 pounds seems to have been the average assessment, although some were as high as 50 pounds to 75 pounds. The assessments on wages seem to have been uniformly fixed at 20 shillings. Those assessed on goods were probably copy holders, (Husbandman), or free holders, (Yeomen), while those assessed on wages might have been cotters, or those whose holdings were not enough to occupy all their time, and who hired out to their more affluent neighbors, or sons working on their father's farms.

"By the legal definition, a Yeoman was a man who held freehold land to the value of 40 shillings per annum and upwards. If he was not a freeholder, he was not a Yeoman but was technically a Husbandman, or what might be called a tenant farmer."

The earliest Tudor Roll available for Berks. co. seems to be that of 15 Henry viii, (1524), from which there were selected 6 of the 20 hundreds, viz; Faircross, Kentbury, Eagle, and Compton, which cover the center of the county, and Reading and Theale in the southeast, but no Bushnells were listed in the first four hundreds. Those listed in the hundreds of Reading and Theale were as follows:

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<td>Goods</td>
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<td>2s-6d.</td>
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<td>Robert Bushenell</td>
<td>Wages</td>
<td>20s.</td>
<td>4d.</td>
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<td>Thatcham</td>
<td>William Busshenell</td>
<td>Goods</td>
<td>£3-00</td>
<td>18d.</td>
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<td>Tilehurst</td>
<td>Joan Busshenell (wid)</td>
<td>Goods</td>
<td>£10-00</td>
<td>5s-00</td>
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<td>Wages</td>
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There is no evidence to prove the relationship of those above, but we assume that Joan, wid. and William, of Tilehurst, were mother and son, and William of Thatcham and Thomas of Sulhampstead Abbots close relatives, perhaps brothers-in-law, to Joan.

To anyone who desires to make further search, we would suggest the following sources:

Anglo Saxon Chronicle of Alfred the Great; Records of the Abbot of Reading (if extant); Reports of the Royal Commission on Historical Mss.; Close Rolls; Hundred Rolls; and State Papers Domestic, all of which have been printed and fully indexed, and placed in the larger libraries by the British Government. There may be copies of these in some of the larger libraries in the United States:

Subsidy Rolls, Church Registers and Churchyard Cemeteries.

We have also received through Mr. Knapp's courtesy, digests of all but four of the twenty-eight wills listed in W. P. W. Phillimore's "Index of Wills Proved in the Court of the Archdeacon of Berks. Co., 1508-1652." and such wills as do not seem to be applicable to the following pedigree, have been included in the appendix. These selected wills we believe, determine the ancestral chart of our American ancestor, Francis Bushnell, of Horsham, co. Sussex, England and Guilford, Connecticut, however, as dates and births and marriages are not known, our arrangement of birth sequence is necessarily arbitrary.
First Generation.

001. William Bushenell, Husbandman, of Tilehurst, co. Berks, England, d. abt. 1564, probably son of Joan ( ) Bushenell, styled widow in Subsidy Roll dated 15 Jan. 1524, of Tilehurst, wife not mentioned in will dated 31 Aug. 1563, proved 15 Apr. 1564, rec. Archd. Berks, E-312. In his will he expressed his desire to be buried in Tylehurst churchyard, and bequeathed to son John, a cow, a brass pot, a kettle, and one-half his tools; son William a bullock, a sheep, an old pan and one-half his tools; dau. Alice a cow, a pot and a kettle; dau. Joan two bullocks, a heifer, a kettle, and a gown; servant Joan Pinke a petticoat cloth and as much wool as will make her a pair of hosen.

Resid. Log. were his ch. John, Alice, and Joan,
Exec. his son William,
Overseers; William Corder and John Curtys,
Wit. Sir John Pullirit (?) Curate of said ch. and Richard Dewin,
Inv. (no date), £7, 8s, 8d.
Prov. by the Exec. 15 Apr. 1564.

Children, 4, mentioned in will,

002*. i. John, (died after 20 Oct. 1585),
003*. ii. William, (died bet. 28 Mar. and 15 Apr. 1564),
004. iii. Alice, (mentioned in will of William of Sulhampstead Abbots as sister, perhaps sister-in-law).
005. iv. Joan.

Second Generation.

*002. John Bushenell, Husbandman, of Tilehurst, co. Berks, d. aft. 20 Oct. 1585, wife Alice ( ). By his will, dated 20 Oct. 1585, (or 1545) no prob, or inv., he desired to be bur. in the ch. yd. of S. Michaels, Tilehurst, and gave to that ch. 6s, 8d, and 12d. for a Pax, and made bequests of 40s. to each of his sons, William, John, Richard, and Nicholas; and to his daus. Agnes and Margaret. (Rec. Dandridge 90.)

Resid. Leg. and Exec. his wife, Alice,
Overseer; Nicholas Whette (perhaps Wheate or Whitte),
Wit.: Richard Curtes, John Curtes, and John Blakeman,

In Phillimore's Index, this will was dated 1545 but our copyist, Miss E. Stokes first read the date as 1585, and when her attention was called to the discrepancy, made a check and reported, "That not expecting to find the old character, used as a 4 in a document of this date, she had read it as an 8." We are inclined to believe her first reading was correct, from the fact that he is named in his father's will, implying that he was living in 1564, the date of the will.

Children, 6, named in will:

006*. i. William,
007*. ii. John,
008*. iii. Richard, who mentions in his will, his brothers John and Nicholas, and his cousin, John.
009*. iv. Nicholas,
010. v. Agnes,
011. vi. Margaret.

*003. William Bushnell of Sulhampstead Abbots, d. bet. 28 Mar. and 15 Apr. 1564; wife Elizabeth (). By his will dated 28 Mar. 1564, prov. 15 Apr. 1564, (inv. not dated), he desired to be bur. in Sulhampstead Abbots ch. yd. and made bequests to his dau. Elizabeth, 10 sheep, a heifer, a bed and so forth, and a table of yew. To John Bushnell a sheep. To his sister, Alice Bushnell a lamb. To William Avenall a lamb, and to Richard Lowgrove a sheep.

Res. Leg. and Exec'x, his wife Elizabeth, "my wife to receive from her mother, Elizabeth, a vat and a cart."

Overseers; William Avenall and Nicholas Lowgrove,
Wit; Mathew Morland, Curate there; Robert Pellington and John Bushnell.
Inv. £7, 17s. 5d. (Archd. Berks. E 313).
(His wife may have been Elizabeth Knapp, as William Knapp of Esgarton Berks, in his will dated 1562, prov. 15 July 1562, named Elizabeth Busshenell as res. leg. Will filed Arch. Berks).

Children, 2, named in will:
013*. ii. John, styled brother to "aunt Bushnell" in will of Hugh Sawcer.

Third Generation.

*006. William Bushnell probably of Tilehurst. (We assume it was his son William, whose will is dated 7 June 1618 (vide).

Children, 1 assumed:
014*. i. William.

*007. John Bushnell probably of Tilehurst, who we assume had a son Richard, whose inv. is dated 9 Dec. 1615, vide.

Children, 1 assumed:
015*. i. Richard.

*008. Richard Bushnell, of Sulham, co. Berks, d. bet. 23 Aug. 1568 and 9 Apr. 1569, wife Isabel (). By his will dated 23 Aug. 1568, prov. 9 Apr. 1569, rec. Archd. Berks, p. 222, he desired to be bur. in Sulham ch. yd. and bequeathed to his brother John Bushnell an axe, a bill and scythe; and he forgave his brother Nicholas Bushnell 10s; to his cousin John Bushnell an axe and three planes; to his dau. Alice Novysse (Noyce?) a feather bed, bolster, etc. the best silver spoon, a black chest, a brass pot, the greatest postnet, two candle-sticks and a pair of andirons, also £12 6s. 8d. After his wife's death a silver pin and a pair of silver hooks were to remain to her son William; to Richard Mowntygewe a frieze coat, and to Richard Willshere, William Barlye, Thomas Semer, Richard Hedache, and John Justyce of Purley, wearing apparel; to the poor man's box 2d.

Res. Leg. and Exec'x, his wife Isabel.
Nicholas Bushnell, Yeoman, of Thatcham, Co. Berks, d. 1593, wife Elizabeth ( ). By his will dated 10 Apr. 1591, prov. 19 Jan. 1593/4, rec. Archd. Berks, I 138, he gave to the poor of Thatcham 10s; to his eldest son Francis, his messuages and lands in Thatcham, and Henwick, called Auberies, and in Midgham, and 3 acres in North Field near Thatcham, including the piddles (Pightels) therunto belonging, to him and the male heirs of his body, with contingent remainders to his sons Roger and Richard, entail male, and to the said Roger and Richard 20s each a year. To Joan Bushnell, dau. of Francis Bushnell a bullock and a cow, his overseers to have charge of the same until her age of 21; he forgave his son-in-law Stephen Goddard £9 which he owed to him.

*009. Nicholas Bushnell, Yeoman, of Thatcham, Co. Berks, d. 1593, wife Elizabeth ( ). By his will dated 10 Apr. 1591, prov. 19 Jan. 1593/4, rec. Archd. Berks, I 138, he gave to the poor of Thatcham 10s; to his eldest son Francis, his messuages and lands in Thatcham, and Henwick, called Auberies, and in Midgham, and 3 acres in North Field near Thatcham, including the piddles (Pightels) therunto belonging, to him and the male heirs of his body, with contingent remainders to his sons Roger and Richard, entail male, and to the said Roger and Richard 20s each a year. To Joan Bushnell, dau. of Francis Bushnell a bullock and a cow, his overseers to have charge of the same until her age of 21; he forgave his son-in-law Stephen Goddard £9 which he owed to him.

Resid. Leg. and Exec'x his wife, Elizabeth, and his son William Bushnell, Overseers: John Blackney the elder of Thatcham, shoemaker, and John Stricke, alias Foster, of the same, wheelwright.
Wit: John Peine, William Cawley, Scrivener.
Inv. £36 14s 4d.

Children, 6, named in will:

019*. i. Francis d. bet. 15 Aug. 1625 and 2 Jan. 1625/6,
020. ii. Roger, Husbandman of Thatcham, co. Berks, d. bet. 20 Mar. 1622/3 and 21 May 1623, prob. unmarr. or perhaps had no ch. as by his will dated 20 Mar. 1622/3, Inv. 21 May 1623, prov. 4 June 1623, he gave to the poor of Thatcham 10s; to his master, William Archer 20s; to Richard Bushnell, son of his bro. Richard, £10 at his age of 24; to Eme Bushnell, dau. of his said bro. £5 at the like age; to Elizabeth, Margery, and Jane Bushnell, remaining dau's of his bro. Richard, £5 each at the like age.
Resid. Leg. and Exec. his said brother,
Overseer; John Powle,
Wit: John Powle and Robert Powle,
Inv. taken 21 May 1623 by John Powle, Robert Jole, and John Garret; £65 19s 4d (copied from filed will).

021*. iii. Richard, d. bef. 26 Oct. 1639,
022. iv. Thomas, (not mentioned in will of Nicholas, but is mentioned in will of Alice, wife of Richard Bushnell of Sulham).
023. v. Joan (same as above),
*013. John Bushnell of Sulhampstead Abbots, Co. Berks, d. bet. 6 June and 2 Oct. 1598, wife Joan ( ); by his will dated 6 June and prov. 2 Oct. 1598, rec. Archd. Berks, J 340, he desired to be bur. in Sulhampstead ch. yd. and bequeathed to his son John a caldron, a table, etc; to his son William a chest, etc; to son Peter a brass pot etc; to sons Lawrence and Reynold the like at age 21; to dau. Bridget 6s 8d; his son-in-law Wortinge "to avoid from the house within one month after his death," to dau. Agnes a brass pot at age 21.

Resid. Leg. and Exec'x: his wife, Joan,
Overseers; Hugh Saucer and Richard Wise,
Wit. not given,
Prov.; 2 Oct. 1598;
Inv. £20 16s 4d.

Children, 7, Named in will:
025*. i. John d. 19 Feb. 1646,
026. ii. William, d. 18 Feb. 1646,
027*. iii. Peter,
028. iv. Lawrence, under age 1598,
029. v. Reynold, under age 1598, d. 29 May 1613,
030. vi. Agnes, under age 1598, may have mar. Hugh Sawcer, Yeoman, of Burfield, co. Berks, who d. aft. 11 Apr. 1620, the date of his will, in which he mentions William, son of John Bushnell of Sulhampstead, and John's sister Elizabeth, called by his his aunt Bushnell, and his cousin Joan Farringdon, dau. of his said aunt. (P. C. C. Reg. Soames, 1620, abstracts of folio 84, No. 985; also N.E.H.& G.Reg ).
031. vii. Bridget, may have m. ( ) Wortinge.

Fourth Generation.

*014. William Bushnell, Yeoman of Tilehurst, Co. Berks, d. bet. 7 June and 3 July 1618 wife Charity ( ); by his will dated 7 June 1618, prov. 22 Sep. 1618 he desired to be buried in Tylehurst Ch. yd. and bequeathed to his sons William, Robert, and Edward 12s each; and to Charity, dau. of his son William £10; he mentioned that his son Edward owed him for 5 or 6 years board which had not been paid.

Resid. Leg. and Exec's his wife Charity and son John,
Wit; William Wickyns and Thomas Godwin,
Prov. by the Exec's 22 Sept. 1618,
Inv. taken by William Wickyns and John Chamberlain £73 3s 0d.

Children, 4, named in will;
032. i. William, who had dau. 061 i. Charity,
033. ii. Robert,
034.1 iv. John.

*015. Richard Bushnell, of Northcott, Tilehurst, Co. Berks, d. bef. 19 Dec. 1625, wife Jane ( ); will (no date given), prov. 8 Feb. 1625/6, "I desire my house and grounds to be sold to pay my debts, and whereas I entered into a bond of £160 to pay £80 after my decease to Edward Clark, husband of my dau. Anne, being importuned by her a long time after she was married, and which I agreed to fearing she would incur inconvenience if I repulsed her, now having lived longer than I expected, and my old age
prolonged in weakness has much decayed my estate, in lieu of said bond I leave half of my estate to the said Anne Clark, and the other half to my wife Jane." He also gave 12s to the poor of Tylehurst and 2s each to his three household servants.

Exec'x, his wife Jane,

Overseers; his neighbors, William Wickyns and Thomas Godwin,

Wit. Richard Lloyd, Augustin Goswell and Elizabeth Blackman,

Inv. taken 19 Dec. 1625, £137 2s 2d,

Prov. by the Exec's 8 Feb. 1625/6.

Children, 1, named in will:

035. i. Anne, m. Edward Clark.

*018. Richard Bushnell, of Sulham, co. Berks. d. bef. 12 Oct. 1583, wife Alice ( ), who d. bet. 17 Oct. 1614 and 1 Jan. 1615/6, no will found but administration of the goods etc. of Richard Bushnell, late of Sulham, dec'd, was granted to his relict Alice Bushnell 12 Oct. 1583; Inv. £75 10s 5 ½d. (Archd. Berks. G. 416). (and on pp. 429 a note is accounted for as of 24 Apr. 1696).

Alice Bushnell, wid. of Sulham, co. Berks, will dated 17 Oct. 1614, rec. Archd. Berks, L 596, bequests to every grandchild of 12d each; to her servant Elizabeth Stinton 20s; to the children of Nicholas Bushnell an ewe sheep each, and to Thomas and Joan, ch. of Nicholas Bushnell a bullock. (see will of her father-in-law, Richard Bushnell); to son, Osmond her best brass pot; to dau. Joan, wife of Christopher Pemberton 40s and a quarter of barley and a brass pot; to Christopher Pemberton 20s; to son Nicholas half a quarter of barley; to Richard Bushnell, son of my son Richard, "departed" 40s; to son John, clerk of Sulham, one angel.

Resid. Leg. and Exec. her youngest son John Bushnell,

Overseers; the said Christopher Pemberton and Richard Holloway;

Wit; Edward Holloway and Henry Montaene,

Inv. £40 3s 4d taken 17 Jan. 1615/6 by John Libbe, Gent., Thomas Wilder, Lawrence Flower, and Richard Hollowaye.

Prov. 15 Mar. 1615/6? by Exec's named.

Children, 5, named in will:

036. i. Osmond,

037. ii. Joan, m. Christopher Pemberton,

038. iii. Nicholas, children, 2: 062. i. Thomas; 063. ii. Joan,

039. iv. Richard, d. bef. 17 Oct. 1614, children, 1: 064 i. Richard,

040. v. John, youngest son, clerk of Sulham in 1614.

*019. Francis Bushnell, Yeoman of Thatcham, co. Berks, will dated 15 Aug. 1625, prov. 15 Mar. 1625/6, will filed Archd. Berks, no wife mentioned; bequests to eldest son Nicholas his best brass pot and his bay mare; to son Ralph £40; and he engaged his two piddles in Thatcham, called Pococks and Greenfields, for the same; to son Francis three tenements in Thatcham, called Baalls for 20 years, he paying yearly 20s to his brother Nicholas; to Margery Bushnell, dau. of Richard Bushnell 2s and to the rest of his God-children 12s each; to Thatcham ch. 10 groats (3s 4d), and to the poor there 20s.

Resid. Leg. and Exec. his son Francis,

Overseers; Mr. John Winchcombe, Esq. of Henwicke, John Powell,
Yeoman of Thatcham, Richard Bushnell, Innholder; and Robert Humphries, Innholder, to each of whom he gave 5s,

Wit: John Powles, William Waller, and Robert Humfry "to the handing over of this will of Francis Bushnell, by reason of ye contagion and infection of his disease."

Prov; 15 Mar. 1625/6 by the Exec.

Children, 4, named in will:
041. i. Joan (not named in will of her father, but was mentioned in will of her grandfather Nicholas as under age in 1591).
042. ii. Nicholas (eldest son),
043. iii. Ralph,
1*. iv. Francis, who rem. to Horsham, Sussex Co., and later to America, where he settled in Guilford, Conn.

*021. Richard Bushnell, no will found, but inv. was taken of the goods of Richard Bushnell of Thatcham, co. Berks, dec'd by Hugh Smith, William Knights, and Nicholas Bushnell on 26 Oct. 1639, amt. £13 9s, and adm. was granted 15 Nov. 1639, but it was not stated to whom. (filed adm. Archd. Berks).

Children, 5, named in will of his brother Roger Bushnell, all under age in 1623:
044. i. Richard,
045. ii. Eme,
046. iii. Elizabeth,
047. iv. Margery,
048. v. Jane.

*024. William Bushnell, Husbandman and Miller of Thatcham, also termed the elder, d. bet. 12 Jan. and 1 Oct. 1610, wife not mentioned as such in his will, but mention was made of Catherine Ashben alias Bushnell, who may have been a 2nd wife. In his will dated 12 Jan. 1609/10, prov. 4 Oct. 1610, he gave to Catherine Ashben, alias Bushnell, who then dwelt with him, the messuage in Thatcham, adjoining ch. land, now or late in the tenure of Richard Bushnell, butcher, for one year, and then the same to his son Richard and the heirs of his body, and in default of issue, to his dau. Joan Bushnell and the heirs of her body, with remainder in default of her issue to his dau. Agnes Knight, widow, and the heirs of her body. also the said Catherine Ashben, alias Bushnell, the messuage wherein I dwell, adjoining the land of Thomas Tovice on the east and the Kings highway on the north, for life, with remainder after her death to his son William Ashben, alias Bushnell, and the heirs of his body, with contingent remainder to Margery Ashben, alias Bushnell, dau. of the said Catherine Ashben, and his dau's Joan and Agnes as aforesaid; to his son Richard he gave a table, etc; to his dau's Agnes Knight and Joan 10s each, and to his son-in-law John Chamberlain 10s.

Resid. Leg. and Exec'x the said Catherine Ashben, alias Bushnell,
Overseers; Robert Chandler, Yeoman of Thatcham, and Richard Smythe, Yeoman of Coulthroppe,
Wit; Robert Chandler, Richard Smythe, Richard Bushnell, butcher, and William Ashben,
Inv. taken 1 Oct. 1610 of the goods of the dec'd described as "Miller" by Robert Chandler, Andrew Smith, and William Dibble of Thatcham, £15 19s 0d.
Prov. 4 Oct. 1610 by the Exec'x.

Children, 5, named in will:
049. i. William (Ashben) alias Bushnell,
050. ii. Margery (Ashben) alias Bushnell,
051. iii. Richard, perhaps the butcher of the will,
052. iv. Agnes, widow of ( ) Knight,
053. v. Joan, prob. m. John Chamberlain.


Children, 1:
054. i. Elizabeth, bapt. 10 Feb. 1611, and probably others.

*027. Peter Bushnell, of Sulhampstead Abbot, m. there, 1 June 1606, Helen Ansley. (In the Dawes-Gates genealogy, by Mary Walton Ferris, there is a reference to a will of Peter Bushnell, of Drogheda, Ireland, dated 19 June 1698, which mentions "uncle Francis Bushnell across the sea" - it is not clear whether this reference was to England or America -, "cousins Edward Ball, Judith Willis, and Mary Taintor, and Samuel Bushnell who had m. Elizabeth Ball"). As Peter above m. in 1606, it is evident that Peter of the Irish will could not have been he, but as this is the only instance where the name Peter is used in the Bushnell lines, in such records as are at hand, it is quite possible that a son or grandson lived in Ireland. Our records only disclose two children.

Children, 2:
055. i. William, Bapt. 1 Nov. 1607 d. 1607,
056. ii. William, bapt. 31 April 1611, m. (perhaps) Alice ( ), who d. 5 April 1680. Probably other children.

Fifth Generation.

*040. John Bushnell, Clerk, of Sulham, co. Berks, 1614, d. bet. 2 May and 7 Oct. 1631, wife Margery ( ); in his will, filed Archd. Berks, he stated that he was aged and weak, and that he desired to be bur. in Sulham, ch. yd. He gave his wife, Margery, one-half of his household stuff and a heifer, the said heifer to go to his son John after her decease, and the household stuff to his son Christopher; to his son Francis 12s; to his dau. Margery 12d; to his son John three platters and 20s; and to his grandchild John Bushnell a platter. (By the will of his son John this grandchild is shown to have been a son of Christopher).
Resid. Leg. and Exec. his son Christopher,
Wit. Edward Amye and John Bushnell,
Inv. taken 7 Oct. 1631 by Richard Amye, Richard Holloway, and John Bushnell, £12 8s 4d,
Prov. by the Exec. 13 Apr. 1632.

Children, 3, named in will:
057. i. John, Husbandman of Sulham, co. Berks. d. bet. 27 Feb. 1639/40 and 20 Oct. 1642; name of wife not mentioned; in his will dated 27 Feb. 1639/40, prov. 20 Oct. 1642, he gave to Sulham church 12d and to his God-son John Bushnell (son of his bro. Christopher) 12d.

Resid. Leg. and Exec. his son Thomas Bushnell, Overseers; John Moore of Englefield and Thomas Headache of Whitchurch, Wit: John Brooker (or Brookes) and Thomas Lovegrove,
Inv. None,
Prov. by the Exec. 20 Oct. 1642.

Children, 1, named in will:

058. ii. Christopher, Husbandman, of Sulham, co. Berks, d. bef. 24 Sept. 1645, wife Elizabeth (); no will was found, but inv. of the goods etc. of Christopher Bushnell, of Sulham, dec'd, was taken 24 Sept. 1645 by Thomas Holloway and William Smith. Value £77 19s. On 4 Oct. 1645 bond was entered into by Elizabeth Bushnell, wid. of Sulham, relict of said dec'd in £200, to adm. the goods etc. of the said dec'd. (Digest from filed adm. Archd. Berks).

059. i. Thomas,

060. i. John,

058.1 iii. Margery.

*1. Francis Bushnell, b. Thatcham, co. Berks, prob. rem. abt. or after 1600 to Horsham, co. Sussex, where he m. and where all his children were born, and in 1639, emigrated to America, settling in Guilford, Conn., where he d. in 1646.

Only a few facts are known concerning his residence in Horsham, aside from records of baptisms, marriages, and burials, which relate to his family, but these seem to indicate a continuous residence there up to the times of their emigrations.

It would appear that he was an artisan, perhaps a painter and decorator, for in 1610/11, "Frauncis Bushnell" we paid vs. (five shillings) for "cullering the funt" (of the church or altar); (From transcript of the Horsham Church Register for the Sussex Record Society, Vol. 21, 1915), also his sons were artisans, for his son Francis was a millwright, his son William a carpenter, and his son John a glazier and later a barber, while his eldest son Edmund was evidently an artisan as well as a farmer (vide).

If, as has been stated they were Independents in their religious beliefs, they at least subscribed to the Church at Horsham, for by a seating list of this church dated 1626, William, Henry, John, and Mathew Grombridge had the first "Seate" for which they "paid vs. a peece" and in the "fift Seate" was John Bushnell "who hath paid xs" In the "sixt Seate" is placed Edmond Bushnell -- and William Bushnell who have paid for their "roome xjs," -- "and a Seate under the new gallery stayers for Pharis Bushnell, the wife of Frauncis Bushnell, to belong to him and his heirs for ever." In 1626/7 he was a church warden, and on 25 Mar. 1636 and 29 Sep. 1637, "Fra Bushnell" made donations for the 'reparation of St. Pauls in London.' (Transcript of the Horsham Church Register for the Sussex Society Record,
Vol. 21, 1915). It is not probable that this family emigrated because of religious persecutions.
THE GUILFORD COVENANT

"We whose names are here under-written, intending by God's gracious, permission to establish ourselves in New England, if it may be in the south part about Quinapossack (New Haven), we faithfully promise, each to each, for ourselves and families and all that belongs to us, that we will, the Lord assisting us, sit down and join ourselves together in one entire plantation and be helpful each to the other in any common work, according to everyman's ability and as need shall require; and we promise not to depart or leave each other on the plantation but with the consent of the rest, or the greater part of those who have entered into this engagement."

"As for our gathering ourselves together in a church way, and the choice of officers and members to be gathered in that way, we do refer ourselves to such time as it please God to settle us in our plantation."

"In witness whereof we subscribe our hands this first day of June, 1639."


From Hartford Times, Oct. 11, 1947; Copy of the social compact signed on board the ship from Guilford, England, by settlers of Guilford, Connecticut; Ref. Wadsworth Memorial by Edward Brown, A. M., 1875.
GENEALOGY
of
THE AMERICAN BRANCHES.
References First Generation.

FIRST GENERATION REFERENCES.

R5. Guilford, Connecticut; Probate Records.
FIRST GENERATION IN AMERICA

*1. Francis, b. abt. 1580, d. Guilford, Ct. abt. 1646, m. 1st, at Horsham, 13 May 1605, Ferris Quenell, bapt, Horsham, 17 Apr. 1587, d. in childbirth and bur. there with her dau. Elizabeth, 10 Mar. 1627/8, dau. of Henry and Beatrix (Carter) Quenell, who m. at Horsham, 30 Jan. 1585/6, and gr-dau. of Henry, and gt-grdau. of Henry Quenell. He m. 2nd, at Horsham, 2 June 1629, Joan Kinward, who d. Horsham and was bur. there, 21 June 1631 (R-1).

It is asserted by some American writers that he m. Rebecca Holmes (R-2), but no record has been produced, nor has any record been brought to my attention, where his name is associated with the name Rebecca, though diligent search has been made. It is certain that there were no ch. by such a m. even if it was a fact.

Francis Bushnell, b. Thatcham, co. Berks, Eng. abt. 1560, first appears of record at Horsham, co. Sussex, Eng. on the date of his 1st mar. and for twenty-seven years, he or his children are mentioned in the Church Register, after which the name disappears for some forty years. All the Bushnell records during this period pertain to him, his children, or his grand-children, with the exception of two entries which we have failed to identify, viz: Peter Bushnell, "a childe," bur. 21 Feb. 1622/3, and, Mary, "wid." bur. 22 Feb. 1624/5.

In 1635, his five living sons left their native shore bound for America, and four years later he followed with his two dau's, Sarah and Rebecca in the company of Rev. Henry Whitfield, aboard the St. John. After they had been at sea about ten days, the company formulated a covenant, sometimes called the "Guilford Covenant" or "The Plantation Covenant," upon which his name appears third, while that of the Rev. John Hoadley, who married his daughter Sarah, appears ninth. The company landed at Fair Haven, Connecticut between the 10th and 15th of July 1639 and two months later the deed was signed for their new settlement at Menunkatuck, purchased of the Quinipiac Indians, which they named Guilforde after the shire town in Surrey from which some of the emigrants came (R-7).

He does not seem to have been very active in the affairs of the colony, although his home lot of about three and one-half acres, on the N.E. corner of the roads now known as Fair and Broad Streets, was one of the choice locations. When his son Francis, Jr., came to Guilford, he acquired the lot next north of the northwest corner lot, on Fair Street while the Rev. John Hoadley had a lot on the south side of Broad Street between Fair and River Streets.

Here he resided until his death in 1646, and his will, attested to by Mr. Henry Whitfield, the first minister and William Leete, the first Governor, at a session of the Plantation Court, held 13 Oct. 1646, was the first document of its kind to be probated there (R-8). Both Mr. Whitfield and Mr. Leete as well as the Rev. John Hoadley, were "Pillars" of the First Church of Guilford.

No evidence has been presented that he had either a brother, a wife, or any other relative in America, other than his five sons and two daughters (R-9).
Children, 11:

2*. i. Edmond, bapt. 27 Apr. 1606,
3*. ii. Francis, bapt. 8 Jan. 1608/9,
4*. iii. William, bapt. 3 Feb. 1610/11,
6*. v. John, bapt. 23 Apr. 1615,
7. vi. Thomas, bapt. 31 Aug., bur. 16 Sept. 1617,
8. vii. Mary, bapt. 25 Dec. 1618, bur. 2 Mar. 1628/9,
9. viii. Rebecca, bapt. 15 Apr. 1621, d. Guilford, Conn., bef. 11 Feb. 1646/7, m. at Guilford, abt. 1646, John Lord, b. abt. 1625, son of Thomas, an original proprietor of Hartford, Ct., and his wife, Dorothy (Bird) Lord. Rebecca was prob. res. with her father at the time of his death (R-3-4). On 11 Feb. 1647, John Lord presented to the Court, such items of the est. of Francis Bushnell, "ye elder, as were remaining in ye hands of Rebecca at the time of her decease" (R-5), and later sold the lands to John Fowler. He m. 2nd, Adrean Baysey, or Basey of Hartford (R-4), but left her and went to Virginia where he settled on a farm. In a letter to his nephew, William Richard Lord, of Hartford, dated Apomatx (Appomattox) 20 Feb. 1663, he says he is raising Tobacco, Barley, etc. (R-3), (see also Va. Mag. of Hist. and Biog., Vol. 1, p. 200).

10*. ix. Richard, bapt. 20 Apr. 1623,
11. x. Sarah, bapt. 20 Nov. 1625, d. Halstead, co. Kent, Eng. 1 Nov. 1693, m. Guilford, 14 July 1642, Rev. John Hoadley, b. Eng. Jan. 1616, d. Rolvenden, co. Kent, Eng. 28 June 1668. Both came to America in the ship St. John, in 1639, and he was one of the signers of the Guilford Covenant, and one of the first "Pillars" of the first ch. at Guilford (R-6). In 1653 he ret. to Eng. where his wife and ch. followed in 1655, and was appointed Court Chaplain to Oliver Cromwell's garrison at Edinburgh Castle. They had 7 children while at Guilford, and 3 more at Edinburgh Castle. In 1662 he rem. to Rolvenden where 2 more ch. were b. making 12 in all, but their posterity in the male lines became extinct in 1776 by the death of John Hoadley, LL.D. Chancellor of the Diocese of Winchester.

Children, 7, only those b. Guilford listed (R-6):

11. i. Samuel Hoadley, b. 30 Sept. 1643; went to Edinburgh and in 1659 attended King James Coll. He was the father of Benjamin Hoadley (1676-1761), who was successively Bishop of Bangor, Hereford, Salisbury, and Winchester, and the first native of Connecticut who wrote and published a book. He had a brother John (1678-1746), who was successively Bishop of Leighton, and Ferns; Arch-Bishop of Dublin and of Armagh.

11. ii. John Hoadley, b. 3 Jan., d. 14 Mar. 1645,
11. iii. John Hoadley, b. June 1647, d. in infancy,
11. iv. Athia Hoadley, b. 7 June 1648, d. Rolvenden, 27 Mar. 1664, where the name is rec'd as Alicia,

11. v. John Hoadley, b. 8 Apr. 1650, who became Rector of Halstead and Vicar of Noocholt,
11. vi. Nathaniel Hoadley, b. 7 June 1652, d. 15 Feb. 1657
11. vii. Stephen Hoadley, b. May 1654, d. ae. 3 weeks.
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SECOND GENERATION IN AMERICA


Edmond Bushnell and his wife, Martha Hallor, are last referred to in the Horsham Register under the date of bur. of their fourth child, Francis (R-1), and abt. four months later we find them in London on the eve of their departure in the True Love for New England, he bearing two letters addressed to John Winthrop, Jr., son of Gov. Winthrop, in both of which he is highly recommended (R-13). Hotton, In his lists of emigrants to America (R-14), does not include them as passengers, but as the vessel was delayed for two days, it is evident that other passengers were taken on, other than those listed.

Soon after their arrival in Boston, he received a grant of land (R-8) under the Act of Nov. 1635, which required that a house be built thereon before the 1st March, following, but it is probable that he went into the service of Gov. Winthrop at once, as this land grant was cancelled 21 Mar. 1635/6 (R-8), and seven days later he d. at Ten Hills Farm (R-2), leaving a widow, son and daughter, and another daughter who was born some three months later. The Governor, in a letter to his son, John, then on an expedition to the mouth of the Connecticut River, refers to his death and calls him "Goodman Bushnell" (R-2), and in another letter states, "I had him down to Boston to do him what honor I could at his burial." (R-2).

On 25 Jan. 1636/7 his widow, Martha, received a grant of land in Boston for a house and garden (R-8), and on 19 Feb. 1637/8 (R-8) was granted "for fyve heads," a tract of land at Mt. Woolaston for a farm. She was adm. to the 1st. ch. of Boston, 3 Feb. 1638/9 (R-8-17) and two weeks later, on the 17th, presented her daughter, Mary, for bapt. (R-4).

She m. 2nd, as his 2nd wife, Ensign William Beamsley, an Innkeeper and distiller, and a Member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston (R-11) and had by him a. dau. Abigail, b. 8 Feb. 1646, bapt. 8 Feb. 1648/9, who provably d.y. (R-12). He d. 29 Sept. 1658 (R-4), and in his will, dated 14 Sept. 1658 (R-3-15), he named his wid.; his children by his first wife, and his widows children by his 1st husband, Edward Bushnell, Elizabeth Page, and Mary Robinson, but left his property to his widow, which at her death was to be sold and the proceeds divided among all his children. She deposed to the Inv. 8 Oct. 1658 (R-3), which was probated the 15th following. On 26 Jan. 1662/3, wid. Beamsley applied for a license for "stilling strong watters and retailing of the same, considering it hath ben a former imployment of her family releafe" (R-16), which was granted, 12 June 1663.

She probably d. just prior to 16 Nov. 1668, as on this date Edward Bushnell and all his sisters and step-sisters, with their husbands, sold the homestead in Boston to Key Alsop, and all signed the deed except Edward Bushnell, Thomas Dennis (the then husband of Mary Robinson), and Mary and Andrew Peters or Peterson, who had disposed of their interests to their brother-in-law.
Samuel Graves (R-10). This property was opposite the landing docks where the ships from overseas unloaded, and adjoining it was the property of Edward Page (R-10).

Children, 5, (R-1-2-3-4):
13. i. Edmond, bapt. 16 Sept. 1628, bur. 27 Jan. 1628/9,
14*. ii. Edward, bapt. 10 Dec. 1629,
15. iii. Elizabeth, bapt. 2 Apr. 1632, came with her parents to America in 1635, m. abt, 1652, Edward Page (R-3-9), a Cooper, of Boston Mass. Their home was next to that of Ensign William Beamsley (R-10).

Children, 7, all b. Boston, Mass. (R-4):
15. i. Elizabeth Page, d. 19 Nov. 1653,
15. ii. Sarah Page, b. 13 Apr. 1656,
15. iii. Edward Page, b. 20 Mar. 1658, d. 16 Aug. 1693, m. Abiel ( ), who after his death, m. Cornelius Loreson (R-5). Children, 3: i. Abiel Page, b. 5 Mar. 1682, m. 18 June 1705, Cornelius Loreson (R-6); ii. Jonathan Page, b. 20 July 1685; iii. Edward Page, b. 11 Aug. 1688, m. 17 May 1711, Ruth Jepson, and had 10 children. (R-5-6):
15. iv. Jonathan Page, b. 31 July 1660,
15. v. Paul Page, b. 2 May 1663
15. vi. Elizabeth Page, b. 12 Sept. 1666, m. 28 Dec. 1698, John Simpkins (R-4),
15. vii. Humility Page, b. 7 Jan. 1672.
16. iv. Francis, bapt. 16 Mar. 1633/4, bur. Horsham 5 May 1635 (R-1). (The record of his burial is the last Bushnell record in the Horsham Registers for some 40 years).
17. v. Mary, b. prob. at Ten Hills Farm, abt. June 1636 (R-2), bapt. Boston, Mass. 17 Feb. 1638/9 (R-3), m. (by Gov. John Endicott) 3 Oct. 1657, George Robinson (R-4), a Carver of Boston, and a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, who prob. d. bef. 28 July 1667, when "James, son of sister Robinson," was bapt. (R-4). She m. 2nd, bef. 16 Nov. 1668, (when the Beamsley heirs gave deed to Key Alsop (R-10), Thomas Dennis, who is not later referred to unless he be the one whose name appears on the Boston Tax List of 1674, or of Maine and New Hampshire. No record of his children is known.

Children, 4 (R-7):
17. ii. John Robinson, b. 1661, m. Mary ( ), Children, 2: i. Mary Robinson, b. 30 Oct. 1693; ii. E___ Robinson, b. 27 Oct. 1696,
17. iii. Martha Robinson, b. 31 Mar. 1665,
17. iv. James Robinson, bapt. 28 July 1667 (R-4).
Francis, bapt. Horsham, co. Sussex, Eng. 8 Jan. 1608/9, d. Saybrook, Conn. 4 Dec. 1681 (R-12-18), m. Horsham, 27 June 1631, Mary Grombridge (or Groombridge or Grumbridge), bapt. Horsham, 7 Jan. 1605/6, d. after 1648/9, perhaps dau. of Thomas and Anne (Ive) Grombridge (R-1). Birth sequence of their children is assumed except the first and second, who were born in Horsham; he m. 2nd before 1660, Grace (Wells) Norton, widow of Thomas Norton, of Guilford, Conn. (R-21);

Francis Bushnell and his wife Mary both ae. 26, and dau. Elizabeth, ae. 1 yr. (Hotten lists of Emigrants errs in the age of his wife and calls the dau. Martha) embarked in the Planter bound for New England in Apr. 1635 (R-14). He was a carpenter, and probably settled first at Salem, Mass. where on 8 Feb. 1637 he was granted a tract of land of 24 acres at Muddy River (R-27). There must have been six in his family, for these lots at Muddy River, were granted according to the number of heads in the family ("those that face the river between the foot of the hill and the river, four acres upon a head and those that are further off, to have five acres upon a head."). We can account for four heads: himself, his wife, dau. Elizabeth, and perhaps Martha. For the other two we assume that his brothers William and Richard had come with him, and were living under his roof at that time. He was received as an inhabitant of Salem, 15 Apr. 1639 (R-27), but it is evident that he at least (the family legend is that the three brothers came together), removed to Guilford, Conn. before their father's death in 1646, as in the prob. of his father's will, his father is referred to as "Francis Bushnell ye elder" and in the inv. of the est. of his sister Rebecca Lord, presented by John Lord, her husband, to the Court 11 Feb. 1647 their father is again referred to as "Francis Bushnell ye elder."

After the death of Thomas Horton, the town miller, the Guilford Court, on 22 May 1648, proposed that Francis take charge of the mill, and this he agreed to do provided that he receive the same toll as the former miller and that he be exempt from training (military), but to this the Court would not agree, however, it is probable that he did continue the operation of the mill for awhile. In Nov. 1648 a suit was filed by Thomas Jones against Goodwife Bushnell, for damage done to his corn by her hogs (R-28), and this must have been about the time he was contemplating removal to Saybrook, for in 1648/9 he had 200 acres of land in the Oyster River quarter there, although according to Steiner he did not go there a until 1659/60. It is not known when his wife died, but it is evident she was living at this date.

The first list of the names of the planters of Guilford was as late as 1650 in which his name appears, and it was in this same year that he signed the Guilford Covenant. On 29 May 1653 he, with two others, appraised a pair of cart wheels for the settlement of a debt owed by William Waller.

In 1658 Goodman Bushnell was called upon to inspect the New Haven mill and dam, and to advise as to desirable changes and repairs (R-28) and at a meeting of the General Court held at New Haven 28 Feb. 1658 It was declared that "ye committee have taken ye advise of Goodman Bushnell as to repairs and improvements of the dam and facilities (R-29)". Whether he was then of Guilford or Saybrook has not been determined, but he was certainly of Saybrook in 1660 when his step-dau. Mary Norton,
"of Saybrook" (p 61, Windsor Mss. Town Clerks Office, Windsor, Conn.) m. on 7 Apr. or that year, Samuel Rockwell (R-30), also land was conveyed to him there by William Hide on 7 Oct. 1660, while on 17 Oct. 1661, he, with two others, inv. the est. of Greenfield Larrabe, and in the corn mill agreement, dated 28 Oct. 1662 (vide), the opening sentence states, "Whereas there hath been for several years an agreement and covenant -- between, the. Town of Saybrook -- and Francis Bushnell -- etc."

It would seem that prior to 1660 his first wife had died and he had later m. as his 2nd wife Grace (Wells) Norton, wid. of Thomas Norton of Guilford, who had been a ch. warden in Ockley, co. Sussex, Eng. when he m. Grace Wells in 1625, and who came to America in 1639 (Atwaters Hist. of the Colony of New Haven 1902, p. 634), for in John Winthrop's Medical Journal (R-21) under date of 13 Nov. 1666, it is recorded, "Rockwell, Samuel. His wife of Winsor, the other side of the great river. She is Francis Bushnell's dau. of Saybrooke." and on p. 912, under date of 12 Feb. 1669, "Bushnell, Grace, wife of Francis of Saybrooke."

On 4 July 1665, the Mohigan Indians through their Sachem, confirmed the former grant for the plantation of Saybrook, and granted further lands, the whole being 8 miles in breadth and 12 miles in length, to the said inhabitants "according as my loving friends Robert Chapman, William Post, Francis Bushnell, Robert Lay, William Bushnell, and Abram Post shall so cause to dispose of them," (R-20)

While there may be further details of his life in the Guilford and Saybrook records, which would be of interest, we only know that in 1666 he with Thomas Dunk inv. the estate of Thomas Carmichael, and that on 21 Apr. 1668, he, with William Chapman and Mr. Westoll, measured the stone pits.

After his removal from Guilford he deeded his home there to his son-in-law William Johnson, and after his death in 1681, his farm in Saybrook went to his son-in-law Samuel Jones. For years he was a Deacon in the Saybrook church and under the will of Uncas, an Indian Chief, dated 29 Apr. 1684, he was devised 3000, acres of land. The statements that he came to America from Thatcham (R-31), co. Berks, Eng. and settled in Norwalk (R-9-31), are erroneous, and it is unfortunate that these and other misstatement of fact by other writers on Bushnell history have, been so widely copied. (R-28)

Children, 8, (R-1-12):

18. i. Mary, bapt. 20 Apr. 1632, bur; 17 June 1634,

19. ii. Elizabeth, bapt. 2 Feb. 1633/4, d. Guilford, Conn. 26 Apr. 1672, m.

Children, 12, (R-12):

19. i. Anna Johnson, b. 1652,

19. ii. Hannah Johnson, b. 1654,

19. iii. Elizabeth Johnson, b. 1655,
19. iv. Mary Johnson, b. 1656/7, m. Guilford, Conn. 2 Dec. 1676, Thomas Stone. She was a grand-aunt of Gov. Thomas Chittenden of Vermont, and the mother of Dorothy Stone (21) who m. Ebenezer Ingham (vide).

19. v. Sarah Johnson, b. 1658,

19. vi. Martha Johnson, b. 1659,

19. vii. Daniel Johnson, who d.y.,

19. viii. Abigail Johnson, b. 1661,

19. ix. Mercy Johnson, b. 1665,

19. x. Sarah Johnson, b. 1667,

19. xi. Samuel Johnson, b. 1670, was the father of the celebrated minister, Dr. Samuel Johnson, who is regarded by many as the father of Episcopacy in Connecticut, and who was the first President of Kings, now Columbia University. His son, William Johnson, b. Stratford, Conn. 7 Oct. 1727, was a leading lawyer, Judge of the Supreme Court, a Representative from Connecticut to the Federal Convention of 1787, and author of the Federal Judiciary system (R-20).

19. xii. Nathaniel Johnson, b. 1672.

20. iii. Martha, b. Salem (?), Mass. abt. 1637, m. Saybrook, Conn. 1 Jan. 1666 Jonathan Smith, of Wethersfield, Conn. (R-12). Savage says they moved to Middletown, Conn. (R-9), but they were in Wethersfield on 14 Jan. 1689.

Children, 3:

20. i. Mary Smith,

20. ii. Samuel Smith,

20. iii. Martha Smith, probably others.


Children, 2:

21. i. Joseph Ingham, b. 20 Aug. 1656, m. Mary Atwell, Children, 4: i. Samuel Ingham, m. 3 Nov. 1686, Rebekah Williams; ii. Susannah Ingham; iii. John Ingham; iv. Ebenezer Ingham, who d. 20 May 1746, m. 9 July 1707, Dorothy Stone (19), dau. of Thomas and Mary (Johnson) Stone and gt-gr-dau. of Francis (3) and Mary (Grombridge) Bushnell. Children, 3: i. Ebenezer Ingham, b. 10 Nov. 1712, d. 8 Aug. 1783, m. 18 Aug. 1737, Elizabeth Stannard and had son, i. William Ingham, who m. Jemima (377), dau. of Hezekiah (163) and Jemima (Chalker) Bushnell; ii. Dorothy Ingham, who d. aft. 5 Mar. 1785, m. Ebenezer (63), son of Samuel (27) and Priscilla (Pratt) Bushnell; iii. Sarah Ingham, b. 10 Mar. 1715/16, d. 13 Mar. 1817, m. Nehemiah (160), son of William (69) and Catherine (Jordan) Bushnell.

21. ii. Sarah Ingham, b. 20 Aug. 1656, d. 11 Sept. 1687, m. 23 Sept. 1688, as his 2nd wife Abraham Chalker (R-12-18), son of Alexander and Kateren (Post) Chalker; children, 1, i. Abraham Chalker, b. 1, d. 16 Sept. 1687.

22*. v. John, b. Guilford, (?) Conn. abt. 1641,

23. vi. Mary, b. Guilford (?), Conn. abt. 1643, d. abt. 1727, m. Guilford, Conn. 1 Jan. or June 1666, Capt. Samuel Jones (R-12-18), who d. 1704, son of Thomas Jones, who was one of the pioneer settlers of the Guilford Colony, and whose name appears sixth on the Guilford Covenant. After their marriage, they rem. to Saybrook, and it is stated that he saw service in the Colonial Wars.

Children, 7, (R-9-18):
23. i. Samuel Jones, b. middle of Nov. 1667, m. Deborah Sanford.

23. ii. Mary Jones, b. 3 Dec. 1670, m. 11 Dec. 1690, John Parker (R-12), b. 6 Oct. 1667, d. Norwich, Conn. 24 Dec. 1709, son of Lt. John and Mary (Buckingham) Parker. Children, 7, (R-18): i. Nathaniel Parker, b. 2 Oct. 1691, d. 6 July 1742, m. Sarah Buckingham, and had 3 children who d.y; ii. Mary Parker, b. 20 Nov. 1693, m. Thomas Buckingham; iii. John Parker, b. 11 Mar. 1696, m. 1st, 8 May 1723, Mary Chapman, m. 2nd, Elizabeth Dunk; iv. Deborah Parker, b. 24 Dec. 1698, d. 19 Nov. 1700; v. Jemima Parker, b. 18 Aug. 1701; vi. Deborah Parker, b. 12 May 1704; vii. Marjorie Parker, b. 14 July 1708.

23. iii. Martha Jones, b. 18 Jan. 1672, m. 1st, ( ) Whittlesey, m. 2nd, Lt. Samuel Comstock.

23. iv. Thomas Jones,

23. v. John Jones,

23. vi. Caleb Jones, m. 23 May 1725, Rachel Clark of Farmington, Conn.

23. vii. Sarah Jones.

24. vii. Hannah, b. Guilford (?) Conn. abt. 1645, m. abt. 1668, Dea. Stephen Hosmer (R-23), b. 1645, d. Northampton, Mass. 4 Nov. 1693, son of Thomas and Frances ( ) Hosmer of Hartford, Conn. His will was dated 3 Nov. 1693. Children, 8, (R-23-24):

24. i. Hannah Hosmer, b. 1670/1, d. Hebron, Conn. 25 Jan. 1751, m. 14 June 1693, Stephen (or Steven) Post, b. 3 Dec. 1664, d. Hebron, 16 May 1752, son of Abraham and Mary (Jordan) Post. They rem. to Hebron abt. 1710 (R-22). Children, 11: i. Hannah Post, b. 27 Mar. 1693, m. 1st, David Barber, m. 2nd, Rev. John Bliss, m. 3rd, Benoni Trumbull; ii. Stephen Post, b. 5 Sept. 1695, m. 1st, Mary Danner, m. 2nd, Desire Eaton; iii. Mary Post, b. 15 Mar. 1697, m. Hezekiah Hutchinson; iv. Hester Post, b. 1699, m. Opediah Durham; v. Thomas Post, b. 10 Feb. 1701, m. 1 July 1739, Dinah Brown, their son i. Joel Post, m. Sarah (121) Bushnell of Hebron, Conn. (R-22), dau. Daniel (60) and Sarah (Post) Bushnell; vi. Gideon Post, b. 1703, m. Mary Chase; vii. Phineas Post, b. 1704, m. Anne Post; viii. Sibyl Post, b. 10 Oct. 1706, m. William Buell; ix. Dorothy Post, b. Jan. 1708, m. Ebenezer Platt; x. Israel Post, b. May 1709, m. Phebe ( ); xi. Rachel Post, b. 25 Sept. 1713, m. Benjamin Bissell,

24. ii. Dorothy Hosmer, b. 1674, m. John Skinner,

24. iii. Thomas Hosmer, b. 1675, d. 1723, m. 14 Dec. 1700, Ann Prentice,

24. iv. Stephen Hosmer, (Rev.), b. 1679, d. 1749, m. Sarah Long,


24. vi. Mary Hosmer, b. 1684 m. Nicholas Olmstead,

24. vii. Deborah Hosmer, b. 1687, m. Richard Olmstead,

24. viii. Clemence Hosmer, b. 1691, m. Nathaniel Olmstead,

25. viii. Samuel, bapt. abt. 1647, d. Saybrook, Conn. 14 Dec. 1689 (R-26), m. 1st, it is believed, Susannah Waddams (R-25), wid. of John Waddams, Sr. of Wethersfield, Conn. whose will was
dated 19 Jan. 1676/7. She d. at Saybrook, 18 Aug. 1683, and inv. of her est. taken 4 Sept. 1683, by Nathaniel Chapman and John Bushnell, shows that there was £20 in the hands of Samuel Bushnell. Her son John Waddams, Jr. was the sole legatee. Her nunc. will was testified to by William Bushnell and Samuel Bushnell. He m. 2nd, 17 Apr. 1684, Ruth Sanford (R-12), b. 1659, the stately dau. of Zachery Sanford of Saybrook. There were probably no children. The inv. of his est. taken the day of his death mentions his next of kin, Mary Jones, Martha Smith, and Hannah Hosmer and shows a total valuation of £411-2s-3p. The estate was not finally settled until after 4 Oct. 1705.


William Bushnell, it in inferred, came to New England with his brothers Francis and Richard, and for a few years res. at Salem, Mass. and prob. rem. to Guilford, Conn. before their father's deaths, all coming together. He was a carpenter and soon rem. to Saybrook where his services were much needed.

According to family tradition he built the first meeting house in Saybrook abt. 1646 and by record, he built the second. The records also show that he received 6s. for mending the drum that called the people to worship and to town meetings, and 10s-6d. for making pikes for the soldiers (R-28).

On 12 Sept. 1652, Daniel Sledd of London, Eng. exec. of the est. of his father, William Sledd, dec'd, authorized his uncle John Leigh of Ipswich, Mass. to collect a debt from William Bushnell of Guilford, in New England, sadler, for goods bought of his father; this debt was still claimed on 5 Oct. 1666 when Peter Blanchford of New London was empowered to make the collection (R-28), William being then of Saybrook. He was also mentioned in the will of Bozone Allen of Boston, Mass.

In 1659/60 he was collector of the town rate, and on 3 Oct. 1661 was appointed Ensign of the train band (militia) (R-37), and served in that capacity during the Indian wars. In 1663 he took the Inv. of the est. of Joseph Clark and on 4 July 1665, Robert Chapman, William Post, Francis Bushnell, Robert Lay, William Bushnell, and Abram Post, representing the inhabitants of Saybrook entered into an agreement with the Mohigan Indians, whereby additional lands were acquired by the town, and the former grants confirmed (vide).

On 3 Nov. 1669, he sold two acres of his pasture to Abraham Post for a home lot, and on 12 May 1670 was appointed Deputy (R-37) to the General Court. In 1673 he was a leather sealer; 1675 lister, 1677 townsman; and 1681 lister to rate all taxable lands, on 12 May 1679 he was appointed Lt. of the train band, and on 22 of the same month was one of four to draw up a plea.

On 4 Sept. 1672, Thomas Adgate who had married his brother 'Richard's widow, sold (R-38) a tract of land in Saybrook to "brother William Bushnell," and in Aug. 1683 he testified to the nunc. will of Sussannah Waddams and two months later died on 12 Nov. 1683. By the will of Uncas, Sachem of the Mohigans, dated 29 Apr. 1684, 1500 acres of land was devised to him.
The Inv. of his est. was presented to the New London Court (R-35) on 24 Nov. 1683 and adm. was granted to his eldest sons Joshua and Samuel until the next term of court in Sept. when William Dudley was appointed. At that time a dist. was ordered to the ch. and all of his dau's were named by their marriage names, except Lydia Seward. On 4 May 1698, in another record concerning his estate, the names of his sons Joshua, Samuel, William, and Thomas were given, and on 2 June 1710, Robert Chapman and John Clark were called upon to pass Judgement on the value of a 1500 acre tract of land in Hebron, by Samuel Bushnell, only surviving adm. of the estate of his father, Lt. William Bushnell of Saybrook, dec'd, naming the surviving heirs as Samuel, William, Thomas, Daniel, Rebecca Hand, Judith Seward, Abigail Seward, and Lydia Seward.

It is interesting to note that for nearly 200 years, Westbrook, a parish of Saybrook, was not without a William Bushnell.

Children, 11 (R-18):

26*. i. Joshua, b. 6 May 1644,
27*. ii. Samuel, b. Sept. 1645,
28. iii. Rebecca, b. 5 Oct. 1646, d. bef. Nov. 1713, m. John Hand, of Guilford, Conn.
29*. iv. William, b. 15 Feb. 1658/9,
30*. v. Francis, b. 6 Jan. 1649/50,
31. vi. Stephen (Twin), b. 4 Jan. 1653 d. 1 Aug. 1727, unmarried. On 7 Feb. 1678, he was granted (R-33) five acres of land by the town of Saybrook for his services in the Indian Wars.
32. vii. Thomas (Twin), b. 4 Jan. 1653, d. 11 July 1713. The inv. of his est. taken by John Chalker, Nathaniel Chapman, and Abraham Chalker, 18 Nov. 1713, to which Samuel and Stephen Bushnell made oath that the inv. was true (R-34), included lands and property of a householder but nothing shows that he had a wife or family. His brother Samuel was app. adm. of his est. but was too aged and infirm to complete its settlement. His sister Lydia Seward was then app. but declined on account of her age, and Nathaniel Bushnell then presented an inv. On behalf of his father Samuel Bushnell, which was accepted by the Court. His legatees were his brothers and sisters and the family of Lt. William Bushnell and Rebecca (Chapman) Bushnell, but Joshua and Francis Bushnell, and Rebecca Hand, wife of John Hand, were deceased (R-34). It is possible the it was he who m. Susannah Waddams instead of his cousin Samuel Bushnell, but the fact that Samuel had £20 of her estate in his possession leads us to believe that the m. is correctly allocated.

Children, 9:

33. i. Joseph Seward,
33. ii. Judith Seward,
33. iii. Mary Seward,
33. iv. Joseph Seward,
33. v. Mary Seward,  
33. vi. Patience Seward,  
33. vii. Nathaniel Seward,  
33. viii. Ann Seward,  
33. ix. Samuel Seward, b. 5 Aug. 1690, d. 17 May 1759, m. Rebecca Rossiter,  

34. ix. Daniel, d. Feb. 1727/8. On 2 June 1710, Robert Chapman and John Clark were appointed to pass judgement on the value of a 1500 acre right (of land), in Hebron, Conn. by Samuel Bushnell, only surviving Adm. of the est. of his father, Lt. William Bushnell, of Saybrook, dec'd. The surviving children as named were; Sam'll, William, Stephen, Tho's, Daniel, Rebecca Hand, Judith Seward, Abigail Seward, and Lydia Seward (R-35) (no other record has been submitted where Daniel is mentioned as a son of Lt. William Bushnell. The date of death is given by a correspondent, but no auth. was given).  

35. x. Abigail, b. Feb. 1659/60, d. 30 June 1750, m. 25 June 1679, Capt. John Seward brother of Dr. Joseph Seward above. Her tombstone is at the west side of the 1st. ch. in Guilford.  

Children, 9:  
35. i. Abigail Seward, b. 25 Nov. 1680,  
35. ii. John Seward, b. 31 Aug. 1682,  
35. iii. Dea. William Seward, b. 25 Mar. 1683/4, d. 51 May 1764, m. 19 Sept. 1710, Damaris Punderson, dau. of Dea. John and Damaris (Atwater) Punderson; Children, 4: i. Rev. William Seward; ii. Mary Seward; iii. Damaris Seward; iv. David Seward, b. 23 June 1714, m. Elizabeth (110), dau. of Joshua (54) and Elizabeth (Hanley) Bushnell.  
35. iv. Hezekiah Seward,  
35. v. Abigail Seward, b. 11 Dec. 1687,  
35. vi. Daniel Seward, b. 8 Apr. 1689,  
35. vii. Deborah Seward, b. 5 Oct. 1694, m. 1st, David Bishop; Children, 1: Chloe Bishop who m. Hanley (113), son of Joshua (54) and Elizabeth (Hanley) Bushnell,  
35. viii. Jedediah Seward, b. 25 Oct. 1696,  
35. ix. Temperance Seward, b. 1698, m. Nathaniel (61), son of Samuel (27) and Patience (Rudd) Bushnell.  

36. xi. Lydia, b. 1661p d. Durham, Conn. 24 Aug. 1753, m. 14 July 1686, Caleb Seward, bro. of Dr. Joseph and John above, b. 14 Mar. 1662, d. 1 Aug. 1728. They settled in Coging Chan (Indian name for Long Swan), now Durham, Conn. where he was the first town clerk, and represented the town in the General Assembly for the first fifteen sessions. He d. in his 65th year.  

Children, 7:  
36. i. Daniel Seward, b. 16 Oct. 1687, d. 28 Apr. 1688,  
36. ii. Lydia Seward, b. 22 May 1689,  
36. iii. Caleb Seward, b. 2 Jan. 1681, d. 4 July 1769, m. Jan. 1713 Sarah Carr, who d. 1746,  
36. iv. Thomas Seward,  
36. v. Noahdiah Seward,  
36. vi. Ephriam Seward, b. 6 Aug. 1700, 1st ch. b. there,  
36. vii. Ebenezer Seward, b. 7 Jan. 1703, 2nd ch. b. in Durham, Conn. 

Abstract of a Durham Record: "To all people ... that we Joseph Seward and Caleb Seward of Durham ... with the
concent of our wives Judith ye wife of Joseph ... and Lydia ye wife of Caleb ... for and in consideration of ... a 2/3 part of a 500 acre right of land in Hebron, sd. right being a part of a right ... granted by Joshua, Sachem, son of Uncas, Sachem of the Mohigans, to our honored father, William Bushnell of Saybrook ...," dated 12 June 1710 (R-23).


John Bushnell, erroneously stated to have been the father of all the Bushnell emigrants, was a glazier and embarked from the Port of London, Eng. in the spring of 1635 in the ship Hopewell (R-14). He first settled at Salem, Mass, where he on 25 Dec. 1637 had a land/grant for three heads or less (R-27). On the 15 Jan. 1637/8 he was paid 7s. 4d. for glassing the meeting house windows, and a year later, on 15 Apr. 1639, was received as a member of the town, where three months later, on 15 Apr. he made application for a land grant (R-27).

Nothing further is known of him until he appears in Boston, where on 1 Feb. 1648/9 he made a sale of merchandise to Francis Knight of Pemaquid, N.H. for which he was to be paid in beaver skins witnessed by a note, "I, ffrancis Knight of Pemaquid ... to pay ... John Bushnell of Boston ... £4-15s-3d ... on demand in beaver skins ... as witness my hand this 1 ffeb 1648." (R-38)

On 10 Dec. 1650 he appears as a witness in Boston (R-12), at which time he was aged about 40, and, about 1655 he bought a piece of property on Dock Square, 13 1/2 ft. wide and 50 ft. deep, near Bendalls Dock, on the site of the present 3 and 4 Dock Square, in sight of the famous Faneuil Hall, where he built a small house which about 1752, was torn down to make room for a larger building to be erected on this and adjoining property, having stood nearly a century.

On 29 Dec. 1657 he and a Mr. Glover were granted permission (R-12) to solicit funds for the repair of the town pump and well, and in the will of John Ruggles, whose est. was inv. 20 Sept. 1658, he is mentioned as "Glazier Bushnell" due for glass; he is also mentioned in the will of Robert Buttoms.

He d. 5 Aug. 1667, and his inv. taken in the same month totaled £24-1s-2d, his homestead being valued at £140, the balance, being personal property. Adm. was granted to his wid. but she had rem. from the jurisdiction of the Court soon after his death, having gone to Saybrook, Conn. (R-12), where on 14 Apr. 1670, she m. John Hill. She took her youngest son, William, with her, who d. there 31 Aug. 1684 (R-18), but evidently left her other children in Boston, where the town records show an order to Goodwife Alexander to deliver the ch. of Wid. Bushnell to Hope Allen, to relieve the town from charge thereby (R-40).

On 14 Sept. 1685, a second adm. was granted to his son John, then of full age for himself, his sister, and the child of a dec'd sister (R-15). John Bushnell, the father, must have changed his occupation some time before his death, for William Sewell (or Seweall), in his diary, commenting on the action of the court, under date, "Monday, 14 Dec. 1685" writes, "Something of Bushnell the barber relating to his estate was now done. He died in 1667, about the same time as Mr. Wilson did as I remember." (R-12) The son
John also calls his father a barber in his deed to Sampson Stoddard for the property on Dock Square, "I, John Bushnell, of Boston, cordwainer, the only son of John Bushnell, once of Boston, barber, dec'd. and guardian of Sarah Covell, the dau. of Richard Covell by Sarah his wife, and Richard English of the same place, butcher; and I, Jane his wife, dau. of the said John Bushnell, dec'd (R-10)... convey to Sampson Stoddard, the house and land of John Bushnell dec'd." The births of all the children of John and Jane Bushnell are shown in the Boston Records, except that of his son John, adm. of his estate.

Children, 7:

37. i. Dorothy, b. 19 Feb. 1651/2, prob. d. y,

38. ii. Sarah, b. 24 Mar. 1654/5, d. bef. 1685, m. Richard Covell of Boston, Mass. sometimes called Crowe, Crouell, Crowell, etc. The will of Col. William Crowe (R-12), dated 24 Dec. 1682, devises to Sarah Covell, "My bedding and appurtenances thereof if she continue with me till I dye, ... and for her babe Dorothy I give her 10s. in money ... and also her dau. Sarah the like..." Her receipt for these bequests is dated 24 Feb. 1682/3.

Children, 2: (R-12):

38. i. Sarah Covell, b. 21 Oct. 1677, m. Thomas Colesworthy, son of Gilbert and Frances Colesworthy, b. Boston, Mass, 14 June 1680, d. there, 23 Nov. 1739, ae. 60. His gravestone, with that of his wife, is still standing in the Granary Yard in Boston; Children, 8: (R-12): i. Samuel Colesworthy, b. 25 Oct. 1704, m. Hannah Emmes; ii. Sarah Colesworthy, b. 26 Sept. 1706, m. John Cushing; iii. Mary Colesworthy, b. 12 Sept. 1710, m. Abraham Gybert; iv. Thomas Colesworthy, b. 28 Oct. 1712; v. Elizabeth Colesworthy, b. 15 May 1715, m. Benjamin Varney; vi. Abigail Colesworthy, b. 18 Feb. 1717; vii. Thomas Colesworthy, b. 10 July 1719; viii. Gilbert Colesworthy, b. 16 June 1721, m. Mary Waldo,

38. ii. Dorothy Covell, d. bef. 1685,

39. iii. Elizabeth, b. 30 Aug. 1657, d. Boston, 17 Apr. 1662,

40. iv. John, b. 19 Jan. 1658/9, d. Boston, 17 Apr. 1662,

41. v. Jane, b. 18 Dec. 1662, m. Richard English, of Boston, a butcher (R-6).

Children, 1:

41. i. Christopher English, b. 27 Jan. 1681/2, or 1687, and perhaps others but record not found.

42*. vi. John, b. abt. 1684,

43. vii. William, b. 28 June 1666, d. Saybrook, Conn. 31 Aug. 1684,

*10. Richard, bapt. Horsham, co. Sussex, Eng. 20 Apr. 1623 (R-1), d. perhaps at Saybrook or Norwalk, Conn. between 1 Dec. 1659, the date of his will, and 17 July 1660, the date of inv. of his est.; m. (R-44) Hartford, Conn. 11 Oct. 1648, Mary Marvin, bapt. (R-12), Great Bentley, Eng. 16 Dec. 1628, d. Norwich Conn. 29 May 1713, dau. of Matthew and Elizabeth Marvin (R-42). She m. 2nd, Dea. Thomas Adgate of Saybrook, Conn. and soon after moved to the new settlement at Norwich, Conn. where he d. 21 July 1727; both were interred in the old Burying Ground, at Norwichtown, Conn. (R-43).
Richard Bushnell, if our surmise is correct, came to New England with his brothers Francis and William in 1635 when he was about 12 or 13 years old. It is probable that he res. with his bro. Francis in Salem, Mass. until their removal to Conn. when, by family tradition, they came by way of Long Island, but not, liking the place came over to Guilford. The statement that he was one of John Winthrop's garrison at Saybrook Fort (R-49), under Lyon Gardiner, during the Pequot War, fixes the date of the arrival of these brothers in Conn. at a somewhat earlier date than has been assigned by other commentators. He m. at Hartford, Conn. Mary Marvin, dau. of Matthew and Elizabeth ( ) Marvin, who with their family, came to New England in the ship Increase in 1635 and settled first at Hartford, but later rem. to Norwalk, Conn. (R-14), where about 1655 Richard Bushnell was granted a £200 lot next to that of his father-in-law (R-50). He d. either at Norwalk or Saybrook bet. the date of his will, 1 Dec. 1659 and the date of the inv. of his est. 17 July 1660. In his will he divides his est. between his wid. and his four children (2 girls and 2 boys), and requests as overseers Matthew Marvin, Nathaniel Richards, and Richard Olmstead. Wits. Alice (Kellogg) Marvin (2nd wife of Matthew Marvin) and James Cornish. His home lot in Norwalk was sold 22 Jan. 1674 to Robert Stewart (R-50). His widow , m. bef. 6 Mar. 1661/2, Dea. Thomas Adgate (R-12), who was app. adm. of his est. and shortly after the family rem. to the new settlement, at Norwich, Conn. Children, 4, (R-43):

44*. i. Joseph, b. 2 May 1651,

45*. ii. Richard, b. Sept. 1652,

46. iii. Mary, b. Jan. 1654, d. 2 Dec. 1745, m. Norwich, Conn. Sept. 1672, Ensign Thomas Leffingwell (R-45), b. Saybrook, Conn. 27 Aug. 1649 (R-18), d. Norwich, Conn. 5 Mar. 1723/4, son of Lt. Thomas and Mary (White) Leffingwell (R-44), rem. in 1660 with his father to Norwich and in 1671 was made a Freeman by the General Court at Hartford where later he was a Representative. In 1700 his house, located near that of his father became the ordinary of the town. At this period only the best of citizens were permitted to "entertain" strangers. It was also one of the places where ammunition was stored for emergencies. At his death his est. was valued at £9793 9s 11d: Miss Caulkins in her History of Norwich (R-45) says, "it is doubtful whether any other ext. in the town equalled this in value." As late as 1896 their tombstones were still standing in the Old Burying Ground at Norwich.

Children, 9: (R-44):

46. i. Thomas Leffingwell, b. 11 Mar. 1674, d. 18 July 1733, m. 31 Mar. 1698, Lydia Tracy, b. 11 Oct. 1677, d. 1733. He was a cordwainer and merchant and had charge of the public house of the town. Children, 6: 1. Sarah Leffingwell, b.13 Feb. 1698/9, m. Dea. Ebenezer Huntington; ii. Hezekiah Leffingwell, b. 9 May 1702, d. 1725; iii. Thomas Leffingwell, b. 2 Feb. 1703/4, m. Elizabeth Lord; iv. Lydia Leffingwell, b. 28 July 1706, m. Capt. Ebenezer Lathrop; v. Zerviah Leffingwell, b. 31 May 1709, m. Eleazer Lord; vi. Samuel Leffingwell, b. Apr. 1722, m. 1st, Hannah Buck, m. 2nd, Sarah Russell, m. 3rd. Abigail Burnham.

46. ii. Elizabeth Leffingwell, b. Nov. 1676, d. 25 Oct. 1737, m. 10 May 1697, John Tracy, who d. 27 Mar. 1726, son of
John and Mary (Winslow) Tracy. Children, 7: i. Elizabeth Tracy, b. 6 Apr. 1698, m. Samuel Backus; ii. John Tracy, b. 27 June 1700, m. Margaret Hyde; iii. Hezekiah Tracy, b. 30 Aug. 1702; iv. Joshua Tracy, b. & d. 1705; v. Isaac Tracy, b. 25 May 1706, m. Elizabeth (208), dau. of Benajah (95) and Zerviah (Leffingwell) Bushnell; vi. Anne Tracy, b. 29 Nov. 1708, m. Richard Hyde; vii. Ruth Tracy, b. 13 Sept. 1711, m. Elijah Hyde,

46. iii. Anne Leffingwell, b. 25 Jan. 1680, m. Dr. Caleb (94), son of Richard (45) and Elizabeth (Adgate) Bushnell,

46. iv. Mary Leffingwell, b. 11 Mar. 1682, d. 22 Sept. 1770, m. 14 Jan. 1708, Simon Tracy, who d. 14 Sept. 1775, son of Solomon and Sarah (Huntington) Tracy, res. Norwich, Conn. Children, 5 grew to maturity: i. Simon Tracy, b. 17 Nov. 1710, d. 1793, m. 1st, 29 Dec. 1735, Elizabeth Hyde, m. 2nd, 23 Feb. 1744, Abigail (206), dau. of Dr. Caleb (94) and Anne (Leffingwell) Bushnell. ii. Sibyl Tracy, b. 8 Dec. 1712, m. 5 Nov. 1735, John Huntington; iii. Mary Tracy, m. 1749, as his 2nd wife, John Huntington, widower of her sister Sibyl Tracy; iv. Moses Tracy, b. 4 Oct. 1714, m. 25 July 1737, Sarah Leffingwell; v. Lydia Tracy, b. 12 Jan. 1719, m. 2 Oct. 1743, Capt. John Perkins, widower of Elizabeth (205), dau. of Dr. Caleb (94) and Anne (Leffingwell) Bushnell,

46. v. Zerviah Leffingwell, b. 17 Oct. 1686, m. Benajah (95), son of Richard (45) and Elizabeth (Adgate) Bushnell,

46. vi. Capt. John Leffingwell, b. 2 Feb. 1690, d. 16 Aug. 1775, m. 1st, 26 Sept. 1710, Sarah Abell, b. Feb. 1690, d. 9 May 1730, dau. of Joshua and his 2nd wife, Bethia (Gager) Abell. He m. 2nd, 17 Nov. 1730, Mary, dau. of Capt. John Hart, who came to Braintree, Mass. abt. 1625, and to Cambridge in 1632, thence to Hartford, Conn. with the Rev. Thomas Hooker, and thence to Farmington where he was one of the first settlers. (Bethia Gager, wife of Joshua Abell was dau. of John and Elizabeth (Gore?) (R-46) Gager, and gr-dau. of that Dr. William Gager who came to New England in 1630 with Gov. Winthrop. Elizabeth Gore has been erroneously reported as Elizabeth Bushnell). Children, 12: i. Elizabeth Leffingwell, b. 12 Dec. 1713, m. 1st, Ezra Hyde, son of William and Anne (93) (Bushnell) Hyde. She m. 2nd, Ebenezer Wallbridge; ii. Sarah Leffingwell, b. 27 Oct. 1718, m. Moses Tracy; iii. John Leffingwell, b. 7 Aug. 1721, m. Hannah Edgerton; iv. Mary Leffingwell, b. 6 Oct. 1723, m. David (189), son of Jonathan (84) and Mary (Calkins) Bushnell; v. Abigail Leffingwell, b. 3 Nov. 1725, m. Christopher Starr; vi. Lucy Leffingwell, b. 31 Aug. 1731, m. Benjamin Lord as his 2nd wife; vii. Hart Leffingwell, b. 27 Oct. 1733, m. Lucy Crow; viii. Ruth Leffingwell, b. 25 Oct. 1736, m. Thomas Adgate, Jr. who d. 3 Mar. 1777, she m. 2nd, a Dr. Haughton of Montville, Conn. under which name she appears in the dist. of her father's est; ix. Matthew Leffingwell, b. 28 Mar. 1739, m. Charity (423), dau. of Richard (204) and Lucy (Perkins) Bushnell, x. Phineas Leffingwell, b. 9 Apr. 1742, m. Elizabeth Hyde; xi. Eunice Leffingwell, b. 1 Oct. 1744, m. 1st, Mr. Kingsley, m. 2nd, Mr. Corning, and d. at the time her only dau. was b. She was bur. with her brother, Hart Leffingwell; xii. Karoline Leffingwell,
b. 2 Sept. 1748, d.y.

46. vii. Abigail Leffingwell, b. 14 Sept. 1691, d. 16 Mar. 1777, m. 14 Mar. 1711, Daniel, son of Daniel and gr-son of Lt. Thomas Tracy, Children, 5: 1. Abigail Tracy, b. 10 July 1716, d. 1745; ii. Daniel Tracy, b. 3 Jan. 1718, d. 1 June 1728; iii. Samuel Tracy, b. 23 Apr. 1723, d. 1798, m. Sibyl Lathrop. He grad. Yale University in 1744; iv. Hannah Tracy, b. 2 Sept. 1727, d. 1753, m. Rev. Simon Huntington; v. Daniel Tracy, b. & d. 1730,

46. viii. Benajah Leffingwell, b. 9 Aug. 1693, m. 1st, Joanna Christopher, she m. 2nd, Col. John Dyer of Canterbury, Conn. Children, 13: i. Richard Leffingwell, b. & d. 1727; ii. Joanna Leffingwell, b. 1729 d. 1730; iii. Benajah Leffingwell, b. 1730, d. 1731; iv. Mary Leffingwell, b. 1731, m. Capt. William Billings; v. Christopher Leffingwell, b. 1734, m. 1st Elizabeth Harriss, m. 2nd, Elizabeth Coit, m. 3rd, Ruth (Webster) Perit; vi. Sarah Leffingwell, b. 1735, m. Jonathan Starr, son of Samuel and Ann (202) (Bushnell) Starr, a dau. of Dr. Caleb (94) and Anne (Leffingwell) Bushnell; vii. Benajah Leffingwell, b. 1737, m. Lucy Backus; viii. Hezekiah Leffingwell, b. 1740, m. 1st, Lydia Wetherall, m. 2nd, Cynthia Williams; ix. Joseph Leffingwell, b. 1742, d.y; x. Elisha Leffingwell, b. 1743, m. Alice Tracy; xi. Richard Leffingwell, b. 1745; xii. Joanna Leffingwell, b. 1748, d.y; xiii. Lucretia Leffingwell, b. 1749, m. 1st, Capt. Henry Billings, m. 2nd, Dea. Thomas Brown,

46. ix. Hezekiah Leffingwell, b. 1695, d. 1699.

47. iv. Mercy (Marcia), b. Mar. 1657, d. 1741, m. 1st, 19 Dec. 1678, Jonathan, son of Lt. Jonathan and Mary Rudd of Saybrook (R-45-47), and bro. of Patience Rudd who m. Samuel (27) Bushnell. She m. 2nd, Dea. Joseph Carey of Windham, Conn. b. 18 Apr. 1663, d. 10 Jan. 1722, who by his 1st wife, Hannah ( ), had 2 children: i. Joseph Carey, b. 5 May 1689, and ii. Jabez Carey, b. 12 July 1791. Jonathan Rudd was a Capt. in the 5th Brig. of the 5th Regt. at Windham. Joseph and Richard Bushnell, Nathaniel Rudd, Thomas Tracy, and Caleb Forbes were overseers of his est, by his widow's request.

Children, 9, (R-47-48):

47. i. Mercy Rudd, b. 6 Oct. 1679, d. 1734, m. 1st, 19 June 1707, Nathaniel Leffingwell, b. 16 Feb. 1684/5, d. Jan. 1709/10, son of Nathaniel and Mary (Smith) Leffingwell (R-44). She m. 2nd, Capt. James Norman of Norwich, Conn.

47. ii. Jonathan Rudd, b. 22 Mar. 1682,

47. iii. Nathaniel Rudd, b. 22 May 1684, d. 20 Feb. 1769, m. 27 Dec. 1709, Rebecca Waldo, b. Dunstable, Mass. 16 Aug. 1686, d. Windham, Conn. 27 Sept. 1737, dau. of John and Rebecca (Adams) Waldo. He was an Ensign in 1722, and Capt. in 1727, of the train band of Windham, where he always lived.

47. iv. Mary Rudd, b. 15 Oct. 1686,

47. v. Abigail Rudd, b. 2 Jan. 1688,

47. vi. Hannah Carey, b. 4 Mar. 1693,

47. vii. John Carey, b. 23 Jan. 1695,

47. viii. Seth Carey, b. 29 July 1697,

47. ix. Elizabeth Carey, b. 17 Apr. 1700.
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*14. Edward, bapt. Horsham, co. Sussex, Eng. 10 Dec. 1629 (R-1), probably came to New England with his parents in 1635, when about 6 years old. We know nothing further of him until we find him mentioned in the will of his step-father William Beamsley, dated 14 Sept. 1658 and next of 16 Nov. 1668, when Edward Bushnell and all his sisters and step-sisters together with their husbands, sold the homestead in Boston to Key Alsop (R-2). He was among those who did not sign the deed, perhaps because he had left Boston. Nothing further is known of him, unless he be that Edward Bushnell referred to in Dr. Alonzo Quint’s Historical Memoranda of the Ancient Town of Dover, (N.H), where he is reported in a tax list for the support of the minister as of date 22 Sept. 1659. (See also Genealogical Dictionary of Maine and New Hampshire, Vol. ii, pp. 123, as of Dover, N.H.).

*22. John, b. Guilford, Conn?, abt. 1641, d. abt. 1686 (R-3), m. Guilford, by William Leete abt. the middle of May 1665, Sarah Scranton, b. 16 May 1645?, dau. of John Scranton.

John Bushnell, b. in Saybrook, sold the tract of land his grandfather had bought from William Hyde on 7 Oct. 1660, to his "kinsman" William Bushnell (R-7). He was admitted as a Freeman at Saybrook 16 Oct. 1667 and his name appeared in the list dated 1689. In 1683 he was Townsman at the time the nunc. will of Susannah Waddams was attested to. He res. in Saybrook and received 500 acres of land under the will of a sister of Joshua, son of Uncas, Sachem of the Mohigan Indians. He died at Saybrook abt. 1686.

Children, 5, all b. Saybrook, Conn. (R-4):

48*. i. John, b. 5 Mar. 1665/6,
49. ii. Sarah, b. 17 Sept. 1668, d. 4 Feb. 1691, m. as his 2nd wife, 9 Nov. 1688, Thomas Stevens (R-3), b. 21 Feb. 1661/2, d. 2 Nov. 1703, son of Thomas and Mary (Fletcher) Stevens. (He m. as his 1st wife, 9 June 1686, Hannah Evarts, who d. 1687, and he m. 3rd, Deborah ( ).

Children, 1:

49. i. Thomas Stevens, b. 7 Aug. 1689, m. Remembrance Baldwin, by whom he had 4 children. He served in the war against the French in 1709.
50. iii. Hannah, b. 10 Nov. 1670, d. 22 Sept. 1756, m. 2 Aug. 1694, James Benton, of Guilford, Conn. b. 1 Dec. 1665, d. 7 Nov. 1733, son of Andrew and Elizabeth (Relf) Benton. (The statement that she m. 1st, Symon Large is erroneous, and probably arose from a hasty conclusion drawn from the petition of Hannah Large, wid. dated 1 June 1702, to the New London Court, wherein she desired that her brother-in-law Ephriam Bushnell be appointed to adm. her dec'd husband's est. As Symon Large m. Hannah Long and as Ephriam Bushnell m. her sister Mary, Ephriam Bushnell was her brother-in-law but not as heretofore assumed) (R-5).

Children, 8:

50. i. Hannah Benton, b. 1695,
50. ii. Elizabeth Benton, b. 1697,
50. iii. James Benton, b. 1700,
50. iv. Sarah Benton,
50. vi. Joseph Benton, m. 22 Nov. 1729, Esther Bishop,
50. vii. Thankful Benton, resided in Coventry, Conn. (R-6),
50. viii. Jedediah Benton, m. 19 Oct. 1738, Jerusha Long, resided in
Coventry, Conn. (R-6).

51. iv. Mary, b. 20 Feb. 1672/3, d. Wethersfield, Conn. 1 June 1735, m. 1st,
Saybrook, 19 Apr. 1693, William Miller, b. 30 Nov. 1659, d. 22 Aug. 1705, son of William and
Patience ( ) Miller. He was a tanner and res. Glastonbury, Conn. She m. 2nd, bef. 6 Jan. 1710,
Joseph Butler, b. abt. 1648, d. Wethersfield, 10 Dec. 1732, son of Richard and Elizabeth
(Bigelow) Butler. He m. 1st, 30 Jan. 1677, Mary, dau. of Ensign William Goodrich. He rem. to
Glastonbury at the time of his 2nd m. but ret. later to Wethersfield where he d.
Children, 5:

51. i. William Miller, b. 9 Feb. 1693/4, d. 4 Jan. 1757, m. Susannah ( ), b.
1702, d. 19 Mar. 1731, in her 29th year. He m. 2nd, ( ). Children, 6: i. William Miller, b. 1726, d.
2 July 1733; ii. Mary Miller; iii. Martha Miller, b. Mar. 1731, d. July 1731, ae. 4 mos; iv. Sarah
Miller; v. John Miller; vi. Jonathan Miller,

51. ii. Mary Butler, b. abt. 1707, d. Jan. 1795, ae. 88, m. 1734, David
Edwards,

51. iii. Benjamin Butler, b. abt. 1711, m. 5 Dec. 1734, Thankful Sage,

51. iv. Joseph Butler, b. abt. 1713, d. bef. 7 Dec. 1740, single,

51. v. Charles Butler, b. abt. 1715, d. 26 June 1785, in 71st year, m. 1st, 19
Nov. 1740, Jerusha Goodrich, bapt. 16 Dec. 1720, m. 2nd, Lucy Buckley.

51. vi. Elizabeth, b. 23 Dec. 1674.

*26. Joshua, b. Guilford, Conn.? 6 May 1644, d. Saybrook, Conn. 10 Mar. 1710, m. Norwalk,
Conn. May 1682, Mary Seamer, b. Sept. 1658, dau. of Thomas and Hannah (Marvin) Seamer,
and gr-dau. of the emigrant Richard Seamer. Hannah Marvin was a sister of Mary who m.
(R-10), b. 1 Apr. 1645, d. 9 Mar. 1724/5, son of William and Ann (Mattle) Douglas.
Joshua Bushnell, called Dea. res. at Saybrook. We nave no data as to his activities. His
will dated 12 Jan. 1709/10, proved 14 Mar. following, mentions wife Mary, Exec’x, son Joshua,
and dau. Hannah to made equal with her sister Thankful. Wit. by Robert Chapman and
Nathaniel Chapman. The inv. taken 6 Feb. 1709/10, by Robert and Nathaniel Chapman,
mentions Joshua, ae. 19 last November, Thankful ae. 23, and Hannah ae. 16. Total of est. £274-
5s-11d (R-12).
Children, 3, all b. Saybrook:

53. i. Thankful, b. 3 Jan. 1686, m. 24 Apr. 1707, Joseph Scone (R-4),
Children, 6:

53. i. dau. Scone, b. 13 Oct. 1709, d. 20 Feb. 1710,
53. ii. Mary Scone, b. 20 Oct. 1711,
53. iii. Thankful Scone, b. 5 Aug. 1714,
53. iv. Sarah Scone, b. 22 Mar. 1717,
53. v. Patience Scone, b. 19 Oct. 1720,
54*. ii. Joshua, b. 18 Nov. 1690,

55. iii. Hannah, b. 16 Nov. 1693, d. 27 Nov. 1753, m. 8 or 18 Feb. 1712/3, Joseph Nettleton of Killingsworth, Conn., son of John and Martha (Hull) Nettleton (R-4-11).

Children, 4, all b. Killingworth, (R-11):

55. i. Joseph Nettleton, b. 17 Dep. 1713, d. 1 Aug. 1794, m. 21 Oct. 1736, Hannah Kelsey, who d. 8 June 1797, children, 5: i. Lydia Nettleton, b. 25 Dec. 1737, m. 6 Nov. 1758, Aaron Kelsey; ii. Jemima Nettleton, b. 19 Sept. 1739; iii. Ezra Nettleton, b. 9 June 1742, d. 4 Feb. 1789, m. 21 Apr. 1774, Damaris Seward, who d. 10 Sept. 1826; iv. Jane Nettleton, b. 3 Aug. 1744, d. 31 Mar. 1831, m. 29 June 1780, Nathaniel Buell, who d. 19 Jan. 1827; v. Joseph Nettleton, b. 13 July 1747, d. 1 Aug. 1794, m. 20 Sept. 1781, Rachel Kelsey,


55. iii. Aaron Nettleton, b. 8 Mar. 1720/1, d. 9 Jan. 1759,

55. iv. John Nettleton?

*27. Samuel, b. Guilford, Conn?, middle of Sept. 1645, d. there, 9 Nov. 1727, m. 1st, 7 Oct. 1675, Patience Rudd, b. abt. 1645, dau. of Jonathan Rudd (R-4). He m. 2nd, 19 Apr. 1700, Priscilla Pratt (R-4), dau. of John Pratt, of Medfield, Suffolk Co., Mass. (R-15).

Samuel Bushnell was a husbandman, or farmer, of Saybrook, and had over 200 acres of land there in several tracts (R-13). On 17 June 1710, he, as only surviving adm. of the est. of his father, Lt. William Bushnell of Saybrook, dec'd, called upon Robert Chapman and John Clark, to pass judgement on the value of a 1500 acre tract of land at Hebron, Conn. probably the same land which came to the est. under the will of Uncas, 500 acres of which went to Samuel's sisters, Judith, Abigail, and Lydia Seward. He was appointed adm. of the est. of his brother Stephen, who d. 1 Aug. 172*, but was too aged and infirm to serve; the Court accepted in his behalf, the inv. of his son Nathaniel. On 14 Mar. 1727, he had given his son Daniel a tract of land in Hebron, probably a portion of the 1500 acres, and on 20 June following, he gave to his son Josiah "All land or lands, or rights of lands, now in the care of his brother John Pratt, of Reding, Middlesex Co. Province of Mass. Bay, adm. of the est. of our honored father John Pratt, late dec'd, of Medfield, Co. Suffolk and Province aforesaid," this document was signed by a mark (R-13).

An indenture (date unknown), was signed by the following children: Samuel, Daniel, Ebenezer, Josiah, Edward Rutty and wife Judith, Priscilla, Daniel Boen and wife Jerusha, and gr-dau. Abigail Hall. For many years he was a Dea. in the ch. at Saybrook (R-15), and after his death, his son Samuel was appointed adm. and filed an inv. on 21 Mar. 1728.

Children, 11, (R-4):
56.  i.  Abigail, b. 27 July 1677, d. 20 Feb. 1708, m. 30 May 1705, Eliphalet Hall, of Guilford, Conn. b. 13 Jan. 1681, son of John and Elizabeth (Smith) Hall, he m. 2nd, 1710, Mary Grimes.

Children, 4, 2 by each marriage:

56.  i.  Jerusha Hall,
56.  ii.  Abigail Hall,
      iii.  Eliphalet Hall,
      iv.  Mary Hall.

57.  ii.  Judith, b. 14 Sept. 1679, d. Durham, Conn. (or Mass.), 11 Mar. 1715/16, m. 10 Dec. 1707 James Wright, Jr., son of James and Sarah (Wise) Wright (or his 2nd wife, Hannah ( ), who d. 1 Nov. 1748, ae. 70); she m. 2nd, Edward Rutty,

Children, 1:

57.  i.  James Wright, m. 1 Nov. 1748, Submit Buell, dau. of Benjamin Buell, Children, 5: i.  Ambrose Wright; ii.  Christopher Wright; iii.  Submit Wright; iv.  James Wright; v.  Benjamin Wright,

58*.  iii.  Samuel, b. 21 Aug. 1682,
59.  iv.  Jonathan, b. 10 Apr. 1685, d. Stratford, Conn. 7 Apr. 1706 (R-14),
60*.  v.  Daniel, b. 20 Feb. 1687,
61*.  vi.  Nathaniel, b. 8 Feb. 1690,
62.  vii.  Hepzibah, b. 19 Aug. 1701, (abt. an hour after sunset, Twin),
63*.  viii.  Ebenezer, b. 19 Aug. 1701, (abt. 5 hours after sunset, Twin),
64.  ix.  Priscilla, b. 19 Dec. 1703,
65*.  x.  Josiah, b. 9 June 1706,

*29.  William, b. Saybrook, Conn. 15 Feb. 1648, d. there, 9 Dec. 1711, m. 1st, 17 Oct. 1675, Rebecca ( ), who d. 14 May 1703 (R-4), m. 2nd 7 June 1705, wid. Sarah Bull, who survived him (R-18).

William Bushnell was a carpenter and millwright. He m. 1st, 1675, Rebecca ( ), who may have been a dau. of John Stratton of Long Island, N.Y. who in his will dated 30 Aug. 1684, mentions a daughter Rebecca Bushnell (R-17). On 16 Mar. 1680, the citizens of Saybrook granted him a tract of 24 acres at Tilleys Point, or Round Hill Plain, bounded partly on the West by his uncle Stephen Bushnell (R-13). In this conveyance he is called "son of Lt. William Bushnell." On 27 Apr. 1692, John Bushnell, who calls him "my kinsman" conveys to him, by deed a tract of land in the Planting Field, which property had been acquired by Francis Bushnell, grandfather of the grantor, from William Hide on 7 Oct. 1660 (R-13). At a quarterly meeting of the town officials, held 2 Feb. 1701/2, it was voted to accept his offer to build a corn mill on Five Mile River, "a little above the wading place," and to grant him 30-acres of land as near the mill as possible, upon the condition that the mill be completed in 18 months, and after 21 years of operation of the mill, the title to the land should be secured to him and his (R-13). He also built a saw mill, but probably not near the corn Mill, which by 1705 was probably in operation. His wife Rebecca, d. in 1703, and in 1705, he m. as his 2nd wife, widow Sarah Bull, who survived him. The inv. of his est. refers to him as William Bushnell, Sen'r who departed this life Dec. 9, 1711.
It was taken by John Clark and T. Buckingham, and amounted to £224-17s-lhd. Mrs. Sarah Bushnell, wid. and son William, made bond on 12 Feb. 1711/12 and made oath on 14 Mar. following. The names of the children were given as Ephriam and William Bushnell, and Esther Wilcocks (R-12).

Children, 4:

67. i. Sarah, b. 1 Mar. 1673/4, d.y.
68* ii. Ephriam, b. 14 Feb. 1675,
69* iii. William, b. 3 Apr. 1680,
70. iv. Esther, b. 2 Nov. 1683, d. 18 Mar. 1724/?; m. 14 May 1707, Samuel Wilcox (R-19), b. 20 Feb. 1683, d. 18 Mar. 1724/5, son of Samuel and Abigail (Whitmore) Wilcox.

Children, 6, all b. Middletown, Conn. (R-19):

70. i. Samuel Wilcox, b. 3 Jan. 1708/9, d. 6 Feb. 1782, m. at Middletown, Conn. Hannah Thresher.
70. ii. John Wilcox, b. 1 Aug. 1712 d. 21 Oct. 1795, m. Hannah Wilcox.

Children, 11: i. a Son Wilcox, b. Mar. 1739, d.y.; ii. John Wilcox, b. 15 Jan. 1740 m. 16 Oct. 1766, Eunice Norton; iii. Samuel Wilcox, b. 8 May 1742, m. 1st, abt. 1746 (1766?), Ruth Roberts, m. 2nd, Ruth Wood; iv. Hezekiah Wilcox, b. 4 Mar. 1744, m. 9 Nov. 1775, Rachel or Ruth Boardman, who d. 19 Mar. 1825; v. Joseph Wilcox, b. 29 Mar; 1746, m. 7 Oct. 1762, Miriam Bacon; vi. Hannah Wilcox, b. 28 June 1748; vii. Giles Wilcox, b. 2 June 1750, m. 9 Nov. 1775, Rachel Dove; viii. Simeon Wilcox, b. 25 Feb. 1782 (1752?); ix. Submit Wilcox, b. 5 Dec. 1754, d. 16 Aug. 1803; x. Comfort Wilcox, b. 17 Feb. 1757; xi. Sarah Wilcox, b. 7 Feb. 1760, m. 11 Feb. 1788, Abel North.


70. iv. William Wilcox, b. 1 Mar. 1717/8, d. 28 Aug. 1742, m. Rebecca Wilcox, Children, 1: i. Hezekiah Wilcox, b. 6 Oct. 1742, d.y. (R-21),
70. v. Elijah Wilcox, b. 14 Jan. 1720, d. 23 Apr. 1809, m. 1st, 28 May 1747, Abigail Churchill, d. 28 Sept. 1727 m. 2nd. 22/23 Aug. 1759, Mary (346), dau. of William (158) and Mary (Bate) Bushnell (R-20),
70. vi. Hester Wilcox, b. 22 Nov. 1723, d. 15 Mar. 1738.

*30. Francis, b. Saybrook, Conn. 6 Jan. 1649/50, d. Oct. 1697, prob. in Danbury, Conn. m. Norwalk, Conn. 12 Oct. 1675, Hannah Seamer (R-22), also called Seymour, b. 12 Dec. 1664, d. abt. 1722/3, dau. of Thomas, who was son of Richard, the emigrant, and Hannah (Marvin) Seamer, dau. of Matthew Marvin, Sr. the emigrant, and sister of Mary Marvin, who m. Richard (10) Bushnell (R-4-23-24).
Francis Bushnell, of Norwalk, so called, was b. at Saybrook, Conn. (R-44), and was son of Lt. William, and not a son of Richard, as has been claimed (R-45) the proof being in a deed of Record, which states, "Francis Bushnell of Danbury, to his brother Joshua Bushnell of Saybrook, Conn." dated 25 Nov. 1696. Joshua was a son of Lt. William Bushnell (R-13). Francis rem. from Saybrook to Norwalk when abt. 21 years of age, and on 9 Feb. 1671, was granted a £10 right in land there (R-46). He was mentioned in the will of his uncle Matthew Marvin, dated 1673, and in 1675 married his cousin Hannah Marvin, whose sister Mary was the wife of his uncle Richard, and both dau's of Matthew Marvin. After the birth of his dau. Mary, he rem. to Danbury, the first permanent settlement of which was made in the spring of 1685, and on 2 Dec. 1685, a division of lands was made and Francis drew lot #19. His home lot was the 2nd from the south side of the town, and on the west side of Town, or Main St. and here the last three of his seven daus. were born; he had no sons (R-23). He d. in Danbury and his inv. made in Oct. 1697 (R-24), was testified to by Samuel Knapp and his wife Hannah on 2 Nov. 1697, and Samuel Knapp and Samuel Pickett were appointed adm's of his est. On 1 Mar. 1712, all of his daus. and their husbands signed a deed at which time his daus. Rebecca and Judith were unmarried (R-25).

Children, 7, (R-25-26):

71. i. Hannah, b. Norwalk, Conn. 22 Aug. 1676, d. Danbury, Conn. abt. 1792/3, m. bef. 1697, Lt. Samuel Knapp (R-27), b. Stamford, Conn. abt. 1668/70, d. Danbury, Conn. abt. 1739, son of Caleb and Hannah (Smith) Knapp, of Danbury. He appeared before the Fairfield Court, 2 Nov. 1697, to testify to the truth of the inv. of the est. of Francis Bushnell, who had dec'd Oct. 1697. On Oct. 1713, he was confirmed as Ensign of the train band, and a Lt. Deputy to the General Assembly in 1716, 1721, and 1722. It is stated that he m. a second time (R-28).

Children, 9 (R-23-29):

71. i. Samuel Knapp, b. abt. 1698, d. abt. 1739, m. abt. 1725, Sarah Hoyt. She m. 2nd, before 22 Mar. 1734, Benjamin Barnum. Children, 5: i. Samuel Knapp, b. 1726/30, d. abt. 1816, ae. 90 (R-28), prob. served in Capt. Mead's Co. 9th Regt. 1775; ii. James Knapp, b. 1732, d. 29 Apr. 1805, m. 7 Apr. 1775, Elizabeth Barnum; iii. Elnathan Knapp, b. 1735, d. 20 Feb. 1818, m. 10 Mar. 1753, Ann Kellogg; iv. David Knapp, b. 1737, m. 16 May 1765, Abigail Benedict; v. Benjamin Knapp, b. 1740, d. 8 June 1834, ae. 94y-3m-25d, m. 1st, 17 Aug. 1764, Mercy Wildman, m. 2nd, 4 Jan. 1787, wid. Rachel Wildman,

71. iii. Francis Bushnell Knapp, b. 1702, d. 7 June 1776, m. Mary Taylor. Children, 3: i. Deborah Knapp, b. 1732, d. 9 Jan. 1830, m. David Boughton; ii. Hannah Knapp, m. John Cornwall; iii. Mercy Knapp, b. abt. 1727, d. 15 May 1811, m. Thomas Benedict,

71. iv. Abigail Knapp, b. 1705, m. Stephen Curtis, who d. 1741. In his will, dated 23 Jan. 1740, prob. 7 Apr. 1741, he mentions only his son and two daus. and his wife Abigail. His brothers Francis and John were appointed adms. She possibly m. 2nd, John Sturdevant, father of James, who m. a dau. of her brother, Caleb Knapp. Children, 3: i. Stephen Curtis; ii. a dau. Curtis; iii. a dau. Curtis,

71. v. Caleb Knapp, b. 1709, d. 6 Feb. 1788, m. 1st, 1735, Abigail Bracy, dau. of Thomas Bracy of Hadley, Mass., he m. 2nd, 16 Dec. 1784, Rebecca Raynsford. Children, 6: i. Bracy Knapp, b. 1740 or 1743, m. 5 May 1763 Anna Wildman; ii. Joshua Knapp (Rev.), b. 1744, d. 23 Mar. 1816, m. Mary Keyes; iii. Samuel Knapp, b. 1746, d. 16 Nov. 1824, m. 1 Jan. 1768, Mercy Hoyt; iv. Abigail Knapp, b. 1751, d. 18 Mar. 1824, m. 17 Jan. 1766, George Tobey; v. Bushnell Knapp, b. abt. 1730, was accidentally shot in June 1777 by being mistaken for a deer; vi. Hannah Knapp, b. 1735, m. John Sturdevant,

71. vi. Mercy Knapp, b. 1713, d. 28 May 1787, m. James Benedict, b. 1710, d. 3 May 1777 (she may have been a dau. of Samuel Knapp, but there is no proof). Children, 7: i. James Benedict, m. Dolly Comstock; ii. Bushnell Benedict, b. 1734, lived and d. and had children in Danbury, Conn; iii. Francis Benedict, d. 15 Apr. 1815, m. Mary Hoyt; iv. Caleb Benedict, b. 20 May 1739, d. 19 Sept. 1819, m. 28 Mar. 1763, Ruth Benedict; v. Mercy Benedict, b. 13 Apr. 1742, d. 8 Apr. 1811. m. 13 May 1762, Martin Kellogg, b. 10 Oct. 1740, he m. 2nd, by ante-nuptial agreement filed 26 June 1811, Abigail Knapp, she d. 2 July 1829, ae. 83; vi. Hannah Benedict, m. Stephen Olmstead; vii. Thankful Benedict, m. Daniel Platt,

71. vii. Joshua Knapp, b. 5 Feb. 1716, d. 8 Aug. 1798, m. 1761, Mrs. Abigail (Bostwick) Dibble, dau. of Ebenezer and Rebecca (Bunnell) Bostwick, and wid. of Wakefield Dibble. He was a Rev. War soldier. Children, 5: i. Joshua Knapp, b. 6 May 1762, d. 19 July 1829, m. 26 Oct. 1785, Lodema Warner; ii. Daniel Knapp, b. 2 July 1763, d. 25 June 1842, m. Lucy Gray. He was a Rev. War soldier; iii. Francis Knapp, b. 16 June 1765, d. 11 Jan. 1834, m. 1st, 17 Jan. 1782, Abigail Jarvis, he m. 2nd, Betsey Pierce who d. 6 Dec. 1847; iv. Lucy Knapp, b. 17 Aug. 1766, d. 8 Aug. 1804, m. 18 Oct. 1783, Comfort Starr Mygatt; v. Levi Knapp, b. 14 June 1768, d. 8 Jan. 1802, m. Sarah Gaylord,

71. viii. Aaron Knapp, (perhaps Aaron Gray Knapp), b. 1718, m. Mary Hoyt (there is some doubt as to his being a son of Samuel Knapp). Children, 4: i. John Knapp; 2. Thomas Knapp; iii. Betsey Knapp; iv. Hannah Knapp,

71. ix. Hannah Knapp, b. 1720, m. 14 Oct. 1740, Thomas Benedict, who d. 10 May 1743. (This may be Hannah Knapp of Danbury). It should be noted that, as the British raided Danbury during the Rev. War, and destroyed many records of the town, including land and town records, the arrangement of the above families should not be taken as final. Prior to 1740 the probate records of Danbury were kept at Fairfield, and after
that date at Danbury. These were saved from destruction.

72.  ii. Mary, b. Norwalk, Conn. 21 Dec. 1679, m. perhaps, John Taylor (Thomas Taylor of Norwalk and Danbury, John Taylor of the Phantom Ship Windsor), b. Dec. 1673, m. 2nd, perhaps, Sarah Betts, b. 21 Jan. 1687/8, dau. of Thomas Betts of Norwalk (R-30-31).

73.  iii. Abigail, b. abt. 1680, m. abt. 1696, Rev. Seth Shove, son of George and Hopestill (Newman) Shove, b. Taunton, Mass. 10 Dec. 1667, d. Danbury, Conn. 3 Oct. 1735, ae. 68. He was the first pastor at Danbury, appointed in the year 1696, and came from Simsbury where he had been for five years. The inv. of his est. appears in the Fairfield Records, dated 4 Mar. 1735/6, and mentions Madam Abigail Shove, wid. Hannah Starr, Lydia Boughton, and Mary Shove, minor (R-24). He was bur. in Old Wooster St. Cem. the first cem. in Danbury. The statement that he m. her sister Hannah as his first wife is an error.

Children, 4, order uncertain, (R-26):

73.  i. Mary Shove, bapt. Fairfield, Conn. 8 Nov. 1696 (R-32), d. 29 Jan. 1722, m. Lt. John Taylor, who d. 29 Jan. 1744, may have been son of John Taylor who m. Waite Clapp, dau. of Percival Clapp, all of Windsor, Conn.

73.  ii. Hannah Shove, b. abt. 1708, d. 1790 or 1791, ae. 83, m. 1st, Comfort Starr, who d. 1763 (R-33), leaving in his will £800 for the support of a school of "high order." She m. 2nd, Thomas Hill of Fairfield, Conn; m. 3rd, Peter Lockwood of Wilton, once a part of Norwalk, she m. 4th, Joshua Pearce (R-33) of Cornwall, Conn. who survived her. (An old newspaper clipping, dated 4 Jan. 1791, has a notice of the death of Hannah Pearce, wife of Joshua Pearce of Cornwall.) Children, i. Nathan Starr, b. 1732, d. 1752, ae. 19y-9m-3d, a grad. of Yale Univ. in 1750 (it is thought he was an only child) (R-33),

73.  iii. Lydia Shove, m. James Boughton,

73.  iv. Seth Shove, b. bef. 26 May 1772: m. Judah ( ). His will was prov. 26 May 1772. Inv. was presented to the Court 28 May 1772, "and mentioned wife Judah, and sons Benjamin and Seth (R-34). Children, 5: i. Comfort Shove, was living in 1769; ii. Seth Shove. b. abt. 1738, d. 3 Dec. 1810, in 73rd year, m. 16 Mar. 1757, Jemima Barnum, b. abt. 1741, d. 25 June 1822 (R-34), they had 10 children (R-26); iii. Mary Shove, (prob. minor in 1736) m. 14 Apr. Daniel Wildman; iv. Daniel Shove (living 1800 and was the last of the gr-sons of Francis Bushnell); v. Benjamin Shove, b. 28 Mar. 1735, d. 17 May 1812, ae. 76y-11m-20d, m. Sarah Wildman, dau. of Thomas, Jr. and Grace Wildman, b. abt. 1736, d. 17 Feb. 1823, ae. 87 (R-35). He was app. a Dea. in the Danbury Bapt. ch. 2 Oct. 1790, they had a dau. who m. Peter Ambler, and perhaps other children (R-26).

74.  iv. Lydia, b. abt. 1681, d. 23 Aug. 1786 (R-36), m. John Fitch (R-37), b. 29 Sept. 1677, d. abt. 1760, son of John and Rebecca (Tyndall) Fitch. They rem. to Clapboard Hill, four miles above Norwalk, Conn. abt. 1700, where he and his posterity held large tracts of land, and were original members of the ch. founded 20 June 1733. His will, dated 25 Apr. 1740, prov. 8 Feb. 1760, names four of his six children (R-38). The ch. record states that "Lydia, wife of John Fitch, d. 23 Aug. 1786, in her 103rd year."
Third Generation.

Children, 6, (R-39-40):

74. i. Matthew Fitch, b. May 1680, d. 16 Apr. 1779, m. 1st, Jemima St. John, m. 2nd, 7 Dec. 1738, Lydia Olmstead, b. 1715, d. 28 Sept. 1806, ae. 91, dau. of Nathan and Mercy (Comstock) Olmstead (R-11). Children, 10, (R-11): i. Jemima Fitch, b. 25 Dec. 1735; ii. Nathan Fitch, b. 12 Oct. 1739, m. 1st, 8 Jan. 1761/2, Mehitable Hoyt, dau. of Benajah and Dinah Hoyt, m. 2nd, Mary (or Mercy) Reed, they had 10 children, and rem. to Greenfield, N.Y. in 1785; iii. Mercy Fitch, b. 29 Dec. 1740; iv. Hannah Fitch, b. 24 Aug. 1742, m. 10 Oct. 1766, Isaac Kellogg, b. 1745, d. 1829, son of Gideon Kellogg; v. Matthew Fitch, b. 17 June 1744, m. 27 Dec. 1770, Sarah Reed, he was a Rev. Soldier, abt. 1773, they rem. to Armenia, N.Y: vi. Lydia Fitch, b. 4 Apr. 1746, m. 27 Dec. 1770, Enos Kellogg; vii. Rebecca Fitch, b. 9 July 1748, d.y; viii. Susanna Fitch, b. 29 Aug. 1750; ix. Abijah Fitch, bapt. 10 Oct. 1752.; x. Rebecca Fitch, bapt. 2 June 1754, m. 14 Sept. 1772, Elnathan Reed,


74. iii. Bushnell Fitch, d. 25 Aug. 1849, m. 12 Nov. 1764, Abigail Reed of Stamford, Conn. Children, 1: 1. Stephen Fitch, b. 12 Apr. 1767, d. 25 Aug. 1849, m. 3 June 1784, Charlotte Selleck,

74. iv. Rebecca Fitch, b. 1720, d. 15 Oct. 1801, m. 19 Jan. 1742/3, John Richards at New Canaan, Conn. b. 16 Feb. 1720, d. 5 May 1790, son of Samuel Richards,

74. v. Lydia Fitch, m. 8 Dec. 1748, William Bolt, b. 7 Nov. 1713, Son of John Bolt, he m. 2nd, 20 Nov. 1694, Elizabeth Clemmons,


75. v. Mercy, b. Danbury, Conn. abt. 1687, d. New Milford, Conn. 5 Sept. 1767, ae. 80, m. 1st, Norwalk, Conn. 30 Jan. 1711/2, Maj. John Bostwick of New Milford, Conn. (R-42), b. 12 Oct. 1688, d. 12 June 1741, son of John and Abigail (Walker) Bostwick, of Stratford, Conn. (R-42), she m. 2nd, Capt. James Lockwood,

Children, 5:

75. i. Bushnell Bostwick, b. 16 Nov. 1712, d. 1793, m. 25 Jan. 1736/7 Miriam Skeel, he was a Deputy in the Legislature in the years 1750, 1754, and 1763, and a Maj. in Conn. Militia 1767, Lt. Col. 1771,

75. ii. John Bostwick, b. 24 Mar. 1715/6, d. 1806, m. 18 Jan. 1732/3, Jemima Canfield, their son: i. Nathan Bostwick, m. Elizabeth Cogswell, and had dau. i. Mary Elizabeth Bostwick,
who m. William Brown, and their dau. i. Sabrina Brown, m. Seaman Sedgwick (1676) Bushnell, son of Samuel (813) and Pedee (Beckley) Bushnell.

75. iii. Benajah Bostwick, b. New Milford, Conn. 8 Feb. 1717/8, d. 23 Oct. 1776, m. 22 Oct. 1741, Hannah Fisk, b. 1723, d. 1788, dau. of Ebenezer and Mehitable Fisk. Children, i. David Fisk Bostwick, b. 3 Aug. 1742, m. 1st, 1770, Hannah Hill, m. 2nd, Sarah Averhill; ii. Joel Fisk Bostwick, b. 1745, d. 1777; iii. Mehitable Fisk Bostwick, b. 1748, m. Ely Phelps; iv. John Fisk Bostwick, b. 1761, d. 1783, unmarried.


75. v. Samuel Bostwick, b. Milford, Conn. 30 Aug. 1723, m. 28 Mar. 1748, Ann Fisk, in 1763 he was a Deputy in the State Legislature.

76. vi. Rebecca, was living in 1712, unmarried,

77. vii. Judith, was living in 1712, unmarried, (It is said that Theophilus Taylor, b. 1687, d. 1777, ae. 90, son of Thomas and Rebecca (Ketchum) Taylor, m. 1st, aft. 1 Mar. 1712, ( ) Bushnell (R-44). He m. 2nd, Sarah Gregory, b. Norwalk Conn. 17 Mar. 1668/9, d. Danbury, Conn. abt. 1743, dau. of John2 of Norwalk, Henry1 of Stratford, Gregory (R-23). As this was the only Bushnell family living in this section at this time, we have assumed that either Rebecca or Judith Bushnell was his first wife, but from the apparent age of his second wife, we inclined to question this second marriage. The sources for data are somewhat limited in this section, due to the raid by the British in 1777).

*42. John, b. Boston, Mass. abt. 1664, d. there abt. 1699, m. abt. 1686, wid. Sarah (Lovering) Place, b. abt. 1655/6, d. perhaps after 1703, sister of William Lovering of Boston, and wid. of John Place, mariner (R-47).

John Bushnell, b. in Boston, Mass. probably on the site of the present No. 6, Dock Square, was made adm. of his father's est. (R-44), and on 6 Mar. 1685/6, sold the property to Sampson Stoddard (R-50). At abt. this time he m. Mrs. Sarah (Lovering) Place, who had a life interest in a house, and lot 46 1/2 ft. wide and 140 ft. deep on the site of the present 214-218 Hanover St. (anciently called Middle St.). Here they res. and a tax list dated 6 June 1687 shows that there were two in his family at that time. In a tax list dated 1688, endorsed #2 county rate, he is listed as Constable. In 1696 he was among the soldiers in a stone fort at Pemaquid, Me. which was surrendered to a French force from Canada (R-51), and by the terms of the capitulation the prisoners were to sent by ship to Boston; he survived the hardships of this campaign about two years and d. in Boston abt. 1699, she d. abt. 1703. Their children were bap. on Sunday, 4 June 1699, in Boston.
Children, 4, all b. Boston, Mass. (R-48):

78*. i. John, b. 4 Aug. 1687,
79. ii. Jane, b. abt. 1689,
80*. iii. William, b. abt. 1691,
81. iv. Thomas, b. abt. 1693.

*44. Joseph, b. Saybrook, Conn. 2 May 1651, d. Norwich, Conn. 23 Dec. 1746, in his 97th year, m. 28 Nov. 1673, Mary Leffingwell, b. 10 Dec. 1654, d. Norwich, Conn. 31 Mar. 1745, in her 92nd year, dau. of Lt. Thomas and Mary (White) Leffingwell (R-52).

Joseph Bushnell and his wife were among the most prosperous families of the town of Norwich, Conn. at this period. On June 3, 1708, he complained against himself before his brother Richard, who was magistrate at the time, "for yt he had killed a buck contrary to law." He was sentenced to pay a fine of 10s, "½ to ye county, and ½ to the complaintant." He was buried in the Old Norwich Cem. and his headstone was standing a few years ago.

Children, 11, all b. Norwich, Conn:

82. i. Mary, b. 10 Mar. 1675, d. 11 Sept. 1735, ae. 60, m. 28 Sept. 1699, Elijah Brainard, bapt. 26 Mar. 1678, d. Haddam, Conn. 20 Apr. 1740, ae. 62, son of Daniel and Hannah (Spencer) Brainard of Hartford, Conn. He m. 2nd, Margaret ( ), who d. 15 Mar. 1757, who after his death m. 15 Mar. 1757, Thomas Canfield, who d. 4 Dec. 1760,

Children, 9, all b. Haddam, Conn: (R-53)

82. i. Mary Brainard, b. 20 June 1700 m. Moses Pond,
82. ii. Abigail Brainard, b. 20 June 1702, m. Gideon Arnold,
82. iii. Joseph Brainard, b. 21 June 1704, m. Mindwell Pond,
82. iv. Elijah Brainard, b. 22 Sept. 1706, m. Phebe Bailey (or Davis),
82. v. Thankful Brainard, b. 22 July 1709, m. Jacob Brainard,
82. vi. Rachel Brainard, b. 13 May 1712, m. Benjamin Bailey,
82. vii. Jabez Brainard, b. 19 Feb. 1714/5, m. Hannah Clark,
82. viii. Esther Brainard, b. 16 Aug. 1717, m. Samuel Brainard,
82. ix. Phineas Brainard, b. Oct. 1720, m. Jerusha Towner,
83. ii. Joseph, b. 27 June 1677,
84*. iii. Jonathan, b. 7 Oct. 1679,
85. iv. David, b. 7 Sept. 1681, d. 12 Oct. 1681 (may be Daniel, as both names look alike in the old records).
86. v. Deborah, b. 21 Sept. 1682, m. John Lane, of Killingworth, Conn. she was a member of 1st ch. of Norwich in 1704,
87. vi. Hannah, b. 8 Dec. 1684; she was a member in full communion in the 1st ch. of Norwichtown, Conn. in 1704,
88*. vii. Nathan, b. 12 Feb. 1686,
89. viii. Rebecca, b. 7 Mar. 1658, d. 7 May 1782, m. 2 Mar. 1707/8, Job Barstow, b. 8 Mar. 1679, d. 14 Sept. 1764, son of John and Lydia (Hatch) Barstow of Scituate, Mass. (R-52), he was admitted a Freeman in 1708, and settled in West Farms Society (now Franklin, Conn.), and united with the 1st ch. 9 Aug. 1709, he was a selectman in 1725, and d. in Franklin, Conn.
Third Generation.

Children, 9. all b. Franklin, Conn:

89.  i.  Rebecca Barstow, b. 18 Dec. 1708, d. Oct. 1709,


89.  iii.  Jonathan Barstow, b. 12 Dec. 1712, m. 7 Sept. 1742, Abigail Hyde, b. 17 Nov. 1715, dau. of Jabez and Elizabeth (96) (Bushnell) Hyde, and gr-dau. of Richard and Elizabeth (Adgate) Bushnell. Children, 3 (R-52): i. Abigail Barstow, b. 19 June 1743; ii. Jonathan Barstow, b. 17 Apr. 1745, d. 28 Nov. 1746; iii. Elizabeth Barstow, b. 29 July 1747,

89.  iv.  Lydia Barstow, b. 27 May 1715, m. 6 Nov. 1733, William Edgerton. Children, 10 (R-52): i. Asa Edgerton, b. 1736; ii. Submit Edgerton, b. 1738, d. same day; iii. Martha Edgerton, b. 1739; iv. Zerviah Edgerton, b. 1741; v. Alice Edgerton, b. 1744; vi. Rebecca Edgerton, b. 1747; vii. Libbens Edgerton, b. 1749; viii. Ezra Edgerton, b. 1752; ix. Lavinia Edgerton, b. 1754; x. Ariel Edgerton, b. 1757;

89.  v.  Mary Barstow, b. 16 Dec. 1717, m. 21 Oct. 1746, Alpheus Wickwere. Children, 3 (R-52): i. Mary Wickwere, b. 1747; ii. Anna Wickwere, b. 1750; iii. Jedediah Wickwere, b. 1753,

89.  vi.  Ebenezer Barstow, b. 20 June 1720,

89.  vii.  Yetonce Barstow, b. 17 July 1722, d. 28 Dec. 1788, ae. 78, m. 1st, 6 Aug. 1751, Esther Wood, b. 29 July 1734, d. 7 Mar. 1777, dau. of Ebenezer and Mary (Rudd) Wood. He m. 2nd, 19 May 1778, Hannah Corwin, b. 1734, d. 27 Sept. 1795, in 62nd year. Children, 2 (R-52): i. Esther Barstow, b. 25 Aug. 1766; ii. Lydia Barstow, b. 2 Mar. 1774,


89.  ix.  Abigail Barstow, b. 16 Dec. 1726, m. 19 Jan. 1747/8, Daniel Kingsbury, b. 14 Dec. 1724 d. 2 Sept. 1762, son of Joseph and Ruth (Dennison) Kingsbury, he m. 2nd, Lucy Reed, who, after his death m. 22 Jan. 1767, David Longbottom, son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Lamb) Longbottom. Children, 5: i. Abigail Kingsbury, b. 13 Nov. 1748, m. 16 July 1767, Abner Pride; ii. Daniel Kingsbury, b. 10 Aug. 1750; iii. Lucretia Kingsbury, b. 28 Aug. 1754, m. Benjamin Seabury; iv. Mary Kingsbury, b. 19 Dec. 1756, m. 30 May 1782, Asa Palmer, b. 2 July 1756, d. 9 Dec. 1828; v. Joseph Kingsbury, b. 17 Feb. 1760, d. 19 May 1764,

90.  ix.  Abigail, b. 21 July 1690, m. 1st, 4 July 1710, Joseph Carey, who d. abt. 1771, son of Dea. Joseph Carey of
Windham, Conn. she m. 2nd, Jacob Warren of Plainfield, Conn.
Children, 3, (R-55):
   90.  i.  Abigail Carey, b. 7 Sept. 1714,
   90.  ii.  Joseph Carey, b. 10 Dec. 1715,
   90.  iii.  Zerviah Carey, b. 22 May 1718,
   91.  x.  Rachel, b. 27 Oct. 1692, m. 11 Oct. 1714, Timothy Allen (R-52), b. 22 Feb. 1691, d. 1755, son of Samuel and Sarah (Partridge) Allen (R-56) of East Bridgewater, Mass. He rem. from Lisbon, Conn. and settled in Windham, Conn. but later rem. to Mansfield, Mass. (R-57).
Children, 9:
   91.  i.  Rev. Timothy Allen, b. 1715, d. 1806, Grad. Yale Theological School and ordained at West Haven 1738, rem. in 1742, to New London, Conn.
   91.  ii.  Daniel Allen, b. 1717, m. Azubah Ladd, m. 2nd, Rachel ( ).
Children, 8, none by first wife: i.  Daniel Allen, b. 1742; ii.  Hepzibah Allen, b. 1744; iii.  Rachel Allen, b. 1746; iv.  Timothy Allen, b. 1748; v.  David Allen, b. 1750; vi.  John Allen, b. 1753; vii.  Samuel Allen, b. 1758; viii.  Lemuel Allen, b. 1761;
   91.  iii.  Rachel Allen, b. 1719, m. Josiah Tracy, b. 1718, son of Capt. Joseph and Mary (Abell) Tracy. He m. 2nd, 1762, Esther (Richards) Pride, wid. of Micajah Pride.
Children, 9, (R-58): i.  Irene Tracy, b. 1741, d. 1763, m. Gideon Peck, he m. 2nd, 1769, Sarah Edgecomb; ii.  Nehemiah Tracy, b. 1744, m. Miriam Waterman, iii.  Daniel Tracy, b. 1746, d. 1747/8; iv.  Anne Tracy, b. 1748; v.  Jerusha Tracy, b. 1751; vi.  Calvin Tracy, b. 1753, d. 1755; vii.  Daniel Tracy, b. 1756, m. 1783, Lucy Tracy, b. 1760, d. 1807, dau. of Josiah and Margaret (Pettis) Tracy; viii.  Calvin Tracy, b. 1759, m. 1781, Elizabeth Huntington, b. 1763, dau. of Barnabas and Anna (Wright) Huntington; ix.  Rachel Tracy, b. 1761;
   91.  iv.  Rebecca Allen, b. 1721,
   91.  v.  Seth Allen, b. 1723, m. Hannah Ladd, Children, 4: i.  Bethsheba Allen, b. 1752; ii.  Seth Allen, b. 1754; iii.  Hannah Allen, b. 1756; iv.  Comfort Allen, b. 1758,
   91.  vii.  Thankful Allen, b. 1728,
   91.  ix.  Phineas Allen, b. 1731, m. 1st, Alice Cady, m. 2nd, Elizabeth Johnson. Children, 2: i.  Cady Allen, b. 1754, m. Patience Goodwin; ii.  Asher Allen, b. 1756, m. Elizabeth Palmer,
   92.  xi.  Jerusha, b. 17 Nov. 1695, d. 7 Apr. 1744, m. 4 Aug. 1715 John Hutchins, who for many years kept the public house in Lisbon, Conn.
Children, 8, (R-42):
   92.  i.  Jerusha Hutchins, b. 1718, d. 1736/7,
   92.  ii.  Abigail Hutchins, b. 1720, d. 1756, m. 1743, David Knight, Jr. He m. 2nd, Jane Clark,
   92.  iii.  John Hutchins, b. 1722,
   92.  iv.  Elizabeth Hutchins, b. 1724, m. 1745, Jonathan Knight,

   Richard Bushnell, b. 1652, perhaps in Saybrook, come to Norwich, Conn. when abt. 8 years old and at the age of 20, m. his step-sister, Elizabeth Adgate. He was a Sergt. in the train band in 1686, and in 1687, was a legatee in the will of his gr-father Matthew Marvin (R-61). Was a legatee in the will of his aunt Elizabeth (Marvin) Olmstead (R-61) who d. 1689, wid. of Dr. John Olmstead, and eldest dau. of Matthew Marvin. He was appointed Ensign of the Train band in May 1693, Lieut. in 1698, and Capt. in 1701 (R-62). The deed for his home lot in Norwich is dated 1698, and in the same year he was a legatee in the will of Owenoco, Sachem of the Mohigan Indians, who gave him 400 acres of land, "in consideration of the kind and free entertainment I have had for many years received of my loving friend Richard Bushnell of Norwich." The deed was given 20 Dec. 1708 for a tract lying between Lebanon and Colchester, and was recorded 24 Mar. 1709, and bears the signatures of Thomas Leffingwell and Samuel Allen as witnesses (R-63). In 1669 he received from the Proprietors of Lebanon, of which he was one, 100 acres of land, "for setting up of the place, and surveying the town lines," and in May of the same year he established the line between Norwich and New London by survey. From 1691 to 1699 he had been a Deputy to the General Court, and from 1702 to 1711, excepting the year 1706, was Clerk, and from 1712 to 1720 was the Speaker of the House. He was a member of the Governor's Council, and served as a Representative in the Mason controversy, and was one of the Commission appointed by Royal authority to settle the Morgan incident, the meetings of which were held in his home.

   He was almost constantly in the public service, acting as Constable, Town Clerk, Schoolmaster, Justice of the Peace, Townsman, Surveyor, Town Agent, Judge of the New London County Court, and Dea. of the 1st ch. of Norwich, and his popularity as a justice of the Peace brought cases from most of the surrounding towns, including Windham, Plainfield, Canterbury, Killingly, Preston, North Groton, North Stonington, etc. His town records are still extant in neat round handwriting.

   His headstone is still standing in the old cemetery in Norwichtown, Conn. a suburb of Norwich.

Children, 4, all b. Norwich, Conn. (R-52-59):

93. i. Anne, b. 4 Dec. 1674, d. 8 July 1745, m. 2 Jan. 1694-5, William Hyde, b. Jan. 1670, d. 8 Aug. 1759, son of Samuel and Jane (Lee) Hyde, they settled on the home lot of his gr-father, William Hyde, at Norwich.

Children, 10, all b. Norwich, Conn:

93. i. William Hyde, b. 14 Nov. 1695, d. 1696,
   ii. Anne Hyde, b. 5 Nov. 1697, m. 1st, John Waterman, m. 2nd, Abiel Marshall,
Matthew Adgate, son of Dea. Thomas and Ruth (Brewster) Adgate, dau. of Benjamin
Jonathan William Brewster.

Richard Hyde, b. 10 Feb. 1707, m. Ann Tracy,

Ezra Hyde, b. 6 Nov. 1709, m. Elizabeth Leffingwell,

Rev. Jedediah Hyde, b. 2 June 1712, m. 1st Jerusha Perkins, m. 2nd,

Jerusha Tracy, who after his death m. 15 Sept. 1763, Daniel Peck,

Elisha Hyde, b. 12 Sept. 1714, m. Lydia Tracy, dau. of Capt. Joseph
and Mary (Abell) Tracy,

Benjamin Hyde, b. 28 Apr. 1717, m. 1st, Abigail Lee, m. 2nd,
Abigail Chadwick, m. 3rd Elizabeth Lord.

Dr. Caleb, b. 26 May 1679,

Benajah, b. 4 May 1681,

Elizabeth, b. 31 Jan. 1685, d. 31 Aug. 1768, m. 29 Dec. 1709, Capt. Jabez
Hyde, b. May 1677, d. 5 Sept. 1762, son of Samuel and Jane (Lee) Hyde. They rem. to West
Farms, now Franklin, Conn. where he d. He was a Representative to the General Court in
1709.

Elizabeth Hyde, b. 9 July 1711, d. 1741, m. 1735, Dea. Simon Tracy,
b. 1710, d. 1793, son of Ensign Simon and Mary (Leffingwell) Tracy, who m. 2nd, Abigail (206)
Bushnell, dau. of Dr. Caleb (94) and Anne (Leffingwell) Bushnell. Children, 3, by Elizabeth
Hyde (see under Abigail (206) Bushnell for his other children): i. Elizabeth Hyde, b. 1738, d. unm; ii. Jabez Tracy, b. 1740, d. 1838, m. 1st, 1763, Zipporah Hibbard, dau. of Nathan and
Zipporah (207) (Bushnell) Hibbard, m. 2nd, Hannah Edgerton, b. 1753, d. 1790, dau. of John
and Elizabeth (Prentice) Edgerton; iii. Mary Tracy, b. 1741, d. 1803, m. Dea. Jonathan Rudd, of
Windham, Conn. son of Jonathan and Ethel (Taylor) Rudd.

Judge Jabez Hyde, b. 16 Sept. 1712, d. Franklin, Conn. 6 Mar. 1805,
m. Franklin, 8 Dec. 1736, Lydia Abell, dau. of Benjamin and Lydia (Hazen) Abell. Children 11:
i. Ezekiel Hyde, b. 20 Apr. 1738, d. 16 July 1808, m. 1st, 6 Dec. 1768, Rachel Tracy, who d. 20
Nov. 1781, m. 2nd, Mary Closen; ii. Jabez Hyde, b. 15 June 1740, m. 12 June 1775, Martha
Pettis; iii. Lydia Hyde, b. 6 Jan. 1744, m. John Lathrop; iv. Elizabeth Hyde, b. 9 July 1746, m. 19
Nov. 1774, Phineas Leffingwell; v. Andrew Hyde, b. 2 Oct. 1748 , m. 1st, 31 Mar. 1775, Mary
Tracy, m. 2nd, Edna (Hyde) Rogers, who d. 20 Sept. 1820; vi. Phebe Hyde, b. 31 Jan. 1750, m.
17 Aug. 1788, John Gager; vii. Solomon Hyde, b. abt. 1752, m. 20 May 1783, Susannah Rogers;
viii. Joseph Hyde, b. abt. 1755, m. 6 Sept. 1780, Susannah Waterman; ix. Benjamin Hyde, b. abt.
1757, m. 26 Oct. 1782, Elizabeth Hyde; x. Dice Hyde, b. 12 Nov. 1759 m. 20 May 1787, Oliver
Backus; xi. Ambrose Hyde, b. 11 June 1762, m. 25 Nov. 1790, Phebe Hyde,

Abigail Hyde, b. 17 Nov. 1715, d. 1804, m. Jonathan Barstow, son of
Job and Rebecca (89) (Bushnell) Barstow, and gr-dau. of Joseph (44) and Mary (Leffingwell)
Bushnell,

Phineas Hyde, b. 1720, d. 1744, m. Anne Rogers,
dau. of Theophilus and Elizabeth (Hyde) Rogers, and gt-gr-dau. of Richard (45) and Elizabeth (Adgate) Bushnell.

  96. v. Joseph Hyde, b. 1724, d. 1754, single.
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*48. John, b. Saybrook, Conn. 5 Mar. 1665/6, d. there, 10 Mar. 1729 (R-1), m. 10 May 1692, Rebecca Cole of Hartford, Conn. b. 5 Apr. 1667, d. 19 Jan. 1731, dau. of Henry and Sarah (Ruscoe) Cole (R-2).

John Bushnell res. at Saybrook, Conn. but we know nothing of his early activities. His uncle Samuel had d. in Dec. 1689, leaving his est. to three of his sisters, Martha Smith, Mary Jones, a Hannah Hosmer, but did not mention his sister, Sarah Ingham, nor the heirs of his dec'd brother John. The Exec's of the est. were Samuel and Thomas Jones, and the records in the apparent litigation over this estate serves well to establish this line. On 11 May 1696 John was awarded the sum of £50 by the Court of Assistance, said award to be paid out of his uncle's est. and three days later the Court issued an order to the Sheriff of New London County to "attach ye goods of Samuel Bushnell, late of Saybrook, dec'd son of Francis Bushnell, to answer judgement." On 22 Sept. 1696, testimony was received of Ensign John Pratt, ae. 50, and Daniel Taylor, ae. 45, both of Saybrook, regarding an offer made by Samuel Jones to John Bushnell, and on 20 Sept. 1704, Thomas Jones, as surety, made his bond (R-5).

In a letter, dated 8 Nov. 1704, John, "son of John Bushnell, who was brother to Samuel Bushnell, late of Saybrook, dec'd," writes to his cousin Thomas Jones of Saybrook, and expresses his opinion that, as his uncle Samuel had no fee simple in the est. he therefore had no power to give it away, and on 11 Nov. 1704, John, son of John Bushnell, late of Saybrook, dec'd, and Sarah Inghon (Ingham), request Robert Chapman and John Clark to appraise the lands, who reported "that the said lands did of right belong to Dea. Francis Bushnell, dec'd." Three days later John applied for Adm. of his uncle Samuel's est. stating that the greater part was in the hands of Samuel and Thomas Jones, Exec's of the said Samuel's est., but John must have been satisfied as on 4 Oct. 1703 he gave acquittance to Thomas Jones for all right in the est. (R-6).

He d. in 1729 and his gravestone can still be seen in the Old Cemetery at Saybrook. Ira Bushnell, gr-son of the above John, states in his Mss. "That his gr-father had 7 sons and two daus. Sarah and Rebecca, who had no children and that his son John, father of Ira was the oldest to grow up."

Children, 9, (R-3-4):

97. i. John, b. 1693, d. 1695,
98*. ii. John, b. 2 Nov. 1695,
99*. iii. Francis, b. 17 Nov. 1697,
100*. iv. Samuel, b. 12 Mar. 1699/1700,
101. v. Amos, b. 18 Jan. 1701/2, d. 1733, single,
102*. vi. Benjamin, b. abt. 1703,
103. vii. Rebecca, b. 16 Sept. 1704, m. 15 Apr. 1729, John Mather, son of Rev. Azariah Mather, they had no children,
104. viii. Sarah, b. 9 Dec. 1706, d. 19 June 1731, single,
105*. ix. Lemuel, b. abt. 1712.

*54. Joshua, b. Saybrook, Conn. 18 Nov. 1690, d. there, 24 Dec. 1778 (R-3), m. 1st, 21 Jan. 1712/13, Margaret Chapman (R-7), b. 6 Apr. 1697, d. 14 Feb. 1716, dau. of Capt. Samuel and Margaret (Griswold) Chapman, they had 1 child. He m. 2nd, 23 Feb. 1717,
Elizabeth Hanley (or Handley), b. England, 6 June 1696, d. Saybrook, Conn. 12 May 1777 (R-7), her parents not known.

Joshua Bushnell lived in that part of Saybrook which was later called Westbrook, and it is inferred that he was a blacksmith, as in his will he devised to his son all of his tools for smith work.

In May 1738 a request was made by the numerous inhabitants to the General Assembly, that the colony treasurer be instructed to replace "broken bills" and Joshua had 10s in such bills (R-11). The same year he was a Deputy to this body, and also an exec. of the will of Joseph Scone, and requested permission to sell the land to settle debts of the est. In May 1740 he was confirmed 1st Lieut. of the 1st Co. of train band in Saybrook (R-10), and on 9 Dec. 1742 was chosen Dea, in the 1st ch. there. He d. in 1778, and was buried in the Old Cem. at Saybrook, as were his wives, and their headstones are still standing there.

His will, dated 3 Apr. 1771 (R-12), was presented to the Court 19 Feb. 1779 and the inv. of both real and personal property, totaled £1900-9s-6d, a large estate for that period. He provided for his wid. Elizabeth, his oldest son Phineas, and his sons Jonathan, Hanley, and Elias; also for his daus Margaret, Elizabeth, Hannah, and Thankful; and for his two gr-daus Margaret, the wife of Jonathan Bushnell and Lucy Hart, "the now wife of Samuel Hart." To Lucy Hart he devised the "young orchard which had been set out by his son Joshua, now dec'd." He named as exec's his sons Phineas, Jonathan, and Hanley, and on 5 Nov. 1779, Phineas appeared before the Court and accepted the trust. John Tully, Elias Tully, Jr., and Parnell Tully were wits.

The parentage of Elizabeth Hanley, his 2nd wife, had not been proved but it seems certain that she was not the Elizabeth Henley of Boston, Mass. as claimed by some writers.

Dr. Samuel C. Hart, of Middletown, Conn. 1909, formerly of Hartford, and earlier of Saybrook, gave the story of Elizabeth Hanley, his ancestress, through her gr-dau Lucy (Bushnell) Hart, "My great grandfather Squire Samuel Hart, m. 22 Feb. 1770, Lucy Bushnell, dau. of Joshua Bushnell - - who had three brothers, Jonathan, Hanley, and Phineas, and two sisters. The story of their mother was told me by a grand-daughter of Hanley Bushnell -- She was Elizabeth Hanley from Liverpool, England. When 16 years of age she was brought from school and bidden to marry an old man whom her parents had elected for her husband. She ran away and persuaded a sea captain to take her to America. It was Capt. Williams of Essex, who on arriving, sold her at auction in Essex. She was bound out in order to pay the charges of her passage, and was bought by Mr. Joshua Bushnell, who after two years married her. When her first child was born, she wrote to her parents, who had supposed that she had been drowned, and a brother came across the sea to see her." (R-13)

Children, 9 (R-3):

106.  i. Mary, b. 27 Aug. 1714, d. Sept. 1743, m. 21 June 1733, William Parker, who d. in 1780 son of Joseph and Ruth (Williams) Parker; he m. 2nd, Mary ( ), who d. in 1812, ae. 91.

Children, 1:

106.  ii. Margaret Parker, b. 1741, m. Jonathan (248), son of Jonathan (108) and Elizabeth (Shipman) Bushnell.
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107*. ii. Phineas, b. 23 Apr. 1718,
108*. iii. Jonathan, b. abt. 1721,
109. iv. Margaret, m. 17 Oct. 1742, John Shipman (R-3), b. 20 Dec. 1717, d. 2 Nov. 1786, son of John and Elizabeth (Kirtland) Shipman. She mentions her father Joshua Bushnell in a deed (R-9), dated 1787.

Children, 9, all b. in Saybrook:

109. i. Mary Shipman, b. 22 Aug. 1743,
109. ii. Ann Shipman, b. 24 Oct. 1745,
109. iii. John Shipman,
109. iv. Elizabeth Shipman,
109. v. William Shipman,
109. vi. Margaret Shipman,
109. vii. James Shipman,
109. viii. Elias Shipman,
109. ix. a dau. Shipman, name unknown.

NOTE: The children of John and Elizabeth (Kirtland) Shipman, 5: i. Elizabeth Shipman, b. 3 Dec. 1715 d. 30 Jan. 1809, m. Jonathan (108), son of Joshua (54) and Elizabeth (Hanley) Bushnell; ii. John Shipman, b. 20 Dec. 1717, m. Margaret (109) Bushnell, above; iii. Elias Shipman, b. 30 Apr. 1720, d. 17 Nov. 1748, m. Rebecca Leffingwell and lived at Killingworth, Conn; iv. Nathaniel Shipman, b. 25 May 1723, d. 7 Sept. 1705, m. 1st, at Norwich, Conn. 1747, Ruth Reynolds, m. 2nd, Norwich, Conn. 18 July 1756, Elizabeth Leffingwell; v. Samuel Shipman, b. 21 May 1725, d. 4 Sept. 1801, m. 1st, Saybrook, Conn. June 1745, Sarah Doty, who d. 14 May 1753, m. 2nd, 10 Jan. 1754, Hannah (112), dau. of Joshua (54) and Elizabeth (Hanley) Bushnell.

110. v. Elizabeth, b. 2 Jan. 1724/5, d. 24 July 1812, m. 2 May 1744, David Seward (R-3), b. 23 June 1714, d. 25 or 28 Jan. 1801, son of Dea. William and Damaris (Punderson) Seward, and gr-son of Capt. John and Abigail (35) (Bushnell) Seward.

Children, 6:

110. i. Elizabeth Seward, b. 23 June 1745, m. 21 Dec. 1780, Eliazer Evarts,
110. ii. David Seward, b. 9 Oct. 1748, m. 14 Dec. 1780, Mabel Fields,
110. iii. John Seward, b. 30 June 1753, d. 9 Oct. 1759,
110. iv. Timothy Seward, b. 16 Apr. 1756,
110. v. Amos Seward, b. 1 Oct. 1758, d. 16 Oct. 1759,
110. vi. Damaria Seward, b. 20 Sept. 1761.

111*. vi. Joshua, b. abt. 1726,

112. vii. Hannah, b. abt. 1729, bapt. 18 June 1735 (R-8), d. 4 Sept. 1806, m. as his 2nd wife, 10 Jan. 1754, Capt. Samuel Shipman, b. 21 May 1725, d. 4 Sept. 1801, son of John and Elizabeth (Kirtland) Shipman. He was known as Capt. in the Rev. War, and was Rep. to the General Assembly several times between 1776 and 1782 (R-10). On 10 Feb. 1802, Hannah Shipman, wid. wife of Capt. Samuel Shipman, sold land to Richard Tryon which had descended to her from her father's estate (R-9).

Children, 6, (R-10):

112. i. Hannah Shipman, b. 26 Sept. 1755, d. Granby, Conn. 15 Mar. 1826, m. 3 Nov. 1773, William Pratt (Humphrey4 Isaac3 John2 William1).
112. ii. Nathaniel Shipman, b. 18 Feb. bapt. 8 Apr. 1759, m. on Long Island, N.Y. bet. 7 Nov. and 30 July 1780, Hannah Rogers (Stephen5 Obediah4-3-2 William1).
112. iii. Clarinda Shipman, b. 23 Nov. 1762, d. 7 Mar. 1814,
112. iv. Joshua Shipman, b. 16 June 1766, d. 29 Mar. 1767,
112. v. Joshua Shipman, b. 16 Apr. bapt. 14 May 1767, d. Marietta, Ohio, 3 Oct. 1823, m. 1 Dec. 1786 or 1787, Sibyl Chapman,
112. vi. Orphana Shipman, b. 6 May, bapt. 17 June 1770, d. Saybrook, Conn. 3 June 1843,
113*. viii. Hanley, b. abt. 1731,
114. ix. Thankful, bapt. 1 May 1736 (R-8), m. 7 May 1755, Samuel Kirtland (R-8), son of Samuel and Martha (Whittlesey) Kirtland. He m. 2nd, Mehitable Lord.

Children, 4, (R-3):
114. i. Azubah Kirtland, b. 19 Dec. 1756, m. Elias Tully, Jr.
114. ii. Samuel Kirtland, b. 31 Aug. 1760, m. Statia Cone, Children, 8, (R-3):
   i. Benjamin Kirtland, b. 21 June 1761; ii. Joseph Kirtland, b. 21 Nov. 1783, m. Lydia Pratt; iii. Susan M. Kirtland, b. 21 Oct. 1787; iv. Thankful Kirtland, b. 6 Nov. 1789; v. Samuel Kirtland, b. 2 Sept. 1791; vi. Joseph Kirtland, b. 9 Apr. 1793; vii. Anna Kirtland, b. 11 Nov. 1795; viii. George Kirtland, b. 27 Apr. 1801,
114. iii. Lydia Kirtland, b. 23 Mar. 1763, m. Capt. Samuel D. Stillman,
114. iv. Benjamin Kirtland, b. 18 Dec. 1769,
115. x. Elias, mentioned in his father's will.

*58. Samuel (Capt.), b. Saybrook, Conn. 21 Aug. 1682, d. there, 6 May 1752, m. 31 Mar. 1709/10, Hannah Hill, b. 7 Nov. 1689, d. Killingworth, Conn. bef. 4 June 1776, dau. of Tahan and Hannah (Parmelee) Hill.

Samuel Bushnell, called Lieut. in a deed dated 9 May 1732, for grant at Pochaug Bridge (R-9), was Capt. in 1737 when land was set out to him and to his son Jeremiah at Oyster River Quarter, also in deed dated 6 May 1752 for 5 acres of ledge between Horse Hill and Pond Meadow, purchased of William Kelsey (R-9). He must have died suddenly as on 25 May 1752 all the heirs of Capt. Samuel Bushnell, late of Saybrook, dec'd, quit claim to their brother Jeremiah the west half of the homestead, and to Samuel the east half, the heirs mentioned being, "Samuel Bushnell 2nd. of Saybrook; Ezra Parmelee and Jemima my wife; Isaac Kelsey and Hannah, my wife; Ira Bushnell and Patience, my wife."

In 1756 the Court appointed all of Saybrook, to set out the dower of Hannah Bushnell, wid. of Capt. Samuel Bushnell, late of Saybrook, dec'd, and on 4 June 1776, the Court ordered a "dist. of the est. of Hannah Bushnell, wid. dec'd at Killingworth, among the surviving dau's and heirs of Patience dec'd, it being moveable est. of Capt. Samuel Bushnell, the late husband of the said Hannah (R-17).

Children, 5, (R-3):
116*. i. Jeremiah, b. 27 Sept. 1710,
117. ii. Jemima, b. 19 Feb. 1712/3, m. 22 Feb. 1737/8, Ezra Parmelee, and lived in Killingworth, Conn.
Children, 8, (R-14):
117. i. Daniel Parmelee, b. 22 June 1737,
117. ii. Jerusha Parmelee, b. 23 May 1741,
117. iii. Samuel Parmelee, b. 4 June 1743,
117. iv. Ezra Parmelee, b. 25 Aug. 1745,
117. v. Oliver Parmelee, b. 19 Mar. 1746,
117. vi. Justin Parmelee, b. 8 Aug. 1750,
117. vii. Elias Parmelee, b. 29 Mar. 1752,
117. viii. ( )hiel Parmelee, b. 23 Jan. 1755.


Children, 5 (R-14-15):
118. i. Jeremiah Kelsey, b. 30 Jan. 1753, d. bef. 1829,
118. ii. Hannah Kelsey, b. 23 July 1755,
118. iii. Abigail Kelsey, b. 14 Jan. 1757, d. 22 Apr. 1827,
118. iv. Joel Kelsey, b. 6 Aug. 1761, d. 6 Mar. 1860,
118. v. Augustus Kelsey, b. 22 Feb. 1764.

119*. iv. Samuel, b. abt. 1724,
120. v. Patience, b. 28 Oct. 1725, d. 28 June 1764, m. 28 Oct. 1750, Ira (213) (R-16), son of John (98) and Catherine (Kelsey) Bushnell (R-15).

*60. Daniel (Lieut.), b. Saybrook, Conn. 20 Feb. 1687, d. Hebron, Conn. 1 Jan. 1753, ae. 65, m. 25 Jan. 1741, Sarah Post (R-18), b. abt. 1711, d. 22 Dec. 1784, ae. 73, dau. of Jordan and Phebe (Lay?) Post.

Daniel Bushnell, b. in Saybrook, Conn. probably rem. to Hebron about the time his father, on 14 Mar. 1727, deeded to him land there, "in consideration of the love and affection I do bear for my son Daniel Bushnell of said Saybrook" also his brother Ephriam had, just the day before, quit claimed to him all his interest in a 1500 acre right in the township of Hebron, which belonged to his gr-father, Lt. William Bushnell of Saybrook, dec’d. His name appears as witness in the will of William Bolles dated 30 May 1732.

On 23 Nov. 1748 he, with Capt. Trumbull and Dr. Sumner, were a committee to confer with Col. Bulkley about forming an independent Military company, and on 26 Mar. 1749 Jordan Post, Ichabod Phelps, and Benjamin Trumbull were a committee to agree with Lieut. Daniel Bushnell for land for a burial place for the Ecclesiastical Society. From 1768 to 1770 he was collector of the Society rates, and on 10 Dec. 1794 was one of a committee to collect and loan certain donations. From 1770 to 1800, his name appears frequently in the records of the Society (R-20). He was a Lieut. in the local militia, and seems to have been quite active, in the affairs of the community, he was buried in Gilead Cemetery.

Children, 5, (R-18):
121. i. Sarah, b. 19 Apr. 1742, d. 9 July 1783, m. 9 Feb. 1764, Joel Post, b. 11 May 1743, d. 4 May 1813, ae. 70, son of Dea. Thomas and Dinah (Brown) Post.

Children, 7, (R-18):
121. i. Sarah Post, b. 21 Dec. 1765, m. ( ) Rose,
121. ii. Lucy Post, b. 5 Feb. 1767, m. Abel Bissell,
121. iii. Clarissa Post, b. 1 Feb. 1770, m. Oct. 1806, Neziah Brown,
121. iv. Joel Post, b. 1772, d. 1 Sept. 1775,
121. v. Esther Post, b. 25 Jan. 1774, d. 17 Mar. 1786,
121.vi. Hannah Post, b. 10 Jan. 1775, d. Wellington, Ohio, 4 Mar. 1855, m. 8 Feb. 1795, David Webster, b. Bolton, Conn. 21 Nov. 1771, d. Wellington, Ohio, 14 Nov. 1867 (See Webster Genealogy). (While it is asserted that Hannah Post was one of the children in this family, the allocation is doubtful as Hebron Records do not seem to support the claim, and she was not named in the quit Claim Deed given by Lydia Bushnell, dated 19 Dec. 1818, to Sarah Rose of Coventry, Lucy Bissell wife of Abel Bissell, Clarissa Brown wife of Neziah Brown, and Joel Post, for all the estate which had descended, or should descend, to the said Lydia Bushnell out of the est. of her brother Daniel Bushnell of Hebron dec'd).

121.vii. Joel Post, b. 28 July 1778, m. Isabelle ( )

122.iii. Lydia, b. 13 Mar. 1743/4, d. 3 Mar. 1826, ae. 82,

123.iii. Daniel, b. 16 June 1746, d. 10 Oct. 1818, ae. 72 or 73. Probably did not m. as his property was left to his sister Lydia who on 19 Dec. 1818, transferred it to her sister Sarah's children. In the 1790 U.S. Census, he has a family of 2 males over 16 and 1 female, who was perhaps his sister Lydia. He was a soldier in the Rev. War in Capt. Well's Co. and is called Capt. in Hebron Records,

124.iv. Mindwell, b. 1 Dec. 1748, d. 26 Apr. 1779, single,

125.v. Jonathan, b. 4 Apr. 1751, d. 8 June 1772, single.


Children, 4, (R-3):

126.i. Nathaniel, b. 27 June 1727,

127.ii. Temperance, b. 1732, m. Gideon Chalker,

128.iii. Abigail, b. 1735, d. 11 Feb. 1790, m. ( ) Willard,

129.iv. Deborah, b. 20 Apr. 1737, m. 3 Mar. 1757, George M. Dibble.

*63. Ebenezer, b. Saybrook, Conn. 19 Aug. 1701, d. there, 6 Mar. 1783, ae. 81, m. Saybrook, Conn. 17 Nov. 1730, Dorothy Ingham, b. Apr. 1702, bapt. Saybrook, Conn. 1 June 1703, d. Westbrook, Conn. 8 June 1793 ae. 91y-4m, dau. of Ebenezer and Dorothy (Stone) Ingham (R-21).

Ebenezer Bushnell and his wife Dorothy, by record dated 25 June 1733, owned the covenant in 3rd Cong. ch. at Westbrook, where their deaths are also of record. His will was prob. in 1783, mentions his wife Dorothy, and sons Joseph, Reuben, and Ebenezer (R-22).

130.i. Dorothy, b. 29 July 1732, bapt. 25 June 1733,

131*.ii. Joseph, b. 7 Sept. 1733,

132.iii. Hepsibah, bapt. 26 Apr. 1737/8, d. 2 July 1768,

133.iv. Esther, bapt. 28 Sept. 1740, d. 6 Aug. 1766,

134*.v. Reuben, b. 1743,

135*.vi. Ebenezer, b. 1745.

*65. Josiah, b. Saybrook, Conn. 9 June 1706, d. Hartland, Conn. 3 Sept. 1799, ae. 90 (R-23), m. Martha Jones, b. 1711, d. Hartland, Conn. 22 July 1777, ae. 66 (R-23), dau. of Thomas Jones of Saybrook, Conn. who in a deed for land at Saybrook, given to Josiah Bushnell and Martha his wife by Thomas Jones of Saybrook, dated 1 Sept. 1752, declares that "it is a good and absolute estate of inheritance in fee simple, valueing the same unto my
said daughter as thirty pounds toward her portion out of my estate." (R-24).

Josiah Bushnell came to Hartland, Conn. in 1761, and was perhaps in Granville, Mass. in 1762, but returned shortly to Hartland. On 1 May 1757, he bought a tract of land there from Mary Warner, and he was then of Saybrook (R-32). His wife Martha, was received into the church at Hartland by letter from the ch. at Saybrook 1 Dec. 1769 and both were listed as members 27 July 1777 (R-33). Mr. ( ) Ruick of Granby, Conn. had an old note book with data written by Hiram Bushnell Gibbons, son of Jedediah How Gibbons (R-25) above, which stated that Nathaniel Cowdrey married Mehitable Demmon who came from England and settled in Hartland, Conn. and that Moses Cowdrey, their son, first m. Martha, dau. of Josiah Bushnell, who m. Martha Jones, and settled in Hartland, Conn.

Children, 8, (R-25-26):

136. i. Martha, b. 11 Nov. 1731, d. 29 Jan. 1803, m. Moses Cowdrey, b. Charlestown, Mass. bapt. Reading, Mass. 1 Nov. 1731, d. West Hartland, Conn. 17 Dec. 1813, son of Nathaniel and Mehitable (Demmon) Cowdrey. He m. 2nd, at Hartland, Conn. in Oct. 1806, Lydia Baldwin, who was b. abt. 1735. He came to Hartland, abt. 1769 and joined the ch. 10 Mar. 1771, and abt. 1772, erected a log house, and another in 1780, which he sold to his son Moses in 1797. In 1837 Moses sold it to his son Lester, who later built another which continued in the family as late as 1896. The first two of their children were b. in East Haddam, Conn. the others in Hartland, and when the 1790 Census was taken there were 2 males over 16 and 5 females in his family. He left no will at his death, nor was his estate probated (R-27).

Children, 9, (R-27-28):

136. i. Asa Cowdrey, b. 19 Feb. 1758, d. 21 Apr. 1843, m. 9 Jan. 1785, Abigail Ensign, b. 30 Sept. 1764, d. 10 Feb. 1843,
136. ii. Olive Ann Cowdrey, b. 11 Nov. 1759, d. 16 Jun. 1837,
136. iii. Ambrose Cowdrey, b. 1 Jan. 1762, d. after 1 May 1834, m. 1st, 18 Aug. 1774, Mary Green Reed, m. 2nd, Lucretia Wright, m. 3rd, Chlorissa Ursula Hitchcock, who d. 3 Oct. 1835. In his will dated 1 May 1834, he named his children, Ambrose, Almond, Sally Paine, Polly Hitchcock, Desmonda Giddings, Vashti Messenger, Edmond, William Wright, Edith Banning, Martha Banning, Cordelia, Lucretia, and Lyman Wright, the latter having two thirds of the property if he support his father and mother during their natural lives. Children, 19: i. Ambrose Cowdrey, b. 15 Dec. 1784; ii. Almond Cowdrey, b. 25 June 1787, iii. Lyman Cowdrey, b. 5 June 1789; iv. Linus Cowdrey, b. 19 Sept. 1792; v. Sally Cowdrey, b. 15 Dec. 1794, m. Elisha Paine; vi. Polly Cowdrey, b. 25 Feb. 1796, m. Tidal Hitchcock; vii. Desdemona Cowdrey, b. 30 Apr. 1798, m. Loran Giddings; viii. Vashti Cowdrey, b. 5 May 1800, m. John Messenger; ix. Edith Cowdrey, b. 18 Jan. 1801, d.y; x. Berian Cowdrey, b. 16 Feb. 1802; xi. Edmond Cowdrey, b. 23 July 1803; xii. Philo Cowdrey, b. 6 Sept. 1804; xiii. William Wright Cowdrey, b. 23 Mar. 1806; xiv. John Flavel Cowdrey, b. 5 Mar. 1807, m. Almerine Benson; xv. Edith Cowdrey, b. 18 Feb. 1809, m. Josiah Banning; xvi. Martha Bushnell Cowdrey, b. 16 Apr. 1811, m. 22 Oct. 1829, Benjamin H. Banning; xvii. Cordelia Cowdrey, b. 28 Jan. 1814, m. Samuel Rogers of New Hartford, Conn; xviii. Lucretia Cowdrey, b. 26 Mar. 1815, m. 2 Sept. 1835 Elijah B. Holcomb; xix. Lyman Wright Cowdrey, b. 25 Nov. 1816,
136. iv. Mehitable Cowdrey, b. 22 Dec. 1763, d. 20 Jan. 1829, m. Ebenezer Hathaway of Suffield, Conn.

136. v. Martha Cowdrey, b. 16 Jan. 1768, d. 12 Mar. 1828, m. Benjamin Barney,

136. vi. Damaris Cowdrey, b. 6 Aug. 1768, d. 5 July 1838,

136. vii. Elizabeth Cowdrey, b. 22 Oct. 1770, d. 29 Sept. 1844, m. Jedediah How Gibbons,


136. ix. Huldah Cowdrey, b. 22 Jul. 1776, d. abt. 1841,

137*. ii. Josiah, bapt. 10 Mar. 1733/4,

138*. iii. Abner, b. 19 Oct. 1737,

139*. iv. Daniel, b. abt. 1740,

140. v. Lydia, bapt. 3 Oct. 1742, d. 3 June 1817, m. abt. 1758/9, Eleazer Ensign (R-29), bapt. West Hartford Church, 9 Oct. 1737, d. 5 Sept. 1802 (R-27). They lived in Suffield and Hartland, Conn. (R-28-29).

Children, 7, (R-27):

140. i. Timothy Ensign, b. abt. 1763, d. 14 June 1816, m. 23 Oct. 1785, Chloe Burnham, b. 6 Mar. 1768, d. 28 Sept. 1811, dau. of Reuben and Chloe (Fitch) Burnham. Children, 1, (R-30): i. Edward Hooker Ensign, b. 21 Aug. 1818, m. 1st, Alsemena Frances Kingsley, m. 2nd, Marie Barton.

140. ii. Lydia Ensign, b. Hartford, Conn. 30 Oct. 1764, d. 18 Aug. 1823, m. 11 Dec. 1783, George C. Treat, b. 14 Mar. 1756, d. 2 Jan. 1827, who served through the Rev. War and moved to Hartland, Conn. where he joined the ch. 6 June 1784. He was a carpenter. Children, 7, all b. West Hartland, Conn. (R-30): i. Eleazer Treat, bapt. 1784, d. 24 Sept. 1856, m. 24 June 1807, Vienna Crosby; ii. William Treat, bapt. 4 Mar. 1787, d. 2 or 6 June 1791; iii. Elsey Treat, bapt. 29 Nov. 1787, d. 7 Apr. 1782, m. 7 June 1818, Charles Case; iv. William Treat, bapt. 14 July 1793, d. 12 Jan. 1872, m. 16 Sept. 1822, Delia Stanley; v. Harriet Treat, b. abt. 1798, d. 14 Nov. 1825, unmarried; vi. Anna Maria Treat, bapt. 30 Nov. 1800, d. 15 Sept. 1830, unmarried; vii. George Treat, b. abt. 1804/5, d. 24 Feb. 1838, ae. 33, m. abt. 1827, Lucinda (742), dau. of Oliver (335) and Lucinda (Wilson) Bushnell.

140. iii. Diodate Johnson Ensign, b. 22/3 Mar. 1768, bapt. 17 July 1768, in 1st. ch. in Hartland, Conn. d. 5 May 1804, ae. 36, m. 10 Jan. 1791, Rhoda Phelps, b. Windsor, Conn. 29 Apr. 1770 (R-31), d. 7 Oct. 1847, dau. of Capt. Austin and Deborah (Moore) Phelps. She m. 2nd, Dr. John Hooker, son of Rev. John Hooker, of Northampton, Mass. He was a tanner of West Hartland, Conn. Children, 3, (R-31): i. Austin Ensign, b. 17 Nov. 1791, d. abt. 1855, ae. 63, m. Laura Minerva Beach, b. 5 Feb. 1795, dau. of Charles and Wealthy (Foote) Beach, children, 1: i. a dau. Ensign, m. Mr. Barrows, children, 1: i. dau. Barrows, m. S. M. Bronson, of Litchfield, Conn.; ii. Eleazer Ensign, b. abt. 1798,
m. and had Children, i. Robert E. Ensign, a physician of Berlin, Conn., in 1895 his father was living with him at the age of 97; iii. Timothy Ensign, settled in New York City, in business, but later retired and settled in Windsor, Conn.

140. iv. Candace Ensign, b. Hartland, Conn. abt. 1773, d. 11 July 1846, ae. 75, in Hartland, m. 1st, abt. 1797, Sterling Crosby, b. abt. 1762, d. abt. 1802, ae. 40, two children. She m. 2nd, 11 Jan. 1838, Dea. ( ) Goodyear, widower, who d. 5 Sept. 1845, ae. 84. He was a Rev. War pensioner.

140. v. Theodore Ensign, b. 9 Sept. 1775, bapt. 1 Oct. 1775, d. 23 July 1860, m. 17 June 1799, Lucinda Barber of Windsor, Conn. b. 17 Nov. 1775, d. 21 Apr. 1845, dau. of Amos Barber. They moved to Warsaw, N.Y. in 1817, and to Clarindon, Ohio, in 1831. Children, 6: i. Jerusha Ensign, b. 10 Oct. 1799, d. 12 Oct. 1832 of cholera in the morning after their arrival in Ohio, m. ( ) Beech in New York; ii. Joanna Ensign, b. 27 Nov. 1800, d. 29 Mar. 1870, m. 6 Mar. 1833, Harmon Newell; iii. Johnson Diodate Ensign, b. 25 Apr. 1805, d. 3 Nov. 1862, m. Minerva Cowles; iv. infant Ensign, b. 16 Sept. 1807; v. Theodore Woodbridge Ensign, b. 4 Apr. 1813, d. abt. 1862, m. 3 July 1837, Melissa Bradley, who. d. 1862; vi. Ammi Emory Ensign, b. 10 Nov. 1816, d. 23 Dec. 1855, m. Mercy Rebecca Chase,


140. vii. Joel Ensign, b. 14 Aug. 1784, d. 8 Sept. 1858, m. 9 Jan. 1806, Eunice Newton, b. 24 Aug. 1783, d. 8 Jan. 1851, 10 children, he m. 2nd, 19 Feb. 1852, Abigail Bennett, who d. 28 Oct. 1871.

141*. vi. Jedediah, bapt. 24 Mar. 1745,

142*. vii. Stephen, bapt. 22 Mar. 1748,


*68. Ephriam, b. Saybrook, Conn. 14 Feb. 1675, d. Westbrook, Conn. 16 Jan. 1766, m. 1st, Saybrook Conn. 9 Nov. 1697, Mary Long (R-3-34), who d. before 1712, sister of Jerusha Long, of Hartford, Conn. He m. 2nd, Westbrook, Conn. 16 Oct. 1712, Ann Hill, b. 4 Mar. 1689/90, dau. of James and Sarah (Griswold) Hill (R-3).

Ephriam Bushnell does not appear to have been prominent in the affairs of Saybrook, at least we have not obtained the data if so. His first wife was Mary Long, a sister of Jerusha, who d. at Hartford, 11 Jan. 1722/3, where the probate records show that her heirs were her brothers and sisters, namely; Mary Bushnell, dec'd; Joseph Long of Hartford; William Long of Coventry; David Ensign; Sarah Culver; and Hannah Moore.

In a deed dated 1750, he mentions James as his son, and in a deed dated 1757, he mentions his children: Thomas; Sarah Parker; Charity Parmelee; and Rebeckah Bushnell, who was single (R-35).

Children, 14, all b. Saybrook, (R-2-35):

144. i. Mary, b. 8 Aug. 1698,

145. ii. Daniel, b. 8 Nov. 1699, d. Easthampton, L. I. 25 Apr. 1723. The date on his headstone in the Cem. at Easthampton is given as 27 Apr. but in the records of the Rev. Nathaniel Huntling (or Huntley) there, we find, "Apr. 25, 1723, Daniel Bushnell, a stranger that came hither on whaling designs, died at 3 A. M."
about 24 years old." (R-36).

146. iii. Martha, b. 16 May 1701, d. 11 July 1713,
147. iv. Ephriam, b. 27 Sept. 1702. He probably served in King Phillips War, and, for his services, received a grant of land in Souhegan East, which was No. 5 of the 7 townships laid out in New Hampshire at the close of the war, and called Narragansett Nos. 1 to 7. Although his name appears among those of the founders of this town, now called Bedford, it is doubtful that he perfected his claim, as the town clerk states that Bushnell is not an old name of Bedford, and that of the 120 grants for war service, only Zechariah Chandler and John Barnes, perfected their claims. He did, however, assist in surveying some of these tracts as on 16 June 1736, Caleb Brooks surveyor, and John Goff, and Ephriam Bushnell chainmen, attest to having made the survey of the town of Bedford, and two days later make oath to the same before Eleazer Tyng, J. P. (R-37)

148. v. Sarah, b. 21 Apr. 1704, d.y;
149. vi. Jedediah, b. 5 May 1705/6, d.y;
150. vii. Sarah, b. 26 July 1713, d. bef. 1763, m. Saybrook, Conn. 18 Apr. 1732, Jonathan Parker (R-3), who d. 7 Feb. 1756, son of Jonathan and Elinor (Post) Parker.

Children, 7, (R-3):

150. i. Jonathan Parker, b. 14 Sept. 1733, d. 1821, m. abt. 1782, Mary Jones,
150. ii. Jedediah Parker, b. 8 June 1735,
150. iii. Sarah Parker, b. 21 June 1739,
150. iv. Rachel Parker, b. 31 Aug. 1742,
150. v. Temperance Parker, b. 15 Sept. 1749,
150. vi. Huldah Parker, b. 10 Jan. 1752,
150. vii. Jonathan Parker, b. 27 Mar. 1754,

151. viii. Jedediah, b. 23 May 1714,
152. ix. James, b. 12 Mar. 1716,
153. x. Martha, b. 12 Aug. 1718, m. Elijah Stannard,

Children, 3, (R-3):

153. i. Anne Stannard, b. 19 Mar. 1747,
153. ii. Hannah Stannard, b. 5 June, 1749,
153. iii. Elijah Stannard, m. Margaret De Vaile,
154. xi. Anna, b. 24 Oct. 1720, m. 22 Dec. 1743, Moses Dudley, b. 28 July 1714, d. 3 Dec. 1788, son of William and Mary (Hill) Dudley of Lyme, Conn. (R-3-38).

Children, 8, (R-39):

154. i. Moses Dudley, b. 30 May 1745, m. Anna Stowe,
154. ii. William Dudley, b. 12 Oct. 1747,
154. iii. Anna Dudley, b. 26 July 1750,
154. iv. Rebeckah Dudley, b. 18 Feb. 1753,
154. v. Bushnell Dudley, b. 19 July 1755,
154. vi. John Dudley, b. 29 Jan. 1758,
154. vii. Elisha Dudley, b. 2 Apr. 1763,
154. viii. Sarah Dudley, b. 2 Apr. 1763: d. abt. 1851, m. Ephriam Isham of Bolton and Hartford, Conn. and had 1 dau. who d. at Hartford, 1876, unmarried (R-40).

155*. xii. Thomas, b. 24 Aug. 1722,
156. xiii. Charity, m. Killingworth, Conn. 17 Oct. 1754, Zebulon Parmelee, as his 2nd wife. His 1st wife was Phebe ( ), who d. 18 Nov. 1753, by whom he had a dau. ( )cena, (R-14).

Children, 1, (R-14):

156. i. Charity Parmelee, b. 9 Jan. 1757, perhaps others.
157. xiv. Rebeckah, b. 2 June 1728, m. after 1757, Benjamin Merrills (R-8).

Children, 6, all b. Killingworth, (R-14):

157. i. Julianna Merrills, b. 11 Nov. 1762,
157. ii. Rebecca Merrills, b. 20 Aug. 1765,
157. iii. Daniel Merrills, b. 22 Mar. 1768,
157. iv. George Merrills, b. 14 Sept. 1770,
157. v. Chloe Merrills, b. 12 May 1772,
157. vi. Hannah Merrills, b. 9 Nov. 1773.

*69. William, b. Saybrook, Conn. 3 Apr. 1680, d. there, 30 May 1733, m. 10 Apr. 1701, Catherine Jordan (R-3), who d. Oct. 1751, dau. of John and Deborah ( ) Jordan, and gr-dau. of John and Ann (Bishop) Jordan.

William Bushnell lived at Saybrook where all of his children were born and where he died. On 26 June 1713 Abraham Chalker, exec. of the est. of John Jordan (R-22), set off lands to Mary Jordan, and mentions that her father was John Jordan (R-22), and on the same date Mary Jordan deeds lands to "William Bushnell, husband of Katherine," which were also a part of her father's estate (R-35).

In the inventory of William's est. there is named Samuel and Joshua Bushnell, and sons Nehemiah, Stephen, and Gideon. Hezekiah and William are not named, but on 3 Sept. 1733, the latter received a dwelling house, 3/4 of the barn, an orchard, and 3 acres of land adjoining the mill and 4 acres of land north of the pond as his inheritance (R-22).

In a deed dated 1746, all the heirs are named, viz: Katherine, wid, sons William, Nehemiah, Stephen, Hezekiah, and Gideon, and John Post and his wife Lydia (R-35). In the records he is sometimes called "Sergt."

Note: John Jordan was a cooper and m. Deborah ( ), who d. in 1677, he may have m. a 2nd time. On 24 June 1679, he sold his lands in Guilford to William Leete, Jr. and about this time rem. to Middletown, Conn. but perhaps returned later. It is assumed that his children were: John, Jr; James; Mary, who m. John Ingham; Hannah, m. 1st, Samuel Bates, whose dau. m. William Bushnell, son of the William above, m. 2nd, John Stannard; and Katherine, who m. William Bushnell (R-41).

Children, 7, (R-3-35):

158*. i. William, b. 26 Oct. 1703,
159. ii. Stephen, b. 29 Apr. 1708 d. 1 Aug. 1727, single,
160*. iii. Nehemiah, b. 22 Apr. 1710,
161. iv. Lydia, b. 6 July 1712, d. 1769, m. 2 Sept. 1733, John Post (R-8), b. 16 June 1700, son of Abraham and Elizabeth (Stevens) Post.

Children, 4, (R-3):

161. i. Lydia Post, b. 11 July 1734,
161. ii. Ann Post, b. 9 Oct. 1735,
161. iii. John Post, b. 3 Sept. 1738 m. Chloe Chapman, Children, 5: i. Chloe Post; ii. John Post; iii. Jedediah Post, b. 29 Dec. 1771, m. Abigail Lay, dau. of James and Abigail (265) (Bushnell) Lay; iv. Temperance Post; v. child Post, unnamed,
161. iv. Temperance Post, b. 6 Apr. 1741, m. abt. 1762, Samuel Denison, children, 3: i. Zina Denison, b. 14 Apr. 1774, d. 8 Aug. 1865, m. Marena Kellogg, they had 10 children; ii.
Joshua Denison; iii. Henry Denison,

161. v. Joshua Post, b. May 1743, m. 11 Aug. 1763, Anna Jones,
161. vi. (Isaiah or) Isiah Post, b. 18 Jan. 1747/8.

162*. v. Stephen, b. abt. 1714,
163*. vi. Hezekiah, b. abt. 1717,
164*. vii. Gideon, b. abt. 1720.

*78. John, b. Boston, Mass. 4 Aug. 1687, d. there, abt. 1748, m. 27 June 1710, Mary Gustin (R-42), b. abt. 1689 d. New London, Conn. 30 Oct. 1752, dau. of John and Elizabeth (Brown) Gustin. She m. 2nd, 2 Oct. 1750, Joseph Miner of New London, Conn. son of Clement and Frances Burchem (Willey) Miner, who was b. 6 Aug. 1666. She was his 3rd wife, and aged abt. 61 when she married (R-44-45). John Gustin, father of Mary, above, was a native of St. Owens on the Island of Jersey, whose name originally was Augustine Jean le Rossignol.

Children, 8, (R-43):

165. i. John, b. 7 June 1711, m. 18 Jan. 1726, Elizabeth Strawbridge,
166. ii. Rebecca, b. 27 Oct. 1712, m. 11 Dec. 1735, Silas Church. They may have moved to New London, Conn. as it is noted that her mother was married in New London at Silas' Church,
167. iii. Sarah, b. 19 Jan. 1714, m. 12 Dec. 1740, Richard Knox, in Kings Chapel,
168. iv. Gustin, b. 11 May 1718, d. 13 July 1718, bur. in Copps Hill Cemetery, Boston, Mass.

169. v. Mary, bapt. 24 Jan. 1719/20,
170. vi. Gustin, b. 29 Mar. 1721, d. 13 July 1768?, m. 27 Sept. 1750, Elizabeth Fling,
171. vii. Thomas, bapt. 2 Sept. 1722,
172. viii. William, bapt. 8 Nov. 1724.

Note: Nothing further is known of these lines unless perchance some were at Massachusetts, in Salem, where the following records are found, also from other sources (R-46-47):

John Bushnell & Rebecca McCarthy, m. 5 Sept. 1780,
Thomas Bushnell & Hannnah Crowell, m. 16 July 1789,
Hanna Bushnell & William Gray IV, m. 17 Oct. 1790,
Rebecca Bushnell, ae. 40, a consumptive, d. 17 Apr. 1785 (R-47),
John Bushnell (R-47), Salem, sailor Brigantine Dolphin, descriptive list of officers and men sworn in to 25 May 1780, by Capt. David Ingersoll (R-48), Hannah and Rebecca were sisters of John the sailor (R-47).

*80. William, b. Boston, Mass. abt. 1691, bapt. there 4 June 1699, d. perhaps at Hartford, Conn. m. Boston, 1 July 1714, Mehtable Buswell, b. 15 Jan. 1694/5, dau. of Samuel and Jane (Symonds) Buzwell, of Bradford, Mass.

William Bushnell, with his brothers and sister, was bapt. in the 2nd ch. of Boston, and nothing further is known of him until 1710, when he was one of the 55 men on the transport Caesar in Lt. Col. Ballentine's Co. in the expedition against Port Royal, Nova Scotia, under Col. Frederick Nicholson. On 24 Sept. 1710 the vessel was wrecked on the Nova Scotia coast and 26 of the soldiers were drowned, 12 reached the shore in a boat, while 17, including William Bushnell, reached the beach by swimming (R-51).
He returned to Boston and in 1717 removed to Norwich, and in 1725 to Hartford, Conn. where he was living as late as 1738, when he and his son William wit. the will of Nathaniel Marsh (R-52). He wit. the will of John Skinner on 19 Sept. 1741, codicil 25 Feb. 1744/5 (R-52), who d. May 1752.

Note: Isaac Buzwell, b. England, 1592, came to America in 1638, and was-one of the founders of Salisbury, Mass. He was a weaver by trade and died on 8 July 1683. He had two wives, each of whom had three children. His son Samuel, b. abt. 1628, m. 8 July 1656, Sarah Keys, b. Watertown, Mass. 26 May 1633, dau. of Robert and Sarah Keys, had son Samuel, b. Salisbury, Mass. 25 May 1622, d. Kingston, N.H. in 1746, m. 1687 Jane Simmons (or Symonds) and had 10 children of whom Mehitable, the 4th child, b. 15 Jan. 1694/5, m. William Bushnell (R-53).

Children, 11, (R-43-49-50):

173. i. Mehitable, b. Boston, Mass. 17 Feb. 1714, d. 12 Dec. 1717,
174*. ii. William, b. Boston, Mass. 2 Dec. 1716,
175. iii. Samuel, b. Norwich, Conn. 1 Nov. 1719, d. 5 Feb. 1722,
176. iv. Benjamin, b. Norwich, Conn. 16 Dec. 1722,
177. v. Mehitable, b. Hartford, Conn. 28 Feb. 1726/7, m. Hartford Conn. 7 Oct. 1754, Josiah Shepard, b. 12 Jan. 1723, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Flowers) Shepard,

Children, 2:

177. i. Mehitable Shepard, m. Frederick Burt,
177. ii. Josiah Shepard, b. abt. 1763, d. 7 Sept. 1844, ae. 81,
Perhaps others.

178. vi. Anne, b. Hartford, Conn. abt. 1725, m. 9 May 1754, Ezra Andrews,
179. vii. Sarah, b. Hartford, Conn. 31 Jan. 1728/9,
180. viii. Mary, b. Hartford, Conn. 27 Oct. 1730,
181. ix. Elizabeth, b. Hartford, Conn. 24 Feb. 1732/3, m. 22 July 1751, John Wells,
182. x. Susannah, b. Hartford, Conn. 12 May 1735, twin,
183. xi. Abigail, b. Hartford, Conn. 12 May 1735, twin.

*84. Jonathan, b. Norwich, Conn. 7 Oct. 1679, d. there, 25 Feb. 1758 m. 1st, 2 Mar. 1709/10, Mary Calkins, b. 9 Oct. 1681, d. bef. 1731, dau. of Dea. Hugh and Ann ( ) Calkins, m. 2nd, 22 June 1731, Mary (Looper) Bliss, dau. of Stephen and Mary (Miller) Loomer, and wid. of Thomas Bliss, m. 3rd, Hannah ( ) (R-49).

Jonathan Bushnell resided in Norwich, Conn. where all his children were born, and in 1710, he and his 1st wife were members in full communion of the 1st Cong. Ch. of Norwichtown, Conn. where all of his children were bapt. (R-55).

Children, 9, all b. in Norwich, (R-49-54):

184. i. Mary, b. 4 May 1711, d. 7 Mar. 1776, m. Norwich, Conn. 7 Mar. 1737,
184. ii. Samuel Bliss, b. Norwich, Conn. 3 July 1712, d. 30 July 1804, son of Thomas and Mary (Looper) Bliss (Bliss Gen.).

Children, 10, all b. Norwich, Conn;

184. i. Mary Bliss, b. 29 July 1737, d. 23 Nov. 1763,
184. ii. Ezra Bliss, b. 4 Oct. 1738,
Fourth Generation.

184. iii. Zeporah Bliss, b. 11 Mar. 1739/40, d. 3 Dec. 1763, Conn.
184. iv. Samuel Bliss, b. 8 July 1743, m. 8 Oct. 1769, Sarah Brown of Preston,
184. v. Abigail Bliss, b. 23 May 1746,
184. vi. Jonathan Bliss, b. 17 June 1748, twin,
184. vii. David Bliss, b. 17 June 1748, twin,
184. viii Zephania Bliss, b. 29 Aug. 1750,
184. x. Eunice Bliss, b. 15 Dec. 1754 (R-49; Vital Rec, Bliss Gene; Preston, Vital Rec.).

185. ii. Lydia, b. 2 June 1713, d. bef. 1742, m. 2 July 1739, Robert Perkins,
186*. iii. Jonathan, b. 26 May 1715,
187. iv. Hannah, b. 25 July 1718, d. 9 Nov. 1747, m. 13 Apr. 1747, Simon Luce,
188. v. Abigail, b. 1 Apr. 1720, m. Joseph (194), son of Nathan (88) and Mehitable (Allen) Bushnell,
189*. vi. David, b. 1 Mar. 1721/2,
190. vii. John, b. 27 Nov. 1724, d. 28 Feb. 1748/9, m. 24 Mar. 1748, Sarah Perkins,
191. viii. Elizabeth, b. 22 Sept. 1726, m. 3 Aug. 1749, David Smith,
192*. ix. Elijah, b. 27 Aug. 1728.

*88. Nathan, b. Norwich, Conn. 12 Feb. 1686 (R-49), d. Lebanon, Conn. 6 Oct. 1770 (R-57), m. 1st, at Norwich, Conn. 2 Dec. 1713, Ann or Hannah Carey or Crary, bapt. 17 July 1692, d. Norwich, Conn. 21 Nov. 1714, dau. of Peter and Christobal (Gallup) Carey (R-39), m. 2nd, Norwich, Conn. 12 Sept. 1715, Mehitable Allen, b. 18 Dec. 1695, d. 15 Aug. 1750, dau. of Samuel and Sarah (Partridge) Allen of East Bridgewater, Mass. (R-49), m. 3rd, Lebanon, Conn. 22 May 1751, Hannah Clark (R-56).

Nathan Bushnell, (son of Brother Joseph Bushnell by Church Records), b. Norwich, Conn. m. there in 1713, Ann Carey (or Crary), who d. one month after the birth of her first child, Nathan. He then m. Mehitable Allen, who was the mother of the rest of his children. In 1714 he was a member in full communion in the 1st ch. at Norwich, but evidently transferred his membership to the ch. at Lisbon, called Newent Church after it was organized in 1723. His wife was a member there in 1724, but Lisbon was a part of Norwich until 1786. On 6 Jan. 1735/6, Ichabod Warner of Windham, and his son Ichabod of Lebanon, sold to him 160 acres of land in Lebanon. On 4 July 1736 they presented their letter from the ch. at Newent to the ch. at Lebanon and were admitted as members in full communion. His 2nd wife d. in Lebanon and here he m. 3rd. Hannah Clark.
He was a prosperous farmer, and his name appears many times in the Lebanon records. On 5 Apr. 1753, he entered into a contract with his son Ebenezer, who, for the 110 acre farm which had been acquired from Daniel Burchard on 26 Feb. 1711/2, was to furnish his father with firewood, corn, wheat, rye, barley, dressed flax, 6 bbls. of cider, and apples for the same (Nathan to find the barrels), and to board and lodge and wash for him during the said Nathan's lifetime, and on 26 Apr. 1756, he transferred to his son Ebenezer his homestead lot and houses thereon. Nathan d. in 1770 in his 85th year and was bur. in the cem. at Lebanon as were his last two wives, and their headstones are still standing there. His will was probated in the Windham Court and provides for his sons Nathan, Joseph and Ebenezer, and dau. Mehitable, his other daus. Ann Daggett and Rebecca Payne being mentioned in the distribution of the estate.

Children, 9, (R-49-57-58):

193*. i. Nathan, b. 12 Oct. 1714,
194*. ii. Joseph, b. 29 July 1716,
195*. iii. Samuel, b. 27 Apr. 1721,
196. iv. Aaron, b. 11 Aug. 1723, d. 18 Dec. 1742,
197. v. Mehitable, b. 23 Mar. 1726, d. 11 May 1814, m. Lebanon, Conn. 26 June 1745, Jacob Lyman, b. 4 May 1721, d. 15 Jan. 1802, son of Lt. Jonathan and Lydia (Loomis) Lyman, and brother to Zerviah Lyman, who m. Samuel (195) Bushnell (R-59-60).

Children, 10, (R-60):

197. i. Jacob Lyman, b. 6 May 1746, d. 25 Mar. 1819, m. 19 Dec. 1771, Mary Woodward, who d. 17 Oct. 1837, he was a farmer of Bolton, Conn. and a Dea. of the church.
197. ii. Mehitable Lyman, b. 22 June 1748, m. Abner Badger.
197. iii. Sarah Lyman, b. 9 June 1750, m. Adonijah Jones.
197. iv. Irene Lyman, b. 3 May 1752, m. Jonathan Hutchinson,
197. v. Josiah Lyman, b. 16 Oct. 1755, d. 5 Sept. 1776, in the Continental Army during the Rev. War.
197. vi. Abiather Lyman, b. 15 Jan. 1758, m. 25 Dec. 1782, Joanna Loomis, b. 1 Oct. 1758, d. 1 July 1837, he was a tanner, currier, and farmer at Andover, Conn.
197. vii. Hannah Lyman, b. 28 Mar. 1760,
197. viii. Silas Lyman, b. 20 Dec. 1762, d. 8 Feb. 1828, m. abt. 1790, Lydia Hutchinson, b. 5 July 1764, in Granby, Conn. d. 5 July 1833, he was a draftee at age of 16 and served 3 months in the Continental Army,
197. ix. Anne Lyman, b. 31 Jan. 1766, m. Sept. 1786, Jonathan Wheldon,
197. x. Submit Lyman, b. 14 Sept. 1770, d. 31 Mar. 1832, m. John Little and resided in Andover,

198. vi. Daniel, b. 13 Sept. 1728,
199*. vii. Ebenezer, b. 9 Dec. 1730,
200. viii. Anne, b. 12 Apr. 1733, m. Lebanon, Conn. 17 Apr. 1754, Samuel Daggett (R-56),
201. ix. Rebecca, b. 10 Apr. 1737, d. abt. 1816, m. 23 Sept. 1756, Stephen Payne (R-56) of Coventry, Conn. who d. abt. 1800,
son of Benjamin and Mary (Brewster) Payne, a proved Mayflower line. He was a surveyor in 1781, moderator 1783, and the last record of him is in 1795. In 1755 he served in the French and Indian Wars under Capt. Ebenezer Leach, and in 1777 was mustered in as a soldier in the Rev. War (R-61).

Children, 7:

201. i. Sara Payne, b. 20 May 1758,
201. ii. Rebecca Payne, b. 20 May 1760,
201. iii. Ebenezer Leach Payne, b. 27 Sept. 1762, d. 19 Dec. 1834, m. 15 May 1783, Keziah Kinney, b. 18 June 1766, d. 10 Aug. 1854, he is said to have served in the Rev. War in his father's place who was too ill to serve, but his application for pension, claim No. 8022, was denied for want of proof of service.
201. iv. Allen Payne, b. 31 Mar. 1765,
201. v. Tilla Payne, b. 1 Nov. 1767,
201. vi. Stephen Payne, m. Abigail Butts,
201. vii. Anna Payne, m. Eleazer Blackburn.

*94. Dr. Caleb, b. Norwich, Conn. 26 May 1679, d. there, 12 Feb. 1724/5, m. 24 July 1699/1700, Anne Leffingwell, his 1st cousin, b. Norwich, Conn. 25 Jan. 1680, d. abt. 1782, dau. of Ensign Thomas and Mary (93) (Bushnell) Leffingwell.

Dr. Caleb Bushnell was a prominent physician of Norwich, had a large practice, and accumulated a very substantial property for that period. He served as Townsman in 1709, and 1711 and 1714. He was granted a convenient place for building vessels on the west side of the river opposite the landing place, and in May 1718, he was commissioned Capt. of the train band. He was interred in the Old Burying Ground at Norwichtown, a suburb of Norwich, Conn.

Children, 6, (R-49-62):

202. i. Anne, b. 2 June 1705, d. 1796, m. 29 Sept. 1726, Samuel Starr, b. abt. 1699, d. abt. 1782, son of Capt. Jonathan and Elizabeth (Morgan) Starr (R-49).

Children, 1, (R-62-63):

202. i. Jonathan Starr, who m. 5 Jan. 1757, Sarah Leffingwell, b. Norwich, 29 Dec. 1735, d. 26 Apr. 1790, dau. of Benajah and Joanna (Christopher) Leffingwell. Children, 5: i. Joanna Starr, b. 13 July 1758; ii. Sarah Starr, b. 18 Aug. 1759; iii. Elizabeth Starr, b. 2 Nov. 1761; iv. Fanny Starr, b. 15 Oct. 1754, m. as his 3rd wife, Seabury Brewster, they had 2 sons, one of whom, Christopher Starr Brewster, was an eminent dentist of Paris and St. Petersburg, who was knighted by the then Tsar of Russia; v. Christopher Starr, b. 13 Oct. 1766, m. 1st, May Olive Perkins, m. 2nd, his cousin, Mary Leffingwell,

Perhaps others.

203. ii. Mary, b. 27 Jan. 1707/8, d. 8 Feb. 1795, m. as his 2nd wife, 23 July 1730, Dr. Joseph Perkins (R-49), b. 25 Oct. 1704, d. 7 July 1794, son of Dea. Joseph and Martha (Morgan) Perkins, of Norwich. His 1st wife was Lydia Pierce, by whom he had a dau. Lydia, who m. Daniel Kirkland. He was a grad. of Yale Univ. and a Dea. in the ch. at Norwich.
Children, 7, (R-49-64):

203. i. Joseph Perkins, b. 10 Aug. 1733, d. 5 May 1777, m. 10 May 1757, Joanna Burnham, b. abt. 1734, d. 16 Nov. 1811, they lived at Lisbon, Conn. Children, 4: i. Joseph Perkins, b. 11 July 1759; ii. Benjamin Perkins, b. 1 Apr. 1763; iii. Elias Perkins, b. 5 Apr. 1767; iv. Elisbah Perkins, b. 5 Apr. 1767, twin,  

203. ii. Mary Perkins, b. 11 July 1735, m. 1st, Daniel Bishop, m. 2nd Jonathan Starr,  


203. iv. Dr. Elisha Perkins, b. 16 Jan. 1741, d. 6 Sept. 1799, m. 23 Sept. 1762, Sarah Douglas, a sister of his brother Simon's wife, of Plainfield, Conn. He d. of Yellow Fever. (For an account of his work, see Cleveland Genealogy). Children, 10: i. Elisha Perkins, b. 18 July 1763, m. Eunice Backus; ii. Mary Perkins, b. 12 Aug. 1765, m. Miles Merwin, they and their children died in Philadelphia, Pa. in 1793; iii. John Douglas Perkins, b. 3 Feb. 1769, m. Rebecca Hughes; iv. Sarah Perkins, b. 28 Oct. 1771, m. Lemuel Grosvenor; v. Benjamin Douglas Perkins, b. 24 June 1774, m. Mary Murray; vi. Susan Perkins, b. 9 Oct. 1776, m. 1st, Dr. J. L. Arnold, m. 2nd, 1798, Charles Marsh; vii. Elizabeth Perkins, b. 6 Nov. 1778, m. 1798, David Putnam; viii. Henry Perkins, b. 20 Apr. 1781, m. 1st, Mary Woodridge, m. 2nd, 1820, Abigail Noyes; ix. George Perkins, b. 19 Oct. 1783, m. 1st, Marionette Turner, m. 2nd, Elizabeth Turner; x. Olive Perkins, b. 13 Mar. 1786, m. Nathaniel McLellan,  


Perkins; iv. Maria Perkins; v. Lydia Perkins; vi. Susanna Perkins; vii. Lester Perkins;


204*. iii. Richard, b. 26 June 1710,

205. iv. Elizabeth, b. 1 Nov. 1715, d. 27 Oct. 1742, m. 5 Aug. 1731, Capt. John Perkins (R-49), b. 5 Oct. 1709, d. 16 Apr. 1761, son of Dea. Joseph and Martha (Morgan) Perkins, he m. 2nd, Lydia Tracy, dau. of Simon Tracy, by whom he had seven children. He was called "The Great Perkins" on account of his size.

Children, 2 (R-49-64):


206. v. Abigail, b. 22 Oct. 1718, bapt. 23 Nov. 1718, d. 6 July 1774, m. as his 2nd wife, 23 Feb. 1743/4, Simon Tracy, b. 7 Nov. 1710, d. 9 Aug. 1793, son of Simon and Mary (Leffingwell) Tracy, he m. 1st, Elizabeth Hyde, b. 1741 (R-62-65-vide).

Children, 4, (R-65):

206. i. Abigail Tracy, b. 9 Dec. 1744, d. July 1746,

206. ii. Abigail Tracy, b. 10 Sept. 1746,

206. iii. Mundator Tracy, b. 18 May 1749, m. 1st, Caroline (431), dau. of Benajah (209) and Hannah (Griswold) Bushnell.

206. iv. Simon Tracy, b. 16 Apr. 1752, d. 20 Jan. 1755.

207. vi. Zipporah, bapt. 12 Nov. 1726, d. Jan. 1763, m. 14 Dec. 1738, Nathan Hibbard (sometimes called Hebard), b. 16 Nov. 1715 son of Ebenezer and Margaret (Morgan) Hibbard (R-49). He m. 2nd, Irene, wid. of the celebrated Dr. Warner of Norwich, Conn. by whom she had three ch. After his death, she m. Rev. William Coggswell, pastor of the ch. at Scotland, Conn.

Children, 12, all b. Scotland, Conn. (R-66):

207. ii. Zipporah Hibbard, b. 14 Mar. 1741, d. abt. 1769, m. 26 May 1763, Jabez Tracy. His mother, Elizabeth (Hyde) Tracy, d. soon after his birth, and his father m. as his 2nd wife, Abigail (206) Bushnell, a sister of his wife's mother.

207. iii. Elizabeth Hibbard, b. 9 Jan. 1743, d. 15 Dec. 176( ), m. Gamaliel Risley,

207. iv. Dan Hibbard, b. 9 Aug. 1744,

207. v. Charity Hibbard, b. 7 Jan. 1746, d. 9 Aug. 1759,

207. vi. Andrew Hibbard, b. 1 Nov. 1748, d. 8 Aug. 1773,

207. vii. Prudence Hibbard, b. 7 Jan. 1750, d. 2 Dec. 1773,

207. viii. Abigail Hibbard, b. 12 or 13 Apr. 1752, m. 10 Dec. 1767, Joseph Carey,

207. ix. Althea Hibbard, b. 1754, m. 1 Jan. 1778, Samuel Bingham,

207. x. Ebenezer Hibbard, b. 4 Oct. 1756,

207. xi. Bushnell Hibbard, b. 3 Sept. 1758, m. 19 July 1812, Mary White,

207. xii. Charity Hibbard, b. 4 Jan. 1763.


Deacon Benajah Bushnell was born in Norwich, and resided there all his life. He joined the 1st Cong. Ch. of Norwichtown, 19 Aug. 1711, and in 1718 his wife also became a member, but they later transferred their membership to the Episcopal Church.

In 1714 he was chosen 1st. Lieut. of the train band, and in 1721 was commissioned Capt. Between 1720 and 1736 he represented the town eight terms in the General Court, and in 1723 took a prominent part in establishing the town line between Norwich and Preston, and in 1730, was appointed to audit the books of the Colony; he was also justice of the Peace.

When Christ Episcopal Church was organized in 1756/7, he was elected treasurer and some two years later, the building, towards which he donated £40, was erected on land also donated by him. In 1750 he was elected Senior Deacon, and in 1767 his wife gave other lands to the church.

They continued to reside on the home place after his father's death, but in his later years he resided at the Landing. Both were buried in Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery in Norwich (R-68).

Children, 4, all b. Norwich, Conn. (R-49):

208. i. Elizabeth, b. 29 Mar. 1711, bapt. 19 Aug. 1711, d. 1 May 1745, m. Norwich, 9 Apr. 1730, Isaac Tracy, b. 25 May 1706, d. 25 Jan. 1779, son of John, 2nd, and Elizabeth (Leffingwell) Tracy.

Children, 10, (R-63):

208. i. Joseph Tracy, b. 17 May 1731,

208. ii. Isaac Tracy, b. (not in Tracy Genealogy),

208. iii. Zerviah Tracy, b. 5 Oct. 1735,

208. iv. Elizabeth Tracy, b. 14 Nov. 1737,

208. v. Ruth Tracy, b. 5 Oct. 1739,

208. vi. Andrew Tracy, b. 9 Dec. 1742,

208. vii. Zerviah Tracy, b. 26 Feb. 1746, d. 13 Feb. 1752,
208. viii. Eunice Tracy, b. 18 Dec. 1748, d. 18 Apr. 1769,
208. ix. Hannah Tracy, b. 19 Apr. 1754, d. 1770, m. John Tyler,
208. x. Ebenezer Tracy, b. 19 Apr. 1754, d. 23 May 1769,
209*. ii. Benajah, b. 11 Mar. 1714/15,
210. iii. Abishae, b. 15 Feb. d. 7 June 1720,
211. iv. Zerviah, b. 7 Aug. 1721, bapt. 13 Aug. 1721, d. 23 Aug. 1786, m. 7 Mar. 1750/1, Phineas Holden, b. 12 May 1715, d. abt. 1791, son of Samuel and Susanna Holden, of Cambridge, Mass. He m. 2nd, Hannah Tracy, b. abt. 1764, d. abt. 1831, who after his death, m. ( ) Pepper. They had no children and all are bur. in the Episcopal Churchyard at Norwich, Conn. (R-67).
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R98.  Yale Alumni Records, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut,
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R101. First Congregational Church Records, Sullivan, New York, (Copy at New Haven, Connecticut, Historical Society),
*98. John, b. Saybrook, Conn. 2 Nov. 1695, d. there, 2 Jan. 1738 (R-1-2), m. Saybrook, 18 June 1724, Catherine Kelsey (R-3), b. 5 June 1695, d. 10 Apr. 1767, dau. of Daniel and Jane (Chalker) Kelsey (R-4). 
Children, 2, (R-3-5):
  212. i. John, b. 4 Mar. 1725, d. 20 Nov. 1731,

*99. Francis, b. Saybrook, Conn. 17 Nov. 1697 (R-6), d. Killingworth, Conn. 15 June 1790 (R-6), m. Saybrook, Conn. 7 July 1725, Mary Scranton (R-3), b. abt. 1701, d. Killingworth, Conn. 28 Apr. 1783.

  Francis Bushnell at one time resided on Saybrook Point, but abt. 1743, exchanged this property for a farm on Horse Hill, some six or eight miles west of his former home. His wife is recorded as a member of the Third Congregational Church at Westbrook, in full communion as of 20 Feb. 1731/2, while he is not noted as a member until 15 Dec. 1734. They are also recorded as members 26 Oct. 1757, and it is probable that they removed to Killingworth the next year where they passed the remaining years of their lives, and where their deaths are recorded. Ira Bushnell in his Memo. states that Francis had 7 daus. and 2 sons, and that the sons and 2 daus. d.y. while 5 daus. lived to grow up and have families. We have not been able to identify the other daus.

Children, 9, (R-5-7):
  214. i. a dau.
  215. ii. a dau.
  216. iii. Mary, b. abt. 1730, m. 23 Oct. 1750, Daniel Griswold, b. abt. 1722, son of Daniel and Jerusha (Stevens) Griswold. He was 1st Lieut. during the French and Indian Wars and later removed to Fairfield, N.Y.

Children, 13, all b. Killingworth (R-8-9):
  216. i. Jerusha Griswold, b. 20 Aug. 1752, d.y.
  216. iii. Jerusha Griswold, b. 25 Jan. 1755, m. William Wakely. They resided in Dryden, N.Y. and had a large family.
  216. iv. Daniel Griswold, b. 17 Jan. 1756,
  216. v. Edward Griswold, b. 11 Feb. 1758, d. 22 Mar. 1843, m. 19 June 1783, Asenath Hurd, b. 9 Mar. 1757, d. 2 Apr. 1852, dau. of Abraham and Mary (Wilcox) Hurd. Both were b. in Killingworth, Conn. and d. in Dryden, N.Y. He was a farmer and a Rev. War soldier, and probably moved to Cayuga, N.Y.
219. vi. Sibyl, bapt. 14 Mar. 1735/6, d. 18 Jan. 1816, m. Killingworth, Conn. 2 Feb. 1763, Abraham Towner (R-10), b. 1 July 1732, d. Haddam, Conn. 11 Mar. 1807, son of Benjamin and Abiah Towner. He served in the French and Indian Wars in 7th Co. 4th Conn. Regt. under Capt. Josiah Buckingham and in 1760 was 2nd. Lieut. in 10th Co. 2nd Regt. State Militia, and in active service until 1769 (R-14). In 1777 he went to Westbrook where he died. May also have rendered service in the Rev. War. His will, probated 15 Apr. 1807, mentions wife Sibble, children; Abraham, Thankful, Rachel, Cornelia, and Sally, and gr-ch Cynthia Chapman and Genett Towner.

Children, 11 (R-6-10):


219. ii. Sibbil Towner, bapt. 14 Apr. 1765, d. 1 Sept. 1796, unm.

219. iii. John Towner, bapt. 14 June 1767, d. bef. 1796, at sea, m. wid. Jane (?), who m. 3rd, 15 Feb. 1798, Samuel Eliot of Clinton, Conn. she b. abt. 1771, d. 7 Mar. 1801. Children, 1: Jennette Mehitable Towner, who m. 10 June 1819, Albert A. Loomis as his 2nd wife. (Samuel Lester is also mentioned as her husband).


219. v. Abraham Towner, bapt. 10 Feb. 1771, d.y.


219. vii. Abraham Towner, b. 2 June 1776, d. 1 Mar. 1842, m. Azubah (298), dau. of Ebenezer (135) and Sarah (Carter) Bushnell,

219. viii. Amelia Towner, b. 2 June 1776, d. 12 Feb. 1864, bur. Westbrook, Conn. m. 3 Nov. 1800, Capt. Benny Jones
and resided Westbrook, they had 12 children,

219. ix. James Towner, bapt. 21 June 1779, d. 2 Sept. 1784,
219. x. Sarah Towner, bapt. 9 May 1782, d. 9 Apr. 1858,
219. xi. Arza Towner.

220. vii. a daughter,
222. ix. Rachel, b. 25 May 1743, d. 9 Mar. 1773, m. 26 Feb. 1763, Timothy Starkey (R-18), b. 26 Nov. 1739, d. 1 Nov. 1817, eldest son of John and gr-son of Thomas Starkey. They had five children. He m. 2nd 20 Dec. 1774, Hepsibah Pratt, b. abt. 1743, d. Aug. 1786, (R-19), they had four children, he m. 3rd, abt. 1790, Chloe Snow (R-19), who d. 28 Feb. 1795, wid. of Ephriam Snow who was lost at sea in 1785. It is stated that they resided opposite the old Griswold home in Essex, Conn. Baptismal records of the Congregation Church in Westbrook, show the baptism or Mary, Sarah, Francis, Sibyl, and John, as ch. of Francis and Mary Bushnell, after which the records are missing for the next 16 years. No record has been found which would determine the parentage of Rachel above, but from secondary evidence, it is assumed that she was one of the family.

Children, 9, (R-19):

222. i. Rachel Starkey, b. abt. 1764, m. abt. 1787, William Parker, b. abt. 1759, d. abt. 1831. Children, 10: i. William Parker, b. abt. 1768, d. Mobile, Ala. m. Nancy Tucker; ii. Elias Parker, b. abt. 1792, m. Hannah Eldridge of Long Island; iii. Elisha Parker, b. abt. 1795, m. Hannah Griffin; iv. Alpheus Parker, b. abt. 1796, d. abt. 1881, m. Ann Roberts; v. Rachel Parker, b. abt. 1800, m. Samuel Williams; vi. Mary Parker, b. abt. 1802, m. Johnson Tripp; vii. Joseph Parker, b. abt. 1808, d.y; viii. Alice Parker, b. abt. 1808, d.y. ix. Hannah Parker, b. abt. 1810, m. David Mark; x. Henry Parker, b. abt. 1810;

222. ii. Timothy Starkey, b. abt. 1765, m. Mary Ann Hayden. Children, 3: i. Phebe Starkey, m. William Hayden; ii. Mary Ann Starkey, m. Joseph Ellsworth of Winsted, Conn.; iii. Jeanette Starkey, m. Col. George Lewis,

222. iii. Polly Starkey, b. abt. 1767, d. bef. 1834, m. Saybrook, Conn. as his 2nd wife, 10 Feb. 1791, John Griswold, Children, 4: i. Timothy Griswold; ii. John Griswold; iii. Mary Griswold; iv. Jane Griswold. He m. 1st, at Killingworth, Conn. Hannah Peck, who d. abt. 1789, m. 2nd, Polly Starkey, m. 3rd, at Rome, N.Y. Vashti Moulton,

222. iv. Concurrence Starkey, b. abt. 1770, m. 1st, Thomas Starkey, 1 child; m. 2nd, before 1797, Reuben Pratt, 7 children. Children, 8: i. dau. Starkey, d.y; ii. Titus Collins Pratt, b. 19 Apr. 1797, m. 1st Elizabeth Lay, who d. aft. 1834, m. 2nd, Harriet Coy of Meriden, Conn; iii. Concurrence Pratt, b. abt. 1800 d.y; iv. Reuben Pratt, b. abt. 1801, d.y; v. Concurrence Matilda Pratt, m. Abraham Cleaves; vi. Polly Ann Pratt, m. Daniel Southworth; vii. Adelia Adelaide Pratt, b. abt. 1810, m. Hosmer Buckingham; viii. Thomas Starkey Pratt, b. abt. 1810, m. abt. 1831, Mary Suidergreen,
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222. v. Ann Starkey, b. abt. 1772 d. abt. 1773,
222. vi. Heman Starkey, b. Sept. 1776, d. 1832, m. Charlotte Read. Children, 3: i. Wealthy Starkey; ii. Emily Starkey; iii. Hepzibah Starkey,
222. viii. Alpheus Starkey, b. 1782, d. 1860, m. Ruth Southworth. Children, 3: i. Miles Starkey; ii. Nathaniel Starkey; iii. Felix Starkey,


Samuel Bushnell, called Deacon, in the records, and his 1st wife are bur. in River View Cemetery in Essex, Conn. In a jointure, dated 18 July 1754, he mentions his sons John and Reuben, and gr-ch. Abner, Timothy, Ann, Huldah, Mary and Rachel Ray, heirs of his dau. Ann dec'd, who was the wife of Nathaniel Ray, and in his will, dated 5 Oct. 1771, he mentions wid. Ann, who was formerly the wid. of William Hill.

Children, 6:

Children, 5:
223. i. Abner Ray,
223. ii. Timothy Ray,
223. iii. Ann Ray,
223. iv. Huldah Ray,
223. v. Rachel Ray,
224. ii. John, b. 17 Aug. 1733, d. 30 Nov. 1739,
225*. iii. Elisha, b. 12 Nov. 1734,
226. iv. John,
227. v. Reuben, b. 16 Feb. 1741, m. 4 Feb. 1781, Hannah Wright of New London, Conn.
228. vi. Several, d.y., by Memo of Ira Bushnell (Vide).

*102. Benjamin, b. Saybrook Conn. abt. 1703, d. abt. 1781, in his 78th year, m. but wife is not known. By Memo Of Ira Bushnell, he had 3 sons and 1 dau. but his son Francis who was the only one who lived to have a family. The Saybrook Church records show the bapt. of a son on 27 Aug. 1775, but name was not given; in this rec. he is called Deacon.

Children, 4, (R-5):
229*. i. Francis, b. abt. 1756,
230. ii. a son,
231. iii. a son,
232. iv. a dau.
*105. Lemuel, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1712, d. there, 16 Apr. 1791, ae. 84, m. Ruth Webb, dau. of John and Ruth (Graves) Webb.

Lemuel Bushnell who m. Ruth Webb, was a son of John and Rebecca (Cole) Bushnell, according to a record in the Family Bible owned by Samuel Bushnell of Essex, Conn. and we infer that he served the usual period in the local militia as his name appears in a list of Officers "of ye 1st Co." of that organization, dated 26 Mar. 1745. Ira Bushnell states in his Memo, that his uncle Lemuel had 4 sons and 4 daus, but that 2 of his sons d.y. He also states that in 1791 he was 80 years of age. It is evident that an error has been made in copying, but the proof is not in hand. By the 1790 census, it is shown that his family consisted of 1 male over 16 years of age, and 2 females.

Children, 8, (R-33):

233. i. Abigail, b. abt. 1738, bapt. 24 Nov. 1741, d. 6 Nov. 1742, ae. 4 years,
234*. ii. Lemuel, b. abt. 1740,
235*. iii. Daniel, b. abt. 1741,
236. iv. Ruth, bapt. 9 Sept. 1744,
237. v. a son, d.y.
238. vi. Esther, bapt. 30 Aug. 1747,
239. vii. a dau.
240. viii. a son, d.y.

*107. Phineas, b. Saybrook, Conn. 23 Apr. 1718, d. there, 17 Dec. 1803, m. 1st, 22 Oct. 1740, Priscilla Clark, b. abt. 1716, d. 29 Dec. 1786, dau. of Samuel and Mary (Kirtland) Clark (R-23-24-25). m. 2nd, 12 Aug. 1789, wid. Hepzibah () Lewis, as her 4th husband, wid. of John Lewis of Killingworth, Conn.

Phineas Bushnell was, by record, a son of Joshua and Elizabeth Bushnell and was named in his father's will. Bapt. record. of the Rev. William Hart, pastor of the 1st. ch. of Saybrook, show only his first three children, but in his Family Bible, which he bought in 1803, he recorded the births of all his children, but it is noted bapt. dates in the church record are given as birth dates in the Bible. His name appears in a list of officers and soldiers of the 1st Co. train band and in a similar list dated 7 May 1745 he makes a request for powder. On 25 Apr. 1753, he was of Saybrook when he quit claimed to lands in Killingworth to John Rossiter, and on 26 Oct. 1760, he deeded tracts of land to his sons Phineas and John Hanley. Between 1758 and 1762, he served in the Colonial Wars. After the death of his 1st wife he m. Hepzibah Lewis as her 4th husband, and in 1800, he and his wife Hepzibah, "of Saybrook" leased land to Samuel Bull of Killingworth "a part of the dower interest of his wife that was hers from the estate of Samuel Redfield, 2nd, same continuing during her natural life." He d. at the age of 86 after 8 years of confinement from nervous rheumatism.

Note: John Lewis, b. abt. 1720, d. 24 Aug. 1786, ae. 66, m. 1st, Mary ( ), b. abt. 1722, d. 25 Dec. 1765, ae. 43. He m. 2nd, 24 Sept. 1767, wid. Hepzibah Wilcox whose 1st. husband was probably Samuel Redfield, 2nd.

Children, 6, (R-27):

241*. i. Phineas, b. 23 Aug. 1741,
242*. ii. John Hanley, b. 22 Nov. 1743,
243. iii. Priscilla, b. 24, bapt. 27 July 1746, d. 16 Sept. 1782,
244*. iv. Samuel, b. 23 Nov. 1748,
245. v. Mary, b. 29 Aug. 1752,
246. vi. Thankful, b. 28 Aug. 1756, bapt. as an adult, Dec. 1776.

108*. Jonathan, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1721, d. there, 18/19 Mar. 1801, m. Saybrook, 9 Dec. 1741, Elizabeth Shipman, b. 3 Dec. 1715, d. 3/30 Jan. 1808/9, dau. of John and Elizabeth (Kirtland) Shipman (R-3).

Jonathan Bushnell and his wife owned the covenant 13 June 1756. In a deed dated 1787, the names of all his children are given. It is said that at his death he left a widow, 9 children, and 95 gr. and gr-gr-children, and that his death was the first in the family. Both were bur. in Cypress Cemetery, Saybrook, Conn.

Children, 9, (R-3-23):

247. i. Elizabeth, b. 24 Sept. 1742, bapt. 31 Oct. 1742,
248*. ii. Jonathan, b. 11 Sept. 1744,
249. iii. Parnell, b. 15 Sept. 1746, bapt. 12 Oct. 1746,
250*. iv. Elias, b. 17 Nov. 1748,
251* v. Constant, b. 12 May 1751,
252*. vi. Nathan, b. 18 July 1753,
253. vii. Hannah, b. 15 Feb. 1756, bapt. 21 Mar. 1756,
254. viii Anne, b. 5 Oct. 1758, bapt. 19 Nov. 1758, d. 26 Apr. 1806, m. 2 July 1789, Capt. Zachariah Clark (R-28), b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1734, d. 9 Apr. 1814, he m. 2nd, wid. Sarah Scovill. He fought through the French and Indian Wars and was a member of the relief expedition for Fort William Henry.

Children, 4, (R-28):

254. i. Calvin Clark, b. abt. 1791, bapt. 3 July 1803, d. 5 Oct. 1858, from hydrophobia,
254. ii. William Clark, b. abt. 1794, d. 1796,
254. iii. William Clark, b. abt. 1796, bapt. 3 July 1803, d. 1 Sept. 1822,
254. iv. Anne Clark, bapt. 3 July 1803.

255. ix. Phebe, bapt. 4 June 1763.

*111. Joshua, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1726, d. bef. 5 May 1767, m. abt. 1752, Lydia Lynde, dau. of Nathaniel and Sarah (Pratt) Lynde.

Joshua Bushnell, who by some writers has been confused with his father, first appears of record in May 1754 when the General Assembly reimbursed them for bills of credit on the Colony, which had been destroyed when their home was burned the previous May. He was an Ensign of the train band of Saybrook in 1757, Lieut. in 1764 and Capt. in 1766, and prob. d. suddenly as on 5 May 1767, his father, called Capt. Joshua, was appointed Adm. of his est. and on 4 July 1767, Sarah is referred to as his widow. In his father's will, dated 3 Apr. 1777, a reference is made to, "that young orchard not long set out by my son Joshua, now dec'd, hereinafter in this will given unto my grand-daughter Lucy Hart, the now wife of Samuel Hart," and in another section he mentions the location of the orchard as being on the north side of his house (R-30).

Children, 1, (R-23-29):

256. i. Lucy, b. 8 Oct. 1753, bapt. 13 Apr. 1755, d. 23 Oct. 1841, m. 22 Feb. 1770 Samuel Hart, b. 24 June 1748, d. 8 Nov. 1823, son of Rev. William and Mary (Blague) Hart.
Children, 6 (R-23):

256. i. Lydia Hart, b. 16 July 1772, d. 6 Nov. 1790,
256. ii. Mary Hart, b. 18 July 1775, m: () Sill,
256. iii. Samuel Hart, b. 13 Feb. 1778, d. 10 Jan. 1833, m. 3 Apr. 1813, Mercy Pratt of Saybrook. Children, 2: i. Henry Hart, b. 16 Aug. 1815, m. 17 Nov. 1836, Mary Ann Welton; ii. Harriet Hart, b. 16 Apr. 1817, d. 17 Aug. 1834,
256. iv. Harriet Hart, b. 30 Oct. 1781, m. William Willard,
256. v. Maria Hart, b. 13 Mar. 1788 d. 13 June 1810,

*113. Hanley, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1731, d. 1 Jan. 1811, m. 1st, 19 Feb. 1752, Chloe Bishop, b. 15 July 1730, d. 24 Dec. 1791, dau. of David and Deborah (Seward) (Stanley) Bishop, gr-dau. of John and Abigail (35) (Bushnell) Seward, and gt.gr-dau. of Lt. William (4) Bushnell, m. 2nd, Priscilla (), who d. 31 Oct. 1808, ae. 69.

Hanley Bushnell and his wife were members of the 1st. church of Saybrook, she being received as a member in Aug. 1755, and he 25 June 1769. He served in the Colonial Wars in 1758 and 1762, and was also in the Rev. War, being at or near Poughkeepsie, N.Y. in 1778. In Apr. 1780 he was appointed a Purchasing Agent for the Commissary Dept. in the towns of New London, Lyme, Saybrook, and Killingworth. The dist. of his est. made in 1811, mentions Hanley Bushnell, Chloe Lord, heirs of Sarah (Watrous), Lydia Clark, and Joshua and Eley Waterhouse (Watrous). An item in the New Hampshire Gazette for 31 May 1771, states "The wife of Hanley Bushnell of Saybrook gave birth to a son and a dau. 6 Apr. 1771. Her previous children were twin girls then 11 yrs. old."

Children, 8, (R-23):

257. i. Bishop, b. 23 July 1754,
258. ii. Chloe, bapt. 19 June 1757, d. a wid. 1 Mar. 1846, m. 1st, Capt. John Watrous, a brother of Ambrose Watrous who m. her sisters Sarah and Elsie. She m. 2nd, bef. 1811, William Lord and was called Chloe Lord in the dist. of her father's est. John Watrous was in the Rev War, and was a prisoner confined in the prize ship Corsey; he d. shortly after being brought ashore.

259*. iii. Hanley, bapt. 8 July 1759,
260. iv. Phebe, twin, b. 8 Mar. 1761,

Children by 1st wife, 1:

262. vi. Joshua, twin, b. 6 Apr. 1771,
263. vii. Lydia, twin, b. 6 Apr. 1771, m. 10 June 1787, Dea. Rufus Clark, b. Saybrook, 3 Oct. 1765, son of Samuel and Azubah (King) Clark.
Children, 5, (R-31):
   263. i. Azubah Clark, b. 1 Sept. 1787, d. 23 June 1788,
   263. ii. Azubah Clark, b. 29 July 1789, d. 24 May 1859, m. Job Shepard.
(Their son Rufus Clark Shepard, m. Mary Ann (2091) dau. of John (1011) and Mary Ann (Newell) Bushnell.
   263. iii. Chloe Bishop Clark, b. 10 June 1792, d. 16 May 1873, m. Jeremiah Denison,
   263. iv. William Rufus Clark,
   263. v. Mary Clark, b. 27 Apr. 1804,
   264. viii. Elsie (Eluth), b. abt. 1774, d. 21 Jan. 1846, m. 1st Daniel (280), son of Nathaniel (126) and Rhoda (Chalker) Bushnell, she m. 2nd, as his 3rd wife, after 14 Jan. 1806, Ambrose Watrous (or Waterhouse), 1st husband of her dec'd sister Sarah (261).
Children, 1:

   Jeremiah Bushnell, b. Probably in the West Parish of Saybrook, received land on 9 July 1737 from his father, Capt. Samuel Bushnell, located in the Oyster River Quarter of Saybrook, and on 25 May 1752, received by quit claim from all the heirs of his father, namely Samuel Bushnell of Saybrook, Ezra Parmelee and Jemima his wife, Isaac Kelsey and Hannah his wife, Ira Bushnell and Patience his wife, one half of the homestead together with the building and mansion house, and one half the major lot, the other half being given to his brother Samuel and on 25 Feb. 1754 he bought his brother's half of the homestead and transferred to him his half of the major lot (R-34).
Children, 1, (R-33):
   265. i. Abigail, b. 31 Dec. 1748, d. 5 Oct. 1825, m. 19 Nov. 1767 James Lay (R-33), who d. 27 Apr. 1837, son of Daniel and Ann (Bull) Lay. He was styled Lieut. and is said to have had some musical ability. On. 26 Dec. 1786, he bought a 14 acre tract of land in Saybrook from Prudence Bushnell of Hillsdale, N.Y. While no record of his will has been found, there is an order appointing William H. Lay as the Adm. of his est. and an order for an extension of the time for the filing of the Adm. accounts to 1 Mar. 1838. This order states the date of his death as given above.
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1803, m. Laura Ann Jones; viii. Chloe Post, b. 1804, m. (prob) Merritt Kelsey; ix. Marietta Post, b. 1805, d. 30 Sept. 1815; x. Jedediah Post, b. 7 Apr. 1807, m. Eliza Spencer; xi. Temperance Post, b. 1 Mar. 1809, m. John Shipman (1631), son of Col. Aaron (801) and Elizabeth (Stannard) Bushnell; xii. Cornelia A. Post, b. 9 Jan. 1813, m. John Champion (1645), son of Ezra (802) and Phebe (Jones) Bushnell.

265. ii. Jeremiah Lay, bapt. 19 Jan. 1772, m. Sally Gale,
265. iii. James Lay, bapt. 1 Jan. 1775, had no children,
265. iv. Dency Lay, bapt. 6 Jan. 1777, m. John Post, 2nd,
265. v. William Lay, bapt. 7 Feb. 1779, m. Lucy Dee,
265. vi. Lydia Lay, bapt. 18 Dec. 1785, m. Ebenezer (299), son of Ebenezer (135) and Sarah (Carter) Bushnell.


Samuel Bushnell, b. in West Parish of Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1724, m. 1st, abt. 1743 Elizabeth ( ), whose maiden name is not now known. Unfortunately no vital records are extant for the 16 years between 1741 and 1757, and therefore the sequence, and dates of birth of their children are unreliable. The fact that there was a first marriage is determined from a record dated 3 Feb. 1760, of the bapt. of their dau. Elizabeth, recorded as dau. of Samuel and Elizabeth Bushnell, the next record being the bapt. of their son Jeremiah, 2 Jan. 1763/4, recorded as son of Samuel and Hannah Bushnell, his birth date being given on his headstone in the Salisbury Cemetery. We assume that his first four children, Elizabeth and Samuel apparently being named after their parents, and the two girls Mehitable and Eustatia, were by his 1st wife Elizabeth, who d. before the birth of Hannah who apparently was named for his 2nd wife, Hannah Post. This theory is supported by the fact that on 12 Dec. 1755 Samuel and Hannah gave a deed to Nehemiah Bushnell, for land which was bounded on one side by brother George Denison, and some have assumed from this, that Hannah's maiden name was Denison, but we find that Joseph and Elizabeth (Stannard) Post, had daus. Jemima and Hannah, and that Jemima Post m. George Denison, which justifies the relationship to Hannah as given in the deed. On 25 May 1752, all the heirs of Capt. Samuel Bushnell, his father, quit claim to him their interests in the east half of the homestead in Saybrook including the mansion house, which on 25 Feb. 1754, he sold to his brother Jeremiah for £2000 in bills of credit on the Colony, and received from Jeremiah one half the major lot, his share in the indenture of 1752. In 1764 he was appointed Capt. of the 10th Co. 7th Regt. of the Conn. Militia (R-41), and he is also mentioned in the records as a Corporal in Daniel Platt's Co. William Worthington's Regt. which marched to New Haven. On 26 Jan. 1768, he sold a tract of land in Saybrook to Benajah Bushnell and on 12 May of that year he sold a tract of land of 45 acres to Robert Ely also of Saybrook, and on Jan. 1773, Joseph Lee of Salisbury, Conn. sold land in Salisbury to Samuel Bushnell at Saybrook, which is probably about the time he removed to Salisbury.
He d. in 1793, and his will, dated 22 June 1790, probated 29 Jan. 1793, stated that he was then of Salisbury, and that he bequeathed to his wife the great Bible and one third of his real estate and property, and the balance of his lands, buildings, farm machinery and crops to his sons Samuel and Jeremiah, and the remainder of his personal property to his daus. Mehitable, Eustatia, Hannah, Elizabeth and Jerusha, and named his son Jeremiah as Exec. This Bible is still in existence but has no vital records. On 18 Feb. 1796, Samuel, the son, was appointed Adm. of the est. of his mother, Hannah Bushnell, late of Salisbury dec'd.

Children, 9, (R-33):

266. i. Elizabeth, b. abt. 1744, bapt. 3 Feb. 1760, d. 20 Nov. 1824, ae. 80, m. 5 Jan. 1769, as his 2nd wife, Dea. Caleb Chapman, b. Westbrook, Conn. 13 Feb. 1740, d. 1 Oct. 1797, son of Caleb and Deborah (Jones) Chapman, he m. 1st, 18 Nov. 1764, Phebe Post, who d. 3 Apr. 1766, by whom he had a dau. Chloe, bapt. Aug. 1766, d. June 1775 (R-33-36). He was appointed Dea. of the Westbrook Congregational Church in June 1780 and held the office until his death.

Children, 6, (R-36):


266. iv. Henry Chapman, b. 16 July 1777 d. unm.

266. v. Timothy Chapman, b. 22 Nov. 1776, m. 22 Oct. 1806, Charlotte Jones, dau. of Augustus Jones. They removed to
Sullivan, N.Y. abt. 1830. Children, 5: Charlotte Chapman, b. 8 Jan. 1809, m. as his 1st wife, Elisha A Ely; ii. Mehitable Chapman, b. 3 July 1811, m. Martin Erastus (1182), son of Martin (516) and Lucy ( ) Bushnell; iii. Electa Ann Chapman, b. 2 Nov. 1814, m. as his 2nd wife, her sister's widower, Elisha A. Ely; iv. Susan Maria Chapman, b. 11 Sept. 1817, m. John Evans; v. Timothy Chapman, b. 20 Nov. 1819, 266. vi. Dea. Edward Chapman, b. 21 Jan. 1782, d. 8 Feb. 1837, m. 1 Sept. 1812, Lydia Kelsey, dau. of James Kelsey of Westbrook, Conn. He was a farmer and elected Deacon of the Westbrook Congregational Church in Jan. 1829 and served until his death. Children, 6: i. Edward Chapman, b. 15 June 1813, m. Sally G. Jones; ii. Harriet A. Chapman, b. 30 Sept. 1814, m. 8 June 1842, Orville Chapman, son of John and Clarissa (286) (Bushnell) Chapman. He was a farmer in Sullivan, N.Y; iii. Ezra Chapman, b. 18 May 1817, m. Sarah R. Jones; iv. James A. Chapman, b. 28 Sept. 1819, m. Harriet Kelsey; v. Nathan Chapman, b. 12 Feb. 1823; vi. Lydia L. Chapman, b. 21 Apr. 1830, d. 8 Sept. 1842, 267*. ii. Samuel, b. abt. 1746, 268. iii. Mehitable, b. abt. 1749, m. 1 Jan. 1772, Bezaleel Hilliard, Jr. (R-3-18), (or Willard?). 269. iv. Eustatia, b. abt. 1752, m. 1st, 8 Mar. 1773, Jeremiah Lay, Jr. b. 5 Oct. 1746, d. abt. 1778 on the prison ship Blazemore Castle, son of Jeremiah and Prudence (Belden) Lay. Only two of the Westbrook men who had been confined on this ship returned alive (R-37). 270. v. Hannah, b. abt. 1754/5, m. Salisbury, Conn. John Pumpelly, son of John, son of John, who d. abt. 1820, ae. 92. He was a descendant of a family of Italian origin whose surname had been Pompili, who had settled in Avignon, France and became attached to the Hugenot cause. He was superintendent of the iron works at Salisbury and served in the French and Indian Wars as a Sergt. in Rogers Rangers. During the Rev. War he was a commissary officer under Gen. Putnam. In 1802, he removed to New York where he died (R-37). Children, 7: 270. i. James Pumpelly, b. Salisbury, 20 Feb. 1776, d. Owego, N.Y. 4 Oct. 1845, m. 1/7 Apr. 1805, Mary (Pixley) Tinkham, b. 10 May 1877, d. 4 June 1848, dau. of David and Lois (Whittlesey) Pixley, and wid. of Dr. Samuel Tinkham of Owego, who d. 30 Sept. 1804 ae. 36 leaving three children (R-38-39), one of whom, Sarah Emily Tinkham, m. William Pumpelly, bro. to James above. Children, 4: i. George James Pumpelly, b. 11 Dec. 1805, m. 24 Apr. 1832, his cousin Susan Isabelle Pumpelly, b. 24 Apr. 1809, dau. of Charles and Frances (Avery) Pumpelly. He grad. Yale Univ. and Litchfield Law School, and had a farm in Owego; ii. Lydia Abbey Pumpelly, b. 13 Feb. 1808, m. 4 May 1835, Dr. Ezekiel Lovejoy, son of Ezekiel and Hannah (Penfield) Lovejoy. he was a physician in Owego; iii. Frederick Henry Pumpelly, b. 13 Jan. 1810, m. 5 Jan. 1847, Sarah Ann Hewitt, dau. of Gurdon and Charlotte (Platt) Hewitt. He grad. Trinity College and was a large land owner in Owego; iv. Mary Eliza Pumpelly, b. 9 Apr. 1814, m. Robert Charles Johnson, b. Stratford, Conn. 270. ii. Jerusha Pumpelly, b. Salisbury, Conn. abt. 1778, d. 22 Nov. 1793,
270. iii. William Pumpelly, b. Salisbury, Conn. 17 June 1779, d. Owego, 17 Nov. 1876, m. 1st, Mary (Hollenbeck) Welles, m. 2nd, June 1814, Sarah Emily Tinkham, b. abt. 1795, dau. of Dr. Samuel and Mary (Pixley) Tinkham, wife of his brother James. He removed to Owego in 1805, where he was a surveyor until 1812, when he started a mercantile business for himself, and with his brothers as partners dealt in cattle and lumber (R-38).

270. iv. Mary Pumpelly, b. 17 June 1788,

270. v. Charles Pumpelly, b. Salisbury, 8 Dec. 1789, d. 9 Mar. 1855, m. Owego, 3 Sept. 1803, Frances Avery, b. 9 Sept. 1785, d. 2 Oct. 1848, dau. of Samuel and Mary Ann (Rose) Avery. He was in the War of 1812, and one of the founders of Owego, where he had a large landed est. He was a supervisor for years and represented his district in the State Assembly. Children, 10: i. John Charles Pumpelly, b. 28 Oct. 1804, d. 9 May 1830; ii. Mary Ann Pumpelly, b. 31 Dec. 1806, d. 11 Feb. 1848, m. George Bacon; iii. Susan Isabelle Pumpelly, b. 24 Apr. 1809, d. 30 July 1864; iv. Frances Eliza Pumpelly, b. 19 Apr. 1811, d. 30 Mar. 1879, m. Joseph S. Bosworth; v. Catherine Ann Pumpelly, b. 28 Feb. 1813, d. 30 Dec. 1845, m. John Mason Parker, a Supreme Court Judge; vi. Harriet Amelia Pumpelly, b. 27 June 1815, m. Theodore Freling Huysen, a President of Princeton Univ; vii. Sterling Avery Pumpelly, b. 19 Sept. 1817, d. 25 Sept. 1894, m. her sister's widower, John Mason Parker; viii. Caroline Augusta Pumpelly, b. 6 Feb. 1820, d. unm; ix. James Pumpelly, b. 23 Sept. 1822, d. 3 Dec. 1823; x. Lydia Avery Pumpelly, b. 26 June 1827, d. 12 Aug. 1876, m. James Forsyth, President of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute,

270. vi. Harriet Pumpelly, b. 10 Nov. 1791,

270. vii. Herman Pumpelly, b. 1 Apr. 1795, m. Hannah (910), dau. of Nathan (397) and Ruth (387) (Bushnell) Bushnell of Hanover, Conn.

271* vi. Jeremiah, b. 5 Dec. 1763,

272. vii. Jerusha, b. 23 Mar. 1765, bapt. 30 Mar. 1766 (R-33) at Killingworth, Conn. (R-10), d. Salisbury, Conn. 15 May 1850, m. 1st, 29 Oct. 1786, by J. Lee at Salisbury, Robert Walker Lee, b. 4 Apr. 1765, d. 9 Jan. 1799, son of Rev. Jonathan and Love (Graham) Lee. He was a farmer at Salisbury (R-35-40), she m. 2nd, 21 Dec. 1800, James Benton, b. abt. 1768, d. 22 Jan. 1849, son of Isaac and Jemima (St. John) Benton. His 1st wife was Mary Chapman, b. 1769, d. 20 Feb. 1800, in her 31st year (R-38).

Children, 5:

272. i. Robert Walker Lee, b. 30 Sept. 1787, d. 13 Feb. 1820,

272. ii. Love Lee, b. 24 July 1789, d. 5 Dec. 1793,

272. iii. William Graham Lee, b. 31 Oct. 1791, d. 1 Dec. 1815,

272. iv. Herman Bushnell Lee, b. 11 Feb. 1795, d. 14 Dec. 1814,

272. v. Elizabeth Odingsell Lee, b. 22 Oct. 1797, m. 1st (?), Nov. 1837, Dea. Timothy Chittenden of Salisbury, Conn. an iron manufacturer, they had no children.

273. viii. James, b. 21 Dec. 1775, at Salisbury, Conn. (R-40),

274. ix. Charles, b. 18 Dec. 1776, at Salisbury, Conn. (R-40),
*126. Nathaniel, b. Saybrook, Conn. 27 June 1727, d. 12 Apr. 1806, m. 19 June 1750, Rebecca Chalker, b. 20 June 1728, d. 30 July 1825 (R-3).

Nathaniel Bushnell's name appears in a list of officers and Soldiers of the 1st Co. train band of Saybrook, dated 26 Mar. 1745, and in a deed dated 1800, he refers to his sons Elisha, Nathaniel and Daniel.

Children, 6, (R-1-3-43):

275. i. Rhoda, b. 25 Dec. 1752, d. 16 May 1775, m. Nathan (252), son of Jonathan (108) and Elizabeth (Shipman) Bushnell.

276. ii. Nathaniel, b. 10 Sept. 1755, d. 7 Jan. 1764,

277*. iii. Elisha, b. 24 Apr. 1758,

278. iv. Daniel, b. 7 Aug. 1760, d. 19 Jan. 1764,

279*. v. Nathaniel, b. 8 July 1764,

280*. vi. Daniel, b. 3 May 1766.

*131. Joseph, b. Saybrook, Conn. 7 Sept. 1733, (R-3), bapt. Westbrook Conn. 3 Nov. 1734 (R-33), d. Essex, Conn. 25 Aug. 1790 (R-21), m. abt. 1764, Sarah Pratt, b. 6 May 1734, d. Essex, Conn. 8 Feb. 1823 (R-44), dau. of Isaac Pratt.

Joseph Bushnell by the 1790 census had a family of 2 males over 16 and 3 females, both were interred in River View Cemetery Essex, Conn. and their headstones are still standing. The dist. of the est. of his wid. Sarah, mentions their children as Joseph, Titus, Esther, Hepzibah Bushnell, and Abigail Brainard, dau. and heir of Abijah Brainard (R-44).

Children, 5:

281*. i. Titus, b. 19 June 1763,

282*. ii. Joseph, b. 24 Feb. 1764,

283. iii. Esther, b. 4 July 1766, d. 2 Dec. 1848, prob. unm. In a letter to her brother Titus, the writer mentions that she was suffering from consumption and that she had been very bad about 1795 but the writer was perhaps mistaken in his diagnosis as she was mentioned in the dist. of her mother's est. in 1823.


Children, 1:

284. i. Abigail Brainard, perhaps others,

285. v. Hepzibah, b. 9 May 1776, d. 5 Apr. 1867, unm. (R-44).

*134. Reuben, b. abt. 1743, d. Westbrook, Conn. 24 July 1802, (R-47), m. abt. 1770, Martha Jones, b. abt. 1744, d. Westbrook, Conn. 11 Sept. 1802, dau. of Daniel Jones.

Reuben Bushnell was a soldier in the Rev. War, 1781-1783, and received a bounty of £30 from the town of Saybrook for his service (R-48). He was captured by the British during Arnold's attack on New London, 6 Sept. 1781, and carried off as a prisoner. On 17 Nov. 1771, they owned the covenant in the 3rd Cong. Church at Westbrook, Conn. (R-33). In the dist. of his est. in 1803, there is mentioned, sons Reuben, Stephen, Calvin and Elirda, and daus. Clara, Marta, and Maria. His family in 1790 as shown by the census was 2 males over 16, 2 males under 16, and 4 females.

Children, 8:

286. i. Clarissa, bapt. 17 Nov. 1771, m. 9 Jan. 1800, John Chapman, b. abt. 1766, son of Phineas and Mary (Hillier) Chapman.
They removed to Sullivan, N.Y. abt. 1832, and resided near her brother Reuben on a farm known as the Lot Wood place. She joined the lst Cong. ch. there on 6 July 1832, and after the death of her husband, removed to Lakeport, N.Y.

Children, 8:


286. ii. Richard Chapman, b. Mar. 1802, m. Nancy (585), dau. of Stephen (290) and Vincie (Tuttle) Bushnell,


286. iv. Orville Chapman, b. 20 Dec. 1805, m. Harriet Chapman, dau. of Edward and Lydia (Kelsey) Chapman, and gr-dau. of Caleb and Elizabeth (266) (Bushnell) Chapman. Children, 3: i. Louise Chapman, b. 21 July 1844; ii. Arthur A. Chapman, b. 19 Feb. 1846, m. Sophia Elizabeth (3584), dau. of Dorrence (2120) and Sophia (Smith) Bushnell; iii. Merril A. Chapman, b. 26 June 1848; iv. a son Chapman, b. 2 June 1850, d.y.

286. v. son Chapman, b. 9 May 1807, d.y.


286. viii. Angelina Chapman, b. 1 Apr. 1813.

287*. ii. Reuben, b. 2 May 1773,

288. iii. infant, bapt. and d. 22 Oct. 1775,

289. iv. Martha, bapt. 20 July 1777,

290*. v. Stephen, b. abt. 1779,

291*. vi. Calvin, b. 29 Apr. 1781,

292. vii. Martia, bapt. 18 Mar. 1783,

293*. viii. Elirda, b. 26 May 1787.

*135. Ebenezer, b. Westbrook, Conn. abt. 1745, d. 23 Nov. 1813 (R-33) of lockjaw, m. Killingworth (now Clinton), Conn. 10 Feb. 1774, Sarah Carter (R-10) or Cotter, b. 29 Mar. 1750, d. 6 Feb. 1826, dau. of John and Sarah Carter.

Ebenezer Bushnell and his wife were members of the 3rd. Cong. Church at Westbrook, Conn. he of date 6 Nov. 1774, and she 17 May 1795. He enlisted on the first call for service in the Rev. War on 9 May 1775, in the 6th Continental Regt. 9th Co. under Col. Samuel Parsons, John Ely, Capt., and was discharged at the end of the enlistment period 18 Dec. 1775 (R-45). On 5 Sept. 1777 an order was addressed to Col. Davenport to draw on the pay roll tables for 18s. in favor of Ebenezer Bushnell "for sundry short journeys on public service." On 5 June 1780, he, with Ira Bushnell, signed a recommendation for a permit for Lt. William Havens to return to Long Island, N.Y. with his family (R-50). In 1790 there were in his family, 1 male over 16, 2 males under 16, and 3 females. He d. of lockjaw at the age of 67, and the dist. of his est. (R-22) dated 1816, mentions Sally Doane, Azubah Towner, and Zina, Ebenezer and Jabez Bushnell. The dist. of her est. dated 1826 mentions the same children.
Children, 8, (R-33-47):

294. i. Sally, b. abt. 1774, bapt. 6 Nov. 1774, d. 29 Apr. 1819, m. abt. 1795, Edmund Doane, b. Saybrook, Conn. 1769, d. there, 20 July 1862, son of Prince and Deborah (Pratt) Doane. Children, 8:


294. ii. Edmund Doane, b. 5 Dec. 1798, d. 28 Oct. 1867, m. 1st, 7 Dec. 1819, Nancy West, b. 14 Jan. 1800, d. 29 Nov. 1827, dau. Rev. Samuel and Nancy (Stanton) West. He m. 2nd, 14 Sept. 1828, Elizabeth White, b. 13 Apr. 1799, d. 7 Mar. 1864. Children, 7: i. Mary Ann Doane, b. 10 Feb. 1821, m. Richard (616), son of Ebenezer (299) and Lydia (Lay) Bushnell; ii. Emily Jerusha Doane, b. 13 Feb. 1823, m. William Socrates (1132) son of Samuel (494) and Phebe ( ) Bushnell; iii. Nancy Evaline Doane, b. 2 June 1825, m. 1st, 6 May 1850, Benjamin Franklin Turner, she m. 2nd, Nov. 1874, Enos Brainard Thomas; iv. Edgar S. Doane, b. 10 Sept. 1830, d. 4 June 1845; v. Eliphalet Doane, b. 3 Apr. 1832, d. 9 Sept. 1834; vi. Edmund E. Doane, b. 23 Oct. 1840, d. 31 May 1864, at Bermuda Hundred, Va. in Civil War; vii. Juliette Elizabeth Doane, b. 2 Apr. 1842, m. Dec. 5. 1867, Charles Parker of Meriden, Conn.


294. iv. Russell Doane, b. 29 Nov. 1802, d. 18 June 1813,

294. v. Ansel Doane, b. 20 Mar. 1805, d. 8 Feb. 1865, in Twinsburg, Ohio, m. 1st, Maria Comstock, who d. 19 Oct. 1846, m. 2nd, (?) children, 2: i. Ida A. Doane, b. 20 Oct. 1846, m. 11 Apr. 1870, at Westbrook, Conn. George D. E. Post; ii. Charles A. Doane, was a Postmaster at Stony Point, Pa.

294. vi. Linus Doane, b. 29 Apr. 1807, d. 11 Oct. 1849,

294. vii. Juliette Doane, b. 29 June 1809, d. 18 Sept. 1900, m. Capt. Ezra Stannard,

294. viii. Diana N. Doane, b. 11 Oct. 1811, d. 17 Nov. 1834,


294. x. Harriet M. Doane, b. 2 Oct. 1814, d. 26 Mar. 1889, m. 6 Apr. 1839, Elihu Kingsley, b. 1812, d. 5 Sept. 1847,

294. xi. Louisa Amelia Doane, b. 7 Jan. 1817, m. 1st, John Hanley (1110), son of George (491) and Eunice (Dudley) Bushnell, she m. 2nd, David Platts.

295. ii. Dolly, b. 1776, bapt. 15 Dec. 1776, d. 25 Aug. 1814, unmarried,
296. iii. Ebenezer, b. 1778, bapt. 31 Jan. 1779, d. 1 Oct. 1784,
297*. iv. Zina, b. 25 Aug. 1781,
298. v. Azubah, b. 4 Apr. 1784, d. 7 Jan. 1844, m. 19 Dec. 1804, Abraham Towner, Jr. b. 2 June 1776, d. 1 Mar. 1842, son of Abraham and Sibyl (219) (Bushnell) Towner. Children, 4, all b. Westbrook, Conn:
   298. i. John B. Towner, b. 1807, d. 22 Mar. 1877,
   298. ii. Eliza Towner, b. 1808, d. 6 Sept. 1892,
   298. iii. Arza Towner, b. 1810, d. 10 May 1890,
   298. iv. Dolly Azubah Towner, b. 1813, bapt. 5 June 1814, d. 17 June 1855,
299*. vi. Ebenezer, b. 13 July 1786,
300*. vii. Jabez, bapt. 21 Nov. 1790,
301. viii. Sarah, bapt. 16 Sept. 1798.

Josiah Bushnell was in Hartland, Conn. in 1760, and on 29 Mar. 1760, he bought a 50 acre lot of James Dix of Tyringham for £30 and in the deed he is called of Tyringham. In 1762 he was in Granville, Mass. and in 1765 he purchased an additional 10 acres from Jacob Brown (R-53-54). He served in the Rev. War and was in camp at Cambridge, Mass. from 15 May to 16 Oct. 1775, in Capt. Daniel Whiting's Co., Col. Jonathan Brewer's Regt. and on 26 Oct. following, a order was issued for a bounty coat or its equivalent in money, for Josiah Bushnell of Tyringham, this being the method of paying for services in the Provisional Army under General Washington, which surrounded the British at Boston (R-55).
Children, 2:
   302*. i. Josiah, b. 10 Mar. 1757,
   303. ii. Amasa, b. 2 Apr. 1763, d. 1765.

*138. Abner, b. Saybrook, Conn. 10 Oct. 1737, d. Hartland, Conn. of Apoplexy, 7 Mar. 1823 (R-56), m. 1st, Saybrook, 29 Aug. 1765, Rachel Chapman, b. 6 Feb. 1744, d. Hartland, 1 Apr. 1787 (R-57), dau. of Ichabod and Hannah (Jones) Chapman, m. 2nd Abigail (), who d. in Hartland, 5 Nov. 1797 (R-56), m. 3rd, 28 Nov. 1804, Temperance Chalker, who d. 9 Mar. 1833, ae. 82, she was probably a wid. when he married her (R-2).
Abner Bushnell was a soldier in the first Canadian Expedition, enlisting in the 3rd. Co. under Capt. Harris on the 9 Sept. 1755, he drew a pound of powder three days later from the stores at Saybrook, and was discharged three months later on 12 Dec. The next year he enlisted in Col. Haviland's Regt. 24 May, and was discharged 14 Dec. 1756. His name appears on a roll dated Guilford, 27 Apr. 1759, and was in the 9th Co. under Capt. Harris in the 1761 campaign (R-59). He and his 1st wife, Rachel, were members of the church at Saybrook on 15 Apr. 1762, and appear as members in the church at Westbrook, 7 Sept. 1776. On 22 Jan. 1771, his brother Daniel, who was then of Hartland, Conn. sold him some land, and he was then of Saybrook (R-60). His wife Rachel d. in Hartland in 1787, and his 2nd wife, Abigail, was received into the East Hartland Church 2 Mar. 1788, the record showing that he was of Saybrook, although perhaps the record
should be interpreted that he had come from Saybrook, instead of having a residence there at that time. On 12 May 1796, he bought 11 acres of James Giddings which he gave to his son Asa on 22 May 1804, and at the same time received from both Abner, Jr. and Asa, his sons, a life lease, which included 33 acres which he had bought of Oliver Phelps on 1 Dec. 1800 (R-60). He d. in Hartland at the age of 85 and was buried in the cemetery there. His family in 1790 census was 1 male over 16, 2 males under 16, and 3 females.

Children, 7, all b. Saybrook:

304. i. Abner, b. 20 May 1766, d. 27 July 1766,
305. ii. Ichabod, b. 6, d. 12 Feb. 1769 (R-33),
306. iii. Rachel, b. 5 Nov. 1770, m. East Hartland, Conn. 5 June 1791, Peter Gayniard (R-18-58),
307. iv. Abner, d. 18 Sept. 1772,
308. v. Nancy, b. 6 Jan. 1774, bapt. 20 Feb. 1774,
309*. vi. Abner, b. 27 July 1776,
310*. vii. Asa, b. abt. 1778,


Daniel Bushnell, b. Saybrook, Conn. was son of Josiah Bushnell, and the claim that he was a son of Nehemiah Bushnell has no foundation in fact. He was in the 1761 campaign under Capt. Pierce (R-59), and abt. 1762 removed with his parents to Hartland, Conn. where he continued to reside until after the Rev. War. On 6 Mar. 1769, he received a tract of land from his father, and on the 5th of the following May he received from his brother Jedediah, the tract his father had deed him on 27 Apr. 1768. It is thought that these tracts were about half way up the west mountain, which was where his homestead was for some years (R-60). In 1775 he was a private in the 4th Regt. of the Rev. Army under Col. Benjamin Hinman, and was at Fort Ticonderoga and Crown Point, and was discharged 13 Sept. 1775. The record states that he was accredited to Hartland for military service, and that he was exempt from certain state taxes (R-48). In 1777 he was in Col. Webb's Regt. and on 13 Apr. 1778 he enlisted for 3 years in the 9th Co. under Col. Webb, and on 1 Jan. 1781, he re-enlisted for a term of 1 year in Capt. Edward Buckley's Co., Col. Samuel B. Webb's Regt. (R-48). A family tradition asserts that he was an aide-de-camp on the staff of Gen. Washington. By the 1790 census he had in his family, 2 males over 16, and 5 females. Abt. 1794 he, with his family, removed to Litchfield, N.Y. and settled near Fairfield where he and his son Amasa became prominent citizens, and as is said, operated a fulling mill. The 1810 census seems to show that in his later years he resided with his son Amasa. His name appears several times in the Herkimer Co. land records, as a grantor. Both he and his wife were buried on the farm, and their grave stones, while existing, are so eroded that they are practically illegible.

Children, 8, all b. Hartland, Conn. (R-61):

311. i. Hannah, bapt. 17 July 1774, d. at Busti, N.Y. m. Johannes Frank, a native of Germany,
312*. ii. Amasa, b. 13 June 1765,
313. iii. Esther, b. 9 Dec. 1766, bapt. 17 July 1774 (R-57), d. 18 Sept. 1845, m. 1st, Sept. 1796, Joseph Alexander, b. 30 Apr. 1769, d. Litchfield, N.Y. 20 Apr. 1798 (R-62), son of James Alexander, b. at sea on passage from Londonderry, Ireland in 1728, to Londonderry, N.H. m. 2nd, ( ) Giddings, m. 3rd ( ) Williams.
Children, 1:


314*. iv. Daniel, b. abt. 1768,
315*. v. Norman, b. 21 June 1773,
316*. vi. Truman, b. 21 June 1773,
317. vii. Charity, bapt. 17 July 1774, d. near Busti, N.Y. 17 Jan. 1841, m. 4 July 1813, Nicholas Frank, who was a pathmaster in Litchfield in 1812,
318. viii. Johanna, b. 24 Oct. 1776, bapt. 3 Nov. 1776, d. 15 Dec. 1860, m. Hartland, Conn. Luman Killbourn, b. May 1771, d. 27 Dec. 1850. She was totally blind for the last ten years of her life.
Children, 7 (R-61):

318. i. Alcena Killbourn, b. 15 Apr. 1799, d. 17 Sept. 1878, m. Silas Crowell. Children, 4: i. Erastus Crowell, b. 11 June ( ), m. Amanda Fay, no children; ii. Simeon Crowell, b. 22 June 1826, m. Almena Millard; iii. Eleanor Crowell, b. 26 Apr. 1833, d. 4 Oct. 1895; iv. Lydia J. Crowell, b. 15 Apr. 1844, d. 23 Nov. 1853,
318. iv. Unnamed son, b. & d. 8 Nov. 1817,
318. v. Clarissa Killbourn, b. 26 Jan. 1818, d. 11 Feb. 1855, m. Henry Wesley. Children, 4: i. Anna Wesley, m. Luther
Dibble; ii. Mary Wesley, m. Mortimer Bradley; iii. Frank Wesley, m. J. Hopkins Chase; iv. William Wesley, b. 1830, d. 9 Nov. 1854,

318. vi. Lucius Killbourn, b. 19 Sept. 1809, d. 20 Apr. 1816,

318. vii. Lydia Killbourn, (FR), b. 8 Nov. 1824, m. Hiram McMann, b. 1808, d. 11 July 1887. Children, 1: i. Fremont McMann, b. 30 Sept. 1859, m. 1st, Adah Cromwell (or Crowell), m. 2nd, Anna Coxe, children, 1: i. Roy A. McMann, b. 1 Apr. 1886.


Jedediah Bushnell came from Lyme, or Saybrook, abt. 1762, probably with his father Josiah Bushnell, who on 6 Mar. 1769, and 21 Sept. 1772, gave him deeds for lands in Hartland (R-60). He was in the Rev. War serving as Sergt. in Capt. Abel Brown's Co. 18th Regt. of Conn. Militia, from 19 Aug. to 25 Aug. 1776, and as Ensign in Capt. Bates' Co. 26th Regt. in 1781 (R-48). By the 1790 census he had a family of 3 males over 16, and 3 females. We are not able to identify the 3rd female.

Children, 3:

319*. i. Jedediah, b. 6 Sept. 1768,

320*. ii. Samuel, b. 16 July 1770,

0001. iii. Polly (Baldwin), foster dau. bapt. 3 July 1785 (R-57).

*142. Stephen, b. Saybrook, Conn. bapt. 20/22 Mar. 1747/8, d. West Hartland, Conn. 14 June 1821, ae. 72 (R-56), m. 3 Dec. 1767, Ruth Holliday (or Halliday), b. 19 May 1747, bapt. 20 Mar. 1748, d. 6 Dec. 1828.

Stephen Bushnell came to Hartland, Conn. with his parents abt. 1762, and m. Ruth Holliday there, making their home on the ridge called Hogs Back (R-61). On 24 Mar. 1771, his wife Ruth was bapt. and received into the church at Hartland, and on the 14th of the following month brought her children, Ruth, Stephen, and Clary to be bapt. By the 1790 census he had in his family 2 males over 16, 5 males under 16, and 4 females. He built the first saw, grist and corn mill in Hartland on a stream that passed through his farm in 1777 (R-61), and deeded a tract of land to his son Chuza in 1798, and on 15 May 1807, he deeded 144 acres to his sons David, Theodore, and Elisha. He d. ae. 72, and was buried in West Hartland Cemetery (R-56).

Children, 13 (R-64):

322. i. Ruth, b. 19 Aug. 1768, bapt. 14 Apr. 1771, d. 1 June 1808, m. Seth Barber, who d. bef. 1 July 1807, when the wid. Ruth Barber had her children bapt.

Children, 5:

322. i. Samuel Cole Barber, m. Electa (). Children, 2: i. Rebecca Barber, m. Chauncey Phillips, no children; ii. Mary Barber, d. 1876, m. Samuel W. Wetmore, children, 1; i. child Wetmore, d.y.

322. ii. Calvin Barber, m. Phebe (), removed to La Crosse, Wis. had several children,

322. iii. Alfred Barber, bapt. 1 July 1809,

322. iv. Ruth Barber, m. 1st, (), m. 2nd () Norton,
they had one son,

322. v. Francis Bushnell Barber, b. 1801, d. 13 July 1879, m. Rebecca Ransom of Barkhampstead, Conn. who d. Mar. 1880. He was an M.D. Children, 1: i. Electa Barber, b. 6 Feb. 1833, m. Lyman Luce, children, 2: i. Francis Luce, m. ( ) Crouthers and had three children; ii. Clinton Luce, m. Henrietta Crouthers, children, 1: i. Carlton Luce.

323*. ii. Stephen, b. 23 Dec. 1769,


Children, 8:

324. i. Ruth Brace, m. William Eldred, had 11 children,

324. ii. Leonard Brace, m. 1817, Julia Eldred, b. 1797, dau. of Jehosaphat Eldred, had 5 children,

324. iii. Jehosaphat Brace, d. unm.

324. iv. Thadeus Brace, m. Mary Robley, resided in Kane, Ills. had 1 dau.

324. v. Curtis Brace, m. Kate Black, resided Kane, Ills. had 1 dau.

324. vi. Clara Brace, m. J. E. Ferguson, no children,


324. viii. Clarissa Brace, m. 1st, Moses Eldred, m. 2nd Charles S. Corbin. Children, 6 by 1st m. unnamed, 1 by 2nd m. vii. Lucius Brace Corbin.

325*. iv. Chuza, b. 8 May 1773,

326. v. Martha, b. 13 Feb. 1775, d. Montville, Mich. or Elkhart, Ind. 9/16 Jan. 1845, m. Ephriam Cleveland, b. abt. 1773, d. Naples, N.Y. 6 Mar. 1813, son of Ephriam, gr-son of Timothy, gt-gr-son of Samuel, gt-gt-gr-son of Moses Cleveland. He was a farmer and one of the pioneer settlers in Naples. He went to New York state abt. 1783, and was a Capt. in the War of 1812.

Children, 10:

326. i. Ephriam W. Cleveland, b. 6 Oct. 1793, d. 11 Sept. 1860, m. 4 Dec. 1816, Hannah Watkins, sister of Zilpah, who m. Myron H. Clark, Gov. of New York. Served in the War of 1812 and was a Judge and a member of the New York Assembly. Children, 10: i. Anna Cleveland, m. 1881, Valentine Van Wormer; ii. Eunice Cleveland, b. 13 Aug. 1880, m. Rev. David B. Olney, b. Bath, N.Y. 6 Oct. 1860; iii. Elvira Cleveland, d. unm; iv. Cynthia Cleveland, m. Stephen H. Hagerdorn of Bath, who d. 20 Au 1865; v. Jennie Cleveland, b. 13 June 1877 at Naples; vi. Abigail Cleveland, m. Dr. Way; vii. Mary Cleveland, m. Lorenzo D. Fuller of Bath; viii. Andrew W. Cleveland, d. in U. S. Hospital at Nashville, Tenn. m. Almira Goodrich, who d. in Milwaukee, Wis. He served in the Union Army in Civil War; ix. Myron H. Cleveland, d. ae. 89, m. Clarissa Trembley, b. abt. 1836, d. abt. 1931; x. Ephriam W. Cleveland, m. ( ) Conoughty,

326. ii. Allison Cleveland, b. abt. 1799, d.y.

Cleveland, b. 2 May 1825; vi. Martha P. Cleveland, b. 20 Mar. 1827 m. Daniel Southworth Virgil; vii. Napoleon B. Cleveland, b. 16 May 1829, d. Idaho, 2 Mar. 1880, m. Jane Gilbert, who d. in California; viii. Stephen Bushnell Cleveland, b. 12 Sept. 1831, unm; ix. Mary Cleveland, b. 16 May 1833, d. unm; x. Ann Cleveland, b. 13 Aug. 1836/7, m. Henry Work Chase; xi. Lucinda Cleveland, b. 16 Jan. 1840, d. 25 Sept. 1860; xii. Arminda Cleveland, b. 16 Jan. 1840, d. 24 Jan. 1856,

326. iv. Alba Cleveland, b. abt. 1802, d. abt. 1810,


326. vi. Ephriam Cleveland, b. 24 Aug. 1805, d. Lake Co. Ind. 13 July 1845, m. Naples, 8 Nov. 1826/7, Almira Sanger, b. Cambridge, N.Y. 8 Dec. 1801, d. Crown Point, Ind. 25 Apr. 1872, dau. of Aden and Elizabeth (Miles) Sanger. Children, 4: i. Allison Cleveland, b. 30 July 1828, d. 17 Aug. 1878; ii. Timothy Cleveland, b. 22 Nov. 1829, m. 22 Apr. 1853, Margaret Elizabeth Critchfield, dau. of Hiram and Elizabeth (Highfield) Critchfield; iii. Mary Almira Cleveland, b. 21 Oct. 1833, m. 3 July 1853, William Augustus Winslow, son of West and Lois (Nye) Winslow; iv. Elisha Bushnell Cleveland, b. 19 May 1836, m. Laura A. Logue,

326. vii. Elisha Bushnell Cleveland, b. abt. 1808, d. unm.

326. viii. Clarissa Cleveland, b. 12 Aug. 1810, d. 1 Apr. 1865, m. Naples, 10 Sept. 1828, John Miles Sanger, son of Aden and Elizabeth (Miles) Sanger;

326. ix. Timothy Cleveland, b. 22 Mar. 1812, d. 25 Mar. 1843, m. 1st, Elizabeth Ann Van Buskirk, m. 2nd, 22 Mar. 1843, Elizabeth Babcock, dau. of Arnold Babcock of Merango. They had 1 son. She m. again after his death.

326. x. Martha Brace Cleveland, b. 13 Feb. 1813, d. 29 Dec. 1880, m. 28 Feb. 1832, James Henry Sanger, son of Aden and Elizabeth (Miles) Sanger. Children, 6: i. Sidney Bushnell Sanger, b. 30 Nov. 1822, d. unm; ii. Simon Lynn (or Lyon) Sanger, b. 13 Apr. 1834, m. Elizabeth Bellshaw of N. Lowell, Ind; iii. Sanford Chester Sanger, b. 15 May 1837, d. 4 Feb. 1874, m. Amelia Gregg; iv. Cyril Chafee Sanger, b. 23 Feb. 1839, m. Caroline P. Childress, resided Lowell, Ind; v. James Henry Sanger, b. 13 Apr. 1844, m. Charlotte Levering; vi. Martha Brace Sanger, b. 15 May 1846, m. 3 June 1868, Dr. Epentus Reed Bacon of Lowell.

327*. vi. David, b. 3 Jan. 1777,
328. vii. Betsy, b. 28 Feb. 1779, m. 27 Nov. 1806, Asahel Newell of Barkhampstead, Conn.

329*. viii. Isaac, b. 18 May 1781,

330* ix. Theodore, b. 23 Mar. 1783,

331* x. Elisha, b. 4 July 1785,

332* xi. Calvin, b. 20 July 1787,

333. xii. Reuben, b. 29 Oct. 1790, bapt. 16 Jan. 1791, d. 8 Oct. 1818 (R-64),

334. xiii. Alma, b. 31 Mar. bapt. 6 June 1794, m. 20 Nov. 1815, Fredus Peters of Hartland, Conn. (R-57).

Children, 6 (R-61):

334 i. Almira E. Peters, b. 8 Sept. 1816, d. 23 Nov. 1893, m. 12 Oct. 1845, Nathaniel Gillett, who d. 26 June 1904. Children, 3: i. Mary A. Gillett, b. 18 Sept. 1848; ii. Urias A. Gillett, b. 27 June 1850; iii. Lucy Ann Gillett, b. 18 Mar. 1853, d. 14 July 1854,


334 iii. Harriet Frances Peters, b. 13 Apr. 1834, m. James Flavel (756), son of Demas (344) and Mary (Dewolf) Bushnell,


*143. Martin, b. Saybrook, Conn. bapt. there, 29 Oct. 1751, d. Hartland, Conn. 29 Nov. 1821, ae. 70, m. 26 Nov. 1772, Lucy Bates, b. 25 Jan. 1756, d. 16 June 1828 (R-57), dau. of Oliver and Lois (Hinsdale) Bates.

Martin Bushnell removed from Lyme to Hartland, Conn. where he bought land 19 Sept. 1774. His children were all b. Hartland, and by the 1790 census, he had in his family 2 males over 16, 1 male under 16, and 6 females. He served in the Rev. War in
Capt. Brews' Co. 8th Conn. Regular Militia, which went to New York, arriving there 19 Aug. 1776, and received his discharge six days later (R-48). On 30 Oct. 1786 he gave a deed for land to his "honored father Josiah Bushnell." (R-60).

Children, 13 (R-57):

335*. i. Oliver, b. 23 Nov. 1773,

336. ii. Theodore, d. 9 July 1776,

337. iii. Lois, bapt. 19 June 1785, m. (?? 22 Aug. 1825, Jacob Warrener, in Grange Co. Ohio??) (R-67),

338. iv. Lucy, bapt. 19 June 1785, m. 20 Dec. 1804, Samuel Merritt, Jr. (R-58),

339. v. Elizabeth ??

340. vi. Lucinda, bapt. 19 June 1785, m. 27 Nov. 1806, Erastus Merrill (R-57),

341. vii. Pamela, bapt. 19 June 1785, m. 19 Mar. 1806, Oliver Merritt (R-58),

342. viii. Lydia, b. 5 June 1785, bapt. 11 June 1786, d. Claridon, Ohio, 5 June 1857, m. 5 Oct. 1806, James Preston, of Barkhampstead, Conn. (R-58), b. 11 Sept. 1787. He was a Dea. in the ch. and rem. from Conn. to Claridon, Ohio, abt. 1823, and may have had several children.

Children, 1:

342. i. James Austin Preston, b. 6 May 1815, m. 1st, 27 Aug. 1841, Lucy Amanda Kellogg, b. New Hartford, Conn. 7 Aug. 1813, dau. of Asahel and Amanda (Spencer) Kellogg; after her death he m. 2nd, her sister, Sylvia Kellogg (R-68-69). He studied Theology at Western Reserve University, and at Oberlain College, and after preaching a year in Ohio, went as a missionary to Jamaica, W.I. but returned to Ohio after a few years because of his wife's health. Children, 1: i. Charles Morgan Preston, b. Mt. Hope, Jamaica, 22 Aug. 1842, m. 4 Sept. 1867, Mary Eliza Mosher, b. Lenox, Ohio, 13 May 1841, d. 13 Oct. 1895, dau. of Dea. Alfred and Hannah (Deming) Mosher. He studied for the ministry and resided in Cleveland, Ohio. There may have been other children.

343*. ix. Martin, bapt. 31 May 1789,

344*. x. Demas, bapt. 2 Oct. 1791,

345. xi. Orpah, bapt. 6 July 1794, m. 12 Feb. 1819, Lot Hathaway (R-69), who had come from Freetown, Mass. in 1818, to E. Claridon, Ohio. She had come to Ohio with her brother Martin in 1815 (R-67).

Children, 1:


346*. xii. Linus, b. 26 July 1796,


Children, 3 (R-61):

347. i. Mason Osrue Eggleston, b. 20 Nov. 1832, d. May 1891, m. 25 Oct. 1858 Mary Bullard.

347. ii. Adelia Eggleston, b. 15 Nov. 1635, m. 27 Mar. 1860, Benjamin Prince,

*152. James, b. Saybrook, Conn. 12 Mar. 1716, d. there bef. 10 May 1762, m. Mehitable Dudley, bapt. 7 Apr. 1718, dau. of Joseph and Sarah (Pratt) Dudley. No record of any child of this union has been identified, although it is claimed, evidently in error, that Alexander Bushnell was his son, b. Lyme, Conn. In 1739. The evidence is all against this claim, for his estate was inv. by his cousin and brother-in-law, Moses Dudley, on 10 May 1762 (R-71), and a deed is of record dated 1750 given by Ephriam Bushnell to his son James (R-3-34). This is conclusive proof that he was living many years after the death of the father of Alexander Bushnell, who by family tradition was lost at sea before his son was born.


Thomas Bushnell with Samuel Wright, Nathaniel Chapman, and Ben. Jones, erected a saw mill on Falls River, in the northeast part of Saybrook, in 1748, "each owner to do his own sawing three days in the year, and to find his own saw." He probably died abt. 1771, for at a court held in Guilford 21 May 1771 Daniel Douglas was app. adm. of his est. and the dist. mentions his wid., oldest son Ephriam, and children, James, John, Anna, and Thankful. On 1 June 1773, his wid. Dorothy was app. guardian to John, Dorothy, and Hannah. She later removed to Vermont to be with her son James, taking her children with her. The will of John Douglas, Guilford Prob. Rec. Vol. 12, mentions Dorothy Bushnell as his second daughter. Children, 7:

348. i. Anna, b. 4 Apr. 1758, d. 3 Jan. 1844, unm,
349*. ii. Ephriam, b. 24 Aug. 1760,
350*. iii. James, b. 21 Nov. 1762,
351. iv. Hannah, b. 24 Apr. 1765, (Did she m. as 2nd wife, at Hartland, Conn. 7 Apr. 1796, Capt. Abiah Wilson from Torrington, Conn. b. abt. 1763, d. 16 June 1844, ae. 81, and have a dau. Margaret who m. Edgar West of Chardon, Ohio, son of Daniel, b. 27 Nov. 1800, m. 1st Apr. 1825, Adeline, dau. of Lyman Doolittle; and dau. Amanda, who m. Henry Munson of Mentor, Ohio?)
352*. v. John, b. Oct. 1767,
353. vi. Dorothy, b. abt. 1769,
354. vii. Thankful, b. abt. 1771.

*158. William, b. Saybrook, Conn. 26 Oct. 1703, d. Westbrook, Conn. 17 Mar. 1762, m. 4 Mar. 1729/30, Mary Bate or Bates, b. 31 Mar. 1708, d. 4 Nov. 1778, dau. of Samuel and Hannah (Jordan) Bates.

William Bushnell was in the campaign of 1755, enlisted 12
Sept. 1755, in 8th Co. 3rd Regt. under Capt. Harris, and was discharged 12 Dec. 1755. He was also in the campaign of 1761 in the 9th Co. under Capt. Pierce (R-41). On 10 July 1762, his estate was distributed to wid. Mary, oldest son William, sons Jesse, Solomon, Benajah, and Daniel, Aaron and Jordan, minors, and dau. Mindwell, Mary and Jane. In a letter dated 26 Jan. 1848 from Rev. Williston to William Chauncey Fowler, L.L.D. author of a History of Durham, Conn. he states "About 30 heads of families from Durham, Conn. settled in Durham, N.Y. formerly Freehold, but one Bushnell is mentioned, ___ (Bates) Bushnell, as having located in the town," probably prior to 1807 when Timothy Kelsey wrote a letter to Oliver and Hannah Hull, in Saybrook, delivered by "the bearer" John H(anley) Bushnell.

Children, 11 (R-3):

355. i. Mindwell, b. 20 Mar. 1731, m. Daniel Jones, 2nd. In a dead dated 12 May 1768, they deed land which came to her from her brother William's estate (R-73).

356. ii. Mary, b. 15 Oct. 1732, d. and bur. at Bristol, Conn. 23 Dec. 1807, m. Saybrook as his 2nd wife, 23 Aug. 1759, Elijah Wilcox (R-74), b. Middletown, Conn. 14 Jan. 1720/1, d. Bristol Conn. 23 Apr. 1809 (R-75), son of Samuel Jr. and Esther (70) (Bushnell) Wilcox. He m. 1st, 28 May 1747, Abigail Churchill, b. 28 Sept. 1727. He served in the Rev. War.

Children, 12, 5 by 1st wife, 7 by 2nd all b. Middletown (R-74):

i. Elijah Wilcox, Jr. b. 11 Jan. 1747,
ii. Justus Wilcox, b. 20 Dec. 1749,
iii. Abigail Wilcox, b. 26 Apr. 1752,
iv. son Wilcox, b. & d. 28 Dec. 1754,
v. Lydia Wilcox, b. 9 Jan. 1756,
vi. Chloe Wilcox, b. 4 Oct. 1760, d. (?) 7 Dec. 1762,
vii. Mary Wilcox, b. 24 Oct. 1762, d. 22 Nov. 1764,
viii. Mary Wilcox, b. 22 Nov. 1764, m. Seth Hart,
ix. William Wilcox, b. 20 Mar. 1767, d. 20 Feb. 1768,
x. Solomon Wilcox, b. 26 Nov. 1768 d. 27 July 1849,
xii. Moses Wilcox, b. 1 Oct. 1771, twin,
xii. Elias Wilcox, b. 1 Oct. 1771, twin.

357. iii. Jane, b. 2 June 1735, m. as his 2nd wife, 16 Feb. 1761, Capt. Nathaniel Churchill, b. 25 June 1731, son of Nathaniel and Rebecca (Griswold) Churchill. His 1st wife was Elizabeth Sage.

Children, 12, 3 by 1st wife (R-76):

i. Nathaniel Churchill,
ii. Betty Churchill,
iii. Abigail Churchill,
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m. ( ) Pond and resided Crown Point, N.Y; iii. Martha Lindsey, m. ( ) Tompkins, resided Neillsville, Wis.; iv. Freeman D. Lindsey; v. Roxanna Lindsey, m. ( ) Whitcomb, resided Randolph, N.Y, had a son, Charles Whitcomb, who resided Randolph.

357. vi. John Churchill, b. 20 Mar. 1765,
357. viii. Sarah Churchill, b. 24 Apr. 1767, m. Reuben Peck,
357. ix. Jane Churchill, b. 17 Jan. 1769/70, m. William Steadman,
357. x. Mehitable Churchill, b. 3 Jan. 1773, m. 24 Dec. 1792, Appleton Woodruff,
357. xi. Alma Churchill, b. 28 Apr. 1776, d.y;
357. xii. Alma Churchill, b. 14 Apr. 1778, m. Jesse Nickerson,

358. iv. William, b. 22 Feb. 1736/7, d. 21 Jan. 1767, unm. He d. from Smallpox and in his will, left his estate to his brothers and sisters, viz: Jesse, Benajah, Daniel, Aaron, Jordan, and Mindwell Jones, Mary Wilcocks, and Jane Churchill. His brother Jesse was appointed Adm. of his est. On 3 Feb. 1767,
359*. v. Jesse, b. 24 Jan. 1739,
360. vi. Solomon, twin, bapt. 24 Feb. 1765, as an adult, d. in New York of smallpox, 12 Dec. 1766, unm. His brother Jesse was appointed Adm. of his est. in Feb. 1767, and in the dist. dated 16 June 1767, his brothers and sisters were mentioned as follows: Jesse, Benajah, Daniel, Aaron, Jordan, Mindwell Jones, Mary Willcocks, and Jane Churchill,
361. vii. Margaret, twin, b. abt. 1741, d. 1 Dec. 1822, unm. (R-33),
362*. viii. Benajah, b. abt. 1743,
363*. ix. Daniel, b. abt. 1745,
364. x. Aaron, bapt. 3 Mar. 1774, as an adult, d. 20 Mar. 1774. In his will, dated 16 Jan. 1774 he mentions that his heirs are all his brothers, viz: Daniel, Jesse, Benajah, and Jordan, also Jesse's second son William,

*160. Nehemiah, b. Saybrook, Conn. 22 Apr. 1710, d. bef. 1 Aug. 1762, m. 28 Nov. 1739, Sarah (or Susan) Ingham, b. 10 Mar. 1715/6, d. 13 Mar. 1817, interred in Center Cem. at Windham, Conn. dau. of Ebenezer and Dorothy (Stone) Ingham, she m. 2nd, 15 Aug. 1769, David Chapman (R-18).

Nehemiah Bushnell lived in Westbrook, Conn. coming there perhaps from Saybrook as the births of his children are given in the Saybrook Records, while their bapt. is recorded in the Westbrook 3rd. Church Register. On 12 Dec. 1755, he received a deed for land in Westbrook from Samuel and Hannah Bushnell, which was bounded on the north by Samuel's brother Jeremiah. He is also mentioned in a deed from David Bushnell, his son, to Ezra Bushnell, wherein David sells the homestead, dwelling house, and barn, which he received by the "last will and testament of my father Nehemiah Bushnell, excepting the improvements of my honored mother Sarah Chapman." On 1 Sept. 1816, the wid. Sarah
Bushnell is rec. as a member of the Westbrook Cong. Church.

Children, 5 (R-3-33):

366*. i. David, b. 30 Aug. 1740, (Original inventor of the submarine vessel and the screw propellor),
367. ii. Sarah, b. 18 Oct. 1743,
368*. iii. Ezra, b. 29 June 1746,
369. iv. Lydia, b. 26 Aug. 1750, bapt. 1 Aug. 1762, d. 10 June 1769,
370. v. Dency, bapt. 1 Aug. 1762, d. 6 Jan. 1764 (R-33).

*162. Stephen, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1714, d. Farmington, Conn. 10 Sept. 1748, m. Temperance Warren, b. 16 May 1720, dau. of Abraham and Experience (Stevens) Warren, who was a dau. of John Stevens of Wethersfield, Conn. She m. 2nd, 2 June 1751, Samuel Barnes, by whom she had three children: i. Thomas Barnes, ii. Mary Barnes; iii. Elizabeth Barnes(R-77).

Children, 4, sons b. Saybrook, daus. b. Farmington:

371*. i. Stephen, b. 15 Sept. 1743 (R-3),
372*. ii. Abraham, b. 27 Dec. 1744 (R-3),
373. iii. Temperance, b. 4 Oct. 1747 (R-77), m. 1st, Isiah Post, m. 2nd, ( ) Morris.

Children, 5:

373. i. Stephen Post,
373. ii. Isiah Post,
373. iii. Temperance Post,
373. iv. James Morris,
373. v. Sally Morris,
374. iv. Catherine, b. 13 Sept. 1748 (R-77), m. John Woodruff, Jr.

Children, 2 (R-78):

374. i. Bushnell Woodruff, b. 29 Apr. 1744, m. Rachel Langron,
374. ii. Eunice Woodruff, resided Southington, Conn.

*163. Hezekiah, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1717, d. abt. 1795, m. 3 June 1747, Jemima Chalker (R-3), b. 2 Aug. 1725, d. 6 May 1808, dau. of Abraham and Jemima (Grinnell) Chalker, of Mayflower descent.

Hezekiah Bushnell in his will dated 1795, mentions wife Jemima, son Asa, heirs of Jemima Ingham, but does not mention dau. Mehitable. His wife in her will, dated 1808, mentioned son Asa, and Abigail wife of John Whittlesey; Jemima wife of Richard Chalker; Mehitable, Elihu, and Asa Ingham; Temperance Doty; Flora Platts; Mehitable Spencer; and Asa and Dan. Bushnell. The last five being children of her son Asa.

Note: Jemima Grinnell Chalker was dau. of Daniel and Lydia Peabody Grinnell; gr-dau. of William and Elizabeth Alden Peabody; and gr-gr-dau. of John and Priscilla Mullens Alden of the Mayflower Passengers.

Children, 4 (R-3):

375. i. Hezekiah, b. 30 Aug. 1749, bapt. 15 Oct. 1749, d. 2 July 1768,
376* ii. Asa, b. 20 Feb. 1750/1,
377. iii. Jemima, b. 10 Apr. 1754. d. 28 July 1836, m. 18 Nov. 1773, William Ingham (see #21), b. abt. 1751, d. 5 Aug. 1821, son of Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Stannard) Ingham.
Children, 5:

377. i. Abigail Ingham, bapt. 4 May 1777, m. 20 Feb. 1798, John Whittlesey,

377. ii. Jemima Ingham, m. bef. 1808, Richard Chalker,

377. iii. Mehitable Ingham,

377. iv. Elihu Ingham,

377. v. Asa Ingham,

378. iv. Mehitable, b. 20 Sept. 1759, d. perhaps bef. 1795.


Gideon Bushnell named all his children in a deed dated 1788, as follows: Gideon, Doud, Jedediah, Lucinda (who m. Howes Higgins), Salome, and Temperance (who m. Nathaniel Ellis of Shelburn, Mass.)

Children, 6:

379. i. Lucinda, b. 6 May 1754 m. 16 Sept. 1776, Hawes Higgins of Haddam, Conn. Has proved Mayflower line.

380*. ii. Gideon, b. 1756,

381*. iii. Doud, b. 16 May 1762,

382. iv. Salome, bapt. 29 May 1768, m. Amasa Skinner of Waitsfield, Vt. They, settled on lot #72 in town of Waitsfield, Vt. where he became prominent. He was a Representative five times between 1806 and 1825, was a cobbler and an able mechanic. She had followed her brother Doud to Waitsfield in 1798 and took up a lot #73 adjoining that of her husband. The lot lay well up on the slope of the Northfield Mountain.

383*. v. Jedediah, b. 26 Nov. 1769,

384. vi. Temperance, m. 27 Jan. 1785, Nathaniel Ellis, or Allis, of Guilford, Conn. whose father was of Shelburn, Mass.

*174. William, b. Boston, Mass. 2 Dec. 1716, d. it is believed abt. 1739, m. Thankful Higgins, b. Truro, Mass. 17 Aug. 1717, d. Hartford, Conn. 16 Mar. 1792, ae. 76, dau. of Beriah and Desire (Cocke) Higgins, gr-dau of Joseph Higgins; gt-gr-dau. of Jonathan Higgins; gt-gt-gr-dau. of Richard Higgins. She m. 2nd, 9 Mar. 1741, Daniel Rathbun (or Rathbone) of Lyme, Conn. b. 30 Oct. 1706, d. Hartford, Conn. 7 Oct. 1789, ae. 83, by whom she is said to have had four children. She is thought to have been a gt-gr-dau of Joseph Rogers, a Mayflower passenger.

William Bushnell, b. Boston, Mass. in 1716, was taken by his parents to Norwich, Conn. abt. 1717, and then to Hartford, Conn. abt. 1725, where they made their permanent residence. The records also show that he and his father William were witnesses to the will of Nathaniel Marsh dated 19 July 1736 (R-82). No further record where he is mentioned is known to me, but it is said that he became a mariner and was Capt. of a small cargo vessel plying along the Connecticut River and Long Island Sound, and that at Lyme, Conn. he became acquainted with Thankful Higgins, who was on a visit to her uncle Capt. Joseph Higgins, who had a wharf and warehouse there (R-81). According to an alleged statement made in 1875, by Mrs. Phebe Bushnell Borden, his youngest dau.
"Her grandfather was a seaman and lost his life at sea before her father was born, and that later his mother married a man named Rathbone." (R-61). As confirmation of this statement, the records at Lyme show that Thankful Higgins m. Daniel Rathbun of Lyme, Conn. and had four children, the eldest being named William Rathbun. It is also stated that Daniel and Thankful went to Hartland in their old age and resided with her eldest son, Alexander Bushnell, where Daniel, d. 7 Oct. 1789, ae. 83, and his wid. Thankful, d. in Mar. 1792, ae. 76, both being bur. in Hartland. The 1790 Census apparently confirms this, as Alexander is shown to have had in his family, 3 males over 16, none under 16, and 6 females, and a count shows Alexander and his sons Sterling and Alexander, Jr. his wife and mother, and dau's. Mary, Hannah, Lucy, and Phebe. His older sons Thomas, Daniel, and William had apparently established their own homes, as the census of Daniel and William checks with their records, and Thomas, while his census record is missing, had been married for some 9 years and was presumably established in his own home. William Rathbun also went to Hartland where he bought a 40 acre tract of land from Samuel Banning, and d. there 16 Oct. 1804, and it has always been supposed by residents there that he was a half brother to Alexander Bushnell. William Rathbun had two wives, Frances ( ), who d. 21 Nov. 1793, and his 2nd wife, who d. 1 Nov. 1847, ae. 94. There is also a record of a Mary Rathbun, perhaps his sister, who m. 6 Feb. 1779, Daniel Banning. Much time and labor has been devoted to the search to establish the parentage of Alexander Bushnell, and while Phebe Gilder (a dau. of Chloe Bushnell Gilder who was sister to, and 16 years older than Phebe Bushnell Borden), who d. in 1897, at the age of 95, stated in a letter dated 1874 that she had "no knowledge of her grandfather's ancestry of his pedigree," the above theory seems to be the most probable that has so far been advanced, as no further record is known to me of William Bushnell, and such other theories as have come to my attention, do not have the least bit of evidence to support their claim.

Children, 1:
385*. i. Alexander, b. 2 Dec. 1739.


Jonathan Bushnell was a member in full communion of the 1st. Church at Norwichtown, 8 June 1755, and is mentioned in a list dated 10 May 1756. By the 1790 census it would appear as though they were living alone at that time.

Children, 5 (R-83):
386*. i. Jonathan, b. 21 Sept. 1744, twin,
387. ii. Ruth, b. 21 Sept. 1744, m. 19 Nov. 1760, Nathan (397) son of Nathan (187) and Marjery (Jackson) Bushnell,
388. iii. Asa, bapt. 18 June 1755,
389. iv. Lydia, b. 28 Sept. 1747, bapt. 18 June 1755, m. 5 May 1767, Zepaniah (or Zephenia) Whipple.

Children, 4:
389. i. Bushnell Whipple, b. 1768,
389. ii. Solomon Whipple, b. 1770,
389. iii. Elisha Whipple, b. 1773,
389. iv. Asa Whipple, b. 1775,
390. v. Elizabeth, b. 4 May 1749.

*189. David, b. Norwich, Conn. 1 Mar. 1721/2, bapt. 8th of next April, in 1st church at Norwichtown, d. there, 19 Oct. 1760, m. 17 Nov. 1748, Mary Leffingwell, b. 6 Oct. 1753, dau. of Capt. John and his 1st wife, Sarah (Abell) Leffingwell, and gr-dau. of Ensign Thomas and Mary (46) (Bushnell) Leffingwell (R-82).

David Bushnell does not seem to appear in the records frequently and was perhaps a farmer outside of Norwich town. He was a member of the 1st Cog. church. On 4 Aug. 1743 he had all his children bapt. there, his dau. Hannah being born after his death. On 5 Sept. 1793, David Bushnell, John Bushnell, John Cleveland and Jerusha his wife, and Hannah Meeker gave quit claim deed to Dan Marsh of Lebanon, the wits. being Samuel Leffingwell and Gustavus Leffingwell (R-83).

Children, 6 (R-82):

391*. i. David, b. 19 Nov. 1749,
392. ii. Mary, b. 25/26 June 1752, d. bef. 1806, prob. unm. as in the will of her brother John she is mentioned as Miss Mary Bushnell, with respect to her est.
393. iii. Jerusha, b. 8 July, bapt. 18 Aug. 1754, m. Hanover, Conn. 11 Dec. 1783, as his 2nd wife, John Cleveland, who d. Leicester, N.Y. 3 Sept. 1832, ae. 82. He m. 3rd, Mrs. Sarah (Torry) Fenton, a wid. who survived him and d. aft. 1837 in N.Y. State. He had m. 1st, at Preston, Conn. 21 Apr. 1773, Eunice Cutler (or Burrill) who d. in Norwich, Conn. 12 Aug. 1782, by whom he had 4 children. In 1793 Jerusha, with her brothers and a sister, quit claim land in Lebanon, Conn. to Dan Marsh of Lebanon.

Children, 4 (R-66):

393. i. John Cleveland, b. 25 Mar. 1785, d. Longmeadow, Mass. 3 May 1870, m. 1st, Nappy Jewell, b. 10 July 1792, dau. of Jacob and Mary (Smith) Jewell, who resided in Jeffrey, N.H. He m. 2nd, Stafford, Conn. abt. 1809, Polly Ellis, b. there, 1 Feb. 1786, d. Longmeadow, 3 Dec. 1859. Children, 6: i. Mary Ann Cleveland, b. 1 Feb. 1810; ii. Royal Cleveland, b. 1812, d.y; iii. Highland Cleveland, b. 28 Apr. 1815; iv. James M. Cleveland, b. 12 Dec. 1819; v. Norman Cleveland, b. 31 Aug. 1826; vi. Martha A. Cleveland, b. 6 May 1828,

393. ii. Shubael Cleveland, b. 14 July 1788, d. Stafford, 6 Sept. 1822, m. Charlotte Graham. Children, 3: i. Franklin Cleveland, who left home early and may have resided in San Francisco, Calif; ii. Charlotte Cleveland, d. ae. abt. 15 years; iii. Marcia Cleveland,


394. iv. Eunice, b. 8 Apr. 1756, bapt. 9 May 1756, d. bef. 1806. In her brother John's will she is styled Eunice Bushnell under date of 1806,

395*. v. John, b. 5 June 1759,


Children, 1:

396. i. Joseph Meeker, b. abt. 1788, and perhaps others.

*192. Elijah, b. Norwichtown, Conn. (R-82), 27 Aug. bapt. 8 Sept. 1728, m. abt. 1749, Elizabeth Fitch. Nothing further is known of this family.

*193. Nathan, b. Norwich, Conn. 12 Oct. 1714, d. Hanover, Conn. 18 Dec. 1796, m. 13 Nov. 1737, Marjery Jackson (m. by Daniel Kirkland, pastor of Newent Church), b. abt. 1716, d. 17 Oct. 1788, dau. of John Jackson of Lisbon, Conn. (R-82-84).

Nathan Bushnell settled on the north side of the Shetucket river, opposite his brother Joseph, in that section which later became a part of Lisbon and in May 1761 was set off to the town of Hanover. Both he and his wife were members of the 1st Church at Norwichtown, and on 2 June 1758, they took a letter from that church to the church at Newent, then a part of Lisbon and when the Hanover Church was organized, he is recorded as being an original member, and a Deacon of that Church (R-85).

Children, 5 (R-82):

397*. i. Nathan, b. 26 Aug. 1738,

398. ii. John, b. 25 Jan. 1740/1, bapt. 15 May 1741,

399*. iii. Aaron, b. 16 June 1746,

400. iv. Asa, b. 8 Nov. 1745, d. 23 Aug. 1760,

401. v. Lydia, b. 11 June 1749, m. 18 Apr. 1768, Jahleel (430), son of Benajah (209) and Hannah (Griswold) Bushnell.

*194. Joseph, b. Norwich town, Conn. 29 July 1716, d. Hanover, Conn. 5 June 1796, m. 1st, 31 Dec. 1741, Abigail (188), b. 1 Apr. 1720, d. 14 Nov. 1742, dau. of Jonathan (84) and Mary (Calkins) Bushnell (R-82), m. 2nd, 25 Aug. 1743, Elizabeth (Hewett) French, who d. 19 May 1784 (R-82), ae. 69, m. 3rd, 27 Nov. 1784, Sarah Brown, who d. 2 Feb. 1850, ae. 95 (R-86).

Joseph Bushnell, b. Norwich, Conn. 1715, settled on the south side of the Shetucket river opposite his brother Nathan, in that section of Norwich which later became a part of Lisbon, Conn. Newent Society, and which in May 1761 was set off to the town of Hanover, Conn. He was admitted to the Newent Church in 1741, and in Dec. 1752, and Dec. 1756, both he and his wife Elizabeth are of record as members there. When the Hanover Church was organized they became original members there although no formal removal from
the Newent Church was recorded until 13 May 1766. On 17 Dec. 1766 he was chosen Moderator of the Hanover Church and served until a pastor was chosen on 26 Oct. 1768. His father Nathan d. in Lebanon, Conn. in Oct. 1770, and on 28 Nov. next, Joseph sold the southeast corner of the homestead to Ebenezer Bushnell of Lebanon, and at various times thereafter gave tracts of land to his sons Ezekiel and Ephriam, and on 17 Aug. 1792, they gave "their father Joseph Bushnell" a life lease of their shares of the dwelling house. He was known as Deacon as on 21 Apr. 1793, Polly, dau. of Samuel Brown, was presented for bapt. by the grandparents, Dea. Joseph Bushnell and his wife. After his death in 1796, his son Ephriam leased from his step-mother, "Sarah, wid. of Joseph Bushnell" the dower interest in her husband's estate, and later bought the interests of his "sister Elizabeth, wife of Joshua Willis," and his brothers Joseph and Jason.

Children, 11:

402. i. Abigail, b. 27 Oct. 1742, d. 1 Feb. 1742/3,
403. ii. Elizabeth, b. 23 June, bapt. 8 July 1744, m. 14 Feb. 1793, Joshua Willis (R-18-85),
404. iii. Daniel, b. 12 Feb. 1745/6, d. 1 Aug. 1796, being killed by lightning,
405. iv. Abigail, b. 17 Apr. bapt. 1 May 1748, m. 16 Dec. 1767, Moses Brown (R-82),
406*. v. Ezekiel, b. 20 Aug. 1750,
407. vi. Sarah, b. 3 Apr. 1754, d. 2 Feb. 1850, unm,
408*. vii. Joseph, b. 12 July 1756,
409. viii. Mehitable, b. 20 Feb. 1758, d. 7 Apr. 1793, m. 4 May 1784, Daniel Fitch (R-18).

Children, 1:

409. i. Sarah Fitch, m. Chester Appley of Canterbury, Conn. and had a son, Lyman Fitch Appley, who had a son James who lived in Canterbury, Conn. Perhaps others.

410. ix. Huldah, b. 20 Feb. 1762, m. 3 Dec. 1786, Cromwell Bennett (R-18),
411*. x. Jason, b. 12 Sept. 1763,

*195. Samuel, b. Norwich, Conn. 27 Apr. 1721, d. Lebanon, Conn. May or June 1751, m. 5 Oct. 1743, Zerviah Lyman, b. 14 Apr. 1723, dau. of Lt. Jonathan and Lydia (Loomis) Lyman (R-77). (Did she m. 2nd, 31 May 1781, Sergt. Jerijah Loomis, b. abt. 1707, d. Bolton, Conn. 18 Mar. 1780, son of Nathaniel and Ruth (Porter) Loomis, who had m. 1st, 13 Aug. 1735, Abigail Atherton, who d. 18 Mar. 1780?)

Samuel Bushnell, bapt. in Newent Church, 25 Oct. 1728, probably went to Lebanon, Conn. with his father abt. 1736, and m. there, and had four children who were all born in Lebanon. He apparently bought a farm from Phineas Hunt in 1746, but did not live long after, as he d. at the early age of 30. In his will he provided for his widow and all his children, who are again named when his estate was divided 20 Mar. 1735. In 1735 his widow became a member of the Lebanon Church and she or another of the same name, is of record as a member as late as 1782.
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Children, 4 (R-88):

413.  i.  Samuel, b. 7 Aug. bapt. 2 Sept. 1744. (See #0047, Appendix A, for discussion as to possible continuation of this line).

414*. ii.  Elijah, b. 10 Apr. 1746,

415*. iii.  Aaron, b. 17 Aug. 1747,

416. iv.  Zerviah, b. 9, bapt. 11 Feb. 1750, m. 6 Jan. 1771, James Noyes Barber, b. abt. 1748,

Children, 2:

416.  i.  David Barber,


*199.  Ebenezer, b. Lisbon, Conn. 9 Dec. 1730, d. Lebanon, Conn. 5 June 1807, m. Lebanon, 25 Nov. 1756, Elizabeth Tiffany, b. Woodstock, Conn. 29 June 1736, d. Lebanon, 26 Mar. 1790, dau. of Isaiah and Elizabeth Tiffany (R-88-89).

  Ebenezer Bushnell was probably taken by his parents to Lebanon when about 6 years old, where he remained the rest of his life. Shortly after his 22nd birthday, his father, who was then aged about 67, retired, and leased to him the farm which he had acquired of Daniel Birchard, 26 Feb. 1741/2, and 21 days later deeded to him, his share of the estate, 70 acres with the house and adjacent grounds. One of the items in the consideration for the lease, was that Ebenezer should provide 6 bbls. of cider for his father yearly (R-83). In 1756 he m. Elizabeth Tiffany and on 27 June 1759 both owned the covenant in the church at Lebanon, from which his wife took a letter to the church at Norwich town, 7 Apr. 1774. His children were all born in Lebanon. Among other purchases of land it might be again mentioned that he bought the south east corner of the homestead from the Exec's. of his fathers est. in 1770 (R-83). By the 1790 census there were in his family, 3 males over 16, 4 under 16, and 3 females, and as his wife d. 26 Mar. 1790, it is doubtful whether she was living when the census was taken.

  On 22 Sept. 1807, the Adm's of his est. presented their accounts for settlement, mentioning "his only son Ebenezer, now dec'd, and dau. Elizabeth. Both were bur. in a cemetery 1 mile north of Lebanon Center, on the State road to Sprague, where their headstones are still standing.

Children, 3 (R-88):

417*.  i.  Ebenezer, b. 13 Sept. 1757,

418.  ii.  Elizabeth, b. 5 Feb. 1761, bapt. 1 Nov. 1761, d. 17 July 1849, m. 1st, Lebanon, 12 Feb. 1784, Nathan Wetmore, b. Norwich, Conn. 25 Aug. 1757, d. 5 Nov. 1791 (R-90), m. 2nd, Amasa Dutton.

Children, 4 (R-90):

418.  i.  Prosper Wetmore,

418.  ii.  Augustus Wetmore,

418.  iii.  Emily Wetmore,

418.  iv.  Ebenezer Wetmore.

419.  iii.  Jerusha, b. 16 June, bapt. 19 June 1768, d. 16 Jan. 1833, m. as his 2nd wife, 15 Apr. 1804, Dea. Daniel Strong, b. 22 Apr. 1752, d. 5 July 1826 (R-88). He m. 1st, Desire Bartlett, who d. 16 Sept. 1801.

Children, 1:

*204. Richard, b. Norwich, Conn. 26 June 1710, d. there 5 June 1784, m. 14 Oct. 1731, Lucy Perkins, b. abt. 1709, d. Norwich, Conn. 25 Mar. 1746, dau. of Jabez and Hannah (Lathrop) Perkins. He m. 2nd, 25 Oct. 1748, Prudence Wells, b. Wethersfield, Conn. 15 July 1716, d. Norwich, Conn. 15 Apr. 1750/1, dau. of Thomas and Hannah (Warner) Welles of Wethersfield. She was named in the dist. of her father's est. as Mrs. Prudence Bushnell wife of Richard Bushnell of Norwich, Conn." and in her will, dated 6 Apr. 1791, she mentioned her "kinswoman Lydia Bushnell, wife of Jabez Bushnell, of Norwich, Conn. " who was a daughter of her brother David Welles of Wethersfield, Conn. (R-18-82-91)

Capt. Richard Bushnell was appointed Quartermaster in 3rd Conn. Regt. 12 Oct. 1749, Cornetist, 7 May 1750, Lieut, and on 9 Feb. 1757, Capt. of a troop of horse in the same Regt. Their children were all b. in Norwich, Conn. and he and his wife Prudence were bur. in the cem. of Christ Episcopal Church there.

Children, 8:

420*. i. Caleb, b. 14 May 1732,
421. ii. Lucy, b. 10 Sept. 1733, bapt. 15 Oct. 1733, d. 19 Aug. 1788, m. 18 Nov. 1761, Jabez Avery, bapt. 14 Apr. 1734 in Groton, Conn. d. 30 Jan. 1779, son of John and Lydia (Smith) Avery of Preston, Conn. (R-92). He may have had a 1st wife Lydia ( ), who d. soon after marriage. He was a corporal in 7th Co. 6th Regt. under Capt. Brewster in 1776, and d. in the Army of smallpox. He was a coachmaker by trade. Both were bur. in Norwichtown cem. side by side.

Children, 8 (R-92):

421. i. Jabez Avery, b. 16 Apr. 1763, m. 24 May 1789, Eunice Huntington, b. Norwich, 20 Dec. 1766, d. 16 June 1790, dau. of James and Elizabeth (Darby) Huntington, they had a dau. d.y.
421. ii. Richard Avery, b. 24 Apr. 1764, m. 2 June 1789, Lucy Lord, bapt. 15 June 1760. Children, 1: i. Lucy Lord Avery, b. 20 June 1794,
421. iii. Lucy Avery, b. 1 Jan. 1766, d. 19 Dec. 1856, m. 24 Dec. 1788, Bela Leffingwell, son of Matthew and Charity (423) (Bushnell) Leffingwell,
421. iv. Hannah Avery, b. 26 Nov. 1767,
421. v. John Avery, b. 4 Mar. 1769, m. 7 Mar. 1794, Lucy Woodworth of Montville, Conn. Children, 3: i. Guerdon William Avery, b. 6 June 1797; ii. Sally Perkins Avery, b. 5 May 1799; iii. Russell Hubbard Avery, b. 18 Oct. 1801,
421. vi. Guerdon Avery, b. 14 Jan. 1771, d. 26 May 1818, m. 5 Nov. 1797(?), Nancy Whitmarsh, dau. of Ezra and Susanna (Stimpson) Whitmarsh. He was a mariner and resided Boston when ashore. Children, 4: i. Charles Avery, twin; ii. Nancy Avery, twin, bapt. 7 Dec. 1800; iii. Adeline Avery; iv. William Ingalls Avery,

421. vii. Caleb Avery, b. 25 Dec. 1773,

421. viii. Lydia Avery, b. 6, d. 30 Aug. 1775.

422*. iii. Richard, b. 31 Jan. 1734/5,

423. iv. Charity, b. 17 Sept. 1736, m. 17 Dec. 1761, Matthew Leffingwell, b. 28 Mar. 1739 d. abt. 1827, son of Capt. John and his 2nd wife, Mary (Hart) Leffingwell, and gr-son of Ensign Thomas and Mary (46) (Bushnell) Leffingwell (R-82).

Children, 9 (R-93):

423. i. Matthew Leffingwell, b. 16 Nov. 1762, d. 12 Dec. 1836, m. 3 May 1787, Mary Lester, b. 6 July 1764, d. 6 July 1813. Children, 12: i. Mary Leffingwell, b. 9 Apr. 1783, d. 28 Sept. 1878; ii. Simeon Leffingwell, b. 27 Dec. 1789, d. 4 Mar. 1812; iii. Thomas Matthew Leffingwell, b. 14 Oct. 1791, m. Sarah E. Gridley; iv. Rebecca A. Leffingwell, b. 11 Sept. 1793, d. 21 July 1826, m. Joshua Hinshaw; v. Sally A. Leffingwell, b. 13 Apr. 1795, d. 5 Apr. 1819, m. Asahel Tracy; vi. Eunice Leffingwell, b. 4 Apr. 1797, d. 3 July 1835; vii. Eliza Leffingwell, b. 19 Mar. 1799, d. 25 Sept. 1832, unm; viii. Matthew Leffingwell, b. 9 Aug. 1801, m. Mary Spoffard; ix. Jane Leffingwell, b. 30 June 1803, d. 3 Nov. 1828, m. ( ) Cheney; x. Lydia Leffingwell, b. 30 Mar. 1805, d. 30 Nov. 1834, unm; xi. Julia Ann Leffingwell, b. 9 Nov. 1806, m. Everts Voorhees; xii. Sibyl Faulkner Leffingwell, b. 2 Aug. 1808, d. 12 May 1869,


423. iii. Bela Leffingwell, b. 3 Feb. 1766, d. 27 July 1796, m. 24 Dec. 1788, Lucy Avery. Children, 1: i. Hannah Leffingwell, who d. 31 July 1811; perhaps others,

423. iv. Prudence Leffingwell, b. 29 Aug. 1768, d. 18 Aug. 1795,

423. v. Phineas Leffingwell, b. 19 Nov. 1770, d. 25 Sept. 1826, m. 15 Apr. 1798, Sarah Rogers, b. 25 Apr. 1770, dau. of James and Zilpah (Hyde) Rogers. Children, 2: i. Edwin Leffingwell, b. 5 Oct. 1809, m. 25 Sept. 1840, Louisa Maria Fitch, dau. of Henry and Elizabeth (Brown) Fitch; ii. Eliab Leffingwell, b. & d. 1811,

423. vi. Oliver Leffingwell, b. 27 Oct. 1772, served in War of 1812 and later resided in Ohio,

423. vii. Eunice Leffingwell, b. 19 Dec. 1774, d. 26 Sept. 1790,

423. viii. Jabez Leffingwell, b. 5 May 1778, d. abt. 1826, m. 20 Apr. 1803 Lydia Rogers, b. 15 Feb. 1779, dau. of James and Zilpah (Hyde) Rogers, They removed to Warren, Ohio. Children, 8: i. Lucy Rogers Leffingwell, b. 24 Mar. 1804, d. 24 Apr. 1884, m. Capt. Alvin Forbes; ii. Jabez Hyde Leffingwell, b. 18 Jan. 1806, m. Lucille H. Thompson; iii. George E. Leffingwell, b. 12 Mar. 1808, d. 7 July 1809; iv. Lydia Maria Leffingwell, b. 4 June 1810, d.
29 Nov. 1890; v. Frances Abigail Leffingwell, b. 17 Nov. 1811, m. 16 Mar. 1833, Joseph Bates Carter; vi. George Harvey Leffingwell, b. 31 Dec. 1813, m. Eliza Curtis; vii. Charles Edwin Leffingwell, b. 28 Dec. 1815, d. 28 June 1873, unm. viii. James S. Leffingwell, b. 28 May 1819, d. 12 Oct. 1888, m. Charlotte Dewey, who d. 17 May 1890,

423. ix. Fanny Leffingwell, b. abt. 1783, prob. d.y.

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426. vii. Anne, b. 28 May 1743, m. 18 June 1769, Elijah Wattles,


*209. Benajah, b. Norwich, Conn. 11 Mar. 1714/5, d. 18 July 1787, m. 1st, 5 Nov. 1740, Hannah Griswold, b. Lyme, Conn. 10 Jan. 1723/4, d. 10/16 Aug. 1772, dau. of John and Hannah (Lee) Griswold (R-95). He m. 2nd, 21 Mar. 1774, Elizabeth Webster of Lebanon, Conn.

Benajah Bushnell graduated Yale University in 1735, and sometime after settled on a farm given him by his father. He and his first wife were members of the 1st Cong. Church at Norwichtown, Conn. where most of his children were bapt. All of his children were by his first wife, who d. at age of 48 years and was bur. in Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery, in Norwich, Conn. (R-98).

Children, 14 (R-82):

428. i. Elizabeth, b. 8 Oct. 1741, d. 3 Mar. 1752,

429*. ii. Benajah, b. 21 Mar. 1743/4,

430*. iii. Jahleel, b. 14 Sept. 1745,

431. iv. Caroline, b.12, bapt. 19 July 1747, d. 27 Jan. 1785, m. 28 Oct. 1773, Mundator Tracy, b. 18 Mar. 1749, d. 26 June 1816, son of Dea. Simon and his 2nd wife, Abigail (206) (Bushnell) Tracy. He m. 2nd, 4 May 1786, Abigail Lord, b. 1754, d. 8 Mar. 1821.

Children, 4 (R-94):

431. i. Clarissa Tracy, b. 11 Jan. 1776, d. 2 Dec. 1781,

431. ii. Phebe Tracy, b. 6 Jan. 1779, m. abt. 1812 Simon Woodsworth,

431. iii. Simon Tracy, b. 14 Sept. 1781, d. abt. 1799, unmarried.


Children, 1: i. Caroline Abby Tracy, m. ( ) St. Claire, of Brighton, Mass.

432*. v. Eusebius, b. 1 Feb. 1748/9,

433. vi. Clarissa, b. 31 Jan. 1750/1,

434*. vii. Abishae, b. 3 Nov. 1752,

435. viii. Dr. Ezra, b. 13 Jan. 1755, d. 29 May 1777, unm. He served as surgeon's mate on the brig Defense in Colony service, from 15 Nov. 1776 to 1 Mar. 1777 (R-96), and in his will, dated 29 Apr. 1777, exhibited in Court 14 June 1777, he mentions his brothers Benajah, Jahiel (Jahleel), Eusebius and Abishae, sister Caroline, and brother Mundator Tracy.

436. ix. Elizabeth, b. 14, d. 21 Nov. 1756,

437. x. Zerviah, b. Nov. 1757, d. 7 Apr. 1759,

438. xi. Hannah, b. 17 Mar. 1760, d. abt. 1774,
439.  xii.  Zerviah Holden, b. 9 Mar. 1762, d. 7 Mar. 1787, m. 26 Nov. 1780, Lewis
Stebbins of Williamstown, Mass. b. abt. 1752, d. 8 Dec. 1816, ae. 64. He m. 2nd, 25 May 1788,
Betsey Starkweather, (R-82-97).
Children, 2 by 1st wife:
  439.  i.   Thomas Stebbins, b. 21 Sept. 1781,
  439.  ii.  Anna Stebbins, b. 8 June 1785,
  439.  iii. Charles Stebbins,
  439.  iv.   Betsey Stebbins,
440.  xiii. Matthew, b. 5 June 1764, d. New York, N.Y. abt. 1781,
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This record was written by Ira Bushnell in the year 1791, and in the 64th year of his age. He wishes to have it kept as a memorandum for his children and his children's children.

In the year 1636 Lord Say and Seal, and Robert and Lord Brook, laid the foundation settlement of Saybrook.

In the year 1638 when the Independents in England were persecuted on account of their religion and civil liberties, here came from England six brothers of the family of the Bushnells*. After they had tarried some time at Massachusetts Bay where they first landed, four of them came westward, they first stopped at Long Island, but not liking the place for a settlement they came over to Guilford about the year 1648. Mr. Robert Chapman prevailed with three of the brothers to remove to Saybrook, their trade being much wanted in Saybrook at that time; they were carpenters.

Mr. William Bushnell married Mr. Robert Chapman's sister. There was one Isaac who it is said was unfortunate in getting a bad wife; he left her and returned to England with his property. He was a merchant and owned a considerable estate. The three brothers names were, Francis, William, and Richard.

*Note: Only five Bushnell brothers came to America; three of whom, Francis, William, and Richard removing later to Guilford; Ira Bushnell was misinformed as to there being a brother Isaac, also in the date of their emigration from England.

My Great-grand-father's father, Francis, lived in Saybrook 33 years; he was a deacon of the church in Saybrook and was called Independent at that time. Deacon Francis Bushnell died Dec. 4th, 1681; he was about 82 years of age. His brother Richard moved to Norwich soon after that town was settled. Deacon Francis Bushnell was father to John Bushnell and Samuel Bushnell; he had five daughters, one of them married a Mr. Johnson at Guilford. Mr. Johnson the church minister of Stratford was his grandchild. Another of his daughters married an Osmer of Windsor, one of her children was minister at East Haddam. Another married a Jones, and another married Joseph Ingham and the last married a Smith of Glastonbury.

My great-grandfather died in the year 1686, he was 54 years of age; his brother Samuel died Dec. 16th, 1689; he left no children. My great-grandfather had but one son, his name was John. My grandfather John Bushnell, married Rebecca Cole, she was born in Hartford. My grandfather had seven sons and two daughters. My father was the oldest of his sons that lived to grow up. My father's name was John, the 2nd Francis, the third
Samuel, the fourth Amos, the fifth Benjamin, the sixth Lemuel. My grandfather lost his oldest son before he was two years old. His daughters' names were Rebecca and Sarah. They left no children.

My grandfather died March 10, 1729, aged 63 years wanting 2 days. My father John Bushnell was married to Catherine Kelsey of Killingworth June 18, 1724, in the 28th year of his age. My father had a son named John born March 4th, 1725, and lived but six years and eight months; he died Nov. 20th, 1731. I his second son was born Oct. 19th, 1729. My father died Jan. 16th, 1738 in the 42nd year of his age. My uncle Samuel Bushnell had three sons that lived to grow up and several that died young; he had one daughter. He died in Oct. 1772 in the 72nd year of his age. My uncle Francis had two sons, Francis and John, they both died young, he had five daughters that lived to have families, and two that died young. My uncle Amos Bushnell died in the year 1733, he never married; he died in the 28th year of his age. My uncle Benjamin had three sons and one daughter but only his son Frances lived to marry and have children, he died in the year 1781 in the 78th year of his age. My uncle Francis Bushnell died in the 92nd year of his age. He died in the year 1790. My uncle Lemuel Bushnell is now alive in the 80th year of his age; he has had four sons and four daughters, but two of his sons died young; only Lemuel and Daniel lived to have families. My mother died April 10th, 1767, in the 74th year of her age. She was the daughter of Daniel Kelsey of Killingworth, her mother was Jane Chalker, daughter of Alexander Chalker of Saybrook.

Ira Bushnell (son to John Bushnell) was born October 19th, 1727 and was married to Patience Bushnell daughter of Capt. Samuel Bushnell October 28th, 1750. My first daughter, Catherine, was born Aug. 11th, 1751. My son John was born Nov. 23rd, 1752. My daughter Hannah was born Feb. 18th, 1756. W son Ira was born Dec. 24th, 1757. My daughter Eunice was born Aug. 17th, 1760. My son Augustus was born Jun. 10th, 1764. My wife Patience died June 28th, 1764 in the 39th year of her age. My son Augustus died August 16th, 1764. Ira Bushnell was married to Mabel Chapman September 30th 1765.

She was the daughter of Benjamin Chapman who was son of Robert Chapman who was one of the first settlers of Saybrook. She was 35 years old when I married her. My second son Augustus was born July 6th, 1766. My son Richard was born August 2nd, 1768. My daughter Mabel was born March 26th, 1770. My oldest daughter Catherine was married to Asa Kirtland the son of Capt. John Kirtland. He was born December 7th 1746 and married May 18th, 1775. He was then 28 and Catherine 25. His first son John was born May 29th, 1776. His second son Asa was born February 25th, 1778. The third son Joseph was born October 5th, 1779, fourth son Bushnell was born October 9th, 1771. Their daughter Almira was born Sept. 9th, 1783, daughter Catherine was born Sept. 1st, 1785, fifth son Ezra was born March 27th, 1789, sixth son Gilbert was born April 25th, 1793. My son
Ira Bushnell was born December 27th 1757 and married Martha Parker December 28th, 1779. She was born April 24th 1756.

Their daughter Sophia was born April 4th, 1780. Their daughter Martha was born October 6th, 1781. Their son Henry was born August 21st, 1783. Their son Charles was born April 14, 1785. Their son William was born March 22nd, 1787. Their son Ira was born November 19th, 1791. Their son Giles was born May 4th, 1794. Their daughter Sally was born ________. Their daughter Patience was born ________.

My son John Bushnell was married to Lydia Chapman Dec. 2nd, 1779. He was then in the 28th year of his age. Lydia was in the 16th year of her age. Their daughter Vashti was born Nov. 3rd 1780. Their daughter Polly was born February 23rd, 1783. Their daughter Lydia was born June 4th, 1785. Their daughter Betsey was born August 2nd, 1787. Their son John was born June 16th, 1790. Their daughter Nancy was born November 1st, 1792. Their son George was born ________. Their son Benjamin was born ________.

My daughter Eunice was married to Martin Kirtland November 30th, 1781. Their daughter Frances was born March 10th, 1783. Their daughter Eunice was born September 12, 1785. Their daughter Sally was born June 25th, 1788. Their son Martin was born July 15th, 1790.

My daughter Hannah was married to Samuel W. Gladding May 15th, 1789. Their son Samuel Bushnell was born May 24th, 1790. Their daughter Wealthy Parmalee was born December 29th, 1794.

My daughter Patience was married to Joseph Bushnell Jan. 1786 in the 23rd year of her age. Their daughter Cynthia was born July 10th, 1786. Their son Titus was born March 19th, 1788. Their daughter Jennette was born November 21st, 1791.

In the year 1790 I had four grandsons born in 8 weeks time. Gladding's oldest son, John's first son, Ira's fourth son, and Martin Kirtland's oldest son.

This journal thus far was kept by Ira Bushnell who was born October 17th, 1727 and died in the 67th year of his age. The succeeding pages are kept by me, Augustus Bushnell, his grandson, and son of Augustus and Ethelinda Bushnell, now in the 42nd year of my age.

My father Augustus Bushnell was married to Ethelinda Jones, daughter of Ezekiel Jones, in the 30th year of his age, she being in the 21st year of her age. My sister Ethelinda was born Dec. 1st, 1796. My sister Mabel was born Jan. 21st, 1799. My sister Elizabeth was born March 19th, 1801. My brother Augustus was born March 18th, 1804 and died August 30th 1805. My sister Lavinia was born August 6th, 1806 and died March 18th, 1841, aged 34 years. My sister Ann Augusta was born July 2nd, 1809. Augustus the writer of this book was born Sept. 30th, 1812. My

My wife Nancy M. Bushnell and myself were married Nov. 8th, 1854. My sister Ethelinda was married to David Hays Nov. 23rd, 1833. She died June 18th, 1836, aged 39. My sister Lavinia married Nathaniel J. Pratt May 22nd, 1832, she died March 18th, 1841 aged 34 years. My sister Ann Augusta was married to Horatio Pratt April 15th, 1838. Mr. Pratt died April 11th, 1843, aged 35. My sister Mabel was married to John Shipman March 29th, 1852. Mr. Shipman died Oct. 30th, 1857 aged 65. My sister Elizabeth died May 16th, 1849, aged 48.

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*213. Ira, b. Saybrook, Conn. 19 Oct. 1727, d. there 16 Aug. 1694 (R-1), m. 1st, 29 Oct. 1750, Patience (120) (R-2), b. abt. 1725, d. 28 June 1764 (R-1), dau. of Capt. Samuel (58) and Hannah (Hill) Bushnell, m. 2nd, 30 Sept. 1765, Mabel Chapman, b. 10 Aug. 1730, dau. of Benjamin and Lydia Chapman (R-3).

Ira Bushnell, writer of the family record called "Ira's Mss" or "Memo" was a mathematician and historian, a Selectman for Saybrook during the Rev. War (R-6), signing several petitions and recommendations, and took the Oath of Fidelity at a special meeting of the town board (R-7). He was one of the committee for the building of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and an organizer of Grace Church. By the 1790 census there were in his family, 4 males over 16, 1 male under 16, and 2 females.

He d. in Saybrook and in his will dated 21 Nov. 1793, prob. 2 Sept. 1794, he mentions his wife Mabel, sons John, Augustus, and Richard and refers to his dau's, but not by name (R-8). He and his 1st wife were bur. in Cypress Grove Cemetery in Saybrook. All of his children were born in Saybrook.

Children; 10:

442. i. Catherine, b. 11 Aug. baptism. 16 Dec. 1751, d. 19 May 1831, m. 18 May 1775, Asa Kirtland, b. 7 Dec. 1746, son of Capt. John Kirtland.

Children, 7, (R-5):

442. i. John Kirtland, b. 29 May 1776,
442. ii. Asa Kirtland, b. 25 Feb. 1778,
442. iii. Joseph Kirtland, b. 5 Oct. 1779,
442. iv. Bushnell Kirtland, b. 9 Oct. 1781, d. 25 Apr. 1856,
442. v. Almira Kirtland, b. 9 Sept. 1783,
442. vi. Ezra Kirtland, b. 27 Mar. 1789,

443*. ii. John, b. 23 Nov. 1752,
444. iii. Patience, b. 4 Nov. 1754, baptism. 21 Mar. 1755, d. 19 Mar. 1830, m. Jan. 1786, Joseph (282), son of Joseph (131) and Sarah (Pratt) Bushnell.
445. iv. Hannah, b. 18 Feb. baptism. 27 June 1756, m. 15 May 1789, Samuel W. Gladding.

Children, 2, (R-5):

445. i. Samuel Bushnell Gladding, b. 24 May 1790,

446*. v. Ira, b. 27 Dec. 1757,
447. vi. Eunice, b. 17 Aug. 1760, m. 30 Nov. 1780, Martin Kirtland.

Children, 4:

447. i. Frances Kirtland, b. Mar. 1783,
447. ii. Eunice Kirtland, b. 12 Sept. 1785,
447. iii. Sally Kirtland, b. 25 June 1788,
447. iv. Martin Kirtland, b. 15 July 1790.

448. vii. Augustus, b. 10 June, d. 16 Aug. 1764,
449*. viii. Augustus, b. 6 July 1766,
450*. ix. Richard, b. 2 Aug. 1768,
451. x. Mabel, b. 26 Mar. 1769, baptism. 3 June 1770, m. Reinold Marvin 2nd, b. 21 Mar. 1769, d. abt. 1812, son of Dan and Mehitable (Selden) Marvin. They lived at Fairfield, N.Y.
*225. Elisha, b. Saybrook or Essex, Conn. 12 Nov. 1734. In Ira Bushnell's Memo we observe that his father had 3 sons to grow up but no record had been identified as referring to this Elisha. The Cleveland Genealogy seemingly refers to him as having m. Martha Brace, but the rest of the data in connection there-with would seem to identify this Martha (where the Brace came from is unknown), with Martha (326), dau. of Stephen (142) and Ruth (Holliday) Bushnell of Hartland, Conn. as the date of birth of Martha, the fact that Stephen and Elisha went to Sodus, N.Y. and the inclusion of Clarissa (324) and Alma (334), all as brothers and sisters of the said Martha, identify them as of Hartland, and not of the Saybrook region (R-9).

*229. Francis, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1756, d. Chester, Conn. 5 Apr. 1816, m. Hannah Cone, who d. in Chester, 19 Sept. 1813.

Francis Bushnell by the 1790 census had in his family, 1 male over 16, 2 males under 16, and 5 females. Was a soldier in the Rev. War, and served in Dan Platts' Co. of 7th Regt. under Lt. Col. William Worthington and marched to New Haven and return on 27 Apr. 1777. The dist. of his est. in 1816, mentions his sons Elisha, Abraham, Benjamin, Artemus and William and dau's. Betsey Bushnell, Anne Dickinson, Hannah Bushnell, Phebe Bushnell, and Temperance Bushnell.

Children, 11, (R-4-10-11):

452*. i. Benjamin, b. 8 Aug. 1783,
453. ii. Anne, b. 22 Oct. 1785, d. May 1869, m. Chester, Conn. 12 Dec. 1808, Aaron Dickinson,
454. iii. Elisha, b. 20 Nov. 1787, is said to have disappeared, leaving no trace,
455. iv. Phebe, b. 15 Mar. 1790, d. Winthrop, Conn. 7 May 1883, m. 3 Jan. 1809, Samuel (494), son of John Hanley (242) and Sarah (Willard) Bushnell,
456. v. Temperance, b. 30 Mar. 1792, d. Winthrop, Conn. 18 Jan. 1823, m. 12 July 1812, Joel Buckley, b. Winthrop, 15 June 1785, d. there 7 May 1871. He m. 2nd, Hannah Maria (462) Bushnell, sister of his 1st wife.

Children, 4:

456. i. Temperance A. Buckley, b. 3 Dec. 1813, d. abt. 1886, m. Ezra Moore.
456. iii. Samuel S. Buckley, b. 26 May 1817, d. 27 Apr. 1860, m. Mrs. Laura Sparks, no children.
457*. vi. Abraham, b. 27 May 1794,
459. viii. Artemus, b. 3 July 1798, d. 2 July 1799.


Children, 4:

462. i. Ann J. Buckley, b. 18 Feb. 1827, d. 7 Feb. 1907, m. Jonathan Lay.

Children, 1: Frank Lay.

462. ii. William A. Buckley, b. 6 May 1831, m. Mrs. Sarah Chapman,

462. iii. Jerome A. Buckley, b. 18 Nov. 1838, d. abt. 1913, m. Victoria Clark.

Children, 2: i. Grace Buckley, m. Lewis L. Dennison; ii. Minnie Adelia Buckley.

462. iv. Ellen A. Buckley, b. 23 Apr. 1842.

*234. Lemuel, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1740, d. Jan. 1820, m. Mary Pratt, b. 26 June 1736, d. Dec. 1839 (R-12). The 1790 census records his family as 1 male over 16, 2 males under 16, and 3 females.

Children, 4, (R-12):

463*. i. Lemuel, b. abt. 1776,

464. ii. Mary, b. abt. 1777, bapt. 13 July 1777, d. 1 Apr. 1794,

465*. iii. Taylor Pratt, b. Feb. 1780,

466. iv. Tamsen, b. abt. 1782, m. 26 Oct. 1826, Daniel Merwin or Marvin. They were members of the Chester Cong. Church, 30 Oct. 1814, and were also recorded as members 1 Sept. 1824.

*235. Daniel, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1741, d. Dec. 1821, m. Tabitha Bull, b. Saybrook, Conn. 27 Jan. 1741, d. there 7 May 1804, dau. of Capt. Edward and Temperance (Clark) Bull. (Was she his 2nd wife and did he m. 1st, Ruth Stebbins (R-4)??).

Daniel Bushnell, it is said, m. Ruth Stebbins, but we know of no record if this is a fact. He served in the Rev. War in Col. Hinman's Regt, Co. not stated, and was discharged in the Northern Department 13 Sept. 1775 (R-14). By a record in the Saybrook Church of date 27 Aug. 1775, the children of Daniel and Tabitha Bushnell are given as Ethan, Daniel, Benjamin, Eber, Amzi, and Esther, which apparently omits Ruth, and this may be accounted for by an error in copying the record, as a written memorandum was found among the papers of Asa Lay Bushnell, a son of Eber, which stated the children as given below with their birth dates.

Children, 11, (R-12):

467*. i. Ethan, b. 31 Dec. 1761,

468*. ii. Daniel, b. 13 Mar. 1764,

469. iii. Benjamin, b. 22 Apr. 1766, d. 27 Apr. 1855, m. 1st, Amanda ( ), who d. 22 Nov. 1801, ae. 24, m. 2nd, aft. 1801, Betsey Marshall, b. 13 Jan. 1772, d. 10 Mar. 1843, dau. of Thomas Marshall of East Haddam, Conn. (R-13), and wid. of
() Preston. They were all bur. in the Baptist Cemetery at Essex, as was also Aunt Hill, on the same lot, and who. d. 18 Nov. 1865, ae, 94, but what the relationship was, if any, is not known.

470. iv. Ruth, b. 23 May 1768, d. 3 Dec. 1822,
471*. v. Eber, b. 4 Apr. 1770,
472*. vi. Amzi, b. 9 Feb. 1772,
473. vii. Esther, b. 18 Apr. 1774, d. 2 July 1858, m. abt. 1800, Luther Freeman of Haddam, Conn. who d. 18 Nov. 1842.

Children, 5:

473. i. Luther Augustus Freeman,
473. ii. Esther Cordelia Freeman,
473. iii. Temperance Rebecca Freeman, b. abt. 1822, d. 23 Sept. 1874,
473. iv. Lyman Freeman, b. abt. 1804, m. 1st, Arsenath ( ); m. 2nd, Mrs. Martha Stowe,

473. v. Arza Freeman.

474. viii. Tabitha, b. 25 May, bapt. 10 June 1776,
475. ix. Rebecca, b. 26 Jan. bapt. 7 Feb. 1779,
476*. x. Edmund, b. 3 June 1781,
477*. xi. Samuel, b. 3 July 1784.

*241. Phineas, b. Saybrook, Conn. 23 Aug. 1741, bapt. 11 Oct. 1741, d. there 28 Oct. 1836, m. Lydia Webb, b. abt. 1740, d. 20 May 1830, ae. 81 (R-12).

Phineas Bushnell was a soldier in the Rev. War, serving as a Sergt. in Capt. Starkey's Co. Lt. Col. Worthington's Regt. in 1777 (R-14); Cyrus Bradley was appointed Exec. of his est. on 22 Nov. 1836.

Children, 9, (R-12):

478. i. Sarah, b. 2 Aug. 1767, d. Westminster, Mass. 12 Apr. 1754, m. 1st, Branford, Conn. 1 July 1792, Amos Benton of Guilford, Conn. m. 2nd, Noah Johnson.
479. ii. Lydia, m. Chester, Conn. 18 Mar. 1794, Bela Norton of Guilford, Conn. (R-10).
480. iii. Polly, m. Cyrus Bradley of Madison, Conn.
481. iv. Thankful, b. 10 Jan. 1779, d. Paris: N.Y. 22 Jan. 1868, m. Abraham Bartlett, b. Guilford Conn. 14 July 1777, d. Paris, N.Y. 18 Jan. 1863, son of Timothy and Lucy (Evarts) Bartlett of Guilford, Conn. Both were bur. in the Presbyterian Cemetery at Paris, N.Y. They had removed there abt. 1816, and on 1 Sept. of the same year, they with their dau. Mary, an adult, and children Abraham, Henry, Ruth, and Lydia Webb, were bapt. and on 17 Nov. their dau. Harriet was bapt. in the same Church.

Children, 7, (R-15-16):

481. i. Mary Bartlett, m. Alanson Simmons, and in Jan. 1871 both were dismissed to a church in New Haven, Conn.
481. ii. Harriet Bartlett, m. George Allen. She was bapt. as an adult in Paris, N.Y. 1816, and in Jan. 1821 the record shows she had m. and removed to New Haven, Conn.
481. iv. Ruth Bartlett,
481. v. Lydia Webb Bartlett,
481. vi. Henry Bartlett, m. 7 Feb. 1834, Mary E. Lewis
of Augusta, N.Y. On 25 Oct. 1844, she through her father's request, was dismissed from the church at Augusta to the church at Paris, N.Y.

481. vii. Bushnal Bartlett.

482. v. Phineas, d. Branford, Conn. Feb. 1870, m. North Madison, Conn. 16 Oct. 1816, Mrs. Hannah H. Parmelee, on 1 July 1821, the town records show an indenture from Joseph D. Fields to P. (hineas) Bushnell, and the church records show that on 22 Apr. 1821, they were members there and were dismissed to New York 2 Oct. 1853. It is said that her death occurred a few days after that of her husband. No record of children has been submitted (R-17-18).

483. vi. Priscilla, bapt. Chester, Conn. 16 Sept. 1782, m. Silas Bartlett, who it is thought was of Vermont and Geneva, N.Y. They removed to Whitesboro, N.Y. and on 5 May 1829, they, with their dau. Wealthy Ann, were received into the Union Church at Sauquoit, N.Y. from which they were dismissed by letter in 1830. On 11 May 1833, Brother Bartlett Leonard's name was removed from the docket, but his relationship to this family is not known.

Children, 8:

483. i. Wealthy Ann Bartlett,
483. ii. Maryetta Bartlett, was dismissed from Union Church at Sauquoit, N.Y. 9 Dec. 1830,
483. iii. Martha Bartlett,
483. iv. Denison Bartlett,
483. v. Lydia Bartlett,
483. vi. Jeanette Bartlett,
483. viii. Abner Bartlett, is supposed to have gone to Texas, but was donor to the Sauquoit, N.Y. Church, 25 June 1816.

484. vii. Rachel, b. 26/27 Oct. 1783, d. Guilford, Conn. 22 June 1876, m. Amos Griswold, b. Guilford, Conn. 1 Jan. 1780, d. there 19 Aug. 1878, son of Thomas and Hannah (Cruttenden) Griswold. He was a farmer, both were members of the Cong. Church.

Children, 6, (R-19):

484. i. Lewis Griswold,
484. ii. Amos Griswold,
484. iii. John Griswold, b. abt. 1812, d. 13 Dec. 1814,
484. iv. Lydia Griswold, b. abt. 1819, d. 17 Dec. 1834,
484. v. John Griswold, b. abt. 1823, living 1850,
484. vi. Abigail W. Griswold, b. abt. 1827, living 1850.

485. viii. Jesse, b. abt. 1786, d. 18 Sept. 1834, ae. 76,
486. ix. Roxanna, b. abt. 1794, d. Essex, Conn. 16 Feb. 1870, (R-20), m. Humphrey Williams of Colebrook, Conn. She a widow.

*242. John Hanley, b. Saybrook, Conn. 22 Nov. 1743, d. there 5 Feb. 1828, m. 13 Apr. 1769, Sarah Willard, b. 25 July 1752, d. Saybrook, 5 Aug. 1824, dau. of George and Hannah (Merril) Willard of Chester, Conn. Both are bur. in cem. at Winthrop, Conn.

John Hanley Bushnell, bapt. Saybrook 7 or 15 Jan. 1743/4, lived at Winthrop, Conn. where all his children were born. He served in the Rev. War as private, Capt. Aaron Steven's Co., Col. Samuel Nott's Battallion, Brig. Gen. David Waterbury, 1776, noted in Oliver Cromwell's Account 1776, private in Capt. Timothy Starkey's Co. Lt. Col. William Worthington's Regt. 1777 (R-14), was elected Lieut. of the militia at Saybrook 1787 (R-23-
By the 1790 census there were in his family, 4 males over 16, 3 males under 16, and 4 females. In a letter to his son Joshua at Middleburg, N.Y. dated "Saybrook, 1 July 1802," he mentions his sons Asa and John, who were also at Middleburg, and refers to the purchase of a farm by Joshua or his brother Asa, and also refers to their wives but not by name (R-25). Some confusion seems to exist as to the lines of descent from John Hanley, and his uncle Hanley, but as both are family names, and have been used in several later generations without interchange, the line of descent can be determined from this fact.

Children, 9, (R-21-22):

487*. i. Joshua, b. 17 Dec. 1769,
488*. ii. John Hanley, b. 11 Apr. 1771,
489*. iii. Asa, b. 2 July 1773,
490. iv. Sarah, b. 14 July 1775, m. 14 Dec. 1797, Dan Denison, b. 11 Oct. 1771. They removed from Saybrook in 1821, and settled in Cleveland, Ohio.

Children, 11:

490. i. John Bushnell Denison, m. 1 Jan. 1827, m. Lydia Bigelow,
490. ii. Mary Ann Denison, bapt. 9 Nov. 1800, m. 12 Dec. 1823, Edmund Brainard,
490. iii. Nancy Maria Denison, m. 14 Sept. 1827, Charles L. Usher,
490. iv. Sally Denison, bapt. 20 June 1803, m. 5 Mar. 1826, Abel C. Hinckley,
490. v. Erastus Denison, d. 22 June 1811, ae. 5 y.
490. vi. Hannah M. Denison, bapt. 9 Oct. 1809, d. 1828, ae. 19 years,
490. vii. Dan Denison, b. 29 Apr. 1811, m. 12 Jan. 1842, Ursula Ephemia Taylor,
490. viii. Louise Amelia Denison, bapt. Oct. 1816, m. 7 Oct. 1852, Rodney Montague as his 2nd wife,
490. x. Eunice Priscilla Denison, m. 16 Oct. 1843, as his 1st wife, Rodney Montague,
490. xi. George Erastus Denison, m. 1st, Apr. 1848, Elizabeth (S.) Strong, he m. 2nd, ( ).

491*. v. George, b. 5 Dec. 1777,
492*. vi. Daniel, b. 28 Nov. 1779,
493. vii. Hannah, b. 8 June, bapt. 16 Sept. 1782, d. 1 Nov. 1820, ae. 38y-4m-7d, m. Chester, Conn. 26 Nov. 1801, Capt. Zachariah Clark, 2nd, b. Chester, 20 May 1778, son of Jared and Mehitable (Dimmock) Clark, both were members of the Chester Cong. Church as late as 30 July 1815.

Children, 8, (R-10):

493. i. Zachariah Clark, b. 19 June 1803, d. Aug. 1847, m. abt. 1831, Beulah Baldwin,
493. ii. Hannah Amelia Clark, b. 6 Apr. bapt. 4 Aug. 1805, d. 31 Mar. 1870,
493. iii. John Bushnell Clark, b. 17 Nov. 1807, bapt. 5 May 1808, d. 23 Sept. 1824,
493. iv. Anna Bushnell Clark, b. 5 May, bapt. July 1810, m. 4 May 1828, Harlow Snow Isbell. Children, 1: i. Henry Ludlow Isbell, m. Melissa Cowan Kerr,
493. v. Shubal Dimmock Clark, b. 3 July 1812, bapt. 6 Aug. 1815, m. 1st, Ann M. Webb; m. 2nd, Fannie E. Barker,
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493. vi. Mary Ann Bushnell Clark, b. 25 July 1814,
493. vii. Asa Bushnell Clark, b. 5 May, bapt. 27 July 1817,

494*. viii. Samuel, b. 14 May 1785,

*244. Samuel, b. Saybrook, Conn. 23 Nov. 1748, d. 17 July 1828, m. 25 Nov. 1775, Hepzibah Pratt, b. 27 Apr. 1755, d. 7 May 1847, dau. of Jabez and Hepzibah (Clark) Pratt.

Samuel Bushnell in his will dated 11 Dec. 1826, prob. 4 Aug. 1828, mentions wife Hepzibah and gr-son John Seabury Dickinson. Both were buried in Cypress Cemetery at Old Saybrook, Conn.

Children, 2, (R-26):

496. i. Hepzibah, b. 19 Apr. 1776, bapt. 24 Sept. 1776, d. 23 Oct. 1818, m. 13 Nov. 1796, Samuel Dickinson, b. 5 Apr. 1775.

Children, 6, (R-26):

496. i. John Dickinson, b. 25 Oct. 1797, d. 27 Sept. 1805,
496. ii. Samuel Bushnell Dickinson, b. 25 Feb. 1800, m. 20 May 1824, Mary Ann Chalker,
496. iii. George William Dickinson, b. 8 June 1802,
496. iv. John Seabury Dickinson, b. 22 June 1807, m. Harriet Collins.

496. v. Mary Dickinson, b. 20 Dec. 1809, m. 10 June 1833, Ezra Thayer, b. 3 Sept. 1801, d. 16 Mar. 1884,
496. vi. Maria Seabury Dickinson, b. 6 Sept. 1813, m. 20 Oct. 1840, William Eaton Thayer, who m. as his 2nd wife, her niece Harriet Evalina Dickinson. Children, 6: i. Samuel E. Thayer d.y; ii. Mortimer Thayer, d.y; iii. Helen Thayer, d.y; iv. Frederick W. Thayer, b. 4 Nov. 1844, m. 27 July 1892, Caroline E. Barnard, who d. 20 June 1906, resided Ivoryton, Conn; v. Alice M. Thayer, b. 3 June 1847, d. 22 June 1915, m. 20 Oct. 1875, Edward P. Blague; vi. George Dickinson Thayer, b. 14 June 1849??, d. 15 Mar. 1915, m. 16 Dec. 1885, Clara L. Kellogg.

497. ii. unnamed son, d.y.


Deacon Jonathan Bushnell, in his will dated 1821, mentioned his wife Margaret, sons William and John and dau. Margaret Kelsey. He was a Deacon in the Westbrook Cong. Church.
Children, 4, (R-27):

498. i. Jonathan, b. 16 July 1774,

499. ii. John, b. 22 Oct. (or Nov.) 1775, bapt. 17 Dec. 1775, d. 2 June 1859, was blind and unm.

500. iii. Margaret, b. 1 Feb. 1778, d. bet. 17 Oct. 1814 and 23 Oct. 1818, m. Westbrook, Conn. abt. 1798, John Kelsey, b. 23 Jan. 1778, d. 30 Nov. 1856, son of Job and Sibyl (Lay) Kelsey, and brother to Azubah Kelsey who m. her brother William (501) Bushnell. He m. 2nd, Lydia (527), dau. of Nathan (252) and Hester (Lord) Bushnell, whose children will be found elsewhere.

Children, 8, (R-29):

500. i. John Kelsey, b. 17 Sept. 1799, d. Madison, Conn. abt. 1833,

500. ii. Job Kelsey, b. 11 May 1802, d. 18 Aug. 1873,

500. iii. Margaret Azubah Kelsey, b. 10 Jan. 1804, d. Madison, 25 Sept. 188-,

m. Talcott Bradley of Madison. Children, 5: i. Margaret Bradley, m. Samuel F. Willard of Madison who was a Capt. in the Civil War, and lost his life at Antietam, no children; ii. William Bradley, d.y; iii. Emily Bradley, m. William M. Wilcox of Madison; iv. Rachel Bradley, d. unm; v. Eunice Bradley, d.y.


500. v. Sibyl Kelsey, b. 15 Feb. 1811, d. 26 Jan. 1840, m. Henry Martin Furz,

500. vii Laura Kelsey, b. 27 Dec. 1813, d. 26 Jan. 1840, m. William Furz,

brother to Henry Martin Furz.


Elias Bushnell, b. Saybrook, Conn. lived in Saybrook all his life, and with his wife, Sarah, was bur. in Cypress Cemetery. In the dist. of his est. dated 1822, there is mentioned, his son Elias, and dau’s Mehitable Bassett, wife of Eliphalet Bassett; Lucy Kelsey, wife of Edward Kelsey; Sarah Lay, wife of Aaron Lay; Rebecca Spencer, wife of Benjamin Spencer; heirs of Orphana Bushnell, wife of Nehemiah Bushnell; and Elizabeth Harvey wife of Samuel E. Harvey. The dist. of the est. of Sarah Bushnell, "relict of Elias Bushnell, dec'd." dated 1853, mentions, Sarah, wife of Aaron Lay; Rebecca, wife of Benjamin Spencer; heirs of Orphana Bushnell, Nehemiah Bushnell, and Elizabeth wife of Samuel E. Harvey. The 1790 census shows his family as, 2 males over 16, 3 males under 16, and 5 females.

Children, 12, (R-2-8):


503. ii. Lucy, bapt. 12 Sept. 1773, d. Madison, Conn. 10 May 1841, m. 3 Aug. 1795, Edward Kelsey, b. 6 Nov. 1772, d. 14 Apr. 1832, son of Francis and Hannah (Stannard) Kelsey and gr-son
of Jedediah and Sarah (217) (Bushnell) Kelsey.

Children, 9, (R-12-29):


503. ii. Mehitable Kelsey, b. 22 July/Aug. 1798, d. 27 May 1874, m. Apr. 1819, Frederick Lester Whedon, b. 12 Dec. 1795, d. 2 Nov. 1890. Children, 6: i. Leveret Whedon, b. abt. 1821, d. 2 Mar. 1906, m. Harriet Merritt, no children; ii. Sarah Whedon, b. abt. 1826, d. 25 Apr. 1913, m. Samuel Coe of Madison and had 5 sons and 3 daus; iii. Betsey Whedon, b. abt. 1827, d. 22 May 1906, m. William B. Crampton, and had 3 sons and 2 daus; iv. William B. Whedon, b. abt. 1832, d. 28 Apr. 1907, m. Sarah Stevens, and had son and dau; v. George Whedon, b. abt. 1838, d. 19 Jan. 1922, m. Laura Crampton, and has son and dau; vi. Adelaide (B.) Whedon, b. 10 Aug. 1840, d. 26 Feb. 1933, m. Rollin C. Smith, son & dau.


503. iv. Mary Kelsey, b. 23 Sept. 1803, d. 18 Aug. 1868, m. abt. 1824, Amasa J. Dowd, b. 1801, d. 1887, Children, 7: i. Lucy Dowd, b. 1829, d. 1908, unm; ii. Augustus Dowd; iii. Ellen Dowd, b. 1835, d. 1870, m. Samuel Griswold, had 1 dau. who m. but had no children; iv. Charlotte Dowd, b. 1839, d. 1893, m. Charles Henry Whedon, had no children; v. Emma Dowd, b. 1843, d. 1884, m. Dwight Whedon, no children; vi. Albert Dowd; vii. Orrin Dowd, b. 1844, d. 1 Apr. 1889, m. Cynthia Crampton, had 1 son.

503. v. Sarah Kelsey, b. 20 Aug. 1805, d. 22 Feb. 1826, unm.

503. vi. Una Kelsey, b. 4 Oct. 1807, d. 5 July 1892, m. Jabez Pratt Meigs, b. 1805, d. 1881, resided at Delhi, N.Y. Children, 5: i. Sarah J. Meigs, b. 4 Mar. 1825, d. 4 May 1887, m. Howard Thompson, several children; ii. Titus Benjamin Meigs, b. 6 Feb. 1831, m. Lucia Jacobs, resided Delhi; iii. Laura E. Meigs, b. 7 Feb. 1833, m. Moore Akerly, had children; iv. Francis Meigs, b. 7 Sept. 1837, d. 1853; v. Edward Meigs, b. 3 May 1840.


1847, dau. of Frederick W. and Sophia (Willard) Bradley. Children, 1: i. Annie Maud Kelsey, m. R. J. Goff; iii. Lucy Jane Kelsey, d.y.


504*. iii. Elias, bapt. 22 Oct. 1775,

505*. iv. Abel, b. abt. 1778,

506. v. Orphana, bapt. 18 July 1780, m. Nehemiah (803), son of Ezra (368) and Patience (Lord) Bushnell,

507*. vi. Francis, b. 1783,

508. vii. Sarah, bapt. 28 Nov. 1784, m. Aaron Lay,

508. viii. Jedediah, bapt. 30 Apr. 1786, d. 11 Dec. 1825, ae. 39. His will dated 1826, mentions his sisters Sarah Lay, Rebecca Spencer, Orphana Bushnell, and Elizabeth Bushnell. He prob. d. unm.

509. ix. Rebecca, bapt. 5 Oct. 1788, m. Benjamin Spencer,

509.1 x. Joshua, bapt. 4 Dec. 1789, d. 16 June 1797 of consumption,

510. xi. Azubah, bapt. 1794, d. 23 Feb. 1823, ae. 29. The dist. of her est, in 1824, mentions her brothers Elias, Abel, and Jedediah, and sisters Lucy Kelsey, Mehitable Bassett, Sarah Lay, Rebecca Spencer, Orphana Bushnell, and Elizabeth Bushnell. She prob. d. unm.

511. xii. Elizabeth, bapt. 31 Mar. 1799, d. 2 Feb. 1865, m. 1st, 10 Dec. 1827, Samuel Ely Harvey, b. Hadlyme, Conn. 16 Feb. 1807, d. Saybrook, 23 May 1874, son of Samuel and Marsylvia (Ely) Harvey, he m. 2nd, Mrs. Julia (Doty) Stone.

Children, 3:

511. i. Sarah Elizabeth Harvey, b. 16 May 1829, d. 30 Sept. 1849,

511. ii. Francis Jedediah Harvey, b. 30 Dec. 1830, d. 1 Nov. 1876, m. 21 June 1869, Angeline Elizabeth (2852.1), dau. of Christopher Lord (1648) and Sylvia (Chapman) Bushnell.

511. iii. Susan Maria Harvey, b. 19 May 1835, m. Saybrook, 27 Feb. 1861, Charles O. Buell, son of Oliver and Polly Buell, resided New Haven, Conn. 1899. Children, 3: i. Morris Clarkson Buell, b. 27 July 1863; ii. Charles Frederick Buell, b. 18 Oct. 1866; iii. DeOrville Harvey Buell, b. 5 Aug. 1870.

*251. Constant, b. Westbrook, Conn. 12 May 1751, d. there 18 July 1805, m. 4 Jan. 1776, Temperance Kelsey, b. 6 Nov. 1755, d. abt. 1836, dau. of Jedediah and Sarah (217) (Bushnell) Kelsey (R-29-30).

Constant Bushnell and his wife were members of the 3rd. Cong. church at Westbrook in Feb. 1778. He was in the Rev. War as a private in the Co. of Capt. Convis, 2nd Conn. Line and was paid from 15 Jan. to 31 Dec. 1781. He also appears on a roll dated 1 Feb. 1783 in Capt. Richard's Co. 2nd Conn. Line (R-14). The 1790 census reports his family as 1 male over 16, 4 males under 16, and 3 females. In the dist. of his est. dated 1806, there is mentioned, his sons Simeon, Aaron, Martin, Constant, Zina, and Joshua, and dau's. Wealthy, Phebe, and Rusha.

Children, 11, (R-27):
512*. i.  Simeon, b. abt. 1777,
513. ii.  Aaron, bapt. 6 Sept. 1778, d. 16 Aug. 1845, ae. 67. Probably was unm. as in
the dist. of his est. there is mentioned his brothers Martin, Joshua, and Constant and sisters
Phebe Bushnell, Wealthy Bushnell, and Jerusha Underhill.
514. iii.  Jerusha, bapt. 1 May 1780, d. 30 Jan. 1801,
515*. iv.  Constant, b. 31 July 1780 (?),
516*. v.  Martin, bapt. 21 Nov. 1784,
517. vi.  Wealthy, bapt. 13 Aug. 1786, joined church in Sullivan, N.Y. 2 June 1816, 
prob. d. unm. She lived with her brother Joshua, and, after his death, with his widow, who
was perhaps a native of Sullivan.
518. vii.  Phebe, bapt. 29 Mar. 1789, d. 25 Apr. 1856, m. as his 3rd wife, Rev. Harvey
(529), son of Nathan (252) and Esther (Lord) Bushnell.
519. viii.  Andrew, may have lived at Lockport and later at North Bay, N.Y. but
soon went west and all trace lost.
520*. ix.  Zina, b. 8 Mar. 1793,
521. x.  Joshua, b. abt. 1794, bapt. 8 Apr. 1798, m. Mary ( ), b. abt. 1805, d. 1872.
They settled first at Sullivan, N.Y. where he joined the 1st. Cong. Church 22 Nov. 1818, but
later removed to Lakeport, N.Y. where he settled on a farm about 1 mile southeast of the farm
of his brother Martin. It is believed that they had no children.
522. xi.  Jerusha, bapt. 28 May 1795, d. abt. 1873, ae. 78, m. 2 Dec. 1821, Jonathan
Underhill. She spent her last days at the home of a dau. in New York State, and was a widow
when she died. They had 2 sons and 4 daus. all of whom were living in 1888.
Children, 6:
522. i.  son Underhill,
522. ii.  son Underhill,
522. iii.  dau. Underhill,
522. iv.  dau. Underhill,
522. v.  dau. Underhill,
522. vi.  Julia Underhill, b. 27 Aug. 1835, m. John A. Vincett, who was a
farmer in Hillsdale, N.Y. She was the youngest dau. Children, 4: i. William A. Vincett, b. bef.
1932; ii. Carrie Vincett, d. ae. 2½ y.; iii. Louisa Vincett, d. ae. 6 mos; iv. Edward Vincett, b. bef.
1932.

*252.  Nathan, b. Saybrook, Conn. 18 July 1753, d. Westbrook, Conn. 12 Oct. 1820 (R-2), m.
Saybrook, Conn. 20 Oct. 1774, Rhoda (275) (R-4), b. 25 Dec. 1752, d. 16 May 1775, dau. of
Nathaniel (126) and Ruth or Rebecca (Chalker) Bushnell. He m. 2nd, 16 Nov. 1777, Esther or
Hester Lord (R-4), b. 29 Sept. 1756, d. 20 Sept. 1840, dau. of Andrew and Martha (Kirtland)
Lord.

Nathan Bushnell served in the Rev. War as a private. He enlisted Mar. 1776 and served
9 months in Capt. Martin Kirtland’s Co. Enlisted May or June 1778 and served 6 months in
served 5 months in Capt. Aaron Kelsey’s Co. (R-14-31). Enlisted Apr. 1781 and served 5
months in Capt. Martin Kirtland’s Co. Nathan and Esther were members of the 1st Cong.
Church of Saybrook, being received in 1779 and all of their children were
bapt. in that church. By the 1790 census, there were in his family 1 male over 16, 2 males under 16, and 5 females. On application dated 14 Aug. 1838, his widow was allowed a pension.

Children, 8:

523. i. Nathan, b. 31 Aug. 1779,
524. ii. Rhoda, b. 13 June 1781, bapt. 2 Sept. 1781, d. 20 Jan. 1833, unm.
525. iii. Elihu, b. 15 Mar. 1784,
526. iv. Polly, bapt. 25 Mar. 1787, d. unm.
527. v. Lydia, b. 3 Apr. 1788, bapt. 6 July 1788, d. 28 Jan. 1872, m. 27 Jan. 1818, John Kelsey, as his 2nd wife, son of Job and Sibyl (Lay) Kelsey, m. 1st, Margaret (500), dau. of Jonathan (248) and Margaret (Parker) Bushnell.

Children, 6; by Lydia Bushnell (R-29):

527. i. Harvey Bushnell Kelsey, b. 23 Oct. 1818, d. 3 Mar. 1900/1,
527. ii. Harriet Kelsey, b. 5 Nov. 1820, d. 30 Dec. 1879,
527. iii. Elihu Kelsey, b. 7 Mar. 1822, d. 18 Mar. 1898, m. Katherine Smith, dau. of Ezra and Martha (Stone) Smith. Children: i. Ezra Kelsey, m. Fannie Lester of Guilford, Conn.; ii. Mary Elizabeth Kelsey, m. Wesley Blakeman of Bridgeport, Conn.; iii. Sarah Maria (or Minnie) Kelsey, m. George Crittenden, a chiropractor of New Haven, Conn.
527. v. Lydia Kelsey, b. 6 Jan. 1826, d. 30 Jan. 1893, m. Andrew Stone Smith, son of Ezra and Martha (Stone) Smith of Madison, Conn. Children, 5: i. Garrit Smith, an atty. in N.Y; ii. Thomas Smith, had 3 children; iii. Martha Smith, unm; iv. Lydia B. Smith, m. Linus Hall of Wallingford, Conn; v. Elizabeth Smith, m. Frederick Leete of East River (now Madison), Conn.
529. vii. Harvey, b. 25 Mar. 1794,
530. viii. Richard Kirtland, b. 8 Dec. 1796, bapt. 28 July 1797, d. 16 Feb. 1876, m. Nancy Morgan, who d. New York 25 Dec. 1866, ae. 59. He was a Deacon and both were buried in Saybrook Jct. Cemetery.

*259. Hanley, bapt. Saybrook, Conn. 8 July 1759, d. Westbrook, Conn. 9 Sept. 1826 (R-2), m. Saybrook, 22 Apr. 1778, Temperance Jones, b. abt. 1759, d. 4 Apr. 1832, ae. 74 (R-2). No record of children has been found, but there may have been at least two, a boy and a girl, as it is supposed that the 1790 census record of 1 male over 16, 1 male under 16, and 2 females was of this family. A family legend says he served in the Rev. War.

Joshua Bushnell resided in Saybrook until 1795, when he removed to Fairfield, N.Y. where he settled on a farm, on the Hardscrabble road three miles north of the town, which he occupied until his death. Here all of his children were born. Mrs. Semantha Bushnell Woodworth related to her grand-daughter, Mrs. Gladys Woodworth Amos, that her grandfather, Joshua, often referred to his twin sisters and how he had watched his father and brother Hanley march away to serve in the Rev. War, and his envy and regret that he was not old enough to follow. He also often referred to the one day's difference in the ages of himself and wife, and that they had married at the age of 18. Joshua and his wife were buried in a cemetery at Hardscrabble and their headstones were still standing a few years ago. The 1790 census shows only one male over 16, and 1 female in his family.

Children, 7, (R-32):

531. i. Abigail Willard, b. 9 Mar. 1795, one account says she d.y. another asserts she m. ( ) Fuller.
532*. ii. Joshua Bishop, b. 8 Feb. 1797.
533*. iii. Hanley Willard, b. 21 May 1799,
534*. iv. George, b. 21 Oct. 1801,

Children, 6, (R-12):

535. iii. Augustus Potter.
536*. vi. Joseph, b. 30 Sept. 1807,
537. vii. Nancy, b. 27 Mar. 1810, m. Benjamin Silas Jones, and resided near Booneville (Leyden), N.Y.
Sixth Generation.

Children, 5:

537. i. Benjamin Jones,
537. ii. Maria Jones,
537. iii. Albert Jones,
537. iv. Hanley Jones,
537. v. Clark Jones.


Samuel Bushnell removed to Salisbury, Conn. abt. 1772, and on 5 Sept. 1787, bought a tract of land from Robert Walker Lee near Sheffield, Mass. where he resided until his death. On 9 Dec. 1790 and 2 May 1793, he transferred to his brother Jeremiah, his title to lands in Salisbury, Conn. both that which he had bought and that which came to him from his father's est. On 4 Jan. 1831, the court appointed Samuel H. Bushnell and Margaret Bushnell Adm's. of his est. In his will he mentioned his sons Samuel of Sheffield, Barnet and William of Ontario Co. N.Y. Charles of Louisiana, and Frederick of N.Y. and dau's Mary Ann, wife of Richard P. Brown of Sheffield, heirs of Hester Eddy of N.Y. and heirs of Polly Kellogg in N.Y. His son William Bushnell bought the homestead at auction on 17 June 1831.

Children, 12:

538. i. Hester, b. Westbrook (Saybrook), 26 Mar. 1768, bapt. there 21 Aug. 1768, d. Owego, N.Y. 13 Oct. 1829, m. Salisbury, 12 Jan. 1786, Asa Eddy of Salisbury, mar. by Peter Bishop, J. P. (by Preston record, but Apr. 1, 1764 by Preston Vital record, which may be the birth of a brother who d.y.), d. Victor, 11 June 1840, or 13 June 1841, son of Asa Eddy. He m. 2nd, Lansing, N.Y. 17 Nov. 1831, wid. Rebecca Backus, who was allowed a pension after his death. He enlisted from Sheffield. In 1795 he removed to Great Bend, Pa. and later to Victor, and may have resided in Owego for a time.

Children, 11:

538. i. Hester Eddy, b. 2 July 1786, d. 9 May 1788.
538. iii. Elizabeth Eddy, b. 20 Jan. 1790, d. Owego.
538. iv. Jerusha Eddy, b. 7 Feb. 1792, m. Henry W. Jenks,
538. v. Emma Eddy, b. 23 Mar. 1786, d. prob. aft. Dec. 1856, m. 1st, Avery Miner (or Minor), who d. aft. 1837, m. 2nd, Henry Minard, both were of Huron, Ohio. She was named in the wills of her uncles Frederick (546) Bushnell, who d. 7 Nov. 1837, and Luther (544) Bushnell, who d. 6 Dec. 1856. Children, by 1st marriage, 4: i. William B. Miner, d.y; ii. William Miner; iii. Fred Miner; iv. Charles Miner.
Sixth Generation.


538.  viii.  Julia Eddy, b. 26 Mar. 1804, d. 8 May 1811,

538.  ix.  Mary Eddy, b. 14 Mar. 1807, d. Owego, N.Y.

538.  x.  Frances Eddy, b. 14 Mar. 1807.

538.  xi.  Hester Eddy, b. 13 Nov. 1808, d. 11 Mar. 1812.

539*.  ii.  Samuel, b. Saybrook 16 Dec. 1769,

540.  iii.  Enoch, b. 16 Aug. 1771, d. 5 Feb. 1820,

541*.  iv.  Barnett, b. 1 Aug. 1773,

542*.  v.  William, b. 30 June 1775, also known as Billa,

543.  vi.  Mary (Polly), b. Salisbury, 1 June 1778, d. 4 Apr. 1806, m. as his 1st wife (int. pub. 22 Oct. 1797), Thomas Hosmer Kellogg, b. 29 Apr. 1773, d. 12 Sept. 1858, son of Joel and Susannah (Hosmer) Kellogg. He m. 2nd, Eunice Buell, b. Goshen, Conn. 1780, d. 1855. Children, 4:

543.  i.  Amelia Kellogg, b. 3 Sept. 1798, m. 1st, Asa P. Edgecomb, m. 2nd, Isaac Halstead, resided Mt. Morris, N.Y. no children.


544. vii. Luther, b. Salisbury, Conn. 6 July 1780, d. Pittsford, N.Y. 6 Dec. 1856, m. 1st, Sally Bacon, m. 2nd, Lydia Wright, who d. Pittsford, 10 May 1874. There were no children. In his will, filed at Rochester, N.Y. he mentions his wid. Lydia; brother Samuel (539) Bushnell of Sheffield, Mass; sister Mary Ann (548) wife of Richard P. Brown of Egremong, Mass; Jane (1244) dau. of a dec'd brother Barnett (541), and wife of Nathan Jenks of Ontario, Ind; Lovina (or Lavinia) (1246), dau. of a dec'd brother (William) (542) and wife of David Osborn of Victor, N.Y; five children of a dec'd sister (Hester) (538), viz: Asa Eddy Jr. of Kendall, N.Y. George Eddy of Ohio, Thomas Eddy of Rochester, N.Y; Jerusha, wife of Henry Jenkins of Buffalo, N.Y. and Emma wife of Henry Minard of Huron, Ohio; four children of another dec'd sister (Mary) (543), viz: Mrs. Caroline Richards of Rochester, N.Y; Almira wife of Edward Sawyer of Ohio, "Ema" wife of Isaac Halstead of Mt. Morris, N.Y; and Mariah wife of Edwin Fairchild of Ogdensburg, N.Y. and lastly three children of a dec'd brother (Charles) (545), viz. Maria (1250) wid. of Josiah Williams of La.; Laura, wife of ( ) Cummings, and Frederick S. (1249) Bushnell of Mich. Adm's Lydia Bushnell and O. H. Osborn. The will of Lydia, wid. dated 8 Nov. 1867, filed at Rochester, N.Y. declared she was of Pittsford, N.Y. and that her husband was Luther Bushnell, dec'd. She mentioned therein her brother Josiah Wright of Janesville, Wis. and heirs of Daniel Wright of Brooklin, Mich. Lydia Carthas of Rochester, N.Y, John T. Wright of Chicago, Ills, Martha Wright of Penfield, N.Y, Arabella Hubbard of La Porte, Ind, Ann Janette Mainwaring, and Lydia Davenport both of Mishawake, Ind. Angus Wright of Independence, Ia, Samuel W. Saxton of New York City, and Olive E. Saxton of Sheffield, Mass.

545*. viii. Charles, b. 20 Apr. 1782,

546. ix. Frederick, b. 2 Apr. 1785, d. Pittsford, N.Y. 7 Nov. 1837, unm. Was in Reeds Corner as early as 1796/7, and established as a merchant at Charlotte, N.Y. before and during the War of 1812, at which time his warehouse was raided by a forage party sent ashore by Sir. James Yeo. Was a freeholder in 1815, and in 1821, Gurnsey and Bushnell sold salt to Joseph Annin and by an early advertisement in the LeRoy, N.Y. Gazette, dated 7 May 1829, the dissolution of Frederick Bushnell and H. Stevens was noted, which may have been an insurance firm. Between 1811 and 1825 he purchased several tracts of land in Northampton Twp. N.Y. He established a warehouse at Bushnell's Basin and carried on an extensive forwarding business. In his will, filed at Rochester, N.Y. he declared himself as of Greece, N.Y. and mentioned brothers Luther and William of Greece, N.Y, and Samuel of Sheffield, Mass; Jane dau. of another brother (Barnett) and wife of Nathan Jenks of Lima, Ind.; five children of his sister Hester, dec'd; viz: Asa Eddy, Jr. of Kendall, N.Y, Jerusha wife of Henry Jenkins of Huron, Ohio. and George and Thomas Eddy of Greece, N.Y. four children of Polly Kellogg a dec'd sister, viz: Amelia wife of Asa P. Edgecomb of Mt. Morris, N.Y; Caroline, wife of Martin W. Richards of Grand Blanc, Mich.; Almira, wife of Edward Sawyer of Grand Blanc, Mich.; and Maria, wife, of Edwin Fairchild of Bloomfield, N.Y; three children of his brother Charles of Louisiana, viz: Maria wife of Josiah P. Williams of Alexandria, La. Laura Bushnell of Alexandria, La; and Frederick Bushnell of Victor, N.Y. and lastly his sister Mary Ann, wife of
Sixth Generation.


547. x. Amelia, b. 30 Sept. 1787, d. 9 Aug. 1816, m. William Bacon.
548. xi. Mary Ann, b. 18 May 1802, d. 24 Aug. 1873, m. 20 Apr. 1823, Richard P. Brown, b. abt. 1797, d. 5 May 1861.

Children, 4 (R-12):

548. i. Margaret Bushnell Brown, b. 29 Jan. 1824, d. 7 Mar. 1832.
548. ii. Frederick Bushnell Brown, b. 20 Nov. 1829, d. 13 Jan. 1844.
548. iii. Francis Brown, b. 8 Feb. 1833, d. 1 June 1842.

549. xii. John, b. abt. 1802, d. 6 Sept. 1806, in 5th year.

*271. Jeremiah, b. Westbrook, Conn. 5 Dec. 1763, d. Salisbury, Conn. 8 Oct. 1833, m. abt. 1795, Lucy ( ), b. abt. 1769, d. 13 Mar. 1849, ae. 80.

Capt. Jeremiah Bushnell, probably came to Salisbury with his father about 1772/3 where on 9 Dec. 1790 he bought from his brother Samuel the house and lot of 10 acres adjacent to the meeting house, and on 20 Mar. 1793 the balance of his father's estate which had been left to his brother Samuel. In the winter of 1798-1801 and 1804 the town meetings usually convened in the old town hall, were several times adjourned to Capt. Jeremiah's north chamber. His monument stands in the Salisbury New Cemetery (R-41).

Children, 4, (R-40):

550*. i. Samuel, b. 21 May 1796,
551*. ii. William, b. 20 July 1798,
552. iii. Eliza, b. 20 June 1800, m. 13 Sept. 1820, Thomas Bidwell Peet, b. abt. 1794, d. abt. 1828, son of Dr. Abiram Lewis and Lois (Bidwell) Peet. He kept a general store in Salisbury, Conn. and his will was probated at Sharon, Conn. 18 Aug. 1828, inv. dated 29 Oct. 1828, Adm's wid. Eliza Peet and William Bushnell.

Children, 2:

552. i. Jeremiah Bushnell Peet, b. 10 July 1822, d. 17 Feb. 1837.
552. ii. George William Peet, b. 1825, d. 1882, m. 1848, Mary Adams, b. 1835, d. 1889, she bur. Salisbury cemetery. Children, 2: i. Francis Adams Peet, b. 1852, d. 1895, m. 1875, Cornelia B. Underwood; ii. Mary Georgiana Peet, b. 1860, d. 1879.

553* iv. Harmon Butler, b. 17 Sept. 1801.

*277. Elisha, b. Saybrook, Conn. 24 Apr. 1758, d. there 8 Jan. 1835, m. 13 July 1788, Lydia Chalker, b. Saybrook, 9 May 1761, d. there 16 Nov. 1842.

Elisha Bushnell was a private in Capt. Smith's Co. Col. Meads Regt, and in 1832 was a pensioner ae. 76 and resided in Middlesex co. (R-14). After his death his wid. Lydia received a pension (R-42). Both were buried in Saybrook Point cemetery. He bought
50 acres of land in Killingworth, also a piece of land at Haddam, and on 20 Dec. 1817, he sold a tract of land at Parker hill, Killingworth, on the Haddam line, to Abraham Bushnell. There were only two in his family by the 1790 census, 1 male over 16, and 1 female.

Children, 2, (R-2-4):

554. i. Lydia, b. 3 Oct. 1792, d. 29 July 1874, unm.

555. ii. Elisha, b. 22 Nov. 1799, d. 2 Feb. 1800.

*279. Nathaniel, b. Saybrook, Conn. 8 July 1764, d. there 24 Jan. 1823, m. 1st, bef. 1790, Lovisa ( ), b. abt. 1769, d. 10 Jan. 1791, in 22nd year (R-2), m. 2nd, abt. 1792, Rhoda Chalker, b. 24 Mar. 1774, d. 28 Sept. 1849, dau. of Alexander and Deborah Chalker (R-12). Their headstones are still standing in the old cemetery at Saybrook Point.

Children, 3, (R-2-43):

556*. i. Nathaniel, b. 14 Nov. 1793,

557. ii. Lovisa, b. 10 Apr. 1796, bapt. 22 May 1796,


*280. Daniel, b. Saybrook, Conn. 3 May 1766, d. there 25 Jan. 1803, m. there 16 July 1788, Elcey (264), bapt. Saybrook, 9 May 1773, d. 21 Jan. 1846, dau. of Hanley (113) and Chloe (Bishop) Bushnell. She m. 2nd, aft. 14 Jan. 1806, Ambrose Watrous or Waterhouse.

Daniel Bushnell was evidently considering removal to New York State just before his death as there was a deed among his papers, dated 7 Jan. 1803, for Benjamin and Rhoda Kirtland, of Freehold, Greene co. N.Y. which conveyed lands in Freehold, Fraziers Patent, lot No. 16. The Adm. bond, dated 9 Mar. 1803, signed by Rufus Clark and Timothy Pratt, referred to him as Daniel Bushnell 3rd of Saybrook, insolvent, with no heirs, and the Court ordered the estate in New York inv. on 9 Apr. 1803. No one was with him at his death as he was found dead in his bed.

Children, 4, (R-12):


Children, 12, (R-12-29):


559. ii. Daniel Bushnell Kelsey, b. 18 Mar. 1816, d. Antwerp. 29 Nov. 1893, m. June 1852, Sally Maryetta (1170), b. 5 Jan. 1820, d. 21 Mar. 1893, dau. of Simeon (512) and Hannah (Squire) Bushnell. No children.

559. iii. Frederick William Kelsey, b. 28 Feb. 1817, m. Feb. 1841, Mary Ann Robinson; Children, 9: i. William Kelsey; ii. Hanley Kelsey; iii. Anna Kelsey; iv. Clarissa Kelsey; who d.y; v. Clarissa Kelsey; vi. Rebecca Kelsey; vii. Georgiana
Kelsey; viii. Joseph Kelsey; ix. Susanna Kelsey;
  559. iv. Louise Kelsey, b. 2 Aug. 1819, d. 15 Feb. 1877, m. 1 Jan. 1839, John
  Robinson; Children, 7: 1, Daniel Robinson; ii. Belinda Robinson; iii. Rowland Robinson; iv.
  John Robinson; v. Charles Robinson; vi. Gertrude Robinson; vii. Joseph Robinson,
  1843, Diantha Marion Lawton. Children, 5: i. Helen Kelsey, b. 7 June 1848, d. 22 Nov. 1939 at
  Theresa, N.Y. m. Byron Call who d. 1916; ii. Ansel Kelsey; iii. Harrison Kelsey; iv. Harriet
  Kelsey; v. Esther Kelsey,
  559. vi. Merritt Kelsey, b. 4 Apr. 1823, d. Antwerp, 20 Apr. 1908/9, m. 12
  Mar. 1856, Mary Weston, b. 24 Oct. 182?, d. Leroy, N.Y. dau. of Lawrence and Jane
  1860, d. 2 Dec. 1913, m. Effie Bears, children, 1, i. Carl W. Kelsey; iv. DeLancey Merritt Kelsey,
  b. 20 Sept. 1861, m. 1st, Clara C. Bacon, m. 2nd, her sister, Celestia L. Bacon, dau. of Hiram H.
  and Celestina (Farnum) Bacon.
  559. vii. Rhoda Ann Kelsey, b. 16 Aug. 1824, d. 31 Dec. 1842, m. 7 Feb. 1840,
  John Spalisbury, Children, 1. i. Rhoda Spalisbury,
  559. viii. Rebecca Kelsey, b. 14 Feb. 1826, d. 28 Feb. 1842,
  559. ix. Alida Kelsey, b. 7 June 1827, d. 16 Feb. 1910, m. 12 Sept. 1849,
  Charles Weston. Children, 3: i. George Weston; ii. Rebecca Jones Weston; iii. Julia Weston,
  559. x. Sarah Stillman Kelsey, b. 17 Apr. 1829, d. 26 Mar. 1891, m. 27 Apr.
  Etta May Flint; vi. Caroline Flint.
  1916, m. Antwerp, N.Y. 1 Jan. 1861, John Manning Tilden, b. Randolph of Williamstown, Vt. 8
  Aug. 1837, d. 2 Sept. 1910, son of John King and Fidelia (Smith) Tilden. Children, 5: i. John
  Manning Tilden, b. 7 Jun. 1863, d. same day; ii. Harriet Adelia Tilden, (FR), b. 19 Sept. 1865, d.
  26 June 1944, m. 8 Sept. 1891, Nelson Denney, resided Watertown, N.Y; iii. Fanny Louise
  Tilden, b. 28 Aug. 1869, m. 26 Sept. 1897, William Nelson Smith; iv. Flora Adelaide Tilden, b. 2
  Jan. 1872, m. 16 Sept. 1896, John Parker Martin; v. John Manning Tilden, b. 30 Aug. 1874, d. 23
  Mar. 1876,
  559. xii. Charles E. Clark Kelsey, b. 20 June 1833, d. Brockville, Canada, m.
  1st, 22 Feb. 1859, Sarah Cook, m. 2nd, Priscilla Mallory. Children, 3: i. Caroline Kelsey; ii. Ruby
  Kelsey; and by 2nd wife, iii. James Kelsey.
  560. ii. Rhoda, bapt. Westbrook, 13 Mar. 1791,
  561. iii. Elcey, b. Westbrook, 27 Nov. 1794, bapt, 13 Mar. 1795, m. abt. 1836, Joseph
  De Pauville, N.Y. abt. 1874. Children, 5, (R-12):
  561. i. James Griswold, m. Adeline Sperry, Children, 3: i. Josephine
  Griswold, m. Winfield Parker, resided Cape Vincent, N.Y; ii. Julia Griswold, m. Charles
  Knapp; iii. Elsie Griswold, m. James E. Gilmore, resided Watertown, N.Y. 1940.

561. iii. Maria Griswold, m. Leonard Frye, who d. when his sons were young; m. 2nd, Louis M. Stevens, a widower with 2 daus. by previous marriage, i. Josephine Stevens; ii. Jennie Stevens. Children, 2, all by 1st m: i. Lucius Frye, m. Harriet Young, lived Clayton, N.Y; ii. Elmer Frye, d. while a young man.


561. v. Abigail Griswold, d. unm. in early teens.

562. iv. Bishop, b. abt. 1797, d. 6 Apr. 1806.

*281. Titus, b. Saybrook, Conn. 19 June 1763, d. Georgia, Vt. 20 Oct. 1851, m. abt. 1800, Hannah Post, b. 4 Mar. 1774, or 6, d. of blood poison from a wound in foot, 29 July 1855, dau. of William and Keziah (Jones) Post.

Titus Bushnell removed to Georgia, Vt. abt. 1787, where he was one of the first settlers. On 10 Apr. 1788 he bought a farm of 120 acres which remained in the possession of the family down to the present time. He was chosen Constable at the first meeting for the election or town officers and later held many town offices. In 1791 he was 4th Sergt. of the 7th Brigade of Vermont Militia, and in 1800 was active in the building of the Union Children's School and Town House (R-12).

Children, 7, (R-12):

563. i. Electa, b. 19 Dec. 1794, d. 27 Oct. 1881, m. Silas Root of Burlington, Vt. who d. abt. 1868. They had no children, and after his death she lived with her brother Joseph in Georgia, Vt. until her death.

564. ii. Abiger, b. 6 July 1797, was prob. unm. On 8 Mar. 1843, he wrote that he had just returned from a trip to the West Indies, and was about to start for Boston, and thence to New York, to start on an ocean voyage. It is thought he was lost at sea.

565. iii. William, b. abt. 1799, d. 1887, ae. 88, was unm. and always lived with his sister Laura Bushnell Wightman in Georgia, Vt. He was a fisherman, trapper and herb gatherer and also drummer in the town militia.

566. iv. Keziah Jenette, b. 8 Oct. 1803, d. 12 May 1891, m. 18 Mar. 1827, Lyman Loomis, b. 21 Sept. 1802, d. 12 Apr. 1833, son of Roswell Loomis. He was a farmer.

Children, 3, (R-44):
Sixth Generation.

566. i. Luthera Jennett Loomis, b. 12 June 1828, d. 30 Apr. 1830,
      ii. George Bushnell Loomis, b. 4 Nov. 1830, d. 4 Dec. 1888, unm,
      iii. Charles (Dexter) Loomis, b. New York, adopted and name changed from
      Dexter to Loomis. He was a painter, m. 3 times. Children, 3: i. Charles Loomis; ii. Visinis
      Loomis; iii. Cora Loomis.

567. v. Joseph, b. abt. 1805, d. 4 Jun. 1888, unm. Was a farmer and held many
town offices.

568. vi. Laura, b. 19 June 1813, d. 10 Jan. 1902, m. 20 May 1841, Moses Wightman,
b. 11 Aug. 1811, d. 24 Oct. 1890. Was a farmer in Georgia, Vt. town representative for many
years, and Asst. Judge in the County Court.

Children, 3:

568. i. Jenette Wightman, b. 30 Jan. 1843, d. 22 June 1917, m. 2 Nov. 1862,
      Dec. 1863, m. Maggie McLaughlin, resided Wheatley, Wyo; ii. Mortimer Loomis, b. 28 May
      1866, m. 14 Dec. 1892, Luella Chase, b. 3 Jan. 1868; iii. William Lowry Loomis, b. 3 Jan. 1868, m.
      27 Oct. 1880, Mary Phillips of Manderville, La. b. 1855.

568. ii. Laura Wightman, b. 3 June 1845, d. 10 Jan. 1924, m. 2 Mar. 1870,
      25 Apr. 1909, m. 20 June 1894, Ira Perry, b. 4 Feb. 1872.

568. iii. Titus Y. Wightman, b. 4 Sept. 1851, d. 9 May 1925, m. 28 Dec. 1871,
      Emma J. Kempton, who d. 5 Nov. 1912, no children.


      1824, m. Jan. 1786, Patience (444), b. Saybrook 4 Nov. 1754, d. there 19 Mar. 1830, dau. of Ira
      (213) and Patience (120) (Bushnell) Bushnell.

Joseph Bushnell and his wife were members of the 1st church at Saybrook, but on 16
Mar. 1792 they became members of the 3rd church at Westbrook. The 1790 census records his
family as 1 male over 16, 1 male under 16, and 2 females, and Ira Bushnell in his Memo,
written in 1791, speaks of his dau. Patience, who m. Joseph Bushnell and names their three
children, who were probably born in Saybrook, their youngest child being probably born in
Westbrook. In the dist. of his est. in 1825, there is mentioned wife Patience, daus. Cynthia and
Jenet Wilcox; dist. of wife's est. 1833 mentions Cynthia and heirs of Jennet Wilcox. He, his
wife, and son Titus were bur. in the old cemetery at Westbrook.

Children, 4:

570. i. Cynthia, b. 10 July, bapt. 3 Nov. 1786, d. 26 Apr. 1859, m. 17 Sept. 1809,
      Amos Todd Wilcox, b. E. Guilford, Conn. 5 Aug. 1779, d. 26 Apr. 1859, son of Jonathan and
      Elizabeth (Todd) Wilcox.

Children, 6:

570. i. Joseph Bushnell Wilcox, b. abt. 1810, m. Mary Watrous.

570. ii. Horace Titus Wilcox, b. abt. 1811, m. 9 Sept. 1839, Harriet D.
      Pierson of Westbrook, Conn.
Sixth Generation.

570. iii. Cynthia Ann Wilcox, b. abt. 1813, m. Abner H. Dowd.
570. iv. Mary Wilcox, b. abt. 1815, m. William Henry Lay.
570. v. Austin A. Wilcox, b. abt. 1817, m. 1st, Elmira Russell, m. 2nd,

Amelia Johnson.

584. i. Titus, b. 19 Mar. bapt. 8 June 1788, d. 15 Dec. 1803.

Children, 7:
572. i. William Titus Wilcox, b. abt. 1809, m. 7 Mar. 1832, Minerva Gaylord.
572. ii. Henry Truman Wilcox, b. abt. 1811, m. Elizabeth Scovill.
572. iii. Emily Prentice Wilcox, b. abt. 1813, m. 1st, John Wilmart, m. 2nd ( )

Gaylord.
572. v. Curtis Nash Wilcox, b. abt. 1817, m. Eliza A. Brainard.
572. vi. Benjamin Bushnell Wilcox, b. 28 Sept. 1819, m. 29 May 1842, Eliza A. Brainard, dau. of Russell and Abigail (Ames) Brainard, b. 10 Apr. 1824, Children, 5, all b. Meriden, Conn: i. Louisa Wilcox, b. 1843; ii. James Wilcox, b. 1846; iii. Curtis Wilcox, b. 1848; iv. Samuel Wilcox, b. 1851; v. Ames Brainard Wilcox, b. 10 Apr. 1824, m. and had 4 children, resided Brooklyn, N.Y.
572. vii. George Frederick Wilcox, b. abt. 1821, resided Calif. unm.


*287. Reuben, b. Westbrook, Conn. 2 May, bapt, 20 June 1773, d. there 8 Mar. 1858 (R-27), m. 10 Apr. 1794, Elizabeth (Betsey) Chapman (R-30), b. 5 May 1776, d. 12 Sept. 1866, dau. of William and Lydia (Ingham) Chapman (R-3).

Deacon Reuben Bushnell left Saybrook abt. 1800 and Settled in Durham, N.Y. an a farm next to that of his brother Stephen, who resided on what is now known as the Blair Farm. Abt. 1814 he removed to Sullivan, Madison co. N.Y. where he was one of the original members of the 1st Church of Christ, organized 21 May 1814. On 15 Dec. 1814 he was made a Deacon and on 2 Jan. 1817, and again on 27 Apr. 1825, he was chosen Moderator (R-45a). It is thought he returned to Westbrook about 1836 where he continued to reside until his death.

Children, 10, (R-45):
574. i. Elizabeth, b. 17 Nov. 1795, d. 19 Mar. 1839, m. 27 Jan. 1825, Arunah Gilmore, b. 19 Nov. 1795, d. 20 Aug. 1853.

Children, 3:
574. ii. Hiram Gilmore, b. 29 May 1828, d. 10 Jan. 1906, m. in Wisconsin.
574. iii. Alta Gilmore, b. 25 Sept. 1833, d. 10 Mar. 1856, unm.
575*. ii. Ezra T. b. 4 July 1800,
576. iii. Sylvia, b. 31 Oct. 1802, d. 28 Mar. 1883, m. Lockport, N.Y. 13 Feb. 1822,
Ephriam Tuttle, b. 5 June 1799, d. 2 Jan. 1867, son of Charles and Sarah (Bliss) Tuttle, they lived at Oneida Lake and Chittenango, N.Y.
Children, 4: all b. Sullivan, (R-46):
576. i. Reuben Bushnell Tuttle, b. 18 Dec. 1823, m. Armenia (1193), dau. of Zina (520) and Therina (Langdon) Bushnell.
576. iii. Charles Tuttle, b. 30 Dec. 1829, d. 25 Feb. 1831.
578. v. Emily Ann, b. 24 Nov. 1807, m. 1st, 29 Jan. 1828, William H. Munger, m. 2nd ( ) Damon, they resided Vernon, N.Y.
Children, 7, (R-12):
578. i. James F. Munger, b. 18 May 1830, d. at sea, 28 July 1852.
578. ii. William H. Munger, b. 10 Apr. 1833, d. 18 Nov. 1908.
578. iii. Don Alonzo Munger, b. 14 Sept. 1835.
578. iv. George Byron Munger, b. 8 Apr. 1838, d. 18 Sept. 1908.
578. v. Edwin Munson Munger, b. 25 Dec. 1840, lived Syracuse, N.Y.
578. vi. H. Gardner Munger, b. 23 Nov. 1842
578. vii. Dr. Edward Munger, b. 31 Mar. 1845, d. 31 Dec. 1905.
580*. vii. Frederick Newton, b. 25 Aug. 1813 (R-45a).
581*. viii. Benjamin Franklin, b. 17 May 1816.
582*. ix. Addison, b. 26 Mar. 1818,
583. x. Caroline M. b. 22 Feb. 1821, d. 17 Aug. 1878, m. 13 Mar. 1842, Dr. Lyman H. Wilson, who d. 1 Sept. 1902.
Children, 3, (R-12):
583. i. Julia C. Wilson, b. 16 Nov. 1843, d. 3 July 1863,
583. ii. H. Gertrude Wilson, b. 9 Jan. 1846, m. ( ) Rugg,

*290. Stephen, b. Westbrook, Conn. abt. 1779, bapt. there 16 May 1779, d. Lisbon, Ills. 5 Sept. 1867, ae. 88, m. 20 Oct. 1803, Vincie Tuttle, b. abt. 1784, d. abt. 1854, ae. 70, dau. of Joel and Rebecca (Bierce) Tuttle (R-46). Both were buried in Lisbon.

Stephen Bushnell removed from Westbrook to what is known as the Blair Farm in Durham, N.Y. before 1806 and here his first six children were born. About 1814 he removed to Sullivan, N.Y. where his other children were born and where he and his wife were members of the 1st Cong Church, she being bapt. 2 June 1816. After 1837 they removed to Lakeport, N.Y. where he was a shoemaker and after 1837 they removed to Lisbon, Ills. where he followed farming the rest of his life. Joel Tuttle, his wife's father, was a Rev. War Pensioner during his latter years.

Children, 10, (R-1-2):

584*. i. Harlow, b. 21 Sept. 1804,


Children, 1:

585. i. Payson Chapman, b. 14 Dec. 1837.

586*. iii. Julius, b. 21 Feb. 1808.


588*. v. George, b. 17 Apr. 1812.

589*. vi. David, b. 17 June 1814.


591*. viii. Lyman, b. 17 Aug. 1819.

592. ix. Alexander, b. 20 May 1822, d. 7 Mar. 1894, m. Morris, Ills. 30 Apr. 1850, Fanny Lyon, b. Herman, N.Y. 9 Oct. 1830, dau. of Vernon and Maria (Taylor) Lyon. He was a farmer and had no children. She resided Chicago, Ills. in 1909.


Rev. Calvin Bushnell, graduate of Williams College 1808, tutor 1809-11, studied theology with Rev. Daniel Porter of Catskill, N.Y. and in 1811 accepted the call of the Presbyterian Church at Vernon, N.Y. organized 22 Mar. 1805, but without a pastor. He divided his time between Vernon and Vernon Center and was ordained by the Oneida Presbytery in 1812, and in 1815 the first church building was completed and occupied. In 1829 he resigned his
pastorate on account of his health and removed to a farm near New Hartford, N.Y. from which he emigrated in 1836 with several of his neighbors to Lisbon, Ills. and here he furnished the clerical duties for the infant colony. An inscribed tablet has been placed in the vestibule of the present church and a memorial window installed in commemoration of his services as their first pastor at Vernon, N.Y.

Children, 10, (R-47):

594. i. Sarah Dana, b. 6 Oct. 1813.
595. ii. Calvin Williams, b. 24 Mar. 1815, m. abt. 1890, Emma Gilmore. No children. He was a farmer, a man of means, and somewhat eccentric. It is said he had quite a following of maids and widows. Was aged about 75 when he married, and is said to have lived happily for several years after.
596. iii. Ann Townsend, b. 4 Sept. 1817, d. 20 Apr. 1879, m. 8 Aug. 1839, William McEwen, b. 2 July 1814, d. 1 Oct. 1885, son of Zenus and Mary McEwen. Children, 3:

596. i. Ann M. McEwen, b. 10 May 1842.
596. ii. Helen McEwen, b. 28 Jan. 1848.
596. iii. Dwight W. McEwen, b. 15 Sept. 1851.
597. iv. Elizabeth, b. 18 Nov. 1819, m. 14 June 1841, Andrew J. Foord, b. 1 Apr. 1815, son of Jonathan and Eunice (King) Foord. He was a farmer and a merchant. Children, 5:

597. i. Elizabeth Foord, b. 10 Sept. 1842.
597. ii. Sophia Foord, b. 9 July 1845.
597. iii. Eunice Foord, b. 14 Aug. 1856.
597. iv. Mary Olivia Foord, b. 2 Oct. 1859.
597. v. Theodore C. Foord, b. 7 Jan. 1866. He was a banker in Frederick, S. D. until his health failed when he bought a creamery business and did well.
598. v. Charlotte, b. 31 Aug. 1821, m. 23 Apr. 1847, Miles Hills, b. Goshen, Conn. 20 Mar. 1819, son of Levi and Huldah (Loomis) Hills. He was a capitalist. Children, 5:

598. i. Harriet A. Hills, b. 25 July 1848.
598. ii. William H. Hills, b. 28 July 1851, d. 11 Aug. 1851.
598. iii. Loomis H. Hills, b. 4 Mar. 1855, d. 10 Mar. 1856.
598. v. Frederick W. Hills, b. 21 Feb. 1861, d. 9 Aug. 1862.
599. vi. Harriet, b. 29 July 1823, m. 11 July 1851, Aaron Sears, b. 18 Sept. 1812, son of Samuel and Martha Sears of Lisbon, Ills. He was a lumber dealer in Morris, Ills. Children, 2:

599. i. Charlotte Sears, b. 16 Sept. 1853, d. Mar. 1856.
599. ii. Benjamin C. Sears, b. 11 May 1855.
600*. vii. John Williams, b. 18 Mar. 1825.
**293.** Elirda, b. Westbrook, Conn. 26 May, bapt. 22 July 1787, (R-27), d. perhaps in Sullivan, N.Y. 2 Jan. 1846, m. Anna Demons, b. 2 Sept. 1799, d. probably in Sullivan, N.Y. 5 Aug. 1826 (R-45a), m. 2nd, Polly ( ), b. 31 Mar. 1791. On 5 Oct. 1832, he joined the 1st. Church in Sullivan by letter from the 3rd Church at Lenox, N.Y.

Children, 5, (R-48):

- 604. i. Elirda, b. 2 Nov. 1816, d. 5 Jan. 1839.
- 605. ii. Julian, b. 18 June 1818, d. 17 Mar. 1819.
- 607*. iv. Clark Ephriam, b. 18 June 1826.
- 608. v. Matilda, b. 27 Dec. 1828.

**297.** Zina, b. Saybrook, Conn. 25 Aug. bapt. 20 Oct. 1781, d. Newark Valley, N.Y. 23 May 1862, m. 22 July 1806, Flora Hill (R-27), b. 27 May 1787, d. Silver Lake, Pa. 27 Feb. 1838 (R-49), m. 2nd, Newark Valley, 10 Apr. 1842, Frances Belcher, b. 18 Dec. 1790, d. 12 Dec. 1856, dau. of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Bement) Belcher (Ref. State Registrar of D.A.R.). It is also asserted that the name of his 2nd wife was Frances Bement, a sister of Deacon Bement of Newark Valley.

Zina Bushnell, m. in Saybrook, and probably settled first at Westbrook, Conn. where their first four children were bapt. Both he and his wife are of record as members of the 3rd church there in 1812. Later they removed to Silver Lake, near Montrose, Pa. and in 1848 to Newark Valley, N.Y.

Children, 6, (R-12-50):

- 611. iii. Lydia Hill, b. 19 Mar. 1812, d. 11 July 1885, m. 3 June 1837, John Clarke.

Children, 4:

- 611. i. Flora Ann Clarke, b. 15 Mar. 1838, m. 24 Dec. 1860, Hiram S. Young.
- 611. ii. Mary Clarke, b. 10 Sept. 1841, d. 2 Sept. 1842.
- 611. iii. Elizabeth (Lydia) Clarke, b. 31 Mar. 1845, d. 17 Jan. 1888, unm.
- 611. iv. Mary Francis Clarke, b. 1 Oct. 1849, m. 1 Oct. 1868, George Dickson, no children.


Ebenezer Bushnell lived and died in Westbrook, and both he and his wife were buried there. The dist. of his est. dated 1853, mentions sons Henry S., Richard, James and Erastus E. and dau's. Lucinda Tucker and Emeline E. Bushnell.
Children, 8:

615*. i. Henry Samuel, b. 28 Aug. 1809.

616*. ii. Richard, b. 6 Nov. 1812.

617. iii. Lucinda Amelia, b. 16 June 1815, bapt. 23 June 1822, d. 25 Mar. 1863, m. 10
Nov. 1835, James Tucker.


619. v. unnamed infant, b. 15 June 1823.

620*. vi. Erastus Ebenezer, b. 30 Apr. 1825.


1854, William Burghardt Wright (R-52). No children.

*300. Jabez, b. Westbrook, Conn. bapt. there 21 Nov. 1790, d. there 17 Sept. 1867 m. 1st,
Westbrook, 24 Jan. 1810, Hannah Jones, b. Westbrook, abt. 1790, d. there, 19 June 1825 (R-27),
m. 2nd Jan. 1827, Hannah Southworth of Deep River, Conn. b. Nov. 1797, d. 20 Aug. 1881.

Jabez Bushnell resided at Westbrook, Conn. where 4 May 1817 both he and his wife
were members of the 3rd. Church, but later they removed to Centerbrook, Conn. where he and
his last wife were buried. His first wife was buried in Westbrook.

Children, 7, (R-12):

623. i. Abigail, b. Sept. 1810, d. 31 Mar. 1811.

624. ii. Abigail Burn, b. 24 Jan. 1815, bapt. 4 May 1817, d. 15 Sept. 1890, m.
Richard (1080), son of Samuel (477) and Hannah (Pelton) Bushnell.

625. iii. Sarah Lucina, b. 10 June, bapt. 20 Sept. 1820, d. 19 Apr. 1893, m. 26 Oct.
1849, David Merwin Stevens, b. 13 Apr. 1822.

Children, 3:

625. i. Isabelle Etta Stevens, b. Winthrop, Conn. 26 Nov. 1852.

625. ii. Clayton Sinclon Stevens, b. 27 May 1859, m. 17 Jul. 1895, Emily S.
White, b. New Britain, Conn. 1 Mar. 1872. Children, 3: i. Frederick Clayton Stevens, b. 1 July
1896; ii. Gladys May Stevens, b. 9 June 1898; iii. Harold St. Claire Stevens, b. 6 Sept. 1901.

625. iii. David Edward Stevens, b. 26 Sept. 1862.

626. iv. Elizabeth Beulah, b. 18 July, bapt. 12 Oct. 1823, d. 16 Aug. 1878, m. 31
Aug. 1845, Alvah Chapman Gladwin of Saybrook, Conn.

Children, 1:

626. i. Chapman Gladwin, m. Mrs. Grace ( ) of Guilford, Conn. Children, 2; i. Russell Gladwin; ii. Grace Gladwin.

627. v. Harriet Eleanor (FR), b. 16 Nov. 1829, m. 11 June 1850, Richard Nott Pratt,
b. 15 Apr. 1827, d. 29 Mar. 1886.

Children, 2:

627. i. Iva Eleanor Pratt, b. 25 July 1853, unm. 1909.

627. ii. William Erastus Pratt, b. 13 Oct. 1855, m. 20 July 1893, Mary A.

Champion of Essex, Conn. No children.


629*. vii. Judson Cecil, b. 10 June 1836.
Josiah, b. Hebron, Conn. 10 Mar. bapt. there 1 Apr. 1757 (R-53), d. Vernon, N.Y. bef. 1807, m. Tyringham, Mass. 26 Nov. 1778, Ann Young, b. abt. 1751, d. Pavilion, N.Y. 17 Jan. 1844, and bur. on the farm of her son.

Josiah Bushnell probably came to Tyringham, Mass. abt. 1760 with his father, and while both apparently served in the Rev. War, their records are difficult to distinguish. It seems certain however that the son, called of Stockbridge, enlisted as a private the 8th and was discharged the 26th of July 1777, in Capt. Job Worthington's Co. Col. Brown's Berkshire Regt. which marched from Stockbridge upon the evacuation of Ticonderoga (R-14). He m. in 1778 and in 1783 sold land in Tyringham to Samuel Tillotson, and on 11 Aug. 1787 was called of Great Barrington, Mass. when he sold land to Phineas Graves. On 13 June 1791 he sold a farm of 50 acres his father had purchased in 1760, to Samuel Wheelock (R-57), and about 1793/4 removed to a 40 acre tract in the N.W. corner of Bleeker's south Patent in or near what is now the town of Vernon, N.Y. and where he was the first white settler. This tract had been sold to defray the expense of surveying the balance, and it was long before the rest of the tract was sold. He is also said to have lived on Turkey St. in Vernon. At this time he had 1 son and 3 daus. (R-56-58). In 1796 his youngest dau. Fischa, aged about 6 or 8 years, d. very suddenly before any other white settler had located in the town. The first marriage in the town was that of his dau. Amy to Aaron Davis, but the time is not known, probably before 1798 (R-56). It is probable that Josiah d. about the time that his son Josiah Steadman Bushnell removed to Genesee Co. N.Y. perhaps taking his widowed mother with him.

Children, 5, (R-54):

630. i. unnamed son, b. Nov. 1780, d. 20 Jan. 1781.
631*. ii. Josiah Steadman, b. 7 or 9 Aug. 1782.
632. iii. Amy, m. before 1798, Aaron Davis.
634. v. Fischa, bapt. Stockbridge, Mass. 8 Apr. 1792 (R-55), d. Vernon, N.Y. 2 Jan. 1796, ae. 6 or 8 years. She was the first white child to die in the county and was bur. on the farm later owned by Judge Dean in Westmoreland, N.Y. (R-56).

Abner, b. Saybrook, Conn. 22 July, bapt. 1 Sept. 1776 (R-27), d. Hartland, Conn. 7 Oct. 1823, (R-59), m. 1st, Penelope Holcomb, b. abt. 1774, d. Hartland, Conn. 23 Dec. 1811, bur. Hartland, m. 2nd Anna Parsons, b. 25 Apr. 1782, d. 17 May 1855, bur. Sandisfield, Mass. dau. of Hezekiah and Anna (Webster) Parsons.

Abner Bushnell probably married in Hartland, Conn. where all of his children were born. He was buried by the side of his wife in Hartland Cemetery. This cemetery was abandoned in 1937, and all graves vacated. Anna Parsons was the dau. of Hezekiah and Anna (Webster) Parsons and was bapt. 25 Aug. 1782, and is said to have married Abner Bushnell of Sandisfield. We do not know that Abner above was in Sandisfield, but it seems significant that Anna Bushnell sold to his brother Asa on 25 Nov. 1823, a month and one half after Abner's death, her dower in her late husband's estate, although the name did not appear, as far as
we know, in the Deed (R-61). Her will dated 18 Feb. 1851, prob. 3 July 1855, did not mention the Bushnell name (R-62).

Children, 6, all by 1st marriage, (R-59):
   635. i. Rachel, bapt. 31 May 1801, d. 27 Aug. 1844, m. Hartland, Conn. James
   (648) (R-6), son of Amasa (312) and Prudence (Holcomb) Bushnell.
   639*. v. Abner, b. 29 Nov. 1811.
   640. vi. Penelope, b. 29 Nov. 1811, bapt. 31 Dec. 1811, went south with her brother Abner, but did not live with him, and it is not known where she settled. It is thought she remained single.

*310. Asa, b. perhaps in Hartland, Conn. abt. 1778, d. there 25 July 1858, ae. 80, m. 1st, Hartland, Huldah (), b. abt. 1773/5, d. there 19 May 1841, ae. 66 or 68 (R-59), m. 2nd, Hartland, 6 May 1850, Phebe Sweet of Otis, Mass. b. abt. 1790, d. Hartland, 30 Dec. 1856 ae. 66 (R-60).

Rev: Asa Bushnell was a Methodist Minister in Hartland, Conn.

Children, 5, all b. Hartland, (R-12):
   641*. i. William Clement, b. abt. 1800,
   642.  ii. Amoret, b. 6 Feb. 1804, d. Barkhampstead, Conn. 26 Oct. 1881, m. 42 Jan. 1841, Benjamin Giddings, b. Hartland, 12 Jan. 1801, d. there 20 Feb. 1874. He was a Methodist Minister and farmer.

Children, 9:
   642. i. Fidelia H. Giddings, b. 19 May 1824, d. abt. 1899, m. Nov. 1842, Henry J. Gates, son of John and Deborah (681) (Bushnell) Gates. He was a blacksmith and farmer. Children, 4: i. Henry Moody Gates, b. 1843, d. 1927; ii. Mary F. Gates, b. 1847, d. 4 Nov. 1880; iii. Walter Gates, b. 1851, d. 188( ), m. Addie Smith; iv. William W. Gates, b. 1859, d. 1887, unm.
   642. iii. Milo J. Giddings, b. 2 Apr. 1827, d. abt. 1887, m. Oklahoma City, Okla. 4 July 1849, Eugenia P. Miller, he was a merchant and farmer. Children, 1: dau. Giddings, d.y.
   642. iv. Watson M. Giddings, b. 2 Apr. 1827, d. Bristol, Conn. abt. 1904, m. 6 Jan. 1853, Adeliza Case, dau. of Owen and Laura (Munson) Case. He was a blacksmith.

Children, 4: i. Alice E. Giddings, b. 8 July 1854, d. abt. 1920, m. 22 Dec. 1875, Edward B. Dunbar; ii. Mary Giddings, b. 6 Apr. 1856, d. abt. 1904, m. 1877, Samuel D. Newell; iii. Frederick Watson Giddings, b. 29 Mar. 1860, m. Cora M. Hart; iv. Charles Giddings, b. 1862, d. abt. 1882.
   642. v. Almira Giddings, b. 30 Nov. 1831, d. W. Granby, Conn. 10 Jan. 1911, m. 27 Sept. 1858, Matthew Hoyt Hayes, b. Barkhampstead, Conn. 15 June 1831, d. there 10 Apr. 1905, son of Timothy and Sally (Humphrey) Hayes. He was a farmer. Children, 5: i. Stella Eliza Hayes, b. 2 Oct. 1860, d. May 1916, m. 1896, Henry Hall Keyes; ii. Mary K. Hayes, b. 24 Apr. 1863, m. 18 May 1909, Samuel David Newell; iii. Ida Almira Hayes (FR), b. 21 Oct. 1865, d. unm; iv. Maud Hayes, b. 18 Feb. 1872, d. unm; v. Eva Hayes, b. May 1877, d.y.
642. vi. Mary F. Giddings, b. 5 Oct. 1833, d. New Haven, Conn. 10 Apr. 1871, m. 8 Feb. 1855, Nelson Sanford, son of Daniel and ( ) (Burnham) Sanford, he was a loan broker. Children, 4: i. Edward Sanford, b. 19 Jan. 1856, d. abt. 1910, m. Alice E. Jones; ii. Charles G. Sanford, b. 2 Nov. 1860, d. abt. 189( ), unm; iii. Mary E. Sanford, b. Sept. 1867, d. abt. 189( ), unm; iv. Belle Sanford, b. 1870, d. unm.

642. vii. Eliza Giddings, b. 14 Apr. 1836, d. Albia, Ia. abt. 1877, m. 3 July 1860, Cyrus Cook, b. Lexington, Ohio, d. Colorado Springs, Colo. abt. 1920. He was a broker. Children, 1; i. Anna A. Cook, b. 30 Jan. 1865, m. ( ) Sears; other children d.y.

642. viii. Almena Giddings, b. 14 Apr. 1838, d. Ashby, Mass. m. 23 July 1878, Ralph H. Parks, b. & d. Preston, Conn. No children.


Amasa Bushnell removed from Hartland or Granby, Conn. abt. 1794, to Litchfield, N.Y. and by the 1810 census had a family of 6 males and 2 females. In 1812 he is listed as a member of the Litchfield Presbytery, and in 1825 he purchased a farm abt. 4 miles north of the present village of Napoli, N.Y. later known as Bushnell Hollow. He was a Postmaster and had a store in company with his son Amasa, Jr. and also did carpenter work. Children, 10, (R-12):

646. i. Betsey, b. 23 Apr. 1794, d. 12 Aug. 1796.
647. ii. Nancy, b. 16 May 1795, d. 17 Aug. 1796.
648*. iii. James, b. 13 Nov. 1796.
649* iv. Josiah, b. 22 May 1799.
650* v. Amasa, b. 29 Oct. 1800.
651. vi. Prudence, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 19 May 1803, d. 2 Oct. 1881, m. 26 Jan. 1823, Normandus (or Nordamus) Nelson. They removed to Busti, N.Y. soon after they were married where she died.
Children, 7, (R-12):

651.  i.  Normandus Nelson, b. 26 Mar. 1824, d. Apr. or May 1910, m. abt. 1852, Orilla Aiken and resided in Busti. Children, 2: i. Cornelia S. Nelson, b. 27 Feb. 1853, m. 5 Nov. 1873, John T. Irvin, no children; ii. Jennie E. Nelson, b. 27 Jan. 1861, d. abt. 1890, m. 11 Nov. 1889, Samuel Gourley, children, 1; a son Gourley, d.y.


651.  iii.  Sophia Nelson, b. 26 Jan. 1829, d. abt. 1862, m. 2 May 1849, Edwin Babcock. No children. They removed to California and after her sister Wealthy died, started east with her sister's child on the ship Golden Gate, which was destroyed by fire at sea and all on board were lost.

651.  iv.  Wealthy A. Nelson, b. 11 Aug. 1830, d. 25 Oct. 1861, m. 15 Jan. 1860, Oscar Babcock. She taught school for several years and in 1857 went to California, where she continued to teach. She was an artist and writer of some note. Children, 1: i. Wealthy A. Babcock, who was drowned in 1861/2 when the ship Golden Gate burned at sea with the loss of all on board, including her Aunt Sophia Babcock who was bringing her east.


651.  vii.  Clark Nelson, b. 31 Aug. 1841, d. in infancy.

652*.  vii.  Ashbel, b. 30 July 1805,

653*.  viii.  Chauncey Smith, b. 4 Sept. 1808,


Children, 1:

654.  i.  Charles G. Thatcher, b. 16 June 1832, m. ( ), children 1: i. Cora Thatcher, m. ( ) Graham.


*314.  Daniel, b. Hartland or Granby, Conn. abt. 1768, bapt. there 17 July 1774, d. Litchfield, N.Y. 28 Feb. 1808, ae. 40, m. ( ) Anna ( ), b. abt. 1780, d. 15 Apr. 1812. The 1810 census shows a family of 1 male and 1 female under 10, 1 male over 10, and 1 female between 26 and 45, evidently his widow and her children, also a male and 1 female over 45, probably his father and mother.
Bushnell Gene.

Sixth Generation.


Norman Bushnell removed to Litchfield with his father in 1794 and in 1806 went to West Bloomfield, N.Y. and in 1816 to Genesco, N.Y. thence in 1829 to Cattaraugus, N.Y. returning in 1847 to W. Bloomfield where he died the next year (R-12). He was a tanner while in Litchfield.

Children, 5, (R-12):

656*. i. James, b. 15 May 1799.
657*. ii. John, b. 15 May 1799.
658. iii. Eunice P. b. 11 July 1801, d. West Bloomfield, N.Y. Mar. or Apr. 1867, m. 28 Mar. 1821, Frederick Bennett Hill, b. Woodbury, Conn. 21 Apr. 1799, d. Canada, 2 Sept. 1846, son of Jonathan and Sarah (Judson) Hill. No children.
659*. iv. Harvey, b. 1 Aug. 1803.

*316. Truman, b. Hartland, Conn. 21 June 1773, bapt. there 17 July 1774, d. Chardon, Ohio, 6 Feb. 1831, m. Hepsibah Bond, b. 1771, d. Chardon, 1854, dau. of Joseph and Deborah Bond.

Truman Bushnell, b. Hartland, Conn. 1773, removed with his father to Litchfield, N.Y. abt. 1794 and probably m. in Litchfield 1798. In 1805 he is recorded as a Pathmaster and in 1808 he received land from his father. The 1810 census shows that he had then 3 males and 3 females under 10 years, 1 male 10 to 16, and 1 male and 2 females 26 to 45. In 1812 he made a donation to the Litchfield Presbyterian Church and perhaps also to the Jerusalem Hill church and in 1817 purchased 30 acres of land in Hamden Twp, Ohio, moving there about this time, for in 1818 when Joseph Clough and Eunice, his wife, came to Chardon they went as far as Truman Bushnell's and the next day to a farm later owned by Ambrose Clough. In 1821 he sold his property in Litchfield and in 1822 bought 112 acres of Joseph and Deborah Bond. He died in Chardon.

Children, 13, (R-12):

661*. i. Elijah, b. 10 Jan. 1798.

Children, 5, (R-12):

662. iii. Lovina Margaret Robinson, b. 13 Sept. 1820, d. 10 Nov. 1869, m. 27 Mar. 1856, Louis Ranch, no children.


663. iii. unknown.

664. iv. unknown.

665. v. unknown.

666. vi. Meranda, m. Gregory Jackson,


668. viii. Orville.

669*. ix. William, b. 4 May 1812,


671. xi. Estella, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 22 Feb. 1818, d. Portland, Ore. 15 Jan. 1902, m. Wood Co. Ohio, 22 Sept. 1844, Joseph Kellogg, b. Canada 24 June 1812, d. Portland, Ore. abt. 1904, son of Orrin and Margaret (Miller) Kellogg. He was a millwright and in 1848 moved to Oregon with his father, and with Lot Wightman and William Torrence laid out the town of Milwaukee where he located. He built a saw mill, also the Standard Flour Mills which for years was the most extensive in Oregon. He was one of the first pilots on the Willamette River and built several steamboats, one the Lot Whitman, the first large steamboat in Oregon, and another the ill-fated Senator which blew up on 5 May 1875. With his sons he incorporated the Joseph Kellogg Transportation Co. to operate on the Columbia and Cowlitz rivers; in 1877 was Captain of the steamboat Dayton, and was active in the development of the natural resources of the region for years. Children, 3:

671. i. Orrin Kellogg, b. Ohio, 16 Oct. 1845, d. 9 Oct. 1924, m. Hillsboro, Ore. 5 June 1870, Margaret Ellen Westfall, b. St. Louis, Mo. 16 Oct. 1820, or Des Moines, Ia. 12 Jan. 1816, d. 8 July 1931, dau. of Nathan and Catherine (McKee) Westfall. He was a pilot and Captain, and Vice-President of the Kellogg Transportation Co. Children, 3: i. Stella Kellogg, b.


672. xii. Luman.

673. xiii. Lansing.


Children, 6, (R-65):

674. i. Abiah, b. 12 Jan. 1791, m. Barkhampstead, Conn. 1 Nov. 1810, Truman Cook of Colebrook, Conn.

Children, 2:

674. i. Rufus Cook, b. 1811.

674. ii. Luther Cook, b. 1815.

and probably others.

675*. ii. Jedediah, b. 9 Nov. 1793.

676. iii. Salina, b. 29 Sept. 1795, d. 25 Feb. 1818.


678. v. Sally, b. 16 Feb. 1800, d. 15 Apr. 1864, m. 25 Dec. 1819, Chester Chapman.

Children, 2:

678. i. Erastus Chapman, b. 6 Jan. 1820.

678. ii. Jerusha Ann Chapman, b. 6 Jan. 1825.

and probably others.

679. vi. Anna, b. 3 Oct. 1803, m. ( ) Remington and removed to the West.

Children, 1:

679. i. Ezekiel B. Remington, b. 1832.

and probably others.

*320. Samuel, b. Hartland, Conn. 16 July 1770, bapt. there 3 July 1785, d. there 15 Mar. 1817, (R-65), m. Dorothy (Dolly) ( ), who d. 13 Aug. 1847, ae. 72. She m. as his 2nd wife, Timothy Clark.

Samuel Bushnell resided in Hartland Conn. where all his children were born. His wife Dolly (?), was bapt. 4 June 1797, and admitted to the church at West Hartland, Conn. 16 July 1797. Cemetery Records show "Dorothy wife of Samuel Bushnell and 2nd. wife of Timothy Clark, d. 13 Aug. 1847, ae. 72."
Children, 3, (R-12):

680. i. Catherine (Cata), bapt. 6 Aug. 1797, m. 16 Sept. 1819, Daniel Gorman of Hartland, Conn.

681. ii. Deborah, bapt. 24 June 1798, d. 3 May 1870, m. 18 Mar. 1819, John Gates of Hartland, who d. 20 June 1883, ae, 87.

Children, 5:

681. i. Henry J. Gates, m. Fidelia H. Giddings, dau. of Benjamin and Amoret (642) (Bushnell) Giddings.

681. ii. Harriet Gates.

681. iii. Laura Gates.

681. iv. Clarissa Gates.

681. v. Helen Gates.

682. iii. Laura (Lura), bapt. 2 May 1802, m. 1st, 25 June 1818, Cyrus Curtis of New Hartford, Conn. who d. 20 Sept. 1826, children not known, m. 2nd, Elias Rowley, b. Winchester, Conn. 22 Mar. 1798, son of Asher and Mehitable (Dunham) Rowley.

Children, 8:

682. i. Hiram Rowley, b. 4 Sept. 1828, removed to Delphi, N.Y.


682. iii. Charles L. Rowley, b. 10 Jan. 1834, m. Martha J. Simonson of Watkins, N.Y. and removed to Willard, N.Y.


682. v. John G. Rowley, b. 11 July 1838, m. Anna C. Latham of Granby, Conn.

682. vi. Henry H. Rowley, b. 26 Aug. 1839, m. C. Louise Grant of Torrington, Conn. they were in Burrville, Conn. 1872.


Stephen Bushnell, b. Hartland Conn. is said by Mrs. Angeline Bushnell Denham, dau. of his brother Elisha, to have settled in Sodus, N.Y. where her father later lived for a time before finally settling in 1835 at Waynesville, Ills. but when Stephen came there is not known; such data as is available might indicate that there were two men of the same name who settled there early, as the age at death, as copied from the headstones in Bushnell cemetery, shows a wide variance in the age of Stephen above, who is the only one by that name who has been identified as having settled there.

A tax roll, prepared after the town meeting in 1799, had the names of some fifty persons, some of whom were non-residents, among whom was a Stephen Bushnell, who was Commissioner of Highways in 1801, and who it is stated, brought his family there in 1803, and perhaps it was he who bought the farm which in 1895 was occupied by Ephriam Leeter (R-66).

In 1811 the first town meeting in the present town of Sodus, was held in the home of Daniel Arms, at which a Stephen Bushnell was chosen overseer of the Poor, who held that office for several terms (R-66), and it may have been he who was one of the 40 men who on 19 June 1813, under command of Capt. Turner of Lyons,
N.Y. repulsed a party of 100 British soldiers, who had landed on Sodus Point (R-67), and whose grave in the Bushnell cemetery is decorated as a soldier of the War of 1812, but as according to the headstone he would have been then aged about 70, it would seem as if the headstone had been incorrectly copied.

The Bushnell name does not appear in the index of wills filed in the Surrogates office in Lyons, the county seat, but there, are several records of deeds for land, the earliest of which is dated 31 Aug. 1826 in which a Land Co. transfers title to Stephen Bushnell; as the Bushnell name does not appear in the town directory for 1867/8 it is inferred that all descendants had removed from Sodus before that date, and after 1855.

From headstones in "Bushnell Cemetery" one of the oldest in this vicinity, and located about two miles from Sodus on the Lake Road, the following inscriptions have been submitted:

On one lot:
Stephen Bushnell died 10 Oct. 1830, ae. 87, (perhaps 61 misread), a soldier in the War of 1812,

On another lot:
Josephine, dau. of S. H. and J. Bushnell, died 12 April 1851, ae. 7m. 11 d.
Infant son of S. H. and J. Bushnell died 20 Jan. 1855, ae. 10d.

Children, 2, (R-59):
683. i. Stephen, bapt, 25 Nov. 1802, at Hartland, Conn.
684. ii. Sarah (Sally), b. abt. 1805, d. 20 Oct. 1813, ae. 8y.

perhaps others.
To one interested in this family line, a study of the U. S. Census records, 1800 to 1860 is recommended.


Chuza Bushnell removed to Otis, Mass. and on 18 Dec. 1814, started for Illinois in a covered wagon and arrived at his destination the next May. His note book in which he wrote the names and dates of the birth of his children, with other data, is preserved as a family heirloom.

Children, 13, (R-12):
685. i. Lester, b. 28 May 1795, d. 13 Mar. 1796,
686*. ii. Lyman, b. 15 Feb. 1797.
687*. iii. Salmon, b. 28 Aug. 1798.
688. iv. Sally, b. 17 Apr. 1801, d. 5 Aug. 1805.
689. v. Fidelia, b. 5 Aug. 1804, d. 31 Jan. 1869, m. Green Co. Ills. 31 Aug. 1825, Seldon L. Beebe.

Children, 5, all b. Ills:
689. i. Henry Beebe, who d. abt. 1909.
689. ii. Marcus Beebe, b. 14 June 1826, living 1909.
692. viii. Eunice, b. 9 Dec. 1812, m. Jeduthan (or Jonathan) Newell.

Children, 2:
692. i. Ira Newell.
692. ii. Alonzo Newell.
695. xi. Sarah Ann, b. 28 May 1822, d. 9 Jan. 1823.
696. xii. Susan.
697. xiii. Hiram.

*327. David, b. Hartland, Conn. 3 Jan. 1777, d. 26 Oct. 1865, m. Hartland, 22 Nov. 1804, Polly Thomas (R-59), b. 29 May 1784, d. 18 Oct. 1865, dau. of John and Mary (Hotchkiss) Thomas, and gr-dau. of John Thomas, a Rev. War Soldier.

Children, 9:
698*. i. Harlow Holliday, b. 25 May 1806.
699. ii. Rutha, b. 14 July 1808, m. David Pearl.

Children, 3:

699. i. Henry W. Pearl, d. abt. 1907.
699. ii. Hiram B. Pearl.
699. iii. Lucy M. Pearl.
700. iii. Aurelia, b. 24 May 1810, m. Henry Sleeper.

Children, 4:
700. i. Amos Sleeper.
700. ii. Ellen Sleeper.
700. iii. William Sleeper.
700. iv. Edward Sleeper.

Children, 1:
701. i. Catherine Gifford, d.y.

Benjamin Franklin (or Frederick) Brown.

Children, 1:
702. i. Albert Brown, who was a Union Soldier in the Civil War and d. Hagerstown, Ind.
703. vi. Clarissa, b. 22 Apr. 1819, d. Feb. 1892, m. Quartus Otis.

Children, 2:
703. i. a child Otis, d. abt. 1910, unm,
703. ii. a child Otis, d. abt. 1910, unm,
705. viii. Watson, b. 31 Aug. 1826, d. July 1908, m. Mary Tyrrell of Colebrook River, Conn. No children.


*329. Isaac, b. Hartland, Conn. 18 May 1781, d. there 20 May 1849, m. there 3 June 1809, Orphah Deming, b. abt. 1781, d. Hartland, Conn. 6 Apr. 1827 (R-59-60), m. 2nd, 3 Apr. 1829, Polly (or Celestia) Stillman, who d. 18 Feb. 1871.

Isaac Bushnell was a farmer, his property lying along both sides of the Farmington river. In his will dated 18 Sept. 1848, prob. 2 June 1849, he mentions his wife Polly, sons Isaac Jr. and Hiram, daus. Laura Osborn, Adah Holcomb, Lucy Manchester, Hannah Viets, and Orphah Ranney. Exec'r. Abiram Chamberlain of Colebrook. Wits. Demas Bushnell, Alfred Latham, and Jesse Ives. In recording the death of his 2nd wife Polly, in the records of the 2nd church of Hartland, the writer called her "Celestia, wid. of Isaac Bushnell."
Children, 7, all b. Hartland, (R-60):

707.  i. Laura, b. 5 June 1810, d. June or Aug. 1886, m. Hartland, 8 May 1833, Amos Osborn, b. 2 Apr. 1809, d. 13 July 1891.

Children, 6, (R-12):


707.  ii. Philena Amelia Osborn, b. 9 Aug. 1835, d. 22 May 1863, unm.

707.  iii. Cecelia (Amelia or) Maria Osborn, b. 17 Oct. 1839, d. 21 Sept. 1865, unm.


708*.  ii. Hiram, b. 23 Sept. 1813.

709.  iii. Adah Lovina, b. 18 Sept. 1815, d. 3 May 1904, m. (by Rev. Asa Bushnell), 8 May 1838, Carlos Holcomb, b. 18 Nov. 1810, d. 2 Jan. 1895. He was active in town affairs and was Selectman, Assessor, and Member of Board of Relief.

Children, 6, (R-12):


709.  ii. Hiram Barzillai Holcomb, b. 30 July 1840, m. 16 June 1860, Louise Fancher, no children.

709.  iii. Carlos Orestus Holcomb, b. 19 June 1842, m. 3 Jan. 1866, Sarah Eliza Baker, b. 4 Mar. 1848, children, 1: i. Eliza Baker Holcomb, b. 6 Nov. 1866, m. 14 June 1893, Fred Hill, b. 31 May 1869. Children, 1: i. Bessie (Mae or) Maie Hill, b. 12 Dec. 1875.

709.  iv. Marcus Henry Holcomb, b. 28 Nov. 1844, d. 5 Mar. 1932, m. 15 Oct. 1872, Sarah Carpenter Bennett, b. abt. 1840, d. Dec. 1901. Children, 1: i. son Holcomb, b. 24 Dec. 1883, d. unnamed following day. Marcus Henry Holcomb, was b. Hartland, Conn. educated Wesleyan (now Wilbraham) Academy. He taught school and read law with Judge Jared B. Foster, Adm. to
to State Bar 15 Nov. 1871. Had office in Hartford, Conn. but in 1872, removed to Southington, Conn. Elected Judge of Probate, 1893 which he held for 30 years. App. town counsel and drafted charter for the Borough of Southington. In 1893 elected Senator, and Treasurer and counsel to Hartford county which he held until 1908. Member in 1901 of Republican State Central Committee, and 1902 delegate to constitutional convention. Speaker of the House 1905-6, and elected Attorney General of State 1906 which he resigned in 1909 to become Judge of the Supreme Court. In 1915 elected Governor and served three terms 1915-21. (The next longest service since before the Civil War) and then took up work of State Referee. He was a Baptist, A.A.S.R. 32nd Degree Mason, K. T., Elk, Hartford Club, Union Grange, Southington Club, President Southington Savings Bank, Director National Fire Insurance Co. Hartford, and of Peck Stowe and Wilcox Co. which he had resigned just before his death in Southington.

709. v. Ada Adeline Holcomb, b. 31 May 1851, m. 26 Nov. 1874, Sterrie Arnold Weaver, b. 16 Mar. 1853, d. Apr. 1904, he was a musician. Children, 1: i. Bessie Mai Weaver, b. 12 Dec. 1875.

709. vi. Walter Holcomb, b. 13 Oct. 1853, m. 8 Oct. 1888, Edith A. Sanford, b. 26 June 1865. He was an attorney in Torrington, Conn. and served in the State General Assembly. Children, 3: i. Charles Sanford Holcomb, b. 14 Aug. 1889; ii. Dorothy Holcomb, b. 6 May 1894, d. 7 Jan. 1895; iii. Adah Caroline Holcomb, b. 1 Aug. 1898.

710. iv. Lucy Selina, b. 9 Apr. 1818, d. 2 Apr. 1885, m. 6 Jan. 1839, Giles Dayton Manchester, b. 6 Feb. 1818, d. 3 Oct. 1875. Children, 5, (R-12):


710. ii. Orpha Adelia Manchester, b. 27 May 1847, m. 24 Dec. 1873, Edward Seymour, b. 1 Sept. 1841, no children.

710. iii. Ella Louise Manchester, b. 13 Dec. 1848, drowned 1853.


710. v. Fred Brown Manchester, b. 12 Aug. 1855, m. 1st, 1 Jan. 1877, Nettie L. Wakefield, b. 1856, d. 17 Mar. 1885. m.

711. v. Hannah, b. 9 Apr. 1820, d. 17 Sept. 1890, m. 20 May 1840, Barzillai Viets of Ohio, b. 5 Feb. 1818, d. Conneaut, Ohio, 14 June 1885.
Children, 4:

711. i. Orpha (Veronia or) Veronica Viets, b. 11 May 1842, d. 17 Feb. 1861.
711. ii. Edward Walton Viets, b. 28 July 1847, m. Ella Munday, children, 1:
   i. Bessie Viets. Both were physicians in Indiana.
711. iii. Francis Walton Viets, b. 28 July 1847, d. 24 July 1863.
711. iv. Byron Bushnell Viets, m. Katherine Watson. He was an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist in Cleveland, Ohio. Children, 2: i. Veronia Evelyn Viets, b. 2 Nov. 1877, m. Junius Hosford Smith, resided New York City; ii. Venita Annah Viets, b. 1886, d. 1902.

712. vi. Orpah, b. 3 Nov. 1825, living in 1910 in Wisconsin, m. 7 Mar. 1847, Edward Ranney of Augusta, N.Y. b. 12 Sept. 1825, d. Wisconsin, 8 May 1867.
Children, 7:

712. iii. Laura Sophronia Ranney, b. 7 Aug. 1853, m. 29 Nov. 1877, Byron P. Damon. Children, 4: i. Emma Estelle Damon, b. 22 Jan. 1879, d. 23 Aug. 1906; ii. Clifford Byron Damon, b. 10 Nov. 1887; iii. Edna Abigail Damon, b. 4 May 1892; iv. Mabel Orpah Damon, b. 20 Sept. 1894.
712. iv. Adah Louise Ranney, b. 30 July 1855, d. 10 Nov. 1887, m. 1880, Charles E. Bennett. Children, 1: i. Mabel Ruth Bennett, b. 8 July 1882.

713*. vii. Isaac Stillman, b. 26 June 1830.


Children, 11:


Children, 1:

714. i. Julia P. Waters, b. 5 Mar. 1847.

715. ii. Theodore, d. 8 June 1811.

716. iii. Theodore, b. 25 Apr. 1812.


718. v. Marcus H. d. unm.


Children, 5:

719. i. Ellen R. Cheney, b. 28 Aug. 1843, m. 7 May 1863, Austin Tinker, Children, 1: i. Andrew J. Tinker, b. 5 Oct. 1876, m. 5 Oct. 1903, Mary Grant.


720. vii. Janet M. b. West Hartland, Conn. 6 Feb. 1833, m. 9 Oct. 1854, John E. Ring, at Conneaut, Ohio, who d. 26 Apr. 1891. In 1864 they removed to Wisconsin and were residing in Madison, 1909.

Children, 1:

720. i. Alice M. Ring, b. 28 Sept. 1856, m. 22 Dec. 1881, Charles (or Clarence) R. Van Hise, who was President of Wisconsin University at Madison. Children, 3: i. Janet Mary Van Hise, b. 26 July 1887; ii. Hilda Alice Van Hise, b. 8 June 1891; iii. Alice Ring Van Hise, b. 18 Dec. 1896.

721. viii. Theodore T. b. 3 Sept. 1835, d. 12 June 1858, unm.


723. x. Martha A. b. 1 Mar. 1838, d. 20 Feb. 1897, at Chatfield, Minn. m. Palmer Lillie.

Children, 3:

Elisha Bushnell removed to New York state and is said to have a settled first on a farm, now in Buffalo, N.Y. but soon left to join his brother Stephen at Sodus, N.Y. locating on a farm at Sodus Point where the parents of his wife spent their last days, and where the father d. abt. 1830. On 20 Aug. 1828 he was elected a Vestryman in the Sodus Episcopal Church and is again mentioned in church records 23 Apr. 1829. In 1836 he removed to Illinois and settled on a farm near Waynesville where he also had a saw and grist mill, and a carding machine, and abt. 1845, d. and was buried in an orchard on the farm in an unmarked grave beside his daughter Mary Ann. After his death the family moved to Mt. Pulaski, Illinois. At the time of his death he had some 420 acres of land, and in July 1859 a summons was served on the Adm. of his est. to show cause why the est. had not been settled and sometime later a plea for sale of lands was made in which was mentioned wid. Nancy Bushnell, sons Albert H. and George A. and dau's. Marian R. Mathis, wife of Eli W., Ruth A., Angeline and Jane Bushnell, and gr-children Adeline and Ambrose M. Bushnell, and the further statement that Ruth A., Angeline, George A., Jane, Mary, Adeline, and Ambrose M. Bushnell, and Marian and Hilton S. Enslow, were minors. His last two children were b. in Waynesville, Ill. the others in Sodus, N.Y.

Children, 10 (R-12):

725*. i. Edwin, b. 15 Apr. 1816.
726. ii. Maria, b. 14 Oct. 1817, d. abt. 1847, m. as his 1st wife, Eli Enslow, who m. as his 2nd wife, her sister Marian Ruby. They resided in Kansas.

Children, 2:

726. i. Hilton Stewart Enslow.

727*. iii. Loman, b. 26 Jan. 1820.
729. v. Marian Ruby, b. 13 Apr. 1825, d. 5 Aug. 1895, m. 1st, as his 2nd wife, Eli W. Mathis, b. 25 Sept. 1808, d. 5 May 1854, (he m. 1st, 1 Sept. 1831, Elizabeth Hull, b. 10 Sept. 1809, d. 15 Apr. 1838, by whom he had children, 5: i. Ann Mathis, b. 11 Jan. 1833; ii. Fidelia Mathis, b. 1 June 1834; iii. Ficelia Mathis, b. 1 June 1834; iv. Lafayette Mathis, b. 13 Mar. 1836; v. James Madison Mathis, b. 5 Jan. 1838). She m. 2nd, her sister's widower, Eli Enslow, and died a widow.

Children, 10:

729. i. Marian Elizabeth Mathis, b. 16 Apr. 1846, m. Henry Curtis.
729. ii. George W. Mathis, b. 1 Nov. 1848.
729. iii. Ruth Angeline Mathis (FR), b. 30 Oct. 1850, m. George Short.
729. iv. Mary Ann Mathis, b. 23 Dec. 1853, d. infancy.
729. v. Isadora Enslow, d. unm.
729. vi. Prince Ernest Enslow.
729. viii. Bertha Enslow.
729. ix. Martha Enslow.
729. x. Bushnell Enslow.

730. vi. Ruth Emelia, b. 20 Sept. 1828, d. 7 Mar. 1912, m. 5 Oct. 1853, William LeMaster, b. 25 Dec. 1823, d. 16 June 1887, she taught school for a few years before she married. Children, 9:

730. i. William LeMaster, b. 23 May 1855, d. 23 July 1855.
730. ii. Ruth LeMaster, b. 23 May 1855, d. 23 July 1855.
730. iii. Mary W. LeMaster, b. 4 June 1856, d. 13 Sept. 1856.
730. v. Lois A. LeMaster, b. 13 Feb. 1860, d. 5 June 1910, m. 12 Sept. 1876, Smith Mann. 3 children, all d.y.
730. vi. Lucy LeMaster, b. 3 Dec. 1863, d.y.
730. vii. May LeMaster (FR), b. 4 June 1865, living at Mt. Pulaski, Ills. 1939, m. 7 Dec. 1887, Alfred L. O’Connor, who d. 8 July 1936, no children.
730. ix. Lemuel Edwin LeMaster, b. 20 Sept. 1871, has not been heard from since about 1898.

731. vii. Angeline, b. 4 Nov. 1830, d. Shenandoah, Ia. 26 Nov. 1919 of pneumonia, at home of Dr. Armitage, her son-in-law, m. 14 Mar. 1854, Jacob Antrim Denham, b. 1828, d. 1901, son of John and Nancy (Davis) Denham, who was a relative of Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy. Children, 8:

731. i. Paul Denham, b. 12 Apr. d. 12 Sept. 1856.
731. ii. Ida Evangeline Denham, b. 8 July 1858, d. 1905.
731. iii. Ruby Denham, b. 17 July 1859, d.y.
731. v. Minnie Inez Denham, b. 21 Jan. 1865, d. 1912.
Sixth Generation.


732. viii. Mary Ann, b. 6 May 1833, d. abt. 1840.
733. ix. George Andrew, b. Aug. 1835, d. abt. 1858, unm.
734. x. Jane Ruth, b. 12 Dec. 1857, d. 5 Jan. 1926, m. 1st, Mt. Pulaski, Ills. abt. 1856, Addison Jefferson Skelly, b. 22 Apr. 1833, d. 14 Feb. 1865, while a soldier in the Civil War, son of Gustavus and Rebecca (Kohn) Skelly, m. 2nd, Davenport, Ia. abt. 1875, Edgar Bradley, son of Harlow B. Bradley of South Bend, Ind. Children, 4:

734. i. George Gustavus Skelly, b. 21 Apr. 1858, murdered by bandits at Durango, Mexico, 6 July 1897, and bur. there, m. Durango, 3 Feb. 1892, Ivy Imogene (or Irma) Depew, a niece of the famous after-dinner speaker Chauncey M. Depew. No children. She m. 2nd, several years after his death ( ) White, and resided in Des. Moines, Ia. He was a mining engineer with W. W. Carroll Mining Co. and at the time of his death owned the famous Wild Pig Mine in Chichiqua, Mexico. At one time he was a Texas Ranger under Capt. Scottin, and was an expert with both rifle and pistol and was excelled by few on the draw with a pistol (Ref. El Paso newspapers 1897).
734. ii. Zelotas Addison Skelly, b. 5 Sept. 1861, d. 23 Feb. 1904, m. Silver City, N.M. 10 June 1889, Ella Bertha (Matatall) Carvil, dau. of George William (Matatall) Carvil, who it is stated added the latter name to his family name for personal reasons, and who came from St. Marys, or Afton, Guysborough, Nova-Scotia and his wife ( ) Haywood of Concord, Mass. of Rev. War ancestry. Last child b. Globe, Ariz. others all b. Silver City, N.M. Children, 5: i. Eric Addison Skelly, b.

734. iii. Frank Fisk Skelly (FR), b. 25 Dec. 1863, m. 11 June 1902, Ethel Lewis. In 1942 resided Ramona, Calif. Children, 2: i. Edna Frank Skelly, b. 22 Aug. 1903; ii. Frank Jefferson Skelly, b. 3 Apr. 1905;


*332. Calvin, b. Hartland, Conn. 20 July, bapt. 19 Aug. 1787, d. there 17 Apr. 1827 (R-59), m. Bethsheba Hull of New Hartford, Conn. b. abt. 1791, d. 22 Dec. 1879 (R-59), ae. 88, dau. of John and Rebecca (Slocum) Hull, she m. 2nd, William Markham.
Children, 3 (R-68-69):

736. i. Sophronia, b. abt. 1815, d. 21 Nov. 1865, ae. 50.
737. ii. William, b. abt. 1818.
738. iii. Parmelia, b. abt. 1820, d. 5 Dec. 1845, ae. 25.
All were buried at New Hartford, Conn.

Children, 7, all bapt. Hartland, Conn. 2 Oct. 1814:

739. i. Melissa, b. 23 Aug. 1801, d. 18 May 1824, m. 16 May 1822, Seth Barber, Jr.
740. ii. Marilla, b. 16 May 1803, d. 26 Nov. 1885, m. 22 Sept. 1842, Jonathan Stillman of Colebrook, Conn. No children.

741*. iii. Oliver Wells, b. 31 Jan. 1803

742. iv. Lucinda, b. 20 Oct. 1807, d. 6 Sept. 1834, m. 18 Dec. 1827, George Treat, who d. 24 Feb. 1838, ae. 33, son of George and Lydia (Ensign) Treat, and gr-son of Eleazer and Lydia (140) (Bushnell) Ensign. George Treat, Sr. served in the Rev. War as a private in Capt. Abraham Sedgwick's Co. also in company of Capt. Zechariah Chase under Col. Theo. Belden. He also served under Capt. Adonijah Burr in Col. Increase Moseley's Regt. He was a carpenter and all of his children died of consumption.
Children, 3:

742. i. Belinda Treat.
742. ii. Marcia Treat.
742. iii. Ellen Treat.

743. v. Ovanda, b. 18 Mar. 1812, d. 15 June 1893, m. 23 Apr. 1834, Lyman Marks, b. 6 June 1812, d. 2 Feb. 1889.

Children, 2:

743. i. Julius Marks.
743. ii. dau. Marks, m. William Gibbs.

744. vi. Huldah, b. 1 July 1814, d. 3 May 1866, m. 25 Sept. 1850, as his 2nd wife, Munson Merriman, b. abt. 1806, d. 29 Sept. 1871 ae. 65.

Children, 1:

744. i. Ella H. Merriman, b. 17 Nov. 1853, m. 4 Mar. 1884, Bryant J. Marks; children, 2: i. Walter Marks, b. 5 Aug. 1887; ii. Flavel Marks, b. 3 Sept. 1892.

*343. Martin, b. Hartland, Conn. abt. 1788, bapt. there 31 May 1789, d. Chardon, Ohio, 1 Sept. 1855, ae. 67, m. Hartland, Conn. 10 Feb. 1813, Rhoda Hessington, b. abt. 1790, d. Geauga Co. Ohio, 6 July 1850, ae. 60.

Martin Bushnell, removed with his family to Claridon, Geauga co. Ohio in 1815 and was the first settler in the Erie tract, and in 1817 was elected a Justice of the Peace. He built a small dish mill to make wooden dishes, which together with the farm he sold to his brother-in-law, Oliver Merritt, and removed to another farm about a mile south of Chardon where he built another dish mill, erected other buildings and opened a tavern (R-71).

Children, 8, (R-12):

746. i. Lucy A. m. Geauga Co. Ohio 22 Jan. 1834, David Sanbourne (R-70). (There is some doubt that she was a dau. of Martin and Rhoda, but as it seems probable that she was, the data has been included here).

747. ii. Emeline, b. 19 Oct. 1835, m. Willard Warrener. After the death of his wife, he m. the 2nd time and with two of his sons, removed to Franklin, Neb. and settled on a farm. He had 11 children in all.

Children, 4, (R-12):

747. i. Edwin Warrener, b. removed to Franklin, Neb.


747. iv. a dau. Warrener, d.y.

748. iii. Laura, b. East Claridon, Ohio, 6 Jan. 1819, d. 6 May 1847, m. John McIntosh, b. 1 Mar. 1812, d. 1 July 1875.

Children, 4 (R-12):

748. i. Lydia McIntosh, b. abt. 1839 d. 5 July 1879, unm.


Children, 4, (R-12):


750.  v.  child, perhaps d.y.
751.  vi.  child, perhaps d.y.
Children, 4:
752.  i.  Maxwell Warner, b. 1851, d. 1852.
752.  iv.  Ralph B. Warner, b. 29 July 1869, m. Marion, Ind. 1893, Emma Culberson, b. 1867, d. 14 Dec. 1940, no children.
753.  viii.  C( _ ), b. abt. 1831, he was ae. 19 by 1850 census.

*344.  Demas, b. Hartland, Conn. bapt. there 2 Oct. 1791, m. Mary DeWolf, dau. of Daniel DeWolf, buried Goldriver, Conn. He wit. will of Isaac Bushnell dated 14 Sept. 1848, prob. 2 June 1849.
Children, 4:
754.  i.  Austin, m. Mary Arthur, who d. 3 Aug. 1842, ae. 20.
755.  ii.  Harvey, d. unm.
755.1.  iii.  Henrietta, b. abt. 1818, d. 20 Mar. 1835, m. ( ) Catlin.
Children, probable:
755.1.  i.  Josephine Catlin, m. Jerome Ransom.
755.1  ii.  Belle Catlin, m. Edward Seymour.
755.1  iii.  Julia Catlin, m. Thomas Taylor.

Children, 6, (R-12-72-73-74):
757.  i.  Emily M. b. abt. 1824, d. abt. 1908, m. 9 Jan. 1849, Nathaniel Follett, b. Auburn, N.Y. 14 Jan. 1823, d. abt. 1894, son of Grattis and Mary Follett. He was Superintendent of the County Infirmary for a number of years and was active in Masonic circles.
Children, 3:
675.  i.   Idella A. Follett, b. 17 Feb. 1853, m. Carl Austin. No children. She
living in Conneaut, Ohio, 1933.

Children, 1:
657.  i.  Erdine Ashley.
675.  iii.  Frank W. Follett, b. 8 Sept. 1859, d. abt. 1934, m. Georgia A. Turner
(FR), b. abt. 1860, d. abt. 1936, no children.

678.  ii.  Truman O. b. abt. 1826, d. 2 Feb. 1864, ae. 38, unm. He was county
Commissioner for several years, and active in F. & A. M. circles.

679.  iii.  Cordelia A. b. 1827, d. 9 Nov. 1869, m. 8 Mar. 1850, Elihu B. Ford, b. abt.
1818, d. abt. 1888. He was a member of the Masonic order.

Children, 2:
681.  v.  Linus, he is said to have shot himself but whether by accident or suicide is
not known.

681.1 vi.  Martin D. b. abt. 1839, d. 16 Sept. 1857.

1781, Mary Stevens, b. 18 Nov. 1761, d. prob. in Williamstown, Mass. 10 May 1829 (R-75).

Ephriam Bushnell, private in Rev. War, enlisted June 1776 for 6 months in Co. of Capt.
Elisha Chapman, Col. Samuel Selden's Regt, was on Long Island in retreat to King's Bridge,
discharged 25 Dec. 1776; served 3 months from Jan. 1777 under Capt. Justus Buck in Col. John
of Foot Infantry, known as Capt. Asa Day's Co. then in 1778, two months at New Haven under
Capt. Elisha Chapman and later one week in July 1779 at New Haven, Conn. (R-14-76). After
the war he removed from Saybrook, Conn. to Pownal, Vt. and then to Ostego, N.Y. and later to
Vernon, N.Y. where he was living in Sept. 1832, when he applied for pension. He may have
been at Williamstown, Mass. for a time, as his wife's death is of record there as of 10 May 1820,
ae. 74. He d. in Vernon, N.Y. ae. 73.

Children, 7, (R-12-50):
676.  i.  Thankful, b. 23 Oct. 1782, m. 1st, 17 Nov. 1800, William Webley, m. 2nd,
25 Mar. 1815, Phineas Tuttle.

Children, 2:
676.  i.  Mary Webley, b. 17 Feb. 1802.
676.  ii.  David Webley, b. 15 July 1804.

Probably others.

676.  ii.  Mary, b. 24 Sept. 1784, d. 27 Jan. 1867, m. Aug. 1801, Keyes Danforth
(Jonathan, Samuel, Jonathan, Jonathan, Nicholas), b. Williamstown, Mass. 6 June 1778, d.
there, 6 Oct. 1851, he was county Commissioner for 5 years and represented his district in the
Legislature.

Children, 8, all b. Williamstown:
676.  i.  Charles Danforth, b. 5 Feb. 1804, d. Washington, D.C. 14 Dec. 1885,
m. 1st, 11 July 1831, Charity Foster, b. 16 July 1812, at Newburyport, Mass. d. Troy, N.Y. 31
Dec. 1869, dau. of Daniel and Charity (Fuller) Foster; m. 2nd, Washington D.C. 27 Dec. 1872,
Diana E. Jones, b. Sligo, Md. 6 Dec. 1842, abt.
1880, ae. 78 dau. of Capt. John Courts Jones of U.S. Navy and Revenue Service, who was a son of Major John Courts Jones and gr-son of Col. Robert Hanson Harrison, who was confidential secretary to General Washington and later until his death a Justice of the U.S Supreme Court. Charles Danforth was a graduate at Williams College and settled in LeRoy, N.Y. where he practiced law. After the death of his 1st wife, he removed to Washington, D.C. where he died. Children, 3: i. Helen Augusta Danforth, b. 7 June 1832, m. 1 June 1854, William S. Hart of Troy, N.Y. b. 6 Mar. 1818, d. abt. 1890, five children, 3 d.y; ii. Frederick Foster Danforth, b. 9 Oct. 1835; iii. Charles Francis Danforth, was a Colonel in U.S. Army.

763. ii. Ephriam Bushnell Danforth, b. 11 June 1806, d. 17 Aug. 1853, m. 4 Sept. 1837, Elizabeth Pingry Foster, b. 22 June 1816. No children.

763. iii. George Danforth, b. 24 July 1808, d. 14 Feb. 1864, m. LeRoy, N.Y. Mary B. Foster, b. Newburyport, Mass. 12 June 1814, d. 25 Nov. 1880, graduated Williams College, and in 1836 settled in Ann Arbor, Mich. where he was eminent at the Bar. Was Senator for one term and Postmaster. Children, 5: i. George Montgomery Danforth, b. 30 Sept. 1836, d. 7 Jan. 1881, unm; ii. Mary Cornelia Danforth, b. 25 Aug. 1838, d. 18 Aug. 1839; iii. Mary Elizabeth Danforth, b. 1 July 1840, d. 21 Feb. 1882, m. T. M. Baxter of Chicago, Ills. no children; iv. Elizabeth Foster Danforth, b. 28 Oct. 1845, m. Edgar Boardman Jewett of Buffalo, N.Y. who was Mayor there 1894-5; v. Daniel Foster Danforth, b. 18 Feb. 1848, was in Kansas City, 1880.

763. iv. Mary Bushnell Danforth, b. 31 Aug. 1811, d. Washington, D.C. 27 Jan. 1893, m. Dec. 1838, Hon. Abram B. Olin, b. Dec. 1810, d. Washington, D.C. He graduated Williams College 1835, and was Member of Congress from Rensellaer, N.Y. district four times. During the Civil War he was chairman of the Comm. on the Conduct of the War and was a Judge of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia until he was 70 years old. Was bur. in Williamstown, Mass. No children.


and Catherine (Thomas) Burt; ii. Chad Elisha Brown, b. 21 Oct. 1845, d. 7 Oct. 1850; iii. Mary Bushnell Brown, b. 27 Oct. 1850, m. Aug. 1870, Jacob Maus Schermerhorn, then of Homer, N.Y. merchant and banker of New York City, and Treasurer of Terre Cotta Co. of Ravenswood, N.J. She was buried in Swan Point Cemetery Providence, R.I. No children.

763. vii. Keyes Danforth, b. 11 Jan. 1822, d. by fall from carriage 21 Oct. 1897, m. 1st, 28 Sept. 1852, Anna L. Lyon, b. abt. 1832, d. 28 Jan. 1868, dau. of Col. James Lyon of Woodstock, Conn. m. 2nd, 21 July, 1869, Caroline M. Smith of Albany, N.Y. b. 25 Dec. 1838. He graduated Williams College 1848 and read law with George H. Brown of Providence, R.I. Practiced in Williamstown until 1885 when he was appointed Judge of the local court, from 1862-1882 was Asst. Treasurer of Williams College, Treasurer for 20 years, on town school comm. State Legislature, and President of Danforth Family Association, also one of the original members of Sons of American Revolution. Children, 1: i. Bushnell Danforth, b. 19 Nov. 1854.


764*. iii. Thomas, b. 26 Sept. 1787.
765*. iv. James, b. 17 Apr. 1790.
766. v. Sally, b. 19 Nov. 1792, m. 8 Apr. 1810, Dr. Azgill Cribbs.
767. vi. Hannah, b. 25 Mar. 1795, d. Oneida Castle, N.Y. 24 Sept. 1838, m. 1st, 6 Nov. 1815, Capt. Daniel Elwood, b. 2 Oct. 1793, d. 10 Aug. 1824, son of Richard E. (of Lyon, N.Y. a Rev. Soldier) and Catherine (Pell) Elwood. He was buried in a cemetery near Allen Lake, 5 miles east and south of Richland Springs, N.Y. Was a farmer and lived in Springfield, N.Y. Probably was soldier in War of 1812. The name Pell was changed to Bell and is now so known; m. 2nd, as his 2nd wife, abt. 1830, Dr. John Henry Morrison of Oneida Castle, N.Y. b. Colrain, Mass. 7 Feb. 1788, d. Fort Atchinson, Wis. 22 Mar. 1845, son of David and Lucy (Welles) Morrison. (He m. 1st, Hannah Lee and had children, 4: i. E. Darwin Morrison, b. 1821; ii. John H. Morrison, b. 10 Mar. 1822, d. 21 July 1876; iii. Alonzo Morrison, b. 11 June 1832, d. 15 June 1892; iv. David Morrison, b. 1827, d. 1868).

Children, 8:

767. ii. Nelson Daniel Ellwood, b. 3 Nov. 1818, d. 24 Feb. 1861, m. 13 Feb. 1833, Juliette L. Parks, several children but only one reached maturity.
767. iii. Ephriam Bushnell Ellwood, b. 9 May 1821, m. 13 July 1850, Mary Griswold. Children, 4: i. Mary Ellwood, m. ( )


767. vi. Irving Morrison, b. abt. 1832.

767. vii. Harriet Morrison, d. 24 Sept. 1838, buried Rochester, N.Y.


768. vii. Samuel S. b. 21 July 1797.


James Bushnell was a teamster for the Rev. Army in 1778, at age of 16, and after the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown, returned to Connecticut on foot. In 1790 he was in Bennington, Vt. with a family of 2 males over 16, 1 male under 16, and 1 female. He took the Freeman's oath in Addison, Vt. in 1800, and followed farming all his life. Timothy Munson was a wealthy land owner of New Haven, Conn. served a term in the Rev. Army under Gen's. Wooster and Schuyler, and Col. Douglas, and was with the army at White Plains, N.Y. His dau. Ruth, m. David Stannard and resided in Pownal, both were buried in the Bushnell plot on the old Barney farm in Bennington.
Sixth Generation.

Bushnell Gene. 183.

Children, 11, (R-50):

769*. i. David, b. 31 Dec. 1787.
771. iii. Anna, b. 14 Aug. 1791, d. 3 Sept. 1854, m. Pownal, Vt. 7 Mar. 1810, Libeus Barney.

Children, 6:

771. i. Libeus Barney, b. abt. 1811, lived Denver, Colo.
771. iv. Hiram Barney, b. May 1821, resided New York, N.Y.
771. vi. Bishop Barney, b. 31 Mar. 1807, d. unm.

773*. v. Moses, b. 22 May 1796.

Children, 5:

774. i. son Smith, living 1895, in Vermont.
774. ii. son Smith, d. prior 1895, bur. Long Island, N.Y.
774. iii. William H. Smith, youngest son, living in Baraboo, Wis. ae. 67, in 1895.
774. iv. dau. Smith, living 1895, in Danby, Vt.
774. v. dau. Smith, buried in family plot in Vt., prior to 1895.
775. vii. Infant (Munson?), d. 1800, ae. 2 days. (In a letter dated Baraboo, Wis. 28 June 1893, William H. Smith (774, iii. above), mentions a son Munson as of this family who d. ae. 21 years, who was buried in the family plot in Vermont, but the record does not state this. As Jason Bushnell had a son Munson, there may have been an error in identification.
776. viii. Orra, b. 14 Mar. 1802, d. 11 May 1804.
777*. ix. Hiram, b. 29 June 1804.
778. x. Meranda, b. 4 Nov. 1806 d. 15 Jan. 1808.


John Bushnell probably removed to Vermont before 1793, and settled in Williston where on 18 May 1795 he bought land from Joseph Bradley, who was perhaps his father-in-law, and in 1801 and 1808 bought other lands. He is mentioned in the lists of those who voted for Congressmen dated 1 Mar. 1803 and 4 Sept. 1804, in which he is designated as a farmer. After his death his children Alvah, Melissa, and Amanda gave a quit claim deed to Hiram Bushnell for their shares in the estate of their father John Bushnell.

Children, 6, (R-12-78):

780*. i. Alvah, b. 8 Dec. 1793.
782. iii. Melissa, m. Russell Rugg.
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783*. iv. Hiram, b. 6 Sept. 1798.
784. v. Samuel, b. 1 Mar. 1806.
785. vi. Sarah, b. 1 Mar. 1806, d. 11 Apr. 1882, m. 16 Sept. 1832, Nelson Buck.

Children, 7:


- 785. iii. Welthea Buck, b. 27 Jan. 1839, d. 26 Aug. 1840.

- 785. iv. Hannah Buck, b. 6 Aug. 1840, d. 8 May 1845.


- 785. vii. Sarah A. Buck (FR), b. 26 Nov. 1848, m. 6 June 1872, Aurillian C. Bingham, resided St. Albans, Vt. Children, 3: i. Lula Bingham, b. 8 Sept. 1872, resided Omro, Wis; ii. Frank Bingham, b. 29 Sept. 1878, d. 4 Dec. 1885; iii. Frederick Aurillian Bingham, b. 28 Sept. 1878, unm. in 1912.


Jesse Bushnell was a member of the Westbrook Cong. Church, 24 Feb. 1765, and is mentioned in those records several times thereafter. He was mentioned in the dist. of his father's est. and was Adm. of the est. of his brothers Solomon and William; he was also mentioned in the will of another brother Aaron. Prudence Morhouse, his wife, reported in error by several writers as Prudence Lay, became a member of the Westbrook Church 28 Apr. 1765 and under date 4 Jan. 1778, is referred to as widow Prudence Bushnell. She is mentioned in the dist. of the est. of Thomas Morhouse, dated 24 Mar. or Nov. 1769, as fourth dau. and received a share in the Jones lot which may have been the 14 acre tract of land which Prudence Bushnell of Hillsdale, N.Y. sold to James Lay on 26 Dec. 1786; one of the wits. to the deed was Peter Loop (Bk. ix, p. 466, and bk. viii, p. 65, Saybrook Land Records) also Prudence, dau. of Thomas and Prudence (Wright) Morhouse of Saybrook, filed on 29 June 1761, an appeal against approval of the
of the will of her grandfather, Benjamin Wright of Killingworth, with Stiles Stevens, who had m. her sister or half-sister Elizabeth Morhouse, as surety (Saybrook rec.). In 1785 her son George, then 18 years of age, removed to Hillsdale, N.Y. where he bought a large tract of land, and soon after Prudence with her remaining children joined him. Her gravestone in the N. Hillsdale Cemetery reads: "Mrs. Prudence Loop, wife of Capt. Peter Loop, died 22 Oct. 1828, ae. 89 years." Her identification is found in a memo entitled "The Morhouse Family in America" written by Andrew Wilmot Morhouse, and now in the possession of one branch of the Morhouse family, the pertinent paragraph being, "These facts were related by Aunt Phebe Morhouse in June 1854, to me, Andrew J. Morhouse in relation to my ancestors. These facts were learned by her from Col. Worthington and Aunt Loop, she being a half sister of my great grandfather." (See pedigree chart following).

Children, 7, all b. Saybrook, (R-4-12):

786*. i. George, b. 20 Feb. 1765.
787. ii. Prudence, b. 13 Apr. 1767, bapt. the next month, d. 23 June 1828, and buried Chestnut Lawn Cemetery, New Baltimore, N.Y. m. Capt. and Dr. Worthington Ely, b. 5 Apr. 1760, d. 20 May 1804, bur. Chestnut Lawn Cemetery, son of Col. John and Sarah (Worthington) Ely. He served in the Rev. War and has a proved Mayflower ancestry. After his death she m. William N. Dumond. (Did she m. 1st, at Saybrook, Conn. 5 Aug. 1787, Nathan Campin, or Champion, or Chapman; Saybrook records?).

Children, 8:

787. ii. dau. Ely, m. Jonathan Southwick, children. 1; i. Charlotte Augusta Southwick, m. Coventry Waddell (R-6).
787. iii. son Ely.
787. iv. son Ely.
787. v. dau. Ely.
787. vi. dau. Ely.
787. vii. dau. Ely.
787. viii. dau. Ely.
788. iii. Phoebe, bapt. 28 Oct. 1768, m. Joseph Duncan, son of Daniel and Sarah Duncan. They resided Hillsdale, N.Y. and he was mentioned in his father's will. Their known children were all bapt. at Nobletown, now Hillsdale, by the Rev. Gideon Bostwick of St. James Episcopal Church, Great Barrington, Mass. (Daniel Duncan, b. abt. 1738, d. 19 Jan. 1814, m. 1st, Sarah ( ), b. abt. 1735, d. 27 Sept. 1798, ae. 63, m. 2nd, Elizabeth ( ), who survived him. He and his 1st wife were bur. in a private cemetery on the Old Best Farm in Hillsdale. In his will dated 1 Aug. 1806, prob. Hudson, N.Y. 19 Feb. 1814, he mentioned his widow, Elizabeth and his children Jared, Joseph, Daniel, David, Samuel, and Mary wife of Joseph Goodsell).

Children, 4:

788. i. Jesse Duncan, bapt. 2 July 1787.
788. ii. Nancy Duncan, bapt. 15 Aug. 1791.
788. iii. Hiram Duncan, bapt. 15 Aug. 1791.
789. iv. Lydia, m. 2 Jan. 1789 Benjamin Birdsall.

790*. v. William, b. 19 Nov. 1771,

791. vi. Louise (Lois), bapt. 27 Nov. 1774, d. Hillsdale, N.Y. 6 Sept. 1829, ae. 55, bur. North Hillsdale Cemetery, m. 1st, Hillsdale, Judge Henry Loop, b. Hillsdale, 10 June 1779, d. Great Barrington, Mass. 13 Aug. 1868, son of Capt. Peter Loop and Maritza (Bayler) Loop. He m. 2nd, Melinda McKinstrey by whom there was one son who d. in early life, she was dau. of Col. Charles McKinstrey, author of a History of Hillsdale.

Children, 5, all b. Hillsdale:

791. i. John G. Loop, b. 14 Nov. 1806, d. 25 Apr. 1809.


791. iv. John Philyer Loop, b. 25 Sept. 1816, d. abt. 1882, m. abt. 1841, Emeline Davis, b. abt. 1821, d. Syracuse, N.Y. abt. 1883. Children, 2: i. Francis Ellington Leupp, b. abt. 1849, d. Washington, D.C. 19 Nov. 1918, m. Ada Murdock of New York, N.Y. He was an author and was appointed Indian Commissioner by President Theodore Roosevelt. He adopted an ancient form of the family name by which his children and gr-children were known. Children, 5: i. Graham Murdock Leupp; ii. Harold Lewis


792. vii. Julia, m. George Ely, resided Green co. N.Y.
*362. Benajah, b. Westbrook, Conn. abt. 1743, bapt. there as an adult, 25 June 1769, d. there 17 Oct. 1825. He never married and after the death of his brother Jordan, he provided a home for the widow and children and in the 1790 census is shown as having a family, 1 male over 16, 1 under 16, and 4 females. He was a carpenter and built many of the houses in the village, some of which are still standing and in good repair (R-12).

*363. Daniel, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1745, bapt. 20 May 1787 as an adult, d. there 29 July 1832, ae. 87, m. 1st, Mehitable (Burroughs?), who d. Westbrook, Conn. 18 Feb. 1807, m. 2nd, 4 July 1808, Elizabeth Jones, b. abt. 1764 (she was 68 years of age when she applied for a pension in 1832).

Daniel Bushnell was a Rev. War soldier (R-14), and by the pension records his wife Elizabeth (R-80), was "of Saybrook" and unmarried when he enlisted in the Spring of 1779 for 1 year, and served as a private in the fort at New London under Capt. Shapley, Col. Ledyard commander of the fort. He m. as his 2nd wife Elizabeth Jones of Saybrook and died at Saybrook, 29 July 1832, ae. 87, after a long residence there.

The dist. of the est. of his first wife Mehitable was to her heirs, which was the personal est. and a tract of land of 2½ acres known as the Griswold orchard, which might have implied that her surname was Griswold. There was also a release of dower from Elizabeth and Daniel and John B. Bushnell and it appears that adm. on the est. of Daniel was granted to Elizabeth, wid. and to John B. Bushnell, 15 Aug. 1832. The dist. of his est. 1833 mentions his wid. Elizabeth, heirs of Mehitable, and Daniel and John B. Bushnell.

Children, 6, all by 1st wife:
793. i. Mehitable, b. 18 Jan. bapt. 10 June 1787, m. Nehemiah (803), son of Ezra (368) and Patience (Lord) Bushnell.
795. iii. John Burroughs, b. Jan. bapt. 29 Apr. 1792, d. 27 May 1794.
797. v. Daniel Bishop, bapt, 7 May 1797, d. 6 Apr. 1806.
798. vi. Sally, bapt. 17 Mar. 1799.

*365. Jordan, b. abt. 1747 (minor 10 July 1762), bapt. as an adult 16 Dec. 1781, d. 30 June 1877, ae. 40, m. Sarah Pratt, b. abt. 1753, d. 5 Dec. 1833, as. 80, dau. of Timothy and Sarah (Jordan) Pratt.

Jordan Bushnell, Rev. War soldier in Capt. Martin Kirtland's Co. of Col. Erastus Wolcot's Regt. as shown by muster roll dated New London, Conn. 28 Feb. 1777, was wounded at Battle of Groton Heights, near New London (R-14). On 16 Dec. 1781, both he and his wife were listed as members of the 3rd Cong. Church at Westbrook, Conn. and here all his children were bapt. The dist. of his est. mentions son Aaron, and dau's. Sarah and Mary and was dated 1783; Adm'n. Sarah Bushnell. After his death his widow and the three children were cared for by his brother Benajah (362)

Children, 3:
799. i. Sarah, bapt. 16 Dec. 1781, m. 30 Nov. 1800, Benjamin Post, 2nd, son of Benjamin Post.

Children, 2:
799. i. child Post.
799. ii. child Post.
800.  ii.  Mary, bapt. 28 Mar. 1784, m. 13 Apr. 1805, Capt. Timothy Spencer, son of Caleb Spencer.

Children, 8, (R-7):
800.  i.  Marietta Spencer, b. 23 Feb. 1806, m. Martin L. Doud.
800.  ii.  Emeline Spencer, b. 28 Aug. 1807, m. 1st, ( ). m. 2nd, George Spencer.
800.  iii.  Frederick Wilcox Spencer, b. 7 Jan. 1810, a ship's captain, m. Ann Eliza Kirtland.
800.  iv.  Joseph Whittlesey Spencer, b. 16 June 1812, a ship's captain, m. Amelia Stokes.
800.  v.  Alfred Goodrich Spencer, b. 9 July 1814, a ship's captain.
800.  vi.  Eloise Maria Spencer, b. 8 Oct. 1816, m. 27 Aug. 1839 William N. Kirtland, Children, 3: not named.
800.  vii.  Charles Spencer, b. 1818.
800.  viii.  Harriet L.(or E.) Spencer, b. 30 July 1820, m. ( ) Grinnell.

801*  iii.  Aaron, b. 25 Jan. 1785.

*366.  David, b. Westbrook, Conn. 30 Aug. 1740, d. Warrenton, Georgia, abt. 1823/4, ae. abt. 82, never married; was of slight build and nervous temperament. Was original inventor of the submarine, contact mine, screw propeller, and drive shaft bearings for under water use. He prepared for college with Rev. John Devotion, Pastor of the 3rd Cong. Church at Westbrook, (with which church he united 17 Oct. 1773), and entered Yale University in class of 1775. From his freshman year he made extensive studies in the effects of explosives under water, and developed the basic principles for underwater navigation which today control submarine design.

By Dec. 1775, except for a few minor details, he had completed the construction of an underwater boat, which he called a "torpedo" but which was later named "The American Turtle," designed for blowing up enemy ships, and the next February he appeared before the Governor and Council of Connecticut at their request to give an account of his "machine" as it was called, upon which his plan was fully approved and he was urged to "proceed with it and make every preparation and experiment, with the expectation of proper notice and reward."

On the night of 6 Sept. 1776 the first underwater attack against an enemy ship by submarine was made in New York Harbor upon the 64 gun British Frigate, Eagle, commanded by Admiral Lord Howe, but the operator, Sergt. Ezra Lee, being untrained, who had substituted for David's brother Ezra, who had been fully trained but was sick at the time, failed to attach the mine to the vessel, and was frightened away by approaching dawn. A few days later another attempt was made in the Hudson River opposite 106th St. but upon discovery, he was again frightened away. This ended the experiments, although present day specialists aver that there is no theoretical reason why success should not have resulted. General Washington wrote, "I then thought, and I still think, that it was an effort of genius."

He later developed the drifting torpedo (so named by him), and in Aug. 1777, endeavored to float one against the British ship Cerebus in New London Harbor, but an American Schooner intercepted the mine, and the crew hauled it aboard their vessel where-
upon it exploded killing three of the crew, and destroying the vessel. The British ship hastily withdrew to New York and reported "the secret modes of mischief of the Rebels."

Later in the year he attempted to float some mines tied together down the Delaware river opposite Philadelphia, where the British fleet was stationed, but again his plans were upset, for ice floes intercepted or deflected them, and while one hit a rowboat and destroyed the boat and its occupant, the fleet weighed anchor and moved to a safer anchorage. This event is memorialized by Hon. Francis Hopkinson by the song "The Battle of the Kegs."

In 1778 General Washington proposed the formation of a new military unit to be known as the "Corps of Sappers and Miners," and in the summer of the next year it was organized, and on 7 Aug. 1779, David Bushnell was appointed captain-Lieutenant from civil life upon the recommendations of Gov. Trumbull, Gen. Parsons and others, and on 8 June 1781 he was promoted to full Captain, and was at the Siege of Yorktown in the following Sept. and October, the only time that unit had had the opportunity to render special service. He served until the end of the war, and before the unit was discharged, commanded the Corps, and had become a member of the Connecticut Society of the Cincinnati, an organization formed during the war by officers of the rank of Captain and higher. He is of record as certifying the service of one Phineas Wentworth, over the signature of G. Bushnell, which I am advised was a printer's error. On 6 May 1779, he was taken prisoner in Middlesex Parish, now Darien, Conn.

After peace was declared he returned to Connecticut impoverished, the subject of some honor, and some covert ridicule; becoming discouraged, it is said that he went to France, but in 1795/6 returned to Savannah, Ga. where he stayed for a time with his friend Abraham Baldwin, Yale, '72, but soon went to Columbia county where he taught school, perhaps studied medicine, as he later settled in Warrenton, Ga. under the name Dr. Bush, where he practiced that profession until his death. He applied for, and on 3 Feb. 1800, was granted a pension and not until his will was probated was it generally known that the village medic concealed one of the greatest inventive minds and geniuses of that time.

He left a considerable property to the children of his deceased brother Ezra Bushnell, in Saybrook, and among his personal property, which was brought north by a friend, was some curious machinery partly completed, but it is not known for what purpose it was designed.


His reputation in Connecticut was that of a man of very unassuming manners, and exemplary character, and in Georgia he was equally esteemed.


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*368. Ezra, b. Westbrook, Conn. 29 June 1746, d. there 16 Feb. 1786, m. 2 Jan. 1777, Patience Lord, bapt. 8 Sept. 1754, d. 19 Mar. 1830.

  Ezra Bushnell soldier in Rev. War, enlisted 3rd Co. 7th Regt. Conn. Line, 14 July 1775, Col. Charles Webb, discharged 4 Dec. 1775, was ordered to Boston and assigned to Gen. Sullivan's Brigade at Winter Hill (R-14), he is mentioned as Sergt. Was trained in handling the "American Turtle" but was sick when the trials were made in New York Harbor and the Hudson River.

  The dist. of his est. dated 1787 mentions his sons Ezra, Nehemiah, Christopher Lord, and David, and, dau. Dency, and a deed dated 1801 mentions his sons Ezra and Nehemiah. He joined the Westbrook Church 11 Apr. 1779.

Children, 5, (R-27):

  802*. i. Ezra (Capt.), bapt. 11 Apr. 1779.
  804. iii. Prudence (Dency), bapt. 30 June 1782. (Did she m. ( ) Butler, and have dau's Prudence (Dency) B. and Lavinia, who m. ( ) Root?).
  805. iv. Christopher Lord, bapt. 15 Aug. 1784, m. Elizabeth ( ), who was b. abt. 1798, d. 17 Oct. 1822, ae. 24.
  806*. v. David, bapt. 28 May 1786.


  Stephen Bushnell went with his parents to Farmington, Conn. and abt. 1788 removed to New York and settled on a farm in what has been known as the Middle Settlement abt. 1½ miles west of Utica. He was the second White settler in that vicinity and was very friendly with the Indians, parties of whom would come after dark, roll up in their blankets before the kitchen fire, and depart before dawn. His farm of 231 acres was valued at
$1436.00 in 1814. Both were buried in the Middle Settlement Cemetery, one-half mile west of New Hartford, on the Kirkland Road. His will, dated 15 Oct. 1818, prob. 20 Mar. 1819, mentions wife Mary, dau's. Phebe Lewis, Anna Cook, Abigail Hills, Sarah Hawkins, and son Stephen Bushnell.

Children, 5, (R-12):

807. i. Phebe, b. July 1770, d. Alexander, N.Y. 25 Apr. 1813, ae. 42 y - 9 m (R-81), m. 16 Feb. 1792, Capt. Ezekiel Thompson Lewis, b. 30 May 1771, d. 15 Nov. 1836, son of Samuel and Eleanor (Thompson) Lewis of Bristol, Conn. He came from Connecticut to Whitestown and 1806 removed to Alexander, N.Y. where he was the sixth settler. He m. 2nd, Mercy ( ), who d. 20 June 1820, ae. 45. He m. 3rd, ( ).

Children, 6:

807. iii. Nancy Lewis, b. 11 Sept. 1793, d. 28 Mar. 1813.
807. iv. Betsey Lewis, b. 4 June 1786, d. Feb. 1851, m. abt. 1813, Silas Earl.


Ann Lewis, b. 1 Dec. 1830, m. Hiram Bignall, children, 2: i. Frank Myroan Bignall; ii. Fannie Ella Bignall.

807.  v.  Sylvester Lewis, b. 31 July 1800, d. 1 Feb. 1816.
807.  vi.  Phebe Lewis, b. 7 Nov. 1802, m. Joseph McIntyre, children, 4: i. Lewis McIntyre; ii. Ranson McIntyre; iii. Lauson McIntyre; iv. Wilbur McIntyre.
808.  ii.  Anna, b. 21 Dec. 1773, d. 20 Nov. 1806, m. Wareham Cook, b. 10 Jan. 1766, d. 10 Mar. 1834, bur. Mt. Pleasant Cem. Alexander, N.Y. Three of their sons settled in Panama, N.Y. others have not been proved.
Children, 9:
  808.  i.  Elisha Cook, b. 2 Mar. 1803, m. Hannah ( ), b. 1806, d. 1846.
Children, 4: i. Harriet Cook, b. 1829; ii. Rhoda Cook, b. 1831; iii. Charles Cook, b. 1835; iv. Olive Cook, b. 1849,
  808.  ii.  Stephen Cook, b. 6 Oct. 1805, m. Ruth ( ), living with him in 1850 was Elizabeth Anthony, perhaps his wife's mother. Children, 6: i. Stephen Cook, b. 1853; John Cook, b. 1836; iii. Orlando Cook, b. 1838, who in 18--., lived on homestead in Panama, N.Y; iv. William Cook, b. 1840; v. Julia Cook, b. 1843; vi. Mary Cook, b. 1846.
  808.  iii.  William G. Cook, m. Amy ( ). Children; 3: i. Laura Cook, b. 1834; ii. Lyman Cook, b. 1836, living in Panama 1875; iii. Walter Cook, b. 1846.
NOTE: It may be, that some, if not all of the children following belonged to this family.
  808.  iv.  Amos Cook, b. 1802, m. Esther ( ), b. 1807. Children: i. Louis B. Cook, b. 1830; ii. Diana Cook, b. 1832; iii. Sally Cook, b. 1834; iv. Amanda Cook, b. 1836; v. Amy Cook, b. 1838;
  808.  v.  Anna Cook, bapt. 3 Oct. 1806, m. William Mayhew.
  808.  vi.  Mary Cook.
  808.  viii.  Philander Cook, b. 1810, m. Sarah ( ), b. 1823. Children, 3: i. George A. Cook, b. 1841; ii. Eleanor Cook, b. 1843; iii. Florence Cook, b. 1847.
  808.  ix.  Susan Cook.
  808.  x.  Elihu Cook.
  809.  iii.  Abigail, b. 27 Jan. 1776, d. Aug. 1846, m. 3 Nov. 1795, in Cong. Church, Westmoreland, N.Y. Selah Hill.
Children, 7:
  809.  i.  Truman Hill.
  809.  ii.  Mary Hill.
  809.  iii.  Leman Hill.
  809.  iv.  Selah Hill.
  809.  v.  Candace Hill.
  809.  vi.  Sylvia Hill.
  809.  vii.  Parintha Hill.
810. iv. Sarah, b. abt. 1779, d. 11 Aug. 1837, ae. 58, m. abt. 1803 Jesse Hawkins, b. 1796, d. 30 Nov. 1852. He m. 2nd, Harriet ( ), b. abt. 1796, d. 23 Nov. 1858, ae. 62. Children, 6:


810. ii. Fanny Hawkins, b. 4 Nov. 1807, d. 11 Aug. 1837, m. as his 1st wife, George F. Wing. Children, 2: i. Eliza Wing; ii. Van Ness Wing.


810. iv. Mary Hawkins, b. 16 Feb. 1813, d. 15 Dec. 1861, m. abt. 1834, David Meredith. Children, 5: i. Evans Meredith; ii. Marion Meredith, b. 1838; iii. Warren Meredith, b. 1840; iv. Walter Meredith, b. 1840; v. Margaret Meredith.


*372. Abraham, b. Saybrook, Conn. 27 Dec. 1744, d. Starksboro, Vt. 24 Sept. 1824, m. Canaan, Conn. 9 Jan. 1770, Mary (Molly) Ensign, bapt. W. Hartland, Conn. 7 July 1751, d. Starksboro, Vt. 19 Nov. 1832, dau. of John (said to have been a Capt. in Rev. War), and Mary (Sedgwick) Ensign.

Abraham Bushnell married at Canaan, Conn. and may have been in Lebanon for a time, but resided until 1794 in Canaan when he removed to Starksboro, Vt. where both died.

No record of War service has been found, but it is probable that he served for a time, as in the collection of war relics of Gen. R. W. Judson of Ogdensburg, N.Y. there is a powder horn carved with the numerous designs among which is a plan of the fort at Peekskill, and the inscription "Peekskill, N.Y. May ye 14 A.D. 1777, Abraham Bushnell's Horn, Freedom or Death." N.E.Hist. & Gen. Reg.)

While at Canaan Falls he had a carding mill, which is said to have been the first of its kind in the state, and here all of his children were born except his youngest son. The 1790 census
2 males over 16, 4 males under, and 6 females. In 1794 the entire family removed to Starksboro, where at the first town meeting abt. 1796 he was chosen as a Selectman. She is said to have been less than 5 feet tall, with a slight form, perfectly erect, elastic step, and black eyes, and a very decided Methodist. After their log house was built, she instituted regular Sunday services, calling on various young men to read the service and offer the prayers as her husband was quite modest. One young man in whom she took a special interest was induced to think seriously of making the Christian ministry his life's work, and his decision led to the making of the public career of the renowned Bishop Hedding, of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Children, 13, (R-12-82):

812. i. Mary (Polly), b. 23 Dec. 1770, d. Starksboro, 15 Jan. 1860, m. 18 Nov. 1791, Solomon Holcomb, b. Canaan Falls, Conn. 29 Oct. 1770, d. 2 Apr. 1843, son of Lt. Timothy and Abigail (Robbins) Holcomb of Canaan, Conn. They moved from Canaan to Starksboro in 1791 where he was chosen a constable at the first town meeting and later a Justice of the Peace. Children, 6:


812. iv. Abigail Robbins Holcomb, b. 25 July 1801, d. 5 Aug. 1850, m. 2 Apr. 1840, Rev. David Ferguson, Children, 1: i. Celia. Ferguson, m. Seth Mead.


812. vi. Myron Timothy Holcomb, b. 19 Nov. 1809, d. in Calif. 1899, m. 1st, 30 Aug. 1892(297), Jemima Ward, who d. abt. 1845, m. 2nd, 23 Oct. 1845, Susan Walbridge, who d. 1889. Children,

813*: ii. Samuel, b. 9 May 1773.
815*: iv. John, b. 7 Mar. 1777.
816*: v. James, b. 17 Mar. 1779.
817. vi. Laura, b. 14 May 1781, d. Ravenna, Ohio, 14 May 1855, m. Starksboro, Vt. 30 June 1800, Rev. John Hill, b. 7 May 1766, d. 4 May 1834 of typhoid fever, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Harvey) Hill. They lived at Starksboro and Charlotte, Vt. and in 1817 removed to Monroe, Ashtabula co., Ohio. She d. at the home of her dau. Delia M. Phillips, in Ravenna, Ohio, and was buried in the Phillips plot.

Children, 9. all b. Vermont except the youngest:

817. i. Betsey Harvey Hill, b. 6 Feb. 1802, d. 9 June 1889, m. Reuben Brown, who lived west of Conneaut, Ohio. Children, 8: i. Betsey Brown, lived in Toronto, Ont. Canada; children, 1: i. Felix ( ); ii. Junius Flagg Brown, d. 1908, went West when a young man, m. 1st, ( ) Kilborn of Conneaut, Ohio, a sister to a Mrs. Winship, m. 2nd, Mrs. ( ) Pratt of Boston, Mass. had several children; iii. Laura Amelia Brown, m. ( ) Dayfoot, lived it is supposed in Toronto, Ont. Canada; iv: Hannah Marlah Brown, m. a man from Kingsville, Ohio, and removed to Denver, Colo. where she d; v. John Sidney Brown, b. 1833, was in partnership with his brother Junius in Denver, Colo. m. 1st, Irene Sopris, who d. 1881, m. 2nd. Adele Overton; vi. Charles Hill Brown, b. Conneaut, Ohio, d. Denver, Colo; vii. infant Brown, d.y; viii. James Brown.


817. vi. Charles Wesley Hill, b. 7 July 1812, d. 24 Nov. 1881, m. Oct. 1846, Elizabeth Charlotte Titus. He was a General in the Civil War, and lived and d. in Toledo, Ohio. Children, 4: i. Sophia Laura Hill, b. 1842, m. Edward White Peckham of Toledo, Ohio, in 1868, children, 3: i. Mary Louise Peckham; ii. Charles Avery Peckham; iii. Harriet Elizabeth Peckham; ii. Avery Sedgwick Hill, b. 1845, m. 1874, Ida Rose Klauser of Toledo, Ohio. Children, 3: i. Charles Francis Hill; ii. Herman Arthur Hill; iii. Rose Elizabeth Hill. He was educated in Germany and built the Hill Auditorium in Ann Arbor, Mich; iii. Mary Elizabeth Hill, b. 14 Nov. 1848, m. 2 July 1874, Henry Dutton Pierce of Vermont;


  818. vii. Almira, b. 23 June 1783, d. 29 Nov. 1840, m. Starksboro, Vt. 28 Dec. 1801, Henry Ketchum. He m. 2nd, Eliza Powers Darrow. No children.


    819. i. Elizabeth Mary Campbell, b. 28 July 1813, d. 16 July 1814.

    819. ii. Valeria Campbell, b. 21 Apr. 1815, d. 10 Dec. 1895, unm.


    819. v. Henry Munroe Campbell, b. 28 Jan. 1821, d. 1 Sept. 1836.


821. x. Electa, b. 11 Nov. 1789, d. 29 July 1837, m. Starksboro, 19 Aug. 1809, Shadrack Brownell, b. Vt. 5 Mar. 1788, d. 18 Dec. 1860, son of Benjamin and Mary Ann Brownell. He m. 2nd, Jane Thayer who d. 10 Sept. 1846, m. 3rd, Vesta ( ) who d. 2 Aug. 1862. Children, 14:

821. i. Solon Isiah Brownell, b. 28 June 1810, d. 16 June 1880.


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821. xii. Emily Vietta Brownell, b. 26 Oct. 1851.

821. xiii. George Brownell.


822*. xi. Myron (FR), b. 17 Aug. 1791,

823. xii. Elizabeth, b. 24 July, d. 28 Aug. 1793,


*376. Asa, b. Saybrook, Conn. 20 Feb. 1750/1, bapt. 3 Mar. 1751, d. Westbrook, Conn. 4 May 1807, m. Hannah Chapman, b. 20 Mar. 1751, d. 11 June 1850, dau. of Ichabod and his 2nd wife, Hannah (Jones) Chapman.

Asa Bushnell was a Selectman of Saybrook abt. the time of the Rev. War. His will, dated 1807, mentions wife Hannah, sons Asa and Dan, and dau's. Temperance, Hannah, Flora, Mehitable, and Rachel Bushnell. In the dist. of his est. those mentioned were Flora Platts, Temperance Doty, and Mehitable Spencer.

Children, 9:

825. i. Temperance, bapt. 6 Oct. 1776, d. in western New York, abt. 1836 (prob. in Allegheny co.), m. Westbrook, Conn. 27 Apr. 1793, Benjamin Doty (R-83), b. Saybrook, abt. 1771, bapt. 19 May 1771, d. abt. 1806, son of Benjamin and Phebe (Kirtland) Doty. Shortly after their marriage they removed to Durham, Green co. N.Y. where later he was joined by his father and family. He lost his life by accident while clearing the timber from his farm. After his death she removed to western, N.Y. to live with her son Benjamin, where she d. abt. 1836.

Children, 4, (R-83):


825. ii. Edward Doty, m. 1st, Esther Finch, m. 2nd, Mrs. Parmelia Button, reports conflict as to this family, they perhaps removed to LeRoy, N.Y. later to Illinois or Michigan, and abt. 1874 are said to have been living in Portage, N.Y. Children, 5: i. Almira Doty; ii. Elvira Doty; iii. Lucretia Doty; iv. Lucinda Doty; v. Linus Fellows Doty.

825. iii. Jerusha Doty, m. Isaac Bowers, lived Prattsville, N.Y. where she d. Children, 4: i. a child Bowers; ii. a child Bowers; iii. a child Bowers; iv. a child Bowers.
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826. ii. Hannah, bapt. 6 Oct. 1776, was mentioned in father's will, but not in the dist. of his est.

827. iii. Flora, bapt. 17 Aug. 1777, m. ( ) Platts, was mentioned in father's will 1807 as Flora Bushnell, and the dist. of his est. (date not known), as Flora Platts.


830*. vi. Dan, b. 10 May 1785.


832. viii. Rachel, b. 16 Oct. 1789, bapt. 3 Jan. 1790, d. 6 July 1854, m. 17 Oct. 1807, David Spencer, b. Westbrook, Conn. 16 Dec. 1785, d. abt. 1862. He was a farmer, mason, and blacksmith, and in early life removed to Oyster River quarter in Saybrook, Conn. Children, 12, (R-7):

832. i. David Spencer.

832. ii. Nancy Spencer.


832. iv. Una Maria Spencer.

832. v. Edwin Spencer.

832. vi. Alvin Spencer.

832. vii. Benjamin Spencer.

832. viii. Julia Elizabeth Spencer.

832. ix. Daniel Chapman Spencer, b. 3 Dec. 1823, d. 7 Oct. 1906, m. 12 Oct. 1851, Emily Maria Stokes, b. 21 Nov. 1831, d. 5 Oct. 1895, dau. of William Stokes, veteran of War of 1812. He was a Department Manager for the H. B. Claflin Co. of New York, N.Y. Children, 8: i. William David Spencer, M.D. b. abt. 1852; ii. Ellen Maria Spencer, b. abt. 1856, m. Brunswick W. Leonard, a dentist of Saybrook; iii. Daniel Stokes Spencer, b. 1860, m. Mary Terry Fish; iv. Grace Emily Spencer, b. 1861, m. John Clayton Wood; v. George Jarvis Spencer, b. 1866; vi. Edmond Chapman Spencer, b. 1869, m. Florence J. Binn; vii. Fred(erick) Clarence Spencer, b. 1870; viii. Henry Russell Spencer, b. 1875, d. 5 May 1876.

832. x. Harriet Amelia Spencer.

832. xi. Emily Ann Spencer.

832. xii. Mary Augusta Spencer, b. Saybrook, 19 Aug. 1832,


*380. Gideon, b. Westbrook Conn. 1 Nov. 1756, d. Salisbury, Conn. 8 Jan. 1830, m. 1 Nov. 1786, Nancy Hurd, who d. 5 Dec. 1842, ae. 80, dau. of Abraham Hurd.

Gideon Bushnell enlisted in 1777 for Rev. War service, and served as a private in Capt. Isaac Gallup's Co. Col. McLellan's Regt. of Conn. troops which marched 8 Nov. 1777 (R-14). Abt. 1786 he removed to Salisbury, Conn. where he was resident at the time of the 1790 census, with 2 males over 16, 1 male under, and 3 females in his family. Under date of 11 Nov. 1817, Gideon Bushnell and Nancy Hurd, his wife, release to Benjamin Hurd all their interests in the est. both real and personal, of the late Abraham Hurd of Killingworth, Conn. dec'd. Both he and his wife d. and were buried in Salisbury.

Children, 10, (R-12):

834. i. Juliana, b. 29 July 1787, d. 16 Feb. 1863, m. Nov. 1807, Oliver Stevens.

Children, 4:

834. i. Nancy Stevens.
834. ii. Gideon Stevens.
834. iii. Benjamin Stevens.
834. iv. Anson Stevens.

835*. ii. Pope, b. 11 Feb. 1789.
836*. iii. Henry, b. 30 Nov. 1790.
837*. iv. Campbell, b. 17 June 1792.
838*. v. Alvah, b. 18 Feb. 1794.
840. vii. Daphne, b. 20 June 1796, d. 28 June 1856, m. 9 Feb. 1823, Joseph A. Hubbard.

Children, 2:

840. i. Alonzo Hubbard.
840. ii. Frederick Hubbard.

841*. viii. Orsamus, b. 20 Apr. 1801.
843. x. Elizabeth, b. 6 Sept. 1807, d. 15 May 1809.

*381. Doud, b. Saybrook, Conn. 15 May 1762, d. Waitsfield, Vt. 12 Aug. 1848, m. 17 Nov. 1789, Lucy Joyce, b. 10 Nov. 1767, d. Waitsfield, Vt. 9 Oct. 1841, dau. of William and Eunice (Bishop) Joyce.
Doud Bushnell served in Rev. War as a private, enlisted in June 1779 for 3 months in Capt. Leigh's Co. Col. William Worthington's Regt. and was discharged in West Parish. Then served 2 months in Jan. and Feb. 1780 as a substitute for Stephen Denison, with Capt. John Shipman near Saybrook, and in May of that year enlisted for 1 year in Capt. Shapley's Co. under Col. William Ledyard, in garrison of Fort Trumbull at New London. In June 1781 enlisted for 3 months in Col. Canfield's Regt. which he joined at West Point, N.Y. He also made several voyages under Capt. Port in the privateer Thetis, and later in other privateers (R-12-87).

About 1786, he went to Shelburn, and in 1789 to Buckland, Mass. where he married and where his first child was born. Here he is listed in the 1790 census as David Bushnell in error. In 1793 he was in Cambridge, N.Y. where his 2nd and 3rd children were born, and abt. 1796 removed to Waitsfield, Vt. where his remaining children were born. He constructed a small water power to turn the spinning wheels for his wife and neighbors, the only power driven spindles in the town.

He was a cordwainer or shoemaker by trade but in later years engaged in farming. He was honored by nearly every office of trust the town could confer upon him, such as Representative, Justice of the Peace for 8 years, Selectman for 4 years, Town Treasurer for 10 years, Treasurer for U.S. School Fund for 15 years, etc. After he went to Waitsfield he was granted a pension. He also served in the War of 1812 in a Vermont Regt. and took part in the Battle of Plattsburg. His death was caused by paralysis and that of his wife from a "fever." Both were buried in Waitsfield (R-86).

Children, 11, (R-12-86):

844*. i. Gideon, b. 4 May 1790.
846. iii. Frances (Fanny), b. Cambridge, N.Y. 25 Apr. 1795, d. 21 Nov. 1835, m. 29 Sept. 1818, Earl Smith, b. 6 Apr. 1795, son of Selah (Moses5-4 Jehobad3 Philip2 Samuel1) Smith. They removed after 1825 to Williston, Vt. and later to Willoughby, Ohio, where he d. He m. 2nd, Mary Pierson, and 3rd, Sarah Jackson.

Children, 6, all b. Waitsfield, Vt., (R-12-86):

846. ii. Joyce Chapman Smith, b. 21 Dec. 1821, d. 21 Nov. 1847, unm. She was lost on Lake Michigan when the steamer Phoenix burned.
846. iii. Lucy A. Smith, b. 20 Jan. 1826, d. 5 Mar. 1888, m. 11 May 1846, Dr. Johnson F. Heaton, b. 13 Apr. 1825, d. 24 Nov. 1872, he was a surgeon and after his death she became a Govt. Employee in charge of the office of Div. of Pensions. Children,


848*. v. Ira, b. 3 Apr. 1799.

849*. vi. Nile, b. 5 Aug. 1801.

850*. vii. Daniel Spencer, b. 5 Apr. 1803.


852. ix. Lucy, b. 26 Mar. 1807, d. 26 Sept. 1878, m. 16 May 1837, Bethuel Joslin, b. Waitsfield, Vt. 25 May 1805, d. there 20 May 1887, son of James (Joseph6 Nathaniel5 Peter4-3 Thomas3) Joslin. He was a farmer at Waitsfield, Vt.

Children, 5:

852. i. Marticia Angelia Joslin, b. 24 Sept. 1838, d. 12 Mar. 1843.

852. ii. Amanda Marilla Joslin, b. 24 July 1840, m. 17 Sept. 1861, Charles Edward Jones, b. 2 May 1838, son of Hiram Jones of Waitsfield, Vt. He was a farmer. Children, 6: i. Abbie Luella Jones, b. 21 Jan. 1862; ii. a son Jones, b. 29 Apr. d. 19 May 1863; iii. Laura Alice Jones, b. 24 June 1864; iv. George Myron Jones, b. 3 Apr. 1866, m. 8 Mar. 1893, Rowena H. Atwood of Woodstock, Vt. b. 27 Jan. 1867; v. Lucy Carpenter Jones, b. 3 Aug. 1868, d. 8 Nov. 1888; vi. Edward Hiram Jones, b. 11 Dec. 1872.

852. iii. Lucy Bushnell Joslin, b. 9 Oct. 1843.

852. iv. Ahira Bethuel Joslin, b. 6 Aug. 1844, d. 19 May 1860.


853*. x. Pardon, b. 24 Sept. 1808.

854. xi. Amanda, b. 12 July 1810, d. 12 Oct. 1854, ae. 45, m. Henry Sherman of Keeseville, N.Y. They lived at Chesterfield, N.Y.

Children, 2:

854. i. Amanda Sherman.

854. ii. Henry B. Sherman.

Rev. Jedediah Bushnell learned the trades of tanner and cordwainer and was a student at Williams College, being a member of the first Freshman class organized on the grounds, and graduated in the class of 1797.

Immediately after his graduation he entered into his life work and was appointed a missionary in Bloomfield, N.Y. by the Missionary Society of Connecticut who sent their missionaries into Western New York at an early date. Here he labored from 1797 to 1800 organizing churches. He was the first pastor in So. Worcester and organized the Cong. Church at Westford, N.Y. among others.

After spending eleven months in western N.Y. he returned to Conn. in Jan. 1801 and was sent into the northern counties of Vermont where he spent eleven months, returning to Conn. in 1802, and was reappointed a Missionary during his pleasure to revisit the churches he had organized, and to adjust any matters that may have arisen. He later accepted a call from the church at Cornwall where he was their settled pastor from 1803 to 1836 and m. there abt. 1803, and here all of his children were born. He was buried in the church cemetery (R-86-89).

Children, 9, (R-88):
855. i. Jedediah S.
856. ii. Elizabeth, b. 1806, d. 21 Aug. 1833, ae. 27, bur. in Church Cemetery at Cornwall, Vt.
857. iii. Mary, d. 1832, church member at Cornwall 1821.
858. iv. Martha, d. 1840, church member at Cornwall 1831.
859. v. Hannah, d. 1843, church member at Cornwall 1831.
860. vi. Abigail, m. Rev. Hiram Bingham, removed to Windham, Ohio, where they were in 1885. No children.
861. vii. David, b. 1820, d. 3 July 1843, ae. 23, m. Lucy ( ), who was a church member in 1826, and he in 1843, buried church cemetery.
862. viii. Rhoda.
863. ix. Lucy, church member in 1826 and had removed before 1831.


Alexander Bushnell, b. Lyme, Conn. became a carpenter, and two months after his 21st birthday, m. Chloe Waite of Lyme (a Descendant of Thomas Waite, Member of Parliament, who had signed the death warrant of King Charles I, and, after the Restoration, had been obliged to flee the country). Before their removal to Hartland, Conn. they resided in Lyme, at least until after the birth of their second child, Daniel, in 1763, although it is said that he built a house in Hartland in 1762, but they probably settled in Hartland before 1770 as on 22 Jan. 1770, he received title to a tract of land there, and on 2nd of the next Dec. took a letter from the church at Lyme to the Church at Hartland where on 30 Oct. 1776, he and his wife were still members. From 1777 to 1780 he was a Selectman, during which time he also served in the Rev. War, first as a Sergt. under Gen. Gates at Saratoga, N.Y. where he took part in the capture of Gen. Burgoyne's Army in 1777, and in
1780 as Ensign in Capt. Mill's Co. Col. Beebe's Regt. of Minute Men, which rank he had previously held in the 11th Co. of Train Band (R-14). During this time he was also on important commissions, such as providing tents, raising moneys on the town credit, etc. By 1781 he was a Lt. in the 3rd. Co. 26th Regt. and later was promoted to Capt. in the same unit, as is said (R-23). He traded his house in Hartland, built by his son Daniel in 1798, and which, before it was destroyed by fire in 1925, had stood for some 127 years, for land in Vernon, Ohio, and shortly after, at the age of 65, he with 8 or 10 other families, among whom were his son Thomas, gr-son Andrews, Asahel Newell, Elam Jones and others, set out in ox teams and wagons for their new homes in the Connecticut Reserve in northeastern Ohio, making the journey in six weeks (R-12). He settled in Hartford, Ohio, Trumbull co. and died there in 1818 in his 79th year. His wife died there in 1832 aged 94, and for nearly 30 years she was the oldest person in the county. Both were buried in Center Cemetery in Hartford, where their monument is still standing.

Children, 10, (R-12-90-91):

864*. i. Thomas, b. 12 Jan. 1762.
866*. iii. William, b. 18 May 1766.
867. iv. Chloe, b. 22 July 1768, d. Gustavus, Ohio, 27 July 1838, m. 1st, Hartland, Conn. 3 Dec. 1786, Obediah Gildersleeve, b. Northport, L.I. 21 Aug. 1763, d. Gustavus, Ohio, 12 Oct. 1805, son of Obediah and Mary (Dinge) Gildersleeve, m. 2nd, abt. 1811, Josiah Pelton, who d. abt. 1819, no children 2nd marriage (Was he son of Josiah and Mary (Griswold) Pelton of Gustavus?). In June 1804 they removed to Gustavus, Ohio, from Hartland, Conn. where they were among the original pioneers of that section. He d. there the next year, After the death of Mr. Pelton, the Gildersleeve name was shortened to Gilder, which form it has since retained.

Children, 9, (R-12-92):

867. i. Bailey Gilder, b. Hartland, Conn. 10 June 1787, d. Green, Ohio, 26 Sept. 1848, m. 1808, Betsey Folsom. Children, 6: i. Chloe Gilder, b. 10 Aug. 1809, d. Nov. 1881, m. Samuel Eaton; ii. Samantha Gilder, b. 5 May 1811, m. Oliver Kelley; iii. Betsey Celestia Gilder, b. 5 Jan. 1813, d. 27 June 1861, m. Alfred Mowrey; iv. Sterling Gilder, b. 4 Apr. 1816; v. Dewitt Gilder, b. & d. 9 July 1822; vi. Suell Gilder, b. 2 Mar. 1827, d. same day.
867. ii. Mary (Polly) Gilder, b. 5 Apr. 1789, d. 13 Aug. 1866, unm.
867. iii. Chloe Gilder, b. 13 Apr. 1791, d. 11 May 1807, drowned in a creek near Kingman, Ohio.
of Gustavus, Ohio; viii. Henry Gilder, b. 21 Dec. 1830, d. abt. 1910, m. 4 July 1856, Alicia Pelton; ix. Rosetta Gilder, b. 21 Mar. 1833, d. Cortland, Ohio, abt. 1898; x. Lathrop P. Gilder, b. 20 Mar. 1836, d. Warren, Ohio, 7 May 1914, m. abt. 1858, Augusta Bowman; xi. Miles Gilder, b. 19 Sept. 1838, d. 29 May 1928, m. 16 Sept. 1869, Agnes M. Storier.

867. v. Orril Gilder, b. 23 May 1795, d. 27 Jan. 1891, m. 14 Apr. 1819, Ira Meachem, b. 18 Sept. 1784.

867. vi. Sally (Sarah) Gilder, b. 3 Apr. 1798, d. Mar. 1880, unm.


867. viii. Phebe Gilder (FR), b. 13 Nov. 1802, d. 19 Mar. 1897, unm.

867. ix. Elizabeth Gilder, b. 17 July 1800, d. abt. 1869/70, m. 19 Oct. 1825, John B. Fitch, gr-son of John Fitch of steamboat fame. Children, 5: i. Lovissa L. Fitch, b. 17 July 1826, d. 26 Sept. 1830; ii. Sarah C. Fitch (FR), b. 2 Dec. 1828, m. 4 Oct. 1854, Henry Hamilton; iii. Alvina Fitch, b. 30 June 1831, d. 2 Oct. 1861, m. 5 Feb. 1856, Joseph King; iv. Laura C. Fitch, b. 25 Feb. 1834, d. 2 June 1873, m. 16 Feb. 1873, George McKnight; v. Luther Fitch, b. 8 Aug. 1842, m. 5 Feb. 1868, Elizabeth Johnson.

870. vii. Mary, b. 18 Oct. 1775, d. 28 June 1831, at Hartford, Conn. m. Hartland, Conn. 22 Dec. 1796, as his 2nd wife, Hon. Calvin Cone, b. E. Haddam, Conn. 29 Feb. 1768, Hartford, Ohio, 5 Sept. 1845, son of Thomas and Anna (Warner) Cone. His 1st wife was Sally Brockway, who d. June 1796, ae. 29 years. He m. 3rd, 23 Jan. 1834, Hannah (1832) (Bushnell) Hutchins, dau. of Thomas (864) and Rebecca (Andrews) Bushnell, and widow of Col. Asa Hutchins. His children, 4, by 1st wife: i. Anna Cone, b. 15 Oct. 1788, d. 14 Oct. 1854, m. John Brainard; ii. Lester Cone, b. 29 Aug. 1789, d. 1835, m. 1st, Phebe Bidwell, m. 2nd, Estelle Humphrey; iii. Ralsemon Cone, who d. single in S.C.; iv. Lovisia Cone, d.y. Calvin Cone was Rep. to Conn. Legislature from Barkhampstead and held high offices in Masonic circles. Removed from Hartland, Conn. 30 May 1804, and settled first at Gustavus, Ohio, but 1 May 1816, removed to Hartford, Ohio. He was a member of the Ohio Legislature 1826-9 and filled other positions of trust.

Children, 5, (R-12):

870. i. Sally Cone, b. 9 Nov. 1798, d. 13 Aug. 1884, m. 14 Feb. 1816, Wayne Bidwell, Children, 4: i. Esther Bidwell, m. Stoddard Stevens; ii. Mary Jane Bidwell, m. 1st, Franklin Holcomb, m. 2nd, Isaac Barkley; iii. Calvin Bidwell; iv. Guell Bidwell.

870. ii. Lucy Cone, b. 6 Dec. 1803, d. 6 Feb. 1850, m. 6 Nov. 1823, Daniel John Mattocks, b. Hartford, Conn. 3 Aug. 1793, d. Vernon, Ohio, 8 Mar. 1886, he m. 2nd, 9 Apr. 1851, Mrs. Lucy Cone of Colebrook, Conn. who. d. Vernon, Ohio 4 Jan. 1859. Children 7: i. Hannah Maria Mattocks, b. 26 Oct. 1824, d. 29 July 1874, m. 26 Sept. 1843, Lewis S. Ely; ii. Frederick W. Mattocks, b. 23 July 1826, m. Vernon, Ohio, 11 Mar. 1851, Julia A. T. Smith, lived Ottawa, Ills; iii. James Madison Mattocks, b. 5 May 1828, m. Hartford, Ohio, 30 May 1849, Betsey L. Brockway, lived E. Toledo, Ohio; iv. Laura Amelia Mattocks, b. 26 Feb. 1830, m. 12 Mar. 1851, James K. Frost, lived Hudson, Ohio; v. Dudley Wayne Mattocks, b. 5 May 1832, m. Peru, Ills. 2 Oct. 1853, Grace Ann Wood, lived Scott City, kans; vi. Daniel Jasper Mattocks, b. 28
Feb. 1835, d. 12 Nov. 1888, m. 27 June 1860, Laura Clark; vii. Lucy Josephine Mattocks, b. 24 Oct. 1842, m. 1st, William Simpkins, m. 2nd, Nelson Wadsworth, m. 3rd (?).

870. iii. Julia Cone, b. Gustavus, Ohio, 1 May 1808, d. Markeson, Wisc. 5 Sept. 1855, m. abt. 1829, Cornelius Silliman. Children, 6: i. Frank Silliman, b. 1830, m. 1858; ii. Mary Cone Silliman, b. 1831, d. 16 Apr. 1859, m. 1851; iii. Hattie M. Silliman, b. 1833, d. 1852; iv. Wayne Bidwell Silliman, b. 1834, d. 1861; v. Esther Bidwell Silliman, b. 1836, m. 1856, Harris Neel, lived Blue Earth City, Wisc; vi. Calvin Cone Silliman, b. 1845.

870. iv. Sylvester Cone, b. 18 Mar. 1810, m. 4 Apr. 1833, Caroline Howe of Bloomfield, Ohio. Children, 10: i. Matilda Cone; ii. Helen Cone; iii. Julia Cone; iv. Rosalie Cone; v. Lucy Cone; vi. Lemuel Cone; vii. Sylvester Cone; viii. Moses Cone; ix. Edgar Cone; x. Erastus Cone.

870. v. Erastus B. Cone, b. 12 May 1812, m. 8 Nov. 1837, Amanda (or Candace) Adams Green of Bloomfield, Ohio, b. 14 Nov. 1818, d. Hartford, Ohio 15 Jan. 1887, dau. of Cyril and Polly (Sherman) Green. He was a farmer in Hartland, Ohio, 1900. Children, 5: i. Laura Ann Cone, b. 2 Oct. 1838, m. 20 Oct. 1858, Richard G. Wellman, resided Indianapolis, Ind.; ii. Mary Maria Cone, b. 12 Dec. 1839, d. 4 Mar. 1882, m. 29 Oct. 1861, George W. Nichols; iii. Adda Frances Cone, b. 15 Oct. 1843, m. 4 Nov. 1866, Allen P. Kepner; iv. Ella Loraine Cone, b. 10 Oct. 1850, m. Edward Bennett, lived Warren, Ohio; v. Clayton Walter Cone, b. 1 June 1852, lived Franklin, Penn.

871. viii. Hannah, b. 8 June 1778, d. 24 Apr. 1849, m. 17 Oct. 1805, Davis Fuller, b. 31 Oct. 1782, d. Ind. 7 May 1855, son of Samuel Fuller. Went from Hartland, Conn. to Hartford, Ohio, in 1805/6, with their eldest child, where he was one of the original pioneers. He was a saddler and harness maker, which occupation he followed for some 50 years, and was in Capt. Hayes Co. in the War of 1812, was a Deacon in the Church and prominent in the anti-slavery movement. All of their children but the 1st were b. in Hartford, Ohio. Children, 8, (R-93):

871. i. Eunice Lavinia Fuller, b. 21 Aug. 1804, d. 8 July 1895, m. ( ) Burr.
871. ii. Samuel Fuller, b. 16 Feb. 1807, d. 9 May 1809.
871. iv. Henry Haynes Fuller, b. 30 May 1811, d. 15 Sept. 1828.
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872. ix. Lucy, b. 1 May 1780, d. Jenks, Pa. 26 Jan. 1860, m. Hartland, Conn. 1 Feb. 1804, Aaron Brockway, b. 1 Aug. 1769, d. Jenks, Pa. 31 July 1848. Abt. 1798 or 1800 they removed from Hartland, Conn. to Vernon, Ohio, where they were the first settlers, and abt. 1801/2, removed to Hartford, Ohio, and abt. 1835 to Forest Co. Penn. It is said that when they first came to Ohio, she lived for seven months before seeing another white woman. Children, 10, (R-12):

872. i. Mary Brockway, b. 5 Nov. 1804, d. 1 Feb. 1840, m. Hartford, Ohio, 27 Mar. 1832, Timothy Hoadley, b. Hartland, Conn. 21 July 1800, d. 16 Sept. 1847 from injuries by a runaway horse. He m. 2nd, 3 June 1841, her sister, Olive Brockway. Children, 1, by 1st wife: i. Martin Hoadley, b. 18 July 1834, d.y.

872. ii. Lucy Brockway, b. 13 Nov. 1806, d. 16 Oct. 1848.


872. iv. Betsey Brockway, b. 18 June 1811, d. Orangeville, Ohio, 12 Feb. 1866, m. Hartford, Ohio, 22 Feb. 1829, Nathaniel Wilson, b. Vt. 9 Mar. 1803. He was a farmer, blacksmith, and lumber dealer at Orangeville, where all the children but the 1st were born. Children, 9: i. Albert Wilson, b. Hartford, Ohio, 8 Mar. d. 21 Mar. 1830; ii. Emma Wilson, b. 8 Apr. 1831, d. same day; iii. Martin H. Wilson, b. 2 July 1833, m. 1st, Oct. 1863, Amelia A. McFarland, b. 20 Nov. 1837, d. 8 Sept. 1869, m. 2nd, Gustavus, Ohio, 30 June 1871, Susie Noble, b. 27 Mar. 1849; iv. Mary E. Wilson, b. 9 Nov. 1835, m. 20 Aug. 1856, Amos H. Williams, b. 1830, farmer at Vernon, Ohio; v. Sarah Wilson, b. 27 Aug. 1838,
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d. same day; vi. Dwight Wilson, b. 10 Oct. 1840, m. 3 Mar. 1863, Elizabeth J. Myers; vii. Anna Lucy Wilson, b. 12 July 1844, d. 27 Aug. 1848; viii. Julia A. Wilson, b. 27 Apr. 1851, m. 25 Dec. 1871, ( ) an attorney at Orangeville, Ohio; ix. Lucy J. Wilson, b. 29 July 1853.

872. v. Erastus W. Brockway, b. 13 Apr. d. 11 June 1813.

872. vi. Aurelia Brockway, b. 21 June 1814, m. 1 Nov. 1843, Austin Hamilton of Plattsville, Wis. b. Conway, Mass. 19 Nov. 1814, lived Arrow Rock, Wis. Children, 1: i. Willis Hamilton, b. Linden, Wis. 27 June, d. 12 July 1845.

872. vii. Olive Brockway, b. 17 July 1816, m. 3 June 1841, her sister Mary's widower, Timothy Hoadley, at Hartford, Ohio, m. 2nd, 1849, David L. Shepard, a blacksmith and farmer, they removed to Arrow Rock, Wis. abt. 1866. Children, 5: i. Mary Hoadley, b. 11 Apr. 1842; ii. Guell Hoadley, b. 17 July 1845, m. 1 Oct. 1875, at Sedalia, Mo. Mary Shepard, b. Solon, Ohio, 17 June 1842; iii. Frank O. Shepard, b. 12 Jan. 1855; iv. Austin H. Shepard, b. 29 Feb. 1856; v. Clyde L. Shepard, b. 1 Aug. 1858.

872. viii. Edmund Brockway, b. 21 July 1818, d. Hartford, Ohio, 29 Apr. 1849.

872. ix. Urial H. Brockway, b. 27 Nov. 1820, m. Marionville, Pa. 12 Mar. 1848, Helen J. Anderson. He was a farmer and shoemaker. Children, 10: i. Erastus Brockway, b. 11 Sept. 1845, d. 20 Aug. 1852; ii. Anna L. Brockway, b. 20 Oct. 1851, m. 18 June 1871, Cheater P. Lites, b. 25 Mar. 1835, they lived at Laramie, Mo. where he was a farmer and gunsmith; iii. Emma Brockway, b. 24 Sept. 1853, m. 28 Nov. 1871, Edward Case, lived at Laramie, Mo; iv. Hattie A. Brockway, b. 7 Oct. 1855; v. Elizabeth M. Brockway, b. 16 Apr. 1857; vi. James Brockway, b. 30 Apr. 1859, d. 4 May 1862; vii. Ella Brockway, b. 2 Sept. 1861; viii. Frank H. Brockway, b. 13 Sept. 1864; ix. Eddie M. Brockway, b. 30 Oct. 1866; x. Preston Brockway, b. 17 Mar. 1874.

872. x. Emily Brockway, b. 1 Aug. 1824, unm.

873. x. Phebe, b. 2 Aug. 1784, d. 7 Dec. 1875, m. Hartford, Conn. 18 Aug. 1802, Asahel Borden, b. Hartford, Conn. 18 Aug. 1782, d. 8 Mar. 1869. On the 29 May 1804, they set out from Hartland with an ox team to go to Hartford, Ohio, and arrived at their destination the 20 July, having been 53 days on the trail. They settled on the farm which she still occupied in 1875 at the time of her death at the age of 91, having outlived all the original pioneers. She has been often quoted as the authority for the statement that "the father of Alexander Bushnell was a seaman and lost his life at sea, before his son was born."

Children, 8, (R-12):


873. ii. Elsa F. Borden, b. 16 Oct. 1805, m. 8 Jan. 1822, Paul Wellman, b. 31 Dec. 1800, who migrated from Oneida co. N.Y.


873. v. Hannah Borden, b. 28 Sept. 1812, d. 5 Nov. 1826.


873. vii. Deborah Lent Borden, b. 17 June 1821.

873. viii. Harriet Maria Borden, b. 27 May 1824, m. 27 May 1841, Abner Banning.


874. i. Jerusha, b. 2 Oct. 1764.

875. ii. Jonathan, b. 26 June, d. 6 Sept. 1766.

876. iii. Jonathan, bapt. 7 May 1769.

877. iv. Elizabeth, b. 21 July 1773, d. 10 Jan. 1811, m. 11 Dec. 1795, Vine Cutler, b. Windham, Conn. 25 May 1770, d. Hanover Conn. 12 June 1855, son of Samuel and Eunice (Simons) Cutler. He m. 2nd, 1 Nov. 1812, Eunice Kingsley, by whom he had a son, John, b. 24 May 1816. Children, 4:
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877. i. a son Cutler, b. 2 Mar. 1800.
877. ii. Polly Cutler, bapt. 27 June 1802, m. 31 Mar. 1818, Jedediah Tuckerman, lived Plainfield, Conn.
877. iii. a son Cutler, b. 3 May 1806.
877. iv. a dau. Cutler, b. Aug. 1808, probably others.
878* v. Jonathan, b. 11 Apr. 1777.
879* vi. Martin, b. 3 Jan. 1780.

   David Bushnell and his wife owned the covenant in the. 1st. Cong. Church of Norwich, 19 Oct. 1777. He was probably a farmer in the Lisbon district and by the 1790 census had a family of 1 male over 16, 4 males under 16, and 3 females.
   Children, 7, (R-94):
     880. i. David, b. 7 July 1775 d. 8 Oct. 1779.
   Children, 1:
     884. i. Ezra Gager, d. Buffalo, N.Y.
     886. vii. Eleazer, b. 18 May 1789.

*395. John, b. Norwich, Conn. 5 June 1759, bapt. either 29 June 1759 or 10 June 1760, d. Occum, Conn. (a part of Norwich), 16 Jan. 1806, m. 24 June 1784, Lucy Roath, b. Norwich, 29 Mar. 1758, d. 6 Dec. 1840.
   John Bushnell was a farmer and lived in that part of Norwich called Occum, and d. of Typhus fever, as reported by his son Leonard, who often stated that "he lost his father, two sisters, and two brothers, from typhus fever and that he and his mother, also afflicted, were not expected to recover." By the 1790 census he had a family of 1 male over 16, 1 male under 16, and 4 females. His will mentions his widow Lucy, sons James and Leonard, and dau. Miss Sabory Bushnell, Mrs. Polly, wife of Martin Bushnell. Bond signed 8 Apr. 1806, by Lucy Bushnell and Thomas Wheeler, and the dist. dated 26 May 1806, made an allowance for coffins for his dau. Fanny and son John. The property consisted of land with mansion house and barn, a ¼ part of a lot of land which had belonged to his dec'd sister Eunice Bushnell, and a ¼ part of a lot of land which had belonged to his dec'd sister Miss. Mary Bushnell.
   Children, 10, all b. Norwich, (R-12-94):
     887. i. John, b. 27 Apr. 1785, d. 20 Jan. 1806 of typhus fever.
     888. ii. Polly, b. 1 Jan. 1787, d. 19 Dec. 1825, m. as his
1st wife, Martin (879) Bushnell, son of Jonathan (386) and Jerusha (Hyde) Bushnell.

889. iii. Lucy, b. 4 Apr. 1799, d. 22 Dec. 1805, of typhus fever.

890. iv. Eunice, b. 11 May 1790, d. 27 Jan. 1796.

891*. v. James, b. 16 May 1793.

892. vi. Gordon, b. 7 July, d. 14 Oct. 1795, reported also as Gurdon.

893. vii. Fanny, b. 9 Oct. 1797, d. 2 or 22 Jan. 1806 of typhus fever.

894. viii. Roswell, b. 10, d. 25 Feb. 1799, (family records say Samuel).

895. ix. Sabra, b. 11 Feb. 1801, d. Southbridge, Mass. abt. 1858, m. 1st, Aaron Corbin, who d. abt. 1849; m. 2nd, abt. 1853, Thomas Talcott, of Woodstock, Conn. (He is also of record as (Icabod or) Ichabod).

896*. x. Leonard, b. 6 Mar. 1803.


Nathan Bushnell was a Post Rider carrying mail from New London and distributing it through Norwich and Lisbon. He was given to much practical joking, and among other names, called Holloing Bushnell on account of his powerful voice which could be heard two miles from his home, and for his eccentricities. He lived in Hanover, a part of Norwich.

Children, 14, (R-94-95-96):

897. i. Ruth, b. 14 June 1761, bapt. 21 Feb. 1775, at Hanover, Conn. m. there, 14 May 1780, Ephriam Campbell.

898. ii. Anne, b. 24 Nov. 1763, bapt. Hanover, Conn. 21 Feb. 1775, d. 20 Mar. 1828, unm.

899*. iii. Jonathan (or John), b. 22 Aug. 1765.

900. iv. Asenath, b. 3 May 1767, bapt. Hanover 21 Feb. 1775, d. 22 Feb. 1843, m. as his 2nd wife, 10 Apr. 1799, Jedediah Brewster, who, d. in Ohio in July 1827, son of Peleg (Jonathan Wealthy Love William) Brewster. He m. 1st, 19 May 1773, Prudence Robinson, who d. 17 Jan. 1799, in her 46th year. They lived in Canterbury, and he is said to have served in the Rev. War. This is a proved Mayflower line.

Children, 4, (R-97):

600. ii. Lydia Prudence Brewster, b. 6 Jan. 1803, d. 26 Mar. 1818.


601*. v. Jesse, b. 23 Mar. 1769,


602. i. Bushnell Turner, mentioned in deed dated 11 Nov. 1822, rec. in Lisbon, Conn. where his mother sold to her brother Charles (907), her share of her father's est.


Children, 3, (R-97):

604. i. son Brewster, who perhaps had a son: i. Samuel Brewster who lived Syracuse, N.Y.


604. iii. Vashti Brewster, a deed is of record in Lisbon, Conn. dated 6 Oct. 1828, Vashti Brewster to Charles Bushnell for her fifth part in land called Wood Pasture. Also a lease is of
record dated 25 Mar. 1829, between Ruth Bushnell and Vashti Brewster whereby Ruth leases her one third right in land known as King Land. Whether the Vashti in these instruments was mother or daughter is not known.


906. x. Clarissa, b. Apr. 1780, m. as his 2nd wife, 26 Feb. 1799, Rev. Shubal Lamb, b. 14 Oct. 1771, son of Joseph and Betsey (Ingraham) Lamb. He m. 1st, Abigail Patterson, b.1769, d.14 June 1798, dau. of William and Abigail (Avery) Patterson, and had a dau. i. Rhoda Lamb, b. 15 Oct. 1796. He was a Methodist Minister at Wells, Vt.

Children, 9:

906. i. Charles Lamb, b. 4 Dec. 1799, m. 15 Mar. 1821, Elizabeth Groves (or Grover), of Wells, Vt.


906. iii. Abigail Lamb, b. 7 May 1805, m. 26 Sept. 1824, Pliny Paul of Tinmouth, Vt.

906. iv. Lucy Lamb, b. 20 Sept. 1807, d. 22 May 1808.

906. v. Orville Lamb, b. 22 July 1809, d. 6 Aug. 1823.

906. vi. Asenath Lamb, b. 2 July 1811.

906. vii. Eliza Lamb, b. 2 Apr. 1813.

906. viii. Madison Lamb, b. 15 Nov. 1815, d. 20 Sept. 1847, m. 26 Oct. 1841, Sylvia Lewis of Wells, Vt. b. 2 Sept. 1818, dau. of William and Hannah (Nichols) Lewis. She m. 2nd, as his 2nd wife, Harris Stevens, whose 1st wife was Caroline Hyde, who d. 1851. Resided Wells, Vt. and Fort Edwards, N.Y.


907. xi. Charles, b. 1 Apr. 1782.

908. xii. Lucy, b. Oct. 1786, bapt. Hanover, Conn. 31 Dec. 1786, m. as his 2nd wife, Martin (879) son of Jonathan (386) and Jerusha (Hyde) Bushnell.

909. xiii. Ann, m. ( ) Phillips of Norwichtown, Conn.

910. xiv. Hannah, m. as is said (270) Horace Pumpelly, a wealthy churchman of New York.

*399. Aaron, b. Norwich, Conn. 16 June 1743, bapt. Newent Church, 4 June 1748, d. Hanover, Conn. 29 Dec. 1817, m. Norwich, 2 Nov. 1763, Irene Burnham, b. Norwich, Conn. 17 June 1754, d. Hanover, 14 Aug. 1821, dau. of Daniel and Irene (Tracy) Burnham of Norwich.

Aaron Bushnell probably came to Hanover abt. 1768, a section of Norwich which was organized by the Hanover Society. All but his first two children were probably born in Hanover.

Children, 10, (R-94-96):

911. i. Asa, b. 27 July 1764.


913. iii. Abigail Burnham, b. 24 Nov. 1767, bapt. 30 Jan. 1777, m. Hanover, Conn. 19 Feb. 1782 Silas Perkins.

914. iv. Marjory, b. 28 Aug. 1770, bapt. Hanover, 30 Jan. 1776, m. 23 Jan. 1794, Crane Knight.


916. vi. Joshua, b. 27 Feb. 1775.
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917*. vii. Adonijah, b. 23 June 1777.

918. viii. Elizabeth, b. 12 June 1778, bapt. Hanover, 6 Mar. 1779, d. 8 Apr. 1801.

919. ix. Eleazer, b. 3 Sept. 1780, bapt. Hanover, 4 Mar. 1781. He was in Lee, Oneida co. N.Y. in 1816, Inspector of Schools, Justice of the Peace and a Merchant.

920*. x. Tracy, b. 4 Oct. 1785.

*406. Ezekiel, b. Norwich, Conn. 20 Aug. 1750, d. Hanover, Conn. 4 Apr. 1796, m. Newent Church, 7 Sept. 1776, Selah Darby. She m. 2nd, 11 Jan. 1801, William Carey of Scotland Parish, Windham, Conn.

Ezekiel Bushnell m. in Lisbon, Conn. and on 7 Nov. 1783, he and his wife joined the Church at Hanover, where on 29 June 1788, both were admitted to full communion. He was a farmer in Hanover where on 20 Nov. 1783 and 19 Sept. 1794, his father had given him two tracts of land. His will, dated 10 Nov. 1795, prov. 26 Apr., Exec. Bond signed 7 July 1796, mentions wife Selah, sons Dyer and Ward, and dau. Tabitha. Exec's. Nathan Lord and "if he is dead or refuses to serve," Capt. Luis Perkins. About five years after his death his widow m. William Carey and removed to Scotland, Conn. and on 5 Apr. 1815, his dau. Tabitha and her husband, Elijah Carey, sold to Dyer Bushnell the land which her father had left to her brother Ward, also her half interest in the lands which had been given to her by the will of her father Ezekiel, who had received them from his father Joseph. The name Tabitha is also read Jalitha.

Children, 10, all b. Hanover, Conn. (R-96):

921. i. Jedediah, b. 4 May 1777, d. 16 Sept. 1778.

922*. ii. Jedediah, b. 11 Apr. 1779.

923. iii. Gordon, b. 29 Sept. 1782, d. 22 Mar. 1788.


926. vi. Abigail, b. 19 Feb. 1791, bapt. 17 Apr. 1791, d. abt. 1796, ae. 5y. She was called Nabby in the records.

927. vii. a child, d.y.

928. viii. a child, d.y.

929. ix. a child, d.y.

930. x. a child, d.y.


Joseph Bushnell was in Hanover in 1784 where his first child was bapt. but no further record of his movements has come to our attention. His family by the 1790 census was 1 Male over 16, 2 males under, and 3 females.

Children, 5, (R-98):

931. i. a child, b. Hanover, Conn. 18 June 1764.

932. ii. a child, no other record.

933. iii. a child, no other record.

934. iv. a child, no other record.

935. v. Nancy Benjamin, b. 18 June 1795, d. Preston, Conn. 18 Oct. 1846, m. there 1 Jan. 1816, Walter Holden, b. 5 Aug. 1791,

Children, 5:

935. i. Charles Walter Holden, b. 25 Oct. 1816, d. 7 June 1875, m. 9 June 1843, Rebecca Champlin Corning, b. 6 Jan. 1826, d. 28 Mar. 1914, dau. of Amos and Matilda (Guyant) Corning.

935. ii. Ruth Ann Holden, b. 25 July 1818, d. 10 Mar. 1906, m. 21 Oct. 1838, Thomas Fitch Standish, son of Amos, a descendant of Miles Standish. Lived Hanover, Conn.


935. iv. Mary Caroline Holden, b. 6 Sept. 1826, d. 5 Nov. 1897/8, at Putney, Vt. m. 4 May 1846, Silas Fitch Beebe, b. 14 May 1826, d. 13 June 1898, dau. of Joab and Sally (Mowry) Beebe. He served in Civil War, Co. D, 24th Conn. Vol.


Jason Bushnell resided in that part of Lisbon which became a part of Hanover, Conn. In 1779 he enlisted as a private in the Rev. War in Capt. Charles Miel's Co. Gen. Waterbury's Brigade for the defense of the seacoast and served until 1781 when he returned to Hanover (R-14). The 1790 census reports his family as 1 male over 16, 2 males under 16, and 2 females. In 1811 he removed with his wife and four children to a farm on the Canterbury Hill near Rome, N.Y. and in 1845 removed with his wife Sarah to Cincinnati, Ohio, to reside with his son, where his wife died in 1846, and he died the next year at the age of 86. He is of record as a pensioner of the Rev. War. All of their children except the two youngest, who were born near Rome, N.Y. were born in Hanover, Conn. (R-97).

Children, 13:

936*. i. Andrew Lee, b. 8 May 1785.

937. ii. Lemira, b. 14 Jan. 1787, d. 2 Mar. 1860, m. 1st, Hanover, Conn. 21 Jan. 1808, Andrew Lee, m. 2nd, 11 May 1823, Oliver Hastings of New Hampshire, m. 3rd, 23 Nov. 1852, Josiah Spencer. Oliver Hastings, it is stated, helped to hew the timbers for the original buildings of Dartmouth College. His dau. Harriet by his first wife m. Ezra Witter (952), son of Ephriam (412) and Temperance (Wells) Bushnell. She was admitted to Hanover Church 14 Dec. 1806, ae. 20.

Children, 5:

937. i. Abigail W. Lee, b. 28 Aug. 1809, m. 2 June 1828, Stiles Stanton, who made a fortune in the whaling business sending out ships from New London, Conn. and New Bedford, Mass. Children, 3: i. Edmond Stanton who became a partner with Daniel Drew and was one of the founders of the New York Stock Exchange; ii. Abby Lee Stanton; iii. Stiles Stanton.
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937. iii. Lemira Hastings, b. 18 May 1824, d. abt. 1855, m. 31 July 1846, Arthur C. Howell. She was for some years a teacher in the public schools of Cincinnati, Ohio. Children, 2: i. infant, d.y; ii. Walter S. Howell, m. Laura Nichols of Springfield, Ohio.
937. iv. George W. Hastings, b. 13 Jan. 1827, m. 11 Oct. 1848, Candace L. White of Niagara Falls, N.Y. b. 11 July 1827. He was for many years a newspaper publisher in Cleveland, Ohio. Children, 4: i. Helen C. Hastings, b. 18 Feb. 1850, d. 10 May 1873, unm; ii. Lemira L. Hastings, b. 19 Jan. 1855, d. 14 Jan. 1907, m. Rev. S. S. Waltz; iii. Nettie L. Hastings, b. 25 Oct. 1859, m. 15 May 1886, Capt. Harry Anderson, lived Baltimore, Md; iv. Harry G. Hastings, b. 8 Mar. 1869, m. 25 Dec. 1890, Pearl M. Freeborn, lived Atlanta, Ga. where he was the head of the largest seed house in the south, and co-owner of the leading agricultural paper, the Southern Ruralist.
937. v. John Hastings, b. 29 Nov. 1829, d. 21 July 1830.
938. iii. Lee Hastings, b. 25 June 1789, d. in 1867, ae. 78, at the home of Rev. Horace Bushnell in Cincinnati, Ohio, unm.
939. iv. Lovisa Kirtland, b. 13 Aug. 1791, d. 29 June 1860, m. Galesburg, Ills. 1 Jan. 1818, Agrippa Martin of New Jersey, who d. ae. 70. Children, 4:
939. i. Hannah Wright Martin, m. Francis Xavia Pond.
939. ii. Simeon A. Martin, drowned Whitesboro, N.Y.
939. iii. Charles Finney Martin, m. Mary E. Beebe, and in 1859 was sent as a missionary to the Copts in Egypt by the A.M.S. He returned to the United States just before the Civil War and was stationed at Nashville, Tenn. in the service of the Christian Commission. Children, 4: i. Hannah W. Martin; ii. Charles B. Martin, m. Helen J. Wright; iii. Mary N. Martin, d.y; iv. Amelia A. Martin, m. Cecil J. Smith.
939. iv. Simeon H. Martin, m. Jennie B. Reed.
941. vi. Sophia, b. 9 July 1796, d. 16 Jan. 1814, unm.
942. vii. Lydia, b. 26 July 1798, d. 9 Mar. 1799.
945*. x. Horace, b. 20 Nov. 1802.
946. xi. infant, b. 29 July 1805, d. at birth.
947. xii. Jason, d. ae. 55.
948. xiii. Abby Sophia, b. 4 Feb. 1822, d. ae. 45, m. 13 Apr. ( ), Rev. James Charles White of Providence, R. I., b. Lancaster, Mass. who was for 50 years in active work in the Presbyterian Church, part of the time in Providence and for the last years of his life in Cincinnati, Ohio.

*412. Ephriam, b. Hanover, Conn. 13 Sept. 1765, d. there 3 Apr. 1844, ae. 78, m. Franklin, Conn. 20 Sept. 1792, Temperance Wells (R-30), b. 4 Mar. 1768, d. 16 Apr. 1836.

Ephriam Bushnell resided in Hanover all of his life and became a member of the Congregational Church there. The surname of his wife is given as Welles in the Franklin Church Register, but in other records as Wells.

Children, 4, (R-96):
949. i. Eunice Huntington, b. 13 June 1793, d. 28 Aug. 1794.
950. ii. Eunice Huntington, b. 26 July 1794, d. 31 Aug. 1827, united with the Church at Hanover, 30 Aug. 1816.

*414. Elijah, b. Lebanon, Conn. 10 Apr. 1746, bapt. 30 Mar. 1746/7, d. Green co. N.Y. 5/15 Apr. 1843, m. Lebanon, 12 Feb. 1769, Eunice Pratt (R-100), b. 10 May 1750, d. 27 Feb. 1840, dau. of Zadok and Hannah (Pickett) Pratt.

Elijah Bushnell was of Lebanon when he bought a 14 acre tract of land from Joseph Fowler, on 1 Apr. 1768, which the 7 Nov. next he sold to his brother Aaron. He married the next year in Lebanon but had removed to Sharon, Conn. before 11 Mar. 1773, when he sold to his brother Aaron "all lands and buildings he had bought of Joseph Fowler, late of Lebanon."

He was a Corp. in the Rev. War in Capt. Amos Barnes' Co. Col. Noahdiah Hooker's Regt. which he joined 12 Apr. 1777; served at Peekskill, N.Y. and discharged 20 May next, being allowed 5 days for travel (R-14). Is referred to as Capt. in some records. He was of West Stockbridge, Mass. 7 Mar. 1780, when his wife was admitted as a member of the church there, and was there at the time of the 1790 census when he had in his family 2 males over 16, 4 males under 16, and 4 females. He probably removed to Green co. N.Y. before 1794, as on 7 Mar. his wife was dismissed by letter to the Church at W(_____) (perhaps Windham), as he was a constable and postmaster there 1794-1798. They later removed to the valley between Lexington and West Kill, N.Y. where he had the first grist mill in that section, and in seasons of activity and scarcity, imported grains from England, which were brought across the mountains at Rondout. It is said that he died at Lexington (R-104). His wife was the youngest of six daughters of Rev. Zadok Pratt, a Presbyterian Minister at Hartford, Conn. and when she died she left a silk dress to each of her daughters.

Children, 10, (R-101):
953*. i. Elijah, b. 6 May 1770.
954. ii. Milo Hitchcock, b. 8 Mar. 1799, d. 6 June 1829, m. 3 Oct. 1822, Sarah Shepard, half-sister to Lucy, wife of his brother, Lewis Hitchcock, and Fanny, wife of his brother, Alvin Hitchcock. She m. 2nd, William Vansill and had a dau. Laura Vansill who m. Alonzo Goodsell and had 7 children. Children, 4: i. Martin Shepard Hitchcock, m. Charlotte Shepard, lost his life in Civil War; ii. Lyman Newton Hitchcock, m. Roxanna Dickinson; iii. Harriet Augusta Hitchcock, b. 1/21 Nov. 1827, d. 5 Dec. 1923, m. Lewis (2023), son of Anson (961) and Elizabeth (Chase) Bushnell; iv. Jedediah Jay Hitchcock.
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954. iv. Irena Hitchcock, b. 13 June 1805, d. 1 Aug. 1811, by drowning.

954. v. Levira Hitchcock, b. 14 Apr. 1807, m. 15 Apr. 1830, John Benjamin.

954. vi. Jedediah Hitchcock, b. 8 Sept. 1811, m. 26 Sept. 1833, Elizabeth Artman, who d. 23 Mar. 1854.

955*. iii. Aaron, b. 14 Nov. 1774 (R-103).

956. iv. Eunice Pratt, b. 16 Oct. 1778, d. 16 Feb. 1866, m. 25 Jan. 1798, John Newton, b. 3 Feb. 1776, d. 29 Nov. 1853, son of Silas of Cheshire, Conn. and brother to Amos Newton.
Children, 2:


956. ii. Orlando L. Newton, b. 30 Aug. 1808, m. 8 Apr. 1830, Harriet P. Bump, b. 23 Dec. 1809, d. 3 Mar. 1872, dau. of Elijah and Rebecca (Anjevine) Bump, perhaps a descendant of Edward Bompasse, m. 2nd, 7 May 1873, Ruth Christiana (or Christina) Van Valkenburg, wid. of John of Lexington. She d. 1877, he m. 3rd, Rebecca A. Bump, dau. of Roswell of Dutchess Co. N.Y. and cousin of his 1st wife. He was a wheelwright and farmer in Lexington and prominent in politics there. Children, 7: i. Champion M. Newton, b. 15 May 1831, d. 20 Feb. 1867, m. 15 Oct. 1859, Orthelia N. Kipp; ii. Corydon B. Newton, b. 3 Dec. 1832, m. 1st, 20 Apr. 1858, Nancy Mollineux, m. 2nd, Minerva Clawson, dau. of Henry and Dorcas (Cornish) Clawson of West Hill, N.Y.; iii. Augustus T. Newton, b. 10 May 1836, m. 13 Oct. 1857, Rachel DuBoise; iv. West Chase Newton, b. 24 Aug. 1834, m. 7 Apr. 1869, Myra Winne; v. Iretus D. Newton, b. 1 Dec. 1838, m. 22 May 1862, Lolla T. Clark, he was town clerk of Lexington in 1867 and 1883; vi. Orlando L. Newton, b. 22 Oct. 1844, m. 12 May 1868, Ruth E. Winters; vii. Harriet M. Newton, b. 11 Dec. 1849, m. James A. Allaban.

957*. v. Samuel, b. 28 Nov. 1782.

958*. vi. Lewis, b. 26 Feb. 1785.

959. vii. Lucia Pratt, b. 27 Feb. 1787, d. 19 July 1878, m. 9 May 1805, Amos A. Newton, b. 14 Mar. 1780, d. 29 Dec. 1846, son of Silas, and brother of John Newton, who m. her sister Eunice (956), resided West Kill, N.Y.
Children, 10:

Armstrong, b. 6 Jan. 1902 m. Chester Henry Alsford. They resided Emporia, Kans; vi. Milo
Milton Newton, b. 4 Oct. 1872, d. 16 Mar. 1874.


959. iii. Abi Eliza Newton, b. 22 June 1811, d. 11 May 1852, m. 28 Sept. 1837, Angus McMillen. Children, 3: i. William McMillen; ii. Albert McMillen; iii. Sarah McMillen.


959. vi. Adonirum Judson Newton, b. 26 Apr. 1818, d. 2 Sept. 1841.


959. viii. Esther Lodema (or Lodemia) Newton (FR), b. 3 Sept. 1823, d. 2 Mar. 1912, m. 1st, 23 Apr. 1844, Moody C. Little, who d. 31 Mar. 1848, m. 2nd, 7 Nov. 1865, Andrew Jackson West. Children, i. Moody C. West, b. 1848, d. 7 Oct. 1871, m. Eva Andrews.

959. ix. Harriet Levira Newton (FR), b. 24 May 1826, m. 1st, 14 June 1858, ( ) Kingsley, who d. 4 Oct. 1868, m. 2nd, Henry Trehune. Children, 1: i. Anna Janette (?).

959. x. Wallace Newton, b. 2 Aug. 1832, d. 1911, m. 1 Feb. 1858, Sarah Morris. Children, 3: i. Ella Newton, m. ( ) Freeman; ii. Lucia Newton, m. Daniel Bartlett; iii. Marie Newton, m. Voorhees Conine.


962*. x. Alvin, b. 4 Oct. 1793.

*415. Aaron, b. Lebanon, Conn. 17 Aug. 1747, m. there 22 Nov. 1792, Octavia Fitch, b. abt. 1767, d. 13 Aug. 1839, ae. 72. On 7 Nov. 1768, and 11 Mar. 1773, he bought those lands and buildings
which his brother Elijah had purchased of Joseph Fowler, and on 29 Mar. 1801, they both
united with the church at Lebanon, and on 2 Nov. next were admitted to full communion.
Their son Hubbard, b. 1795, and a dau. d. of dysentary 23 Aug. 1800, it is not known when or
where he d. but it is possible that his wife d. in Lebanon.

Children, 2:

963. i. Hubbard, b. 1795, d. 23 Aug. 1800.
964. ii. dau. d. 23 Aug. 1800.

*417. Ebenezer, b. Lebanon, Conn. 13 Sept. 1757, d. off Mantanzas, West India Islands, of
yellow fever and buried at sea, 31 Aug. 1800, m. 1st, 14 Aug. 1780, by her father, Tryphena
Clark, b. 10 Feb. 1760, d. 12 Oct. 1783 in her 24th year, dau. of Rev. John (Yale 1749) and
Jerusha (Huntington) Clark of Lebanon, Conn. m. 2nd, 12 Nov. 1786, Susannah Hubbard, b.
abt. 1768, d. 10 Apr. 1814, dau. of Capt. Russell (Yale 1751) and Mary (Gray) Hubbard of
Norwich, Conn. (R-94) She m. 2nd Dea. Robert Mainwaring (R-94), and had a son who was
missionary to the Indians.

Ebenezer Bushnell prepared for college under Master Nathan Tisdale of Lebanon, and
in Nov. 1774, was admitted to Yale University, by special examination at opening of
sophomore year. After his graduation he settled in Norwich, Conn. where he taught school
and studied law. He was a classmate of Noah Webster and is said to have been associated
with him in compiling and publishing the first spelling book. He was a man of mechanical
brilliance, quick of wit and an adept in poetry and prose; was chosen to carve the figurehead for
the ship Trumbull. In Nov. 1790 he began the publication of a new newspaper in Norwich,
The Weekly Register, and about six months later was joined by his brother-in-law, Thomas
Hubbard. In Oct. 1793, he retired from the enterprise and later with Andrew Huntington went
into the paper making business. From 1784 to 1796 he was Capt. of the train band, and in 1799
he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and was appointed a Purser on the ship Warren and in 1800 died
from yellow fever and was buried at sea (R-12-105).

Children, 7:

965*. i. Hezekiah, b. 27 Sept. 1782.
966. ii. Lydia Breed, b. 27 Aug. 1787, d. 17/20 Sept. 1787.
967*. iii. Thomas Hubbard, b. 20 Nov. 1788.
968. iv. Harriet Tryphena Clark, b. 8 Oct. 1790, d. 29 Sept. 1879, m. 1st, 28 Feb.
1821, Noble Root of Licking, Ohio, b. Westfield, Mass. abt. 1780, d. abt. 1831, ae. 51, m. 2nd, as
his 2nd wife, abt. 1838, Joshua Linnell, b. on Cape Cod, Mass. who had 7 children by his 1st
wife, Orpha Graves, and who d. at age of 85. He was one of the first settlers of Granville, Ohio.

Children, 3:

968. i. Harriet Root, b. 25 Dec. 1821, m. abt. 1840, Emanuel Geisy, b. abt.
1818, d. Apr. 1880, a lawyer of Lancaster, Ohio. She was governess to the family of Scott
Harrison, a son of President Harrison. Children, 9: i. Mary Augusta Geisy, b. 19 Feb. 1843, m. 5
Sept. 1865, Capt. E. Howard Parsons; ii. Harriet Amanda Geisy, b. 5 Apr. 1845, m. 12 Nov.
1868, Ludwig Hopkins; iii. Catherine Bushnell Geisy, b. 18 Mar. 1847, m. 11 Feb. 1874, Henry
C. Doll, b. 25 Oct. 1838; iv. Will S. Geisy,

968. ii. Elizabeth Root, b. 20 Sept. 1823, d. 4 Jan. 1851, m. Mar. 1847, George C. Chadwick of Camden, Ohio. Children, 2; i. child Root, d. at birth; ii. dau. Root, d. ae. 16 years from swallowing or inhaling vitriol, from an empty bottle she was playing with.

968. iii. Susan Hubbard Root, b. 6 May 1827, m. 23 Dec. 1847, Rev. Jeremiah H. Good, b. 22 Nov. 1822, d. 25 Jan. 1888. He had the chair of mathematics at Heidelberg College, and later was Professor of Dogmatic Theology. Children, 1: i. John Chrysostom Good, b. 20 June 1849, m. Sept. 1876, Florence Parsons. He graduated Heidelberg College and Cleveland Medical School, and was a druggist in Massillon, Ohio.


970. vi. Ebenezer Charles, d. 8 Aug. 1832, of yellow fever, and buried at sea.

971. vii. Tryphena Clark, b. 6 Sept. 1794, d. 8 May 1851, m. 21 Dec. 1823, Dr. William S. Richards, b. New London, Conn. 1 Jan. 1787, son of Col. William Richards, who served in Civil War. Lived Granville, Ohio. He died one year after his wife from a spinal injury due to a fall.

Children, 2:

977. i. George Frederick Richards, b. 31 Oct. 1825, d. 4 May 1851, m. Elizabeth Hall. He studied theology at Washato Academy and was asst. pastor of St. Peters Episcopal Church in Ashtabula, Ohio.

977. ii. Peter Richards, b. 2 Feb. 1828, m. 2 Jan. 1855, Mary L. Daniels, b. 16 Feb. 1833, editor and owner of Lodi Valley News, Wisconsin. Children, 3: i. George Frederick Richards, m. 19 June 1885, Ida Koonce, mail clerk of C.& N. W. R. R.; ii. Grace Ellen Richards, m. 5 Nov. 1885 (by Bishop Wells), Harris J. Irwin of Boone, Ia; iii: Ebenezer Bushnell Richards, d. ae. 7 years.


Caleb Bushnell was listed on 9 Aug. 1761 as a member of the 1st Congregational Church of Norwichtown, Conn. and on 15 Apr. 1770 was listed as a communicant of Christ Episcopal Church of Norwich, Conn. The 1790 census shows him with a family of 2 males over 16, and 3 females.

Children, 3: (R-94):

972. i. Mabel, b. 1 July 1761, bapt. 30 Aug. 1761, m. 16 Jan. 1791, Stephen Story of Norwich, Conn.

Children, 4:

972. i. Mabel Story, b. 1791.

972. ii. Rebecca Story, b. 1795.
972. iii. Stephen Story, b. 1797.
972. iv. Zadok Darrow Story, b. 1802.

973*. ii. Richard, b. 11 May 1765.
974. iii. Martha, b. 2 Aug. 1767, m. 7 Oct. 1822, William Clegg. He had the first mill at Trading Cove. No children.

*422. Richard, b. Norwich, Conn. 31 Jan. 1734/5, d. before 1819, m. Mabel ( ). He was a communicant of Christ Episcopal Church of Norwich 22 July 1770, and by the 1790 census apparently had a family of 1 male over 16, 2 males under, and 2 females. In 1819 his widow partook of the Lord's Supper at her home on account of her age and infirmities, it being the first time of her participation.
Children, 3:
975. i. a son.
976. ii. a son.
977. iii. a daughter.


Jabez Bushnell served in the Rev. War in Capt. Charles Niel's Co. Col. David Waterbury's Brigade, which he joined 25 Apr. 1781, for services along the coast. In July the brigade was ordered to join Gen. George Washington at Phillipsburg and for some time after was under Heath's orders on the Westchester line (R-14). The dist. of his est. was dated 31 July 1819, and mentions his sons Jabez, Thomas, Francis, and Perkins, and dau. Lydia Holmes. In the will of Eunice Dickinson Francis, dated 20 June 1770, Lydia Welles is named as her gr-dau. She is also mentioned in the will of her father David Welles, as well as in the will of her mother-in-law, and aunt, Prudence (Welles) Bushnell. On 17 Dec. 1792, Jabez Bushnell and his wife Lydia sold a tract of land in Wethersfield, Conn. to Ichabod Wells which land formerly belonged to her gr-father, John Francis of Wethersfield, Conn. Note: Lydia Francis Williams Welles was the widow of Solomon Williams and dau. of John Francis and his third wife, Eunice Dickinson of Wethersfield, Conn.
Children, 6, (R-12-94), all b. Norwich:
980*. iii. Thomas, b. 18 Mar. 1787.
982*. v. Francis Welles, b. 26 Apr. 1796.


Benajah Bushnell, b. Norwich, Conn. was a Lt. of the 9th Co. 7th Regt. of militia on the alarm list, probably removed to
Williamstown, Mass. abt. 1772, where his youngest son Abel was born, and shortly after to Pawlet, Vt. where on 10 Feb. 1785, he bought a tract of land from Elisha Avery, and on 13 Mar. of that year he was received as a member of the 1st Cong. Church and later elected to a Deacon. He later bought another tract of land and is of record as subscribing to the support of the minister, and on 10 Mar. 1813, sold land to Simon Stone. He died at Pawlet in 1814 ae. 71 (R-12-107).

Children, 8, all b. Norwich, Conn. (R-94-108):

984. i. Elizabeth, b. 22 Dec. 1768, d. 17 Feb. 1769.
986. iii. Caroline, b. 25 Feb. 1772, d. 25 May 1852, m. Pawlet, Vt. 13 July 1792, Dr. Benjamin Chandler, b. 26 Aug. 1772, d. St. Albans, Vt. 14 Dec. 1818. All children except the first and third were b. in Fairfield, Vt.

Children, 9, (R-50):

986. ii. Sophia Chandler, b. 18 Nov. 1794, d. 15 Dec. 1796,
986. iii. May Chandler, b. 23 Aug. 1796, d. 6 May 1816 at St. Albans, Vt.
986. iv. Lafayette Chandler, b. 3 May 1798, d. 8 Sept. 1804 at Fairfield, Vt.

Kalamazoo, Mich. 30 June 1859.

988. v. Lucy, b. 27 Mar. 1776, d. 4 Aug. 1858, m. 9 Mar. 1796, Asa Andrus of Pawlet, Vt. They removed from removed from Pawlet to Rochester, N.Y. in 1822, and in 1824 to Pendleton, N.Y.

Children, 8:

988. i. Leman Andrus, b. 26 Apr. 1797.
988. ii. Abiah Andrus, b. 8 Jan. 1801, d. 19 Sept. 1802.
988. iii. Benajah Bushnell Andrus, b. 8 Jan. 1803, d. 25 Feb. 1892, m.


988. v. Elizabeth S. Andrus, b. 25 Feb. 1801, m. 1st, William Colt, m. 2nd, Luther Leland.
988. vi. Mary Pride Andrus, b. 10 July 1810, m. 6 May 1830, Daniel Folger, Jr. b. 5 Dec. 1806, d. 4 Oct. 1871. Children, 7: i. Zeremba C. Folger, b. 25 Feb. 1831; ii. Plym W. Folger, b. 18 Apr. 1835, m. 1st, 16 Nov. 1859, Eliza A. Griffin; m. 2nd, Mary H. Griffin; iii. Lodecia A. Folger, b. 23 Oct. 1838; iv. Mary F. Folger, b. 2 Apr. 1841, m. J. A. Webster; v. Noble D. Folger, b.
3 Apr. 1843, m. Mary Cox; vi. Sarah C. Folger, b. 9 Dec. 1846, m. Albert Arghma; vii. Alonzo W. Folger, b. 11 Nov. 1850, m. Alma Parker.


988. viii. Lucy Griswold Andrus, b. 5 July 1815, d. 23 July 1889, m. Joseph Montraville Riddle, lived at Rapids Bridge and Clarence, N.Y. Children, 4: i. Milton Riddle; ii. Lucy Riddle; iii. Charles Riddle; iv. Emma T. Riddle.


989. i. Deborah Morgan Porter, b. 24 May 1801, d. Rutland, Vt. 30 Aug. 1882, m. 20 Mar. 1821, Dorastus Wooster, b. 2 Sept. 1787, d. 11 Jan. 1855. He was a county judge at Middlebury, Vt. Children, 9: i. Orlando Wooster, b. 13 May 1822, d. 24 Feb. 1906, m. 6 Sept. 1871, Ava Spaulding, resided Rutland, Vt.; ii. Lucretia Porter Wooster, b. 4 Oct. 1824, d. 26 Jan. 1854, unm; iii. Herbert Marshall Wooster, b. 9 July 1826, d. 12 June 1840; iv. Martha Elizabeth Wooster, b. 17 Mar. 1829, d. 21 Oct. 1846; v. Mary Catherine Wooster, b. 19 Nov. 1831, d. 15 June 1903, m. 10 Sept. 1890, William W. Felt; vi. Charles Carroll Wooster, b. 19 June 1834, d. 12 Apr. 1840; vii. Sophia Wooster, b. 7 Mar. 1836, was living in Milwaukee, Wis. 1910; viii. Caroline H. Wooster, b. 11 June 1841, d. 4 Sept. 1893, m. 7 Sept. 1869, George S. Hawley, b. New Haven, Conn. 9 Nov. 1831, d. Dayton, Ohio, 5 Dec. 1891; ix. Charles Herbert Wooster, b. 30 Nov. 1848, m. 15 July 1885, Emilie Reinhard, who d. 20 Sept. 1898, resided Milwaukee, Wis. 1886, unm.


989. iii. Sophia Porter, b. 14 Nov. 1804, d. Cornwall, Vt. 7 Aug. 1832, m. 16 Feb. 1832, Thomas Merrill Sampson, who d. 19 Aug. 1834, ae. 27. He m. a 2nd time, ( ).

989. iv. Lucretia Porter, b. 15 Mar. 1810, d. 15 Feb. 1823


Children, 11:

990. i. a dau. b. 12 Jan. 1800, d. ae. 4 hours.

990. ii. a dau. b. 18 May 1801, d. ae. 12 hours.

990. iii. a dau. b. 29 Apr. 1803, d. ae. 8 hours.


990. v. a dau. b. 17 Sept. 1807, d. same day.


990. ix. Orissa Barlow Stone, b. 14 Nov. 1815, d. 19 July 1896, m. John Boardman.


991. viii. Abel, b. 17 May 1783 (R-75), d. 4 Aug. 1805, buried Maltown Valley Cemetery.

*430. Jahleel, b. Norwich, Conn. 14 Sept. 1745, m. Norwich, Conn. 18 Apr. 1768, Lydia (401), b. 11 June 1749, dau. of Nathan (193) and Marjery (Jackson) Bushnell (R-84-94).

Jahleel Bushnell, m. in Norwich, and on 27 Oct. 1776, both owned the covenant in the 1st Cong. Church at Norwichtown, but prob. removed to Christ Episcopal Church in Norwich in 1779. He was a soldier in the Rev. War and was confined as a prisoner in a British prison ship in New York harbor (R-14). They removed to Pawlet, Vt. between 1779 and 1784, and of 3 Apr. 1796 he was received into the Church at Pawlet. The 1790 census taken at Pawlet shows his family as 1 male over 16, 1 male under, and 2 females, and gave his name as Ichiel. The 1800 census has his name as Jay and gives the same number in his family as by the previous census, but the 1810 and 1820 enumerations fail to mention them, from which it is inferred that all had left Pawlet. The dau. Eunice was probably unmarried in 1800.

Children, 2:

992. i. Eunice, bapt. first, 27 July 1777 in 1st Cong. Church at Norwichtown, second in private, in Christ Episcopal Church of Norwich, 22 Sept. 1779.


*432. Eusebius, b. Norwich, Conn. 1 Feb. 1748, bapt. 12 Feb. 1749, d. in Florida about 1812, m. 13 Sept. 1772, Borodel Latimer, b. New London, Conn. 12 Apr. 1755, d. before 1792, dau. of Jonathan and Lucretia (Griswold) Latimer, m. 2nd, Opelousis, La. 23 Apr. 1792, Margerit (or Margaret) McCarty, dau. of Juan and Margaret (Maklein) Makarti, and widow of Baron Patricio (R-109).

Eusebius Bushnell, probably m. at Lyme, Conn. where his first two children were bapt. served as Capt. in Rev. War in Lt. Col. Experience Storr's Regt. at New York in Fall of 1776, and 16
June 1777 appeared before the Norwich Court as Capt. Eusebius Bushnell of Lyme, Conn. and accepted office of Exec. of the est. of his brother Ezra, who had dec'd. He probably removed to Norwich as here his son Ezra was bapt. in the Christ Episcopal Church in 1778 and on 30 Sept. 1782, he brought his children Lucretia and Matthew to be bapt. in the church at Great Barrington, Mass. In 1786 he was in Nashville, Tenn. (then North Carolina), where he was a witness in a case, and signed some papers, and on 29 Dec. 1785 he was appointed as one of three Commissioners to examine into claims of soldiers and sailors residing in the district, and in 1787 the grand jury of Davidson County, presented to the court at Nashville, James Hickman, Thomas Bradford, and Joseph Brooks for disorderly conduct in throwing down Capt. Eusebius Bushnell and breaking open Squire Nichol's door (R-110), between 15 Dec. 1786 and 20 Jan. 1789, he bought and traded land grants under the firm name of Dobbins and Bushnell (R-111), and of 28 Aug. 1789, he bought three negro slaves, perhaps to act as porters on his trek over the Natches Trace to New Orleans, La. He acquired lands in Florida under a Spanish land Grant, afterwards confirmed by the U.S. Government as shown in Reports of Land Grants, Claims in Florida, "Wusebius Bushnell vs. United States, memorial dated 13 Mar. 1799 for 600 acres, also decree of Gov. White for same dated 1799."

"It appears in evidence that the claimant was in possession of the land in the year 1803, that his son was killed in 1800 or 1801, and that the claimant died in the year 1812. The board ordered the claim of 600 acres be confirmed to the unknown heirs, and their heirs, as far as the U.S. have interest in the same."

Children, 6:

996. iii. Clarissa, b. Lyme, Conn. 9 Oct. 1775.


Abishae Bushnell, m. in New York in 1779 where his son Matthew died in 1783. Before 1789 they had removed to Pawlet, Vt. where his son John died in Aug. and where they still were in 1796, when they were received into the Church on 2 May. The 1790 census shows that he then had a family of 2 males over 16, 2 males under 16 and 4 females. He later removed to Unadilla, N.Y. where he died in 1840, going there perhaps before 1808 when his daughter Anna was married there.

Children, 7, (R-12):

1000. i. John, b. 16 Sept. 1780, d. Pawlet, Vt. 23 Aug. 1789.

Children, 1:
1003. i. William Price, m. (), Children, 2: i. a son Price, had no children; ii. a son Price, had no children.

Children, 9:
1004. i. Henrietta Church, b. 7 Apr. 1810, d. 6 Oct. 1872.
1004. ii. Anna Maria Church, b. 17 Apr. 1812, d. 31 Jan. 1843.
1004. iii. Caroline Church, b. 8 Sept. 1814, d. 1 Apr. 1851, m. () Willey.
1004. iv. Eber Ferris Church, b. 4 May 1817, d. 4 Jan. 1902.
1004. v. Lucy Church, b. 29 Feb. 1820, d. 10 Feb. 1907.
1004. viii. Titus Church, b. 18 May 1826, d. Aug. 1828.

1006*. vii. William, b. 28 Apr. 1795.
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*443. John, b. Saybrook, Conn. 23 Nov. 1752, d. there 16 Apr. 1816 (R-1), m. 2 Dec. 1779, Lydia Chapman, b. abt. 1762, d. 7/17 May 1798 (R-1), dau. of Benjamin and either Priscilla (Jones) or Hannah (Kirtland) Chapman, m. 2nd, 15 Apr. 1800, widow Mehitable Lay, b. abt. 1767, d. 12 Feb. 1839, widow of Ezra Lay.

John Bushnell served as a private in Rev. War, marched 10 June 1776 in Company of Light Horse under command of Lt. Paymaster Charles Pomroy at New York; discharged 3 Aug. 1776. He joined Capt. Z. Hungerford's Co. as a private 15 Nov. 1781, in Regt. of Col. Samuel McLellan, and was ordered to duty at New London and Preston; discharged 13 Jan. 1782 (R-4). The dist. of his will, dated 1816, mentions Vashti and Nancy Bushnell, Lydia Whittlesey and sons George and Benjamin. The will of Mehitable Bushnell mentions only her daughter.

Children, 12, (R-1-2):

1007. i. Vashti, b. 3 Nov. 1780, bapt. 18 Mar. 1781, d. 18 Sept. 1860, unm.
1008. ii. Polly, b. 23 Feb. 1783, d. 20 Sept. 1808, unm.
1009. iii. Lydia, b. 4 June 1785, bapt. 31 July 1785, m. 14 Apr. 1807, Azariah Whittlesey, b. 12 Dec. 1780, d. 4 Dec. 1842, son of Azariah and Elizabeth (Williams) Whittlesey. He was a mariner (R-3).

1010. iv. Elizabeth, b. 2 Aug. 1787, d. 25 Jan. 1800.
1011*. v. John, b. 15 June 1790.
1012. vi. Nancy, b. 1 Nov. 1792, bapt. 12 May 1793, d. 16/17 Feb. 1878, unm.
1013. vii. George, b. 2 Aug. 1795, bapt. 13 Mar. 1796, d. 9 Sept. 1866, unm.
1015. ix. Jonathan Lay, b. 1801, bapt. 9 July 1801, d. 20 June 1806.
1016. x. Richard Henry, b. 17 June 1803, bapt. 3 June 1804.
1017. xi. Elizabeth, b. 8 Oct. 1806, bapt. 25 Sept. 1807, d. 20 Nov. 1813.
1018. xii. Mary, b. 1 June 1810, bapt. 28 Apr. 1811, d. abt. 1842, m. 27 Apr. 1835, Erastus B. Denison of Cuyahoga Falls, who d. abt. 1846.

Children, 1:

1018. i. Frederick H. Denison, who was a miner in Idaho.

*446. Ira, b. Saybrook, Conn. 27 Sept. 1757, d. there 20 Feb. 1830 (R-1), m. 29 Dec. 1779, Martha Parker, b. 24 Apr. 1756, d. 7 Oct. 1838 (R-1), a gr-dau. of Col. John Willard.

Ira Bushnell, farmer at Saybrook, Conn. had a mill a half mile from the site of the original mill built by his ancestor Francis (3) Bushnell, but on another branch of the stream. This was the mill that was operated in 1885. His will, dated 14 Dec. 1829, mentions sons Richard, William, Giles, Henry and Charles, and dau's. Patty, Patience, Sally, and Sophia, son Ira Res. Leg. He and his wife were buried in Saybrook Junction Cemetery.

Children, 10, (R-2-5):

1019. i. Sophia, b. 14 Apr. bapt. Aug. 1780, d. 2 Dec. 1866, m. Gilbert Avery, who d. 2 Dec. 1866, son of Thomas and his 2nd wife Hannah (Smith) Avery (R-6), they were Shakers.
Children, 2:

1019. i. Eliza Avery, b. abt. 1814, d. Lebanon, N.Y. 30 Dec. 1886.

1020. ii. Martha, b. 6 Oct. 1781, d. unm. She was a Shaker.
1021*. iii. Henry, b. 21 Aug. 1783.
1022. iv. Charles, b. 14 Apr. 1785, d. unm. joined the Shakers in Columbia Co. N.Y. and built a house where he spun yarn and wove cloth.
1023* v. William, b. 22 Mar. 1787.
1024*. vi. Ira, b. 14 July 1790.
1025. vii. Richard, bapt. 6 Apr. 1792, d. abt. 1874, ae. 82, unm. Joined the Shakers and was of New Lebanon, N.Y. when his sisters Patty, Sally, and Patience appointed him their Attorney to settle their claims as heirs of their father Ira Bushnell.

449. Augustus, b. Saybrook, Conn. 6 July 1766, d. there 21 Feb. 1852, m. 2 Feb. 1796, Ethelinda Jones, b. abt. 1776, d. 8 May 1843, dau. of Ezekiel Jones.

Augustus Bushnell wrote the second installment of Ira Bushnell Manuscript. and states that he married in the 30th year of his age, and that his wife Ethelinda was a daughter of Ezekiel Jones. Both were buried in Saybrook Junction Cemetery.

Children, 8, (R-1-2-5):

1029. i. Ethelinda, b. 1 Dec. 1796, bapt. 9 Apr. 1797, d. 9/16 June 1836, m. 23 Nov. 1833, David Hays or Hayes, of Guilford, N.Y.
1030. ii. Mabel, b. 21 Jan. 1799, bapt. 21 Apr. 1799, m. Westbrook, Conn. 29 Mar. 1852, John Shipman of Saybrook, b. abt. 1792, d. 30 Oct. 1857. On 15 Apr. 1825, the town officers voted that "Mabel Bushnell be allowed the school house for the purpose of holding a school therein for the ensuing summer." (R-7).

1031. iii. Elizabeth, b. 19 Mar. 1801, bapt. 28 June 1801, d. 16 May 1849, buried Saybrook Junction Cemetery. In her will dated 1849 she mentioned her father Augustus and sister Mabel Bushnell.

1033. v. Lovina, b. 8 Aug. 1806, bapt. 28 Sept. 1806, d. 18 Mar. 1841, m. Saybrook, Conn. 22 May 1832, Nathaniel John Pratt.

1034. vi. Ann Augusta, b. 2 July 1809, bapt. 27 Aug. 1809, d. 4 Mar. 1899, m. 13 Apr. 1834, Horatio Pratt, b. 6 Apr. 1809, d. 11 Apr. 1843, son of George and Sally Pratt. For years he was a merchant at Saybrook.

Children, 4:

1034. i. George Pratt, b. 7 Mar. 1835.
1034. ii. Horatio Pratt, b. 31 July 1837.
1034. iii. Augustus Pratt, b. 11 July 1839.
*450. Richard, b. Saybrook, Conn. 2 Aug. 1768, d. Galen, Wayne Co. N.Y. 4 Mar. 1841, m. as
his 1st wife and her 3rd husband, Mary (Willard) (Newell) Shepard, b. 18 May 1768, d.
Fairfield, N.Y. 1 Feb. 1834, dau. of Joseph and Rachel (Reeves) Willard. He m. 2nd, widow
Rachel (Willard) Griswold, who d. in Galen, 27 Nov. 1863, sister of his 1st wife, and widow of
Simeon Griswold of Fairfield, Phelps, and Galen, N.Y. who d. 1822 (see rec. Surrogates office,
Lyons, N.Y. and Griswold Genealogy).

Richard Bushnell, b. Saybrook, removed about 1791 to Fairfield, N.Y. where he
succeeded Daniel Marvin as owner or a grist mill on Maltanner's Creek; he also was a
stockholder in the Kenota Knitting Mills, organized 10 Jan. 1814, and is mentioned several
times in the land records. He was chairman of the Union Religious Society of Middleville
when it was organized 5 Apr. 1825, and was one of the first pew holders, as was a G. Bushnell,
at present unidentified (R-8). His first wife was buried in a Middleville Cemetery. It is not
known when he removed to Wayne co. N.Y. but the dates of his death, and that of his 2nd
wife are of record in the Surrogates Office at Lyons, N.Y. as are the names of their survivors.
His will was prob. 12 July 1841. (Note: Joseph Willard, b. 1750, m. Rachel Reeves in 1767, and
among their children were: Rachel (m. 1st, Simeon Willard, m. 2nd, Richard Bushnell); Mary,
m. 1st Benjamin Newell, m. 2nd, Gerril Shepard, m. 3rd, Richard Bushnell; and another dau.
Azubah, m. Joshua (262), son of Hanley (113) and Chloe (Bishop) Bushnell.

Children, 3:

1037. i. Maria, m. Asahel Harris, resided Fairfield, N.Y. in 1841.
1038. ii. Richard C. b. abt. 1808.
1039. iii. Rachel, m. Burton P. Franklin, resided Wack's Ferry, Winnebago co. Ills. in
1841.

*452. Benjamin, b. Saybrook, Conn. 8 Aug. 1783, d. Chester, Conn. 1 Jan. 1875, m. 2 Feb. 1809,
Lucy Parker (R-9) of Saybrook.

Benjamin Bushnell resided in Chester, Conn. and his will, dated 1878, mentions Mary,
widow of my Brother Abraham, and her son Robert Bushnell. Both were members of the
church at Chester 20 Oct. 1822, and are again of record in 1835.

Children, 4, (R-10):

1040. i. infant son, d. 9 July 1814.
1041. ii. infant son, who d. 13 Jan. 1816.
1042. iii. Lucy Amelia, bapt. Chester, 10 Oct. 1824, d. there 17 Aug. 1825.
0002* iv. Mary Jones (adopted), who m. 3/31 Jan. 1830, Abraham (457) Bushnell,
brother of her foster father.

*457. Abraham, b. Saybrook, Conn. 27 May 1794, d. Chester, Conn. 8 Mar. 1866, m. Saybrook,
Conn. 3 or 31 Jan. 1860, Mary Ann Jones, adopted dau. of his brother Benjamin (457) (0002),
who survived him.

Abraham Bushnell was a farmer in Chester, Conn. where his name appears in the
Church Register as a member in 1835. His will, dated 1865, mentions Abigail K. Bushnell, wife
of his son Francis, and sons Watson A. and Robert B. Bushnell.
Children, 4, (R-10-11):

1044*. i. Francis William, b. 12 Apr. 1830.

1045. ii. Ann Eliza, b. 15 Nov. 1833, d. 6 July 1837.

1046. iii. Watson Abraham, b. 16 Feb. 1839, m. Lizzie (Packard) Fairbanks. No children. In 1899, Lizzie P. Bushnell of Oakham, Mass. asked for the partition of the estate of her father, James Packard. Her husband was Watson A. Bushnell. In 1909 they were living in Boston, Mass.


Lemuel Bushnell resided in Madison, Conn. and his wife is buried there. In his will he mentions his wife Elizabeth, dau. Mary Ann, his father Lemuel and sister Tamsen. (In a letter from a child of Elizabeth's sister, in possession of W. B. Murray of Peoria, Ills. there is mentioned Elizabeth who was the wife of Lemuel Bushnell and her daughter Mary Ann who married John Storrer. No other children were mentioned).

Children, 1:

1048. i. Mary Ann, b. abt. 1808, d. abt. 1885, m. 1st, 17 June 1843, John Storrer, m. 2nd, at Madison, 16 July 1845, William V. Doolittle of New Haven, Conn. (R-12).

*465. Taylor Pratt, b. Essex, Conn. Feb. 1780, d. Centerbrook, Conn. 10 Nov. 1861, m. 11 Nov. 1809, Frances Bull, b. Essex, 17 Feb. 1779, d. 23 Aug. 1865, dau. of John and Elizabeth (Kirtland) Bull. He served as a private in War of 1812 in Capt. Jewett's Co. Both he and his wife were buried in Centerbrook.

Children, 3:

1049*. i. Frederick William, b. 8 Oct. 1810.

1050. ii. Electa Ann, b. 7 Jan. 1813, d. 31 Oct. 1865, m. 1 Jan. 1838, Asa H. Rose.

Children, 5:

1050. i. George Rose.

1050. ii. Theodore Rose.

1050. iii. Myron Rose.

1050. iv. Anna M. Rose, m. Dr. Gaylord in Branford, Conn.

1050. v. Evangeline Rose.

1051*. iii. George Taylor, b. 4 Mar. 1815.

*467. Ethan, b. 31 Dec. 1761, d. 8 May 1849, m. 1st, Zerviah Nott Pratt (R-13), b. abt. 1765, d. 4 Aug. 1795, ae. 30, dau. of Dea. Josiah and Keziah Pratt, m. 2nd, 14 Apr. 1893, widow Polly (Holmes) Pratt, b. 6 Apr. 1762, d. 24 Oct. 1836, dau. of Rev. Stephen and Ann (Peterson) Holmes. He was a farmer and resided in Essex, Conn. Their graves are in River View Cemetery.

Children, 5, (R-14):

1052. i. Lurinda, b. 1789, d. 5 Mar. 1791.

1053. ii. infant, b. 8, d. 12 Jan. 1794.

1054*. iii. Sydney, b. 1800.

1055. iv. David, b. 1802, d. 6 Sept. 1822.

1056. v. Lucy Ann, b. 1805, d. 10 Oct. 1876, unm.
Daniel, b. Saybrook, 13 Mar. 1764, removed to Vernon, N.Y. and was probably living as late as 10th Jan. 1852 when his nephew Jared W. Stevens wrote to a cousin in Connecticut from Middleville, N.Y. and referred to his uncle Daniel who was still residing in Vienna, but that they had not heard from him since the previous fall. He is referred to, perhaps, in "Annals and Recollections of Oneida County," by Pomroy Jones, published in 1851, but not by given name.

Eber, b. Saybrook, Conn. 4 Apr. 1770, d. there 17 July 1852, m. 4 June 1794, Sarah Lay (R-13), b. 13 Jan. 1773, d. 9 Feb. 1858, dau. of Capt. Asa and Sarah (Wolcott) Lay (R-11). Resided Saybrook. Capt. Lay was of Mayflower ancestry and served in Rev. War.

Children, 7, (R-11):
1057. i. Sarah Wolcott, bapt. 17 May 1795.
1058. ii. Sarah Wolcott, b. 12 July 1797, bapt. 16 Sept. 1798, d. 6 Dec. 1878, m. 20 Apr. 1845, Jared Redfield (R-15) of Killingworth, Conn. No children.
1059. iii. Matilda, b. abt. 1800, d. 4 Oct. 1876.
1061*. v. Edward Wolcott, b. 1 Sept. 1804.
1062. vi. Abigail A. b. abt. 1809, d. 19 May 1884.

Amzi, b. Saybrook, Conn. 9 Feb. 1772, d. Middleville, N.Y. 16 Oct. 1864, m. Rachel Babcock, b. 11 Apr. 1777, d. Middleville, 27 Apr. 1852, lived to see his 10 children all married.

Amzi Bushnell, also of record as Amasa, resided in Middleville, N.Y. where both he and his wife were members of the Presbyterian Church, but in 1850 they were residing with their son, Samuel L. to whom he sold land in 1832. He was also either a grantee or grantor in several other instances. Both he and his wife were buried in the Old Cemetery at Middleville, but no markers have been found.

Children, 10, (R-11-16):
1064. i. William, abt. 1852 was working in a surgical instrument factory in Rochester, N.Y.
1065. ii. Nancy, m. 1st, ( ), m. 2nd, ( ) St. Claire (R-16). It is believed they resided in Nebraska for a time, but she also resided with her sister Jennette in Toledo, Ohio, a part of the time.
1066. iii. Frances, b. abt. 1799, d. 13 Apr. 1844, ae. 45. She was a passenger on the Swallow going up the Hudson River which caught fire and all on board were lost. Her lunch basket was recovered and was held in the family for years; she m. Dwight Bassett (R-16) and both were members of the Presbyterian Church at Middleville, N.Y.
1067. iv. Angeline, m. Fred Fellows.
1068. v. Amanda, m. 1st, Ralph Evans, m. 2nd, George Potter of Poland, N.Y. who d. abt. 1875 leaving his property to his two sons, Henry and Herbert.

Children, 9:
1068. i. Sarah Evans, m. ( ) Schermerhorn.
1068. ii. Edgar Evans,
1068. iii. Amasa Bushnell Evans.
1068. iv. Mary Evans.
1068. v. Adeline Evans, m. 1st ( ) Todd, m. 2nd, ( ) Field. Children, 1: i. Ida Todd.
1068. vi. Fred Evans.
1068. viii. Henry Potter.
1068. ix. Herbert Potter.

1069*. vi. Samuel Lonzo, b. 3 June 1805.
1070. vii. Jennette, m. Frank Nichols, who was buried 1838, they lived in Norway and Middlefield, N.Y. and Toledo, Ohio, on the banks of the Maumee River. A nephew named Frank or Francis is said to have resided with them. No children.

1073*. x. Amasa, b. 1 Mar; 1812.

*476. Edmund, b. Saybrook, Conn. 3 June 1781, d. probably at Essex, Conn. 23 Sept. 1865, m. 3 Sept. 1805, Lucy Ward, b. E. Windsor, Conn. 27 June or 3 Sept. 1776, dau. of Smith and Temperance (Grinnell) Ward, who was of Mayflower descent. It is stated that they resided at Essex.
Children, 6:
1074. i. Lucy Maria, b. 21 June 1806, d. 15 Oct. 1822, buried River View Cemetery in Essex.
1075. ii. Emeline, b. 18 Oct. 1807, m. New Haven, Conn. 20 Nov. 1839, Charles Platt of Milford, Conn.
Children, 1:
1075. i. Howard Platt.
1077. iv. Mary Ann, b. 22 Dec. 1810, m. Chester, Conn. 15 Jan. 1832, George Hopkins of New Haven, m. 2nd, Rufus O. Shepard.
Children, 1:
1077. i. Henry Hopkins.

*477. Samuel, b. Saybrook, Conn. 3 July 1784, d. Essex, Conn. 14 Dec. 1872, m. Saybrook, 12 Aug. 1809, Hannah Pelton, b. abt. 1784, d. Centerbrook, Conn. 1 Sept. 1845, ae. 61. He was a farmer at Essex where both were buried.
Children, 6:
1080*. i. Richard, b. abt. 1810.
1083. iv. Henry.
1084. v. Ellen.
1085*. vi. David, b. abt. 1824.

Joshua Bushnell, b. Saybrook, Conn. removed before 1802 to New York where he is supposed to have settled near Broome on a farm.
Appointed Lieut. of State Militia 22 Mar. and 21 Apr. 1806, Capt. 17 Nov. 1808 and 31 Mar. 1809, and Res. Capt. 5 Jan. 1811. Both were buried in an old East Hill Cemetery at Broome, N.Y. In a letter dated 1 July 1802, written by John Hanley Bushnell of Saybrook, Conn. to Joshua Bushnell of Middleburg, N.Y. in the possession of Mr. William Sidney Borthwick, Cornwallville, N.Y. reference is made to John and Asa as brothers of Joshua, and in the diary kept by John Elijah W. Bushnell, we find reference to John Bushnell, uncle Dudley, cousin Asa W. Bushnell, John H. Bushnell, Asa Kelsey, Eunice Kelsey, and grandfather Watrous, all of which references definitely establish these lines, and prove the error in the placement of this Joshua as a son of Handley Bushnell as is claimed. Mr. Borthwick also has the Family Bible of Joshua which shows the births and deaths of all his children, and refers to his wife Ann. M. Watrous.

Children, 7, (R-19):

1088. iii. Anna Southard, b. 21 Nov. 1802, d. 13 May 1880, m. 23 Jan. 1824, Robert Borthwick, b. 2 Dec. 1789, d. 5 Jan. 1884, son of George and Nancy (Brice) Borthwick. He was a farmer in Broome, N.Y. and both were buried in Pine Grove Cemetery there. His father was a Capt. of the 15th Regt. of N.Y. State Militia. Children, 5, all b. Broome, N.Y. (R-20):

1088. ii. Margaret Maria Borthwick, b. 10 Apr. 1832, d. 12 Feb. 1866.
1088. iii. Nancy Griselda Borthwick, b. 9 Mar. 1839, d. 18 Apr. 1907, unm.
1089. iv. Hannah, b. 18 Dec. 1804, d. 8 Mar. 1863.
1090. v. Lucy Southard, b. 15 May 1806, d. 11 Apr. 1885, m. 17 Mar. 1832, John Borthwick, b. 11 Sept. 1806, d. 28 May 1887, son of George and Nancy (Brice) Borthwick, both were buried near Durham, N.Y. He was a farmer and shoemaker and served as tax assessor and Justice of the Peace, was a Capt. in N.Y. State Militia and was 6 ft. 3 in. tall.

Children, 3, (R-20):
Joshua Borthwick, b. Broome, N.Y. 21 Nov. 1832, d. there 8 Feb. 1922, m. 1st, 20 Apr. 1858, Elizabeth Nancy Hull, b. 3 Dec. 1833, d. 28 Feb. 1892, m. 2nd, 10 Nov. 1896, Mrs. Harriet A. Thompkins, b. 5 Mar. 1850, d. 14 July 1915. He was a teacher, writer, and farmer. Children, 2: i. John Franklin Borthwick, b. 30 Mar. 1861, d. 20 Apr. 1934, m. 14 Oct. 1885, Emma E. Elliott, b. 10 May 1865; ii. Emma L. Borthwick, b. 14 Mar. 1869, m. 25 Dec. 1909, J. Frank Ingraham, b. 10 June 1856.

Lorenzo Taylor Borthwick, b. 25 Mar. 1836, d. 3 Feb. 1837.

Horatio Dexter Borthwick, b. 30 May 1842, d. 5 Nov. 1915, m. 19 Dec. 1866, Caroline Rickerson, who d. 8 Mar. 1910, ae. 65. Children, 3: i. Eleanor Borthwick, b. 13 Aug. 1867, m. 30 Apr. 1901, Edward Richmond, who was Dist. Supt. of Schools at Ravenna; ii. Wallace Borthwick, b. 17 Nov. 1869, d. 2 Sept. 1926; iii. Edwin Potter Borthwick, b. 23 Oct. 1871, m. 19 Oct. 1908, Margaret Blanch Borst, who d. Schoharie, N.Y. 26 Nov. 1924.

Margaret Maria, b. 10 Mar. 1810, d. 29 Jan. 1898, m. 9 Apr. 1834, William Borthwick, b. 29 Sept. 1809, d. 11 Apr. 1896, son of George and Nancy (Brice) Borthwick, both are buried Cornwallville, N.Y. He was a farmer and mill owner.

Children, 5, (R-20):

Calvin Borthwick, b. 8 Oct. 1836, d. 25 Oct. 1904, m. 8 May 1867, Mary Frances Smith, b. 5 Nov. 1838, d. 28 June 1926, served as private in Civil War, 5th N.Y. Heavy Artillery. Farmer and Justice of the Peace. Children, 1: i. William Sidney Borthwick (FR), b. 2 Dec. 1870, m. 19 Oct. 1898, Bertha L. Sanford, b. 14 July 1871.


Alexander Elijah Borthwick, b. 22 Feb. 1845, d. 31 Oct. 1917, m. 13 Aug. 1874, Alice Amanda Case, b. 24 Mar. 1853, served in Civil War as private in 4th N.Y. Heavy Artillery, and 2nd N.Y. Vet. Calv. and was twice wounded. Farmer, miner, real estate dealer, County Clerk, Multnomah county, Oregon, and wrote "Annals of the Borthwick Family and House of Borthwick." Children, 1; i. William Lawrence Borthwick, b. 9 July 1881, m. 31 Dec. 1908, Susan Millard.

Marion Ada Borthwick, b. 26 Dec. 1855, d. 20 Feb. 1929, m. 19 Dec. 1883, Truman I. Smith, b. 4 July 1858, d. 25 Mar. 1913, he was a school teacher. Children, 1: i. Florence Maria Smith, b. 22 Feb. 1897, m. 7 Oct. 1933, John A. Miller, employed by State Educational Department at Albany, N.Y.


John Hanley Bushnell removed to New York state and was in Albany county, N.Y. in 1802, and in Coeymans, N.Y. when his son Sidney Alonzo was born. Probably removed to Clarkson, N.Y. after 1835 where both he and his wife died and are buried. His grave is marked as a Rev. War soldier, but this is in error, as it was his father who saw service in that war (R-21-22). In his will, probated at Rochester, N.Y. 22 Dec. 1845, he mentions his widow and children, and also Daniel Prindle of Detroit, Mich. and Olive Prindle, wife of Levi Mason. In the will of his widow, Sally Ann Bushnell, dated 25 Jan. 1861, and filed at Rochester, N.Y. there is mentioned, dau. Eliza Ann Bushnell, sons Sidney and George Bushnell, the latter of La Porte, Ind. Exec'x. dau. Juliette Bushnell.

Children, 7:

1093*. i. Sidney Alonzo, b. 12 Nov. 1806.
1094. ii. Eliza Ann, living 1870, unm.
1097. v. George W. living La Porte, Ind. abt. 1870.
1098. vi. Olive F. living abt. 1845.
1099. vii. a child, buried 10 Jan. 1835.

*489. Asa, b. Saybrook, Conn. 2 July 1773, d. Michigan, 23 Aug. 1844, m. 28 Mar. 1799, Prudence West, b. 9 Dec. 1773, d. Michigan, 9 Sept. 1865, dau. of Elisha and Olive (Brewster) West, she was of Mayflower descent.

Asa Bushnell removed with his brothers Joshua and John to Schoharie co. N.Y. before 1 June 1802, being referred to in a letter of that date from their father at Saybrook, addressed to his son Joshua at Middleburg, N.Y. He probably settled at Middleburg and his daughter Olivia, in a Bible Record, is mentioned as of Middleburg when she was married in 1831. On 22 July 1840, he sold part or all of his property at auction and on 29th Sept. next, he is of record as starting for Michigan, where he later died at East LeRoy and where both he and his wife settled.

Children, 6, (R-19):

1100. i. Sally, b. 12 Feb. 1800, d. 7 June 1847, m. Jan. 1821, Andrew Borthwick, b. 11 Nov. 1796, d. 18 June 1881, son of George and Nancy (Brice) Borthwick. He was a farmer at Cortland, N.Y. and both are buried at Freetown Corners.

Children, 10, (R-20):

1100. i. Sally Ann Borthwick, d.y.

1100. iv. James Franklin Borthwick, b. 10 Sept. 1828, d. 27 Nov. 1913, m. 9 Nov. 1853, Sarah A. Crocker, b. 16 Oct. 1829, d. 14 Mar. 1908, both buried Mound City, Kans. Children, 3: i. Frederick Crocker Borthwick, b. 6 Oct. 1854, m. 27 Dec. 1883, Nellie G. Jacobs, b. 27 Sept. 1864, d. 12 July 1914; ii. George Andrew Borthwick, b. 30 Mar. 1856, m. 25 Dec. 1888, Inez B. Dale, b. 30 Aug. 1868, he was county court clerk of Ness co. Kans. for 8 years; iii. Frank Ashbel Borthwick, b. 30 Sept. 1863, m. 25 Dec. 1884, Marian A. Dale, b. 8 July 1866.

1100. v. Marcus Addison Borthwick, b. 1 Dec. 1830, d. 10 Jan. 1891, m. 2 Jan. 1867, Charlotte Carter, who d. 15 Mar. 1895, he was a farmer. Children, 1: i. Alice T. Borthwick, b. 11 Dec. 1867.

1100. vii. George Newton Borthwick, b. 27 Apr. 1833, d. 12 May 1856.

1100. viii. Arthur Austin Borthwick, b. 16 Feb. 1836, d. 12 May 1856, he was county court clerk of Ness co. Kans. for 8 years; iii. Frank Ashbel Borthwick, b. 30 Sept. 1863, m. 25 Dec. 1884, Marian A. Dale, b. 8 July 1866.


1100. x. Olive Orphelia Borthwick, b. 10 Apr. 1841, d. 17 Aug. 1844.

1101*. ii. Asa West Borthwick, b. 29 May 1833.

1102. iii. Hannah Louise, b. 11 June 1804, d. 18 Oct. 1892, m. William Bevier. No children.


1104. v. Olive S. b. 14 Jan. 1811, d. 19 June 1888, m. 1 Jan. 1832, Dudley Nathaniel (1106), son of George (491) and Eunice (Dudley) Bushnell.

1105. vi. Mary Ann, b. 7 Sept. 1813, d. 11 Oct. 1836.

*491. George, b. Saybrook, Conn. 5 Dec. 1777, d. there 22 Mar. 1869 (R-23), m. 1st, 25 May 1807, Eunice Rebecca Dudley, b. 6 Feb. 1784, d. 15 Dec. 1825 (R-23), dau. of Nathaniel Dudley of Guilford Conn. m. 2nd, Martha Buell, b. abt. 1794, d. 9 Oct. 1854.

George Bushnell lived in Winthrop Parish and was buried in a small cemetery there with his two wives. His will, dated 1860, mentions his daughter Eunice R. Bushnell and sons Nathaniel, John H. and George W. Children, 7, all b. Saybrook, (R-11):
1109. iv. Elizabeth Hanley, b. 2 Aug. 1815.


Children, 5, (R-24):


1111. iii. George Henry Kelsey, b. 12 Jan. 1848, d.y.


Daniel Bushnell left Saybrook shortly after his marriage, and in the Spring of 1812, settled near Cattaraugas, N.Y. later moving to Chautauqua, N.Y. thence to Elk Creek, Erie co. Pa. and in 1831 they were in Monroe, Ashtabula co. N.Y. and from there they removed to Conneaut, Ohio, next going to Chardon, Ohio, and then to Harrison co. Ohio, where he died. In 1842, his widow moved to Adair co. Missouri, and in 1856 crossed the plains by ox team and settled in Lane co. Oregon, and in 1870 removed to Monmouth, Ore. where she d. ae. almost 94 (R-11).

Note: The Pratt Genealogy does not refer to any of the children of Daniel and Ursula as given here, but does record three, who because we cannot verify the allocation, have been omitted from our list.

Children, 10, (R-11):

1113. i. Timothy Lord, b. abt. 1811, d. 7 Dec. 1813, by falling into a tub of hot water. He was buried in Winthrop Cemetery.


1115. iii. Catherine, b. abt. 1818, d. 1 Jan. 1866, m. Oliver Cook.

1116. iv. Jeanette, b. abt. 1820, d. 1833.


1118*. vi. William Pratt, b. 17 Nov. 1823.

1119*. vii. James Addison, b. 27 July 1826.


Children, 7, (R-11):
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1121. v. Edward Willard Adkins, b. Lane co. Ore. 10 Jan. 1863, d. 23 July 1888, unm.


1121. vii. Helen Narcissa Adkins, b. 12 Nov. 1875.

Note: omitted from the Pratt Genealogy allocation were:

0007. xi. Adeline, m. Asher Barnes, resided Clarkville, Va.

0008. xii. William.

0009. xiii. Mary Ann, m. ( ) Story of Cleveland, Ohio.

*494. Samuel, b. Saybrook, Conn. 14 May 1785, d. there 15 Sept. 1872, m. Chester, Conn. Phebe (455), b. 17 Mar. 1790, d. Winthrop Parish, Saybrook, 7 May 1833, dau. of Francis (229) and Hannah (Cone) Bushnell. Children, 12, (R-15-25):

1123. i. Samuel Socrates, b. 1 Dec. 1809, d. 30 Dec. 1809.

1124. ii. Anna Amelia, b. 13 Dec. 1810.

1125. iii. Samuel Socrates, b. 12 Dec. 1812, d. 16 May 1817.

1126. iv. Albert Ellsworth, b. 13 Feb. 1815, d. 7 May 1817.

1127. v. Catherine, b. 16 Mar. 1817, m. ( ) Neal, lived in Southington, Conn. 1909, ae. 92.

1128. vi. Eliza Maria, b. 23 Mar. 1819.


1131. ix. Samuel Willard, b. 17 May 1824.

1132. x. William Socrates, b. 1 July 1826, m. abt. 1847, Emily Jerusha Doane. No children.

1133. xi. Phebe Annette, b. 19 Sept. 1826, d. abt. 1909, m. 5 Sept. 1852, Levi G. Curtis, of New Haven, Conn. who d. 28 May 1898. On 12 May 1909 she wandered away from her home at Winthrop, the house having been built by her grandfather some 150 years before, and was lost in a 1600 acre forest, and the next spring a skeleton was found which it was thought was all that remained of her. Children, 4:

1133. i. William Curtis, who was killed by a tornado which passed through Wallingford, 18 Apr. 1879.

1133. ii. John Curtis, who went to Calif. and died there 25 Jan. 1885, after only a week's residence.

1133. iii. Arthur Curtis (FR), b. abt. 1849, was living when his mother disappeared.

1133. iv. Linwood Curtis, m. Gertrude Rawson of Delaware Co. N.Y. and d. 12 Jan. 1916. He was a graduate of Hamilton Theological Seminary and was a Minister of a Baptist Church in South
Woodstock, Conn. at the time of his death. Children, 1: i. Marie Curtis, m. ( ) Shy, of Los Angeles, Calif.
   1134. xii. Hannah Emily, b. 21 Sept. 1831, m. Thomas R. Lord.
Children, 1:
   1134. i. Elizabeth Carman Lord, b. 6 Mar. 1886, m. Albert N. Smith, resided Glyndon, Ind.

*498. Jonathan, b. Westbrook, Conn. bapt. there 16 July 1774, d. there 24 July 1842, m. 31 Oct. 1796, Elizabeth Lay, b. abt. 1775, d. 5 July 1844.
Jonathan Bushnell with his wife, owned the covenant in the 3rd Church at Westbrook, Conn. 27 Aug. 1797. The dist. of his est. in 1843, mentioned widow, sons Jonathan and Charles, and dau's. Elizabeth Spencer, Abigail Bushnell, Julia Newell, Loxea Root, Abigail Newman, and Julia Newell. In 1846, in a dist. of that part of the est. set out as the widow’s dower, there was mentioned Jonathan A. Bushnell, Clarissa Bushnell, Charles Bushnell, Elizabeth Spencer, Loxea Root, Abigail Newman, and Julia Newell.
Children, 10, (R-26):
   1135. i. Elizabeth, bapt. 27 Aug. 1797, m. 12 Dec. 1816, Joseph Spencer. A gr-dau.
Caroline Elizabeth Spencer, b. Philadelphia, Penn. 30 Oct. 1861, was a famous Woman Suffrage leader.
   1136. ii. Abigail, b. 20 Dec. 1798, bapt. 23 Mar. 1800, m. Westbrook, Conn. 9 Nov. 1845, William Newman from Durham, Conn.
   1137. iii. Louisa, b. 8 Nov. 1800, bapt. 31 Jan. 1802, d. 16 Nov. 1821.
   1138. iv. Julia, b. 17 Feb. 1803, bapt. 7 July 1804, d. 28 June 1854, m. as his 1st wife, 3 June 1822, Andrus Newell, Durham, N.Y.
   1139. v. Loxea, b. 20 June 1805, m. 24 Sept. 1834, Rev. Marvin Root, son of Nathaniel and Candace Root, b. Coventry, Conn. Graduate Williams College and Yale Theological Seminary, and was licensed to preach, 4 June 1833. His first church was at Wapping, Conn. but a few months later he was installed as pastor of the 3rd Church at East Windsor where he remained for many years. In 1865 he removed to Illinois as a missionary and retired in 1863 because of his health. In 1875 he removed to Racine and about 1880 to Rock Creek, Ills. where he died. His father was an officer in the Rev. War.
Children, 8, (R-27):
   1139. i. Daniel Root.
   1139. ii. Clara Root.
   1139. iii. Charles Root.
   1139. iv. Mary A. Root.
   1139. v. George A. Root.
   1139. vi. Thomas Root, d. Sept. 1861 at Rolla, Mo. in the Union Army.
   1139. vii. Elizabeth Root.
   1139. viii. Eleanor Root.
1140*. vi. Jonathan Austin, b. 4 Apr. 1808.
1141*. vii. Charles, b. 29 June 1811.
1142. viii. Clarissa, bapt. 7 Sept. 1817, d. 5 Feb. 1887, ae. 74, unm.
1143. ix. Sally.
1144. x. Azubah.

William Bushnell was a farmer and owned the covenant in the 3rd Cong. Church at Westbrook, 19 July 1800, and 22 years later on 5 May 1822, he joined the 1st Church at Sullivan, N.Y. by letter from the church at Westbrook. He may have removed to Messenger Bay, N.Y. and later to Oneida Lake where he died. He may have been buried at either Messenger Bay or Westbrook as markers appear in both cemeteries (R-24-36).

Children, 9, (R-26):

1145*. i. William, b. 14 Apr. 1801.
1149*. v. Calvin, b. 15 May 1809.
1150. vi. Samuel Ingham, b. 11 Nov. 1810, bapt. 3 Mar. 1811, d. 21 July 1849, unm.
1151. vii. Louisa, b. 14 July 1813, bapt. 14 July 1814, d. 5 May 1878, m. William Miller.
1153. ix. Henry, b. 4 May 1816, bapt. 7 July 1816, d. 25 June 1827.


Elias Bushnell probably removed to Killingworth (now Clinton), Conn. abt. 1801/2, and on 3 Mar. 1802, bought land from Samuel Buell, and in the dead he is designated as Elias 2nd, Henry Bushnell was a witness. He married the next year and 23 June 1805 both owned the covenant in the Killingworth Congregational Church where subsequently all their children were baptized. His name appears in the land records several times.

Children, 5, (R-24-28):

1155. ii. Mehitable, bapt. 12 July 1807, m. 5 Jan. 1827, Richard Farnham.
1156. iii. Elias Shipman, bapt. 7 July 1811, d. 11 Oct. 1833.
1157. iv. Susan Elizabeth, bapt. 26 June 1814, m. 2 Jan. 1842, Freeman S. Crandall.


Children, 9, (R-2):
1159. i. Harriet, b. 8 May 1802, bapt. 14 Aug. 1803, d. 26 Oct. 1805.
1163. v. Phebe Cornelia, (or Phebe Amelia), b. 22 Jan. 1809, bapt. 23 Jan. 1809, d. 11 Dec. 1847, m. 24 Aug. 1838, Justus Miller of Middletown, Conn.
1164. vi. Sophia, b. 5 Jan. bapt. 5 June 1811, d. 9 Oct. 1829, unm.
1166. viii. Cornelia Chapman, b. 3 July 1815, bapt. 4 Aug. 1816, d. abt. 1886, m. Samuel Henry (615), son of Ebenezer (299) and Lydia (Lay) Bushnell.

*507. Francis, b. Saybrook, Conn. abt. 1783, d. Madison, Conn. Nov. 1811, ae. 28, m. 24 Mar. 1810, Miriam Hayden. She m. 2nd, 16 Sept. 1821 Michael Spencer, Jr.

Francis Bushnell removed from Saybrook to a farm in Madison, Conn. shortly after his marriage, and in May 1811, transferred his church membership from the 1st Church at Saybrook to the Church at Madison, and about six months later died from lockjaw resulting from an infected wound. His identity is established by a letter dated 10 Feb. 1869, written by Edward Francis Kelsey, son of Edward Kelsey, his cousin, who had married his half sister Lucy (503) Bushnell, who states that, "Francis Bushnell was his mother's half brother," and that he moved onto the farm he had bought in Madison in Apr. 1810, and in the Autumn of 1811 died from lockjaw. No record of any child has been found.


Simeon Bushnell came to Islington, N.Y. about 1805 and settled about Mar. 1819 on a 100 acre farm in Circleville, where he died. He manufactured brick, the first made in the town, and the house he built is still standing and is the oldest landmark of that section. They were buried in Nicholsville, N.Y.

Children, 4, (R-30):
1168*. i. George, b. 13 Jan. 1816.
1169. ii. William, b. 9 Nov. 1817, was drowned 13 Apr. 1835.
1170. iii. Sally Marietta (or Maryetta or Maryette), b. 5 Jan. 1820, d. 21 Dec. 1893, m. June 1852, Daniel Bushnell Kelsey, b. 18 Mar. 1816, d. Nov. 1893, son of Reuben and Rebecca (559) (Bushnell) Kelsey, lived at Ox Bow, N.Y.

Children, (adopted), 1:

Constant Bushnell removed to Durham, N.Y. abt. 1800, thence to Sullivan, N.Y. where 26 Jan. 1816, he joined the church by letter from the church at Durham. On 19 Apr. 1836 he and his dau's. Lavinia and Sarah took a church letter and later removed to Michigan where he died. He was a stone mason and served in the War of 1812.

Children, 10, all by 1st m. (R-11):
1172. i. Adah Baldwin, b. 10 Feb. 1806, d. 11 Feb. 1879, m. ( ) Norcutt, she joined the church at Sullivan, 21 Jan. 1827, and was dismissed 31 May 1836.

Children, 1:

1173. ii. Rachel, b. 14 June 1807, d. 10 June 1834.
1174. iii. Lavinia, b. 5 Oct. 1808, d. 25 Jan. 1893, m. 2 Nov. 1836, James Eggleston.

She became a member of the church at Sullivan, 15 Apr. 1827.

1175* iv. Linus, b. 23 Mar. 1810.
1176* v. Andrew Kelsey, b. 26 Oct. 1811.
1177. vi. Sarah Corinthia, b. 18 July 1814, d. 23 July 1888, m. Jacob Whitcomb.

Gideon Stoddard. He m. 2nd, ( ).

Children, 1:

1179. i. Andrew Stoddard, d.y.
1180. ix. Ruth.
1181. x. Jonas.

*516. Martin, b. Saybrook, Conn. bapt. there 21 Nov. 1784, d. Lakeport, N.Y. 18 Aug. 1878, m. Lydia Whittlesey, b. abt. 1788, d. 29 Aug. 1859.

Martin Bushnell probably removed after the birth of their second child to Sullivan, N.Y. where on 14 Oct. 1817, they joined the church by letter from the 1st Cong. Church at Saybrook. They removed from Sullivan after 1830 going perhaps to Lakeport, N.Y. where he bought two farms, one about one mile east of the town on the Lake road which in 1932 was occupied by Morris, son of Luther Bushnell, and the other near Eaton's Corner, abt. two miles south of the town. Before going to Lakeport they may have gone to Moiera, N.Y. where records show that a Martin Bushnell bought three tracts of land in 1853-56-57, but the evidence, other than the name, is lacking to support this as fact.

Children, 9:

1183. ii. Lydia Jerusha, bapt. Saybrook, 3 Sept. 1815, d. Lakeport, 1890/96, m.

Walter Collar.

1185* iv. Charles Henry.
1186. v. Sally.
1187. vi. Phebe.
1894, unm.
1190*. ix. Luther, b. abt. 1828.


Zina Bushnell removed from Westbrook, Conn. to Sullivan, N.Y. in Mar. 1815, and was in Lockport, N.Y. as early as 1818, where he built the first brick house in the village from the bricks made on his farm. He was an extensive land owner and took an active interest in the affairs of the town. While he was not a lawyer, he was well versed in the common law and usually conducted his own cases in the local courts. While returning from a business trip accompanied by his wife and a daughter he was suddenly stricken ill driving through Canastota, N.Y. and died almost instantly.

Children, 5, all b. Lakeport (R-31):

1191*. i. Horatio Hurlburt, b. 19 Nov. 1827.
1192*. ii. Almanza (twin), b. 18 Jan. 1831.
1193. iii. Armenia (twin), b. 18 Jan. 1831, d. Indianapoils, Ind. 23 Jan. 1908, m. 2 July 1849, at Lakeport, N.Y. Reuben Bushnell Tuttle, b. 18 Dec. 1823, d. 10 Mar. 1879, son of Ephriam and Sylvia (576) (Bushnell) Tuttle. Resided Sullivan, N.Y.

Children, 7, all b. Sullivan, (R-11-32):


1193. ii. Rosalind (or Rose) Tuttle, b. 19 Jan. 1852, d. 27 Oct. 1874, m. 30 Oct. 1870, Chester T. Parker, b. abt. 1849, son of Frank and Betsey Parker.

1193. iii. Ellen Louise Tuttle, b. 13 Aug. 1854, d. 6 Mar. 1855.


1193. v. Frank Bushnell Tuttle, b. 6 Oct. 1859, m. 1st, Ida M. Osborn, m. 2nd, Florence Pardee, resided Louisville, KY. Children, 3: i. Rosaline Tuttle, b. 12 May 1885, m. Charles L. Wilson; ii. Lucy Tuttle, b. 7 Sept. 1891, m. Frank Palmer of Bridgeport, N.Y.; iii. Helen Tuttle, b. 26 Oct. 1900, m. Stewart Herman of Bridgeport, N.Y.


1193. vii. Richard Bushnell Tuttle (FR), b. 31 July 1871, m. Janet Gass, resided Indianapolis, Ind. For many years, he
with his brother Herman, conducted a Real Estate Office in Indianapolis under the firm name of H. C. Tuttle & Brother. Children, 1: i. Karl Richard Tuttle, b. 8 June 1906, m. 26 Sept. 1936, Velma L. Mason, children, 2: i. Thomas Mason Tuttle, b. 18 Feb. 1938; ii. Carl Richard Tuttle, Jr. b. 28 Nov. 1937. He is in the Real Estate business with his father in Indianapolis, Ind.

1194. iv. Belle, b. abt. 1851, d. abt. 1913, m. Wright Cowan.

Children, 3:

1194. i. Robert Cowan, b. 2 Nov. 1872, m. (). Children, 4: i. Walter Cowan, b. 4 July 1898, d. 12 Apr. 1906; ii. Maybelle Cowan, b. 14 Nov. 1899; iii. Glenn Cowan, b. 22 May 1907; iv. Ina Cowan, b. 4 Sept. 1908.

1194. ii. Ralph Cowan, b. 11 Nov. 1878, m. (). Children, 1: i. Floyd Cowan, b. 8 Apr. 1899.

1194. iii. Richard Cowan, b. 23 Jan. 1888.

1195. v. May, b. 18 May 1865, d. abt. 1921, m. Anson Burlingame.

Children, 1:

1195. i. Winifred Burlingame, b. 4 Apr. 1895, m. abt. 1919, Mathew Kinnetz. Children, 1: i. Lester Kinnetz, b. abt. 1920.

*523. Nathan, b. Madison, Conn. 31 Aug. bapt. 31 Oct. 1779, d. 9 July 1857, m. 1st, 20 Sept. 1803/5, Anna Chapman, b. 16 May 1779, d. Madison, 1 July 1821, dau. of William and Lydia (Ingham) Chapman, m. 2nd, East Guilford, Conn. 28 Jan. 1822, Mrs. Chloe (Scranton) Judson, b. 2 Oct. 1784, d. 5 July 1875, dau. of Theophilus and Abigail (Lee) Scranton. He was a manufacturer of shell combs in New York City.

Children, 8, (R-12-33):


Children, 6:

1196. i. Elliot Lee.
1196. ii. Hamilton Lee.
1196. iii. Maria Lee.
1196. iv. Isabel Lee.
1196. v. Anna Lee.
1196. vi. Katie Lee.

1197. ii. Elizabeth Maria, b. 28 Apr. 1809, m. 14 Mar. 1832, Frederick Hall of Guilford, Conn.

Children, 5, first two b. Madison, others Guilford:

1197. i. Mary Hall, b. 9 Apr. 1832.
1197. ii. Martha Hall, b. 27 Sept. 1836.
1197. iii. Josephine Hall, b. 1 Apr. 1840.
1197. iv. Grace Hall, b. 4 Feb. 1845.
1197. v. Adelaide Hall, b. 20 May 1850.

1199*. iv. Henry Lord, b. 9 July 1816.

Children, 5:

1200. i. William B. Doolittle.
1200. ii. Walter V. Doolittle.
1200. iii. Mary L. Doolittle.
1200. v. Edward Beach Doolittle.
1202* viii. Cornelius Scranton, b. 19 July 1829.

*525. Elihu, b. Madison, Conn. 15 Mar. 1784, d. Old Saybrook, 22 Apr. 1860, m. Susan Cannon Meyer, b. 1796, d. 2 May 1862. He was a carriage maker in Saybrook. His wife appears in the records as Susan, and also as Susannah.

Children, 4, (R-2):
1205. iii. Mary Cannon, bapt. 16 July 1820.

*529. Harvey, b. Madison, Conn. 25 Mar. bapt. 2 Nov. 1794, d. 14 Mar. 1878, m. 1st, Susan Nichols, b. 1805, d. West Avon, Conn. 19 Apr. 1824, m. 2nd, Farmington, Conn. 3 Mar. 1825, Hannah Butler Everett, b. Avon, Conn. 7 June 1798, d. abt. 1841, dau. of Dr. Joseph and Nelly (Pease) Everett, m. 3rd, Phebe (518), bapt. 29 Mar. 1787, d. 25 Apr. 1856, dau. of Constant (251) and Temperance (Kelsey) Bushnell, m. 4th, 6 Dec. 1856, Sarah Matilda Stone, b. 31 Aug. 1820, d. 5 Oct. 1899, dau. of Seth Stone of Madison.

Rev. Harvey Bushnell was a Congregational Minister, ordained in May 1810, and was in Farmington, Conn. in 1825, Avon, Conn. 1833, and in North Lyme, Conn. in 1835. In Saybrook records he is called "Priest Harvey." He was five years old when General Washington died and stated that he remembered wearing crepe on his arm as did all the little boys of his school (R-2-15-32-34).

Children, 6:
1207. i. Susan Amelia, bapt. 1824, d. 27 Jan. 1829.
1208. ii. Samuel Stanley, b. 7 Feb. 1826, d. 10 May 1852.
1209*. iii. Harvey Everett, b. 12 Dec. 1833.
1210. iv. Elizabeth, d.y.
1211. v. Edward Butler, d.y.
1212. vi. a daughter, b. 9 Nov. 1858.

*532. Joshua Bishop, b. Fairfield, N.Y. 8 Feb. 1797, d. Carthage, N.Y. Sept. 1884, m. Maria Harris, b. Fairfield, N.Y. abt. 1800, d. Carthage, N.Y. Sept. 1887. Both were buried in West Carthage, N.Y.

Children, 5:
1213*. i. Frederick Alonzo, b. 27 June 1821.
1216. iv. Walter Harris, b. 12 June 1825.
1218. vi. Sarah, d. ae. 11 months.

Children, 2:
1222*. ii. Hanley N. b. 4 May 1828.

*534. George, b. Fairfield, N.Y. 21 Oct. 1801, d. La Fargeville, N.Y. 30 June 1888, m. abt. 1824, Margaret Reese. He was a blacksmith in Middleville and La Fargeville, N.Y.
Children, 3:
1223. i. Belinda, b. abt. 1825, d. 14 Sept. 1897, unm.
1224*. ii. Phillip (FR), b. 3 Apr. 1827.
1225*. iii. Clark.

Joseph Bushnell was a farmer in Fairfield, N.Y. and lived on the old homestead, he and his 2nd wife were buried in Herkermer, N.Y.
Children, 13, (R-11):
1226. i. Abigail Willard, b. 19 Dec. 1831, d. 1 July 1873, m. 11 Sept. 1856, Nathan Oliver Lawton.
Children, 1:
1228. iii. Elsie Ann, b. 7 July 1835, d. 3. Feb. 1920, m. 29 Mar. 1865, George Freeman Rice.
Children, 3:
1228. i. Clarence Bushnell Rice, b. 21 Jan. 1866, d. 6 July 1930, m. Maria Freda Lohse of Chemnitz, Germany, who came to America, 10 Nov. 1910. Children, 3: i. Elsie Freda Rice, b. 10 Dec. 1912; ii. Ida May Rice, b. 3 Mar. 1914; iii. Fay Rachel Rice, b. 10 Apr. 1918.
1228. ii. George Wilbur Rice, b. 22 Feb. 1868, d. 10 July 1902.
1228. iii. Mary Alworth Rice, b. 10 July 1876, d. abt. 1920, by suicide in Auburn, N.Y.
1231. vi. Semantha, b. 6 Mar. 1842. m. 25 Feb. 1873, Samuel (Swazey or) Swezey Woodworth, who d. 19 Aug. 1909.
Children, 1:
30 Mar. 1929, Arthur Edwin Wilcox; iii. Gladys Boardman (FR), b. 26 Sept. 1907, m. 26 June 1930, Dr. Frank Boothroyd Amos.

Children, 4:
1232. i. Mary Leah Lawton, b. 15 Dec. 1869, unm.
1232. ii. Clara Jane Lawton, b. 21 Oct. 1872, d. 25 Nov. 1928, m. 8 July 1898, George Kline.
1232. iii. Flora E. Lawton, b. 16 Feb. 1875, m. 17 Nov. 1897, Frank Vanderhoof.
1232. iv. Olin Bushnell Lawton, b. 27 Apr. 1880, m. 12 Aug. 1914, Una Jones.

1233. viii. Jane Melissa, b. 22 June 1845, d. 23 May 1895, m. 16 Sept. 1868, George Evelyn Philips, b. 9 Mar. 1839, he was a dairy farmer (R-17).
Children, 2:
1233. i. Cora Emily Philips, b. 2 June 1875, d. 26 Sept. 1934, unm.
1233. ii. Elba Adelaide Philips, b. 28 Feb. 1877, d. 10 Jan. 1930, m. 4 Mar. 1896, Roselle Reese.

1234*. ix. Albert Clark (FR), b. 9 Mar. 1847.
1235. x. Mary Louise, b. 27 July 1850, d. 27 May 1890, m. 2 Nov. 1870, Richard Sands Haviland, b. 20 Aug. 1850.
Children, 4:
1235. i. Minnie Jane Haviland, b. 6 Sept. 1873, d. 9th.
1235. ii. Helen Louisa Haviland, b. 23 Nov. 1874, m. 3 June 1896, George F. Underhill. Children, 2: i. Harold Underhill, b. 30 Aug. 1899, m. 14 June 1925, Mathilda Schmidt; ii. Le Grande Underhill, m. 26 June 1926, Kathryn Gradwohl.
1235. iv. Wilbur James Haviland, b. 20 Sept. 1886, m. 10 Nov. 1907, Marian Williams.

1236. xi. George Horace, b. 1 Nov. 1862, d. 26 May 1874.
1237*. xii. Hanley Willard (FR), b. 8 June 1855.

*539. Samuel, b. Saybrook, Conn. 16 Dec. 1769, bapt. 3rd Church at Westbrook, 18 Feb. 1770, d. Sheffield, Mass. 7 June 1858, m. 1st, Sheffield, 2 Mar. 1797, Parmelia Lucretia Hubbard, b. 19 Dec. 1775, d. Sheffield, 24 Nov. 1807, dau. of Jonathan and Creatin Hubbard, m. 2nd, 5 Nov. 1816, Amy Shepard, b. Chatham, Conn. 1 Oct. 1777, d. Sheffield, 10 Apr. 1820, dau. of Daniel and Mary (Strickland) Shepard, m. 3rd, Chloe Towner Hopkins, b. 19 Sept. 1784, d. 22 Dec. 1857, dau. of Ehud Hopkins.

Samuel Bushnell was taken to Salisbury, Conn. by his parents between 1771 and 1773, and about 1787 probably accompanied his parents to Sheffield, Mass. and after his father's death acquired the homestead there where he died. He was buried in Bow Wow Cemetery in Sheffield as were his three sons. His will, dated 9 Aug. 1853, probated 21 July and allowed 10 Nov. 1858, mentions his wife Chloe, son Samuel H. dau's. Sophie wife of Chester Goodale, Parmelia. widow of David Ives, and her three children, Chloe H. wife of D. F. Bradford, and gr-son William B. Bradford. A codicil dated 22 May 1858, refers to a legacy from his brother Luther Bushnell of Pittsford, N.Y. late dec'd, which he devised to his
son Samuel H. Bushnell, Sophia Goodall, Parmelia Ives and gr-son William B. Bradford.

Children, 5, (R-11):

1239*. i. Samuel Hubbard, b. 28 Dec. 1797.

1240. ii. Sophia, b. 29 Jan. 1800, d. 31 June 1871, m. 21 Apr. 1821, Chester Goodale.

Children, 7:


1240. iii. Caroline Sophia Goodale, b. 29 July 1827, d. abt. 1895, m. 20 May 1846, Pliny J. Sanborn, D.D. Children, 10: i. Charles Griswold Sanborn, b. 2 Oct. 1848, a twin; ii. Chester Goodale Sanborn, b. 2 Oct. 1848, a twin; iii. Mary E. Sanborn, b. 7 July 1850, m. ( ) Dalzell; iv. George Granby Sanborn, b. 15 Oct. 1852; v. Caroline S. Sanborn, b. 17 Feb. 1856; vi. Frederick W. Sanborn, b. 12 Apr. 1859; vii. Harry Kendall Sanborn, b. 28 July 1860; viii. Louis Warner Sanborn, b. 30 May 1862; ix. Alice Louise Hillyer Sanborn, b. 27 May 1865; x. Wallace Sanborn, b. 31 Mar. 1868.


1241. iii. Parmelia, b. 3 May 1803, d. 30 Jan. 1892, m. 24 June 1829, David Ives of Great Barrington, Mass. b. 21 Sept. 1805, d. 1 Jan. 1850.

Children, 1:

1242. iv. Amelia, b. 3 May 1804, d. 25 Aug. 1804.

Children, 1:

1243. i. William B. Bradford.


Barnett Bushnell, recorded in Salisbury Town and Church Records as "son of Samuel Bushnell, Jr." removed with his parents to Sheffield, Mass. and when grown, to New York State where with Nathan Jenks as a partner, he carried on a hat business in Rome and Victor. On 17 Sept. 1811, he sold to his father "Samuel Bushnell of Sheffield," Mass. lot 7, tp. 21, in Richland, N.Y. indenture recorded in Rome, 8 Nov. 1811.

Children, 1:

1244. i. Jane, b. abt. 1802, bapt. 26 June 1806, d. Geneva, Ills. 10 Apr. 1883, m. 31 Oct. 1821, Nathan Jenks, b. 15 Mar. 1800, d. 3 May 1863, son of Azariah and Clarinda (Watrous) Jenks. She was a legatee in the wills of her uncles Frederick (546) Bushnell of Greece, N.Y. and Luther (544) Bushnell of Pittsford, N.Y. (R-37) He was a merchant in Victor, N.Y. in partnership with Barnett Bushnell under the name of Bushnell and Jenks. He removed to Ontario, Ind. in 1843, where he was a farmer and miller, and died there. After his death his widow resides with her son Dr. Edward Watrous Jenks.

Children, 6:

1244. ii. Abigail Harriet Jenks, m. Andrus Dutcher.

1244. vi. a son, d.y.


1245. i. William Frederick, b. 26 Nov. 1825, d. 12 Dec. 1826.

Children, 4:


1246. iii. Carrie Bushnell Osborn, b. 30 Apr. 1859, m. 25 Dec. 1884, Mark T. Powell.

1246. iv. Henry Bushnell Osborn, b. 10 July 1863, d. 4 Sept. 1865.

1247. iii. infant, d. at birth.

1248. iv. infant, d. at birth.

*545. Charles, b. Salisbury, Conn. 20 Apr. 1782, d. Baton Rouge La. 25 Aug. 1835, m. Baton Rouge, La. 8 Apr. 1812, Anna Jones, dau. of Robert and Anna (O'Bryan) Jones (R-40). Judge Charles Bushnell, graduate of Harvard University about 1803, went to Louisiana soon after. He purchased land there 26 Dec. 1811 and married the next year. On 8 May 1816, and again on 25 Feb. 1819, he took the oath of office as District Attorney for the 3rd District of Louisiana, and on 18 Feb. 1822, he took the oath as an Attorney in the same court. He had a large legal erudition and cultivated the general branches of literature. He seems to have had considerable property at one time but to have lost or disposed of most of it before his death. The record of his marriage appears in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Baton Rouge, written in Spanish. The appointment of Mertimer F. Delano as guardian of Frederick Senter Bushnell and his sister, Laura Bushnell, minors, of Wayne County, Mich. by the Wayne County court, on 27 July 1839 has not been accounted for.

Children, 3, (R-11):

1249*. i. Frederick Senter, b. abt. 1823.

1250. ii. Maria A. b. Baton Rouge, La. abt. 1826, d. Opalousa, La. 3 or 31 July 1891, m. Baton Rouge, 8 Oct. 1836, Josiah Pitts Williams, who d. Rapides Parish, La. 22 Oct. 1859, son of Archibald Pierce and Elizabeth (Routh) Williams. He was a wealthy planter of Rapides Parish. She was the favorite pupil of the illustrious scholar Prof. Alexander Dimitry, and was of slight though compact build with bright sparkling eyes. She became familiar with all the modern languages and could easily translate from the original Latin, French, Spanish, and German at sight, and was a great writer, and wove together numerous legends of old Louisiana, both in prose and verse. During the latter years of the Civil War she suffered from the destruction of her beautiful plantation "The Oaks" by the vandals who followed General Banks in his Red River raid, but she met these reverses bravely and for years afterwards was a constant contributor to the New Orleans Sunday Times. Her home after the war was near Alexandria on Red River (R-41-42-43).

Children, 8:
1250. i. Josephine Maria Williams, m. Thomas H. Lewis, an Attorney of Opalousas, La. and was known to her nieces and nephews as "Aunt Judge." Children, 7: i. Nina Lewis, m. Joseph B. Clements, m. 2nd, W. S. Frazer; ii. M. Delaney Lewis, m. Alice Stagg; iii. Charles Lewis; iv. Thomas H. Lewis, m. 1st, Estelle Hill, m. 2nd, ( ) King; v. James J. Lewis, m. Lessie Baillis; vi. Elizabeth Lewis, m. Dr. Joseph Saigan; vii. John W. Lewis, m. Lucille LaCombe.

1250. ii. Annette B. Williams, m. Capt. A. K. McLean of the Confederate Army and was known to her nieces and nephews as "Aunt Chickie."

1250. iii. Archibald P. Williams, m. Daisy La Blanche, he was a Major in the Confederate Army and served on the Staff of Gen. Stonewall Jackson. Children, 5: i. Rita Williams, m. J. J. Pinodin and d. before 1932; ii. Josephine Williams, m. Joseph Fineberg, and d. before 1932; iii. Le Blanc Williams; iv. Daisy Williams; v. Minnie Williams.

1250. iv. Elizabeth Williams, m. Benjamin Webster Clark, and d. abt. 1873.
He was a Colonel in the 8th Louisiana Cavalry in the Confederate Army. Children, 3: i. Archibald Williams Clark, b. 31 Mar. 1863, m. 1902, Elizabeth Stewart of Nashville, Tenn. He was a student in Montgomery Bell Academy in Nashville, was in the Klondike Gold Rush and was in Alaska four years, resided Oklahoma City, Okla; ii. Margaret May Clark, d.y; iii. Benjamin Chamberlain Clark, d.y.


1250. vi. Pintard Williams, m. Lillian Goodloe. Children, 3: i. Harry Williams, m. 1st, Annie McClelland, m. 2nd, Ouida Ellis Brown; ii. George Williams, m. Lea De Jean; iii. Bonnie Williams, m. Joel Fontenet.

1250. vii. Charles B. Williams, d. 5 July 1869, he was a Captain in the Confederate Army.


1251. iii. Laura, b. Alexandria, La. abt. 1901, m. 1st. Alonzo Cummings, m. 2nd, James White. Children, 1:

1251. i. Annie Bushnell White, b. abt. 1870, d. in the 1890's, m. James C. Bolton, no children.

Samuel Bushnell is called Captain on his brown stone obelisk in the new cemetery at Salisbury, Conn. but whether this title was military or otherwise, is not known. On 7 Mar. 1840, William Bushnell, his brother, bought the Wells Tavern in Salisbury,
which before Mr. Well's occupancy, had been the town hall, and under the name Bushnell's Tavern, was under the management of Capt. Bushnell and other tenants until 5 Oct. 1854 when it was purchased by John H. and George Coffin. One of the later tenants was Noah Wheeler who married the adopted daughter, Sarah, of Capt. Samuel Bushnell.

Children, 4:

1253*. iii. Jeremiah, b. 27 Feb. 1833.
1254. iv. Frederick, b. 23 Feb. 1840.

*551. William, b. Salisbury, Conn. 20 July 1798, d. there 27 Aug. 1865, m. Eliza ( ), b. 19 Nov. 1805, d. Salisbury, Conn. 5 Aug. 1869. He is called Captain in the new cemetery at Salisbury, where both he and his wife are buried, but it is not known whether the title was military or otherwise.

He bought on 7 Mar. 1840, the Old Town Hall at Salisbury for $2425.00 which was then known as Wells Tavern, and which was later known as Bushnell's Tavern under the management of his brother Capt. Samuel Bushnell. Children, none known.

*553. Harmon Butler, b. Salisbury, Conn. 17 Sept. 1801, d. there 29 June 1851, m. Salisbury 23 Sept. 1832, Emeline Jane Dutcher, b. Canaan, Conn. 1 June 1812, dau. of Ruliff and Lucinda (Howe) Dutcher (R-44).

Children, 6 (R-11):

1255*. i. Charles D. b. 7 June 1834.
1256. ii. Pierre Fort, b. Geneva, N.Y. 20 Nov. 1835, d. 15 Aug. 1862, m. 7 Aug. 1862, Amanada Maora Christopher (Van Dusen), adopted dau. of Henry Van Dusen. At the time of his marriage he was called as of Kalamazoo, Mich. He was a Major in the Union Army in the Civil War, and lost his life in the Battle of Pea Ridge. No children.
1259. v. Emmaline, b. Hadley, N.Y. 30 July 1836, d. 8 Jan. 1908, m. Quincy, Ills. 16 Nov. 1864, Richard Denny Young, son of Richard Denny and Mary Ann (Pennington) Young. He was an old line perfumer of the firms of Young, Ladd and Coffin of New York city, and Milliac and Young of Philadelphia, Pa.

Children, 6 (R-11):

1259. ii. Pennington Scott Young, b. 23 Apr. 1869.
1259. iv. Ethelbert Pennington Young, m. Blanch Boone, Children, 1: i.

Madelin Young, d.y.

1259. v. Mary Marsden Young (FR), b. New York, N.Y. m.
London, Eng. John Dickey Craig, b. Mt. Pleasant, Tenn. 23 Mar. 1897, d. Woodmere, L.I. N.Y. 23 Aug. 1932, son of William of Tennessee, and Alice E. (Alsobrook) Craig of Alabama. He was a theatrical producer, director, manager, and author, and she was a well known, versatile actress, co-director, and co-author with her husband, and had an extensive repertoire of dramatic and Shakespearean plays. Children, 2: i. Harman Bushnell Craig, b. 1 July 1895, d. Verdun, France, 15 July 1917. He was in the class of 1919 at Harvard University (see History of the American Field Service in France), enlisted for World War I, was cited for bravery for work done under fire June 28th and 29th and lost his life in action, unm. ii. John Dickey Craig, b. 28 Aug. 1896, m. Virginia Stanley. He graduated Harvard University 1919, enlisted for World War I, and was cited for bravery.

1259. vi. Winifred Young, m. Ruby ( )

1260. vi. Nellie, d. Chicago, Ills. m. ( ).

Children 1:

1260. i. Carrie.

*556. Nathaniel, b. Saybrook, Conn. 14 Nov. 1793, d. Cromwell, Conn. 5 Jan. 1854, m. 30 Apr. 1820, Nancy Curtis, b. 19 Aug. 1792, d. 5 Jan. 1854. He was postmaster at Cromwell, Conn. 3 July 1841 to 1 Oct. 1845.

Children, 9, (R-11-45):

1261*. i. George Edward, b. 11 Feb. 1821.
1262. ii. Catherine Ann, b. 20 Oct. 1822, d. 21 Dec. 1825,
1263. iii. Mary Elizabeth, b. 16 Sept. 1824, d. 18 May 1913, m. 8 Aug. 1849, Rollin Diarca Hemenway Allen, b. Middlebury, Vt. where he graduated from Middlebury Academy in 1841, and taught there for one year. He was a clergyman and resided in Terryville, Conn.

Children, 4, (R-11-45):

1263. i. Henry D. Allen, b. 20 May 1854, d. 24 Mar. 1871,
1263. ii. George M. Allen, b. 27 Dec. 1856, m. his cousin, Isabelle, dau. of David Lyman and Harriet Maria (1266) (Bushnell) Buell.
1263. iv. Harriet C. Allen, b. 11 Feb. 1867, m. 24 June 1890, Charles Wolcott.
1264. iv. unnamed daughter, b. 1 Apr. 1826, d.y.
1266. vi. Harriet Maria, b. 15 May 1830, d. Caledonia, Minn. 23 May 1904, m. abt. 1856 David Lyman Buell, b. Colchester, Conn. 26 May 1831, d. Caledonia, Minn. 5 Nov. 1906, son of David and Mary Octavo (Day) Buell.

Children, 7, all b. Caledonia, Minn:

1266. ii. Dwight Allen Buell, b. 16 Mar. 1859, d. 9 July 1930.
1266. iii. Mary Buell.
1266. iv. Clifton Buell, d. ae. 5 years of Scarlet Fever.
1266. v. Edward Buell, d. ae. 2 years.
1266. vi. Herbert Lyman Buell, b. Nov. 1869, d. 30 Apr. 1888.

1267. vii. Maria, b. 15 May 1830, d. 26 Sept. 1838.
1269* ix. Henry Nathaniel, b. 2 Nov. 1834.


Henry C. Bushnell, called "Hack," was a cooper and operated a farm. After the death of his wife he left his children with his brothers and sisters and went to New York State, perhaps Brasher Falls, where he married his second wife who died shortly after. He then went to Michigan where he married his third wife, who survived him.

Children, 4, (R-11):
1270. i. Luthera A. b. 25 Nov. 1833, d. 3 Jan. 1899, m. 19 Jan. 1853, Edward Janes of Georgia, Vt.
Children, 5:
1270. i. Clara Lenora Janes, b. 27 Aug. 1854, m. 4 July 1874, Edward Dixon.
1270. iii. Flora Eugenia Janes, b. 27 Mar. 1858, d. 6 June 1864.
1270. iv. Kitty Bell Janes, b. 6 Nov. 1862, d. 6 June 1864.
1270. v. Edward Wakeman Janes, b. 28 Mar. d. 9 June 1873.

1271. ii. Hannah, b. 4 Mar. 1908, m. Martin Weatherwax, resided Spokane, Wash.
Children, 2:
1271. i. Fred Weatherwax.
1271. ii. Alice Weatherwax.
1272* iii. Henry Abijah, b. 13 Apr. 1833.
1273* iv. Augustus Titus, b. 27 Dec. 1836.

*575. Ezra T. b. Westbrook, Conn. 4 July 1800, d. Oneida Lake, N.Y. 4 Jan. 1889, m. 24 Jan. 1827, Louisa Williams, who d. 19 Nov. 1887. He was in Sullivan, N.Y. when his daughter Emeline was bapt. 3 Sept. 1830, but settled later at Oneida Lake, N.Y.
Children, 7, (R-11):

1274. i. Elizabeth, b. 20 July 1824, m. 16 Dec. 1862, Silas Keller, resided Oneida Lake, N.Y. She was called Betsey.

Children, 3:

1274. i. Hayden Keller, b. 20 May 1866.
1274. ii. Ezra Keller, b. 23 Dec. 1868.

1275. ii. Emeline, b. 11 Jan. 1829, d. 4 Feb. 1898, m. 10 Oct. 1855, Jacob Crayton, who d. 2 Apr. 1897.

Children, 7:

1275. i. Hattie L. Crayton, b. 18 Aug. 1856, d. 29 Oct. 1856,
1275. ii. Ezra D. Crayton, b. 8 Oct. 1857, d. 31 Aug. 1858
1275. iii. Lucian S. Crayton, b. 22 Jan. 1860, d. 28 Aug. 1890.
1275. v. Russell Crayton, b. 18 Dec. 1863.
1275. vi. Emeline L. Crayton, b. 23 Feb. 1866.

1276. iii. Maria Louisa, b. 3 Mar. 1832, m. 18 Aug. 1855, Charles Eaton, resided Oneida Lake, N.Y.

Children, 1:

1276. i. Emory Eaton, b. 12 June 1856, m. Harriet McCauley, children, 4: i.

Blanch Eaton, m. George Hildreth, children, 1: i. Harriet Hildreth, m. Webster Goodell; iii.
1278. v. Winfield S. b. 29 July 1838.
1279. vi. Emogene F. b. 18 Aug. 1842, m. 26 Oct. 1864, Henry E. Brown, resided Bridgeport, N.Y.

Children, 3:

1279. i. Wilford R. Brown, b. 8 Feb. 1866, no children.
1279. iii. Maud E. Brown, b. 2 June 1874, m. 1st, ( ) Perkins, m. 2nd, Dr. ( ) Slater, no children.
1280. vii. Scott W. b. 6 June 1847, m. 18 June 1887, Clara Hathaway, resided in Kansas.

*577. Reuben, b. Westbrook, Conn. or Durham, N.Y. 11 Feb. 1805, d. Oneida Lake, N.Y. 27 May 1871, m. Feb. 1827, Sabrina Adams, b. abt. 1804, d. abt. 1877, on 20 May he united with the 1st Cong. Church at Sullivan, N.Y. but removed to Oneida Lake.

Children, 3, (R-11):

1281*. i. Frederick Nelson, b. 5 Jan. 1831.

Children, 2:

1282. i. Eva Hutchinson.
1282. ii. George Hutchinson.

for Augusta, N.Y. and accumulated some property which went to his daughter Harriet at his death.

Children, 2, (R-26):

1284. i. Harriet Eliza, b. Augusta, N.Y. 3 June 1843, d. Oriskany Falls, N.Y. 29 Dec. 1933, m. Oriskany Falls, 23 Oct. 1867, Aden A. Miller, who d. abt. 1928, son of Francis Miller. He had several prosperous hop farms, was a director of the Oriskany Falls National Bank and President of the village.

Children, 1:

1284. i. Frederick Baxter Miller, b. 9 Feb. 1869, d. abt. 1908, m. 3 June 1896, Caroline H. Loomis, b. 7 Jan. 1871, resided Earlsville, N.Y. but in 1933 she was living in Syracuse, N.Y. No children.

1285. ii. Mary Harmony, b. Oriskany Falls, N.Y. 12 June 1857, d. 9 Nov. 1878.


Children, 6, (R-11):


1288. iii. Adelaide, b. 14 Apr. 1843, d. 10 Oct. 1913, m. James (F. or) P. Sackett, b. 25 Dec. 1840, d. 27 Apr. 1918, resided in Utica, N.Y. No children.

1289. iv. Ellen, b. 17 Aug. 1846, d. 3 Sept. 1904, m. 9 Jan. 1868, Elmer Johnson, b. 23 May 1841, d. 10 June 1924. Resided Canastota, N.Y.

Children, 2:

1289. i. Gertrude Johnson (FR), b. 27 Nov. 1872, m. 23 June 1904, Frank A. Prescott, b. 23 Feb. 1871, d. 24 Aug. 1922, resided Utica, N.Y. No children.

1289. ii. Frederick Johnson, b. 22 Apr. 1876, m. 21 Apr. 1897, Maud Downs, b. 15 Feb. 1881. Children, 1: i. Frederick Johnson, Jr. b. 22 Apr. 1876, m. 8 Apr. 1922, Ethel Stephens, b. 10 July 1889.

1290. v. Frances, b. 7 Mar. 1854, d. 4 Apr. 1914, m. Oct. 1874, Homer Sherwood, b. 16 Mar. 1844, d. 18 July 1912, resided Canastota, N.Y. No children.

1291. vi. Miriam, b. 12 July 1859, m. 24 Oct. 1875, Henry Davis, b. 26 Aug. 1852. Children 2:

1291. i. James Davis, b. 1 Apr. 1879, m. 22 Mar. 1899, Maud Davis, b. 1 May 1883. No children.

1291. ii. Otto B. Davis, b. 11 Feb. 1886, m. 16 June 1907, Ethel (or Eschiel) Merrill, b. 9 July 1885. Children, 1: i. Lawrence Merrill, b. 17 Aug. 1909.


Addison Bushnell was a man of large means and fine character; had travelled abroad and upon his return built a house at Lakeport similar to some of the old mansions he had seen in Europe. His
first wife was a woman of very determined will and upon her death bed exacted his promise that he would marry one of her friends by the name of Emma Harpham, although she was 25 years younger than he, and had a son named Frank. After his second marriage, as agreed, he adopted her son Frank who took the Bushnell name, and upon his death the property went to the adopted son.

Children, 2:
1292. i. Alice A. b. Lakeport, 6 Oct. 1843, d. 6 Jan. 1862, m. abt. 1861, George Tripp of Lakeport. It is said that she married a man of her mother's choice, instead of the man she loved, and died six months later of a broken heart.

0004. ii. Frank (Harpham), adopted son (FR), m. Carrie White, dau. of Harry and Clara (Gifford) White, and gr-dau. of Arunah and Elizabeth (574) (Bushnell) Gilmore.

Children, 2:
0005. i. Harry Bushnell.
0006. ii. Hermon Bushnell.

*584. Harlow, b. Durham, N.Y. 21 Sept. 1804, m. Martha Bradford resided Lisbon, Ills. where he was a farmer.

Children, 4:
1293*. i. James.
1294. ii. Emma.
1295*. iii. George.

Children, 2:
1296. i. Ella Sergeant, d. unm.
1296. ii. Frank Sergeant.

*586. Julius, b. Durham, N.Y. 21 Feb. 1808, m. Susan Ann Lamphere, resided Lisbon, Ills. where he was a farmer.

Children, 3:
1297. i. Edward, d. unm.
1298. ii. Elmer, m. Sarah Naden, no children.
1299. iii. Newton, m. Sylvia Connor, resided Lisbon, Ills. no children.

*587. Stephen, b. Durham, N.Y. 4 Jan. 1811, married and settled in Burlington, Wis. Left sometime later to go south with his son, Galasus, and no further trace of them has been found.

Children, 2:
1300. i. Viola, b. 2 Apr. 1838, d. Corning, Iowa, 1 Nov. 1919, m. ( ) Van Valkenburg, resided Corning in 1909.

Children, 3:
1302. i. dau. Van Valkenburg.
1302. ii. dau. Van Valkenburg.
1302. iii. dau. Van Valkenburg, d. before 1909.

*588. George, b. Durham, N.Y. 17 Apr. 1812, bapt. Sullivan, N.Y. 4 Aug. 1816, d. Lisbon, Ills. 5 July 1868, m. 4 July 1837, Nancy Clark, b. Sullivan, N.Y. 28 July 1818, d. Lisbon Apr. 1893. He was a farmer and resided at Niles, Mich. where his 1st two children were b. About 1840 removed to Lisbon where his other children were born.

Children, 8:
1302. i. Viola, b. 2 Apr. 1838, d. Corning, Iowa, 1 Nov. 1919, m. ( ) Van Valkenburg, resided Corning in 1909.

Children, 3:
1304. iii. Joseph, b. 28 Feb. 1841, enlisted in 36th Ills. Vol. Inf. and d. in camp, near
Corinth, Miss. 16 June 1862.
1306. v. Julia, b. 31 Oct. 1845, d. Corning, 17 May 1929, m. Duane Cody. No
children.
1308. vii. Ida, b. 2 Feb. 1854, d. Corning, 14 Apr. 1928, m. 12 Sept. 1874, Wesley
Kellogg, b. 6 Sept. 1851, son of George and Harriet (Eastman) Kellogg. He was a farmer and
resided near Corning.
Children, 3:
1308. i. Milo Kellogg.
1308. ii. Bernice Kellogg.
1308. iii. Berdette Kellogg, unm.
1309. viii. Nancy, b. 2 June 1852, d. Lenox, Iowa, 28 Dec. 1933, m. Orrin Penfield. No
children.

Wis. 14 Oct. 1898, m. 1 Jan. 1846, Elizabeth Thompson, b. 26 Mar. 1828, d. 25 May 1857. He
went with his parents to Lisbon, Ills. and about 1836 removed to Burlington, where he was a
farmer.
Children, 2, b. Burlington Wis:
1310*. i. William K. (FR), b. 6 July 1848.

1904/5, m. 1st, Lucy Crumb, m. 2nd, Harriet Hood. He was a farmer and resided near Lisbon.
Children, 5, 2 by 1st marriage:
Children, 6:
1312. i. Hayden Wood, d. unm.
1312. iii. Vincie Wood.
1312. iv. Ida Wood.
1312. v. Viola Wood.
1312. vi. Edna Wood d. unm.
Children, 1:
1313. i. Vincie Boyer, m. Charles Maundus. Children, 6: i. Fred Maundus;
ii. Albert Maundus; iii. June Maundus; iv. Lois Maundus; v. Retta Maundus; vi. Ida Maundus,
1314*. iii. Henry.
1315. iv. Lila (or Lily), m. Truman Archer, resided St. Charles, Ills.
Children, 1:
Ruth Barrows.
1315.1. v. Carrie.

June 1885, m. Phebe M. Charles, dau. of Christian H. and Juliet (Mann) Charles. She was
residing in Ottawa, 1909.
Washington Bushnell removed with his parents to Lisbon, Ills. in 1837, where he worked on his father's farm, taught school, and read law until admitted to the State and National Law School at Poughkeepsie, N.Y. and in 1835 was admitted to the New York Bar but removed soon to Lisbon, Ills. where he associated with Oliver Cromwell Gray under the firm name of Bushnell & Gray for the practice of his profession. Succeeding firm names were: Gray Avery & Bushnell, Bushnell Gilman & Bull, Bushnell Gilman & Cook, Bushnell & Druitt, and Bushnell & Fullerton. He was City Attorney 1853-56, State Attorney for 9th Judicial District of Ills. Member of Constitutional Convention 1861, State Senator 1860-8, and Attorney General of State 1868-72 when he retired. He had been associated with the Ottawa, Oswego and Fox River R.R. from Streator to Aurora, and with the La Salle County Savings and Trust Co. and First National Bank of Ottawa, and was a warm personal friend of President Lincoln and Governor Yates. He was six feet, three inches tall, erect and broad of shoulders and spent his vacations on a farm in Wilkin Co. Minn. upon which he had established his son Theron.

Children 7:

1316. i. Juliet, m. Frederick P. Hartshorn, resided Denver, Colo. 1909.

Children, 1:

1316. i. Alfred Burnham Hartshorn.


Children, 2:

1317. i. William B. Edwards.


1318*. iii. Theron Brewster.


Children, 4:

1319. i. Charles Bushnell Fullerton.

1319. ii. Almeda Fullerton.

1319. iii. Theron Bushnell Fullerton.

1319. iv. Anne Fullerton.

1320. v. Sylvia A. d. unm.

1321. vi. Phebe, d. unm.

1322. vii. Wallace Dickey, d.y.

*600. John Williams, b. Vernon, N.Y. 18 Mar. 1825, d. 7 Sept. 1894, m. 12 June 1856, Mary Jane Convis, b. 8 Aug. 1835, d. 17 Apr. 1907, dau. of Thomas and Emoline Convis of Bridgewater, N.Y. He was a farmer and lived near Downers Grove, Ills. at one time. Both were buried in Alma, Mich.

Children, 2:


1324. ii. Elnora A. b. 16 June 1865.


Children, 3:

1325. i. Emily Janette, b. 4 Mar. 1853, m. 9 June 1879, Dr.
Samuel Mock Wylie, b. 15 July 1854, son of Jonathan and Agnes Wylie of Paxton, Ills. He was a physician in Paxton.

1327*. iii. Julia Maria, b. 8 Dec. 1855, d. 22 Aug. 1856.

*602. Joseph Jackson (FR), b. Vernon, N.Y. 14 Mar. 1829, d. Jackson, Minn. 19 Mar. 1916, m. 31 Dec. 1857, Eleanor B. Cobleigh, b. 30 Mar. 1840, d. Loma Linda, Calif. 24 Feb. 1930, dau. of Nelson and Jane Cobleigh. He enlisted in 8th Ills. Cavalry, Oct. 1861, re-enlisted Jan. 1863, and was discharged July 1865, at which time he was Quartermaster Sergt. He was in six or eight of the major, and some thirty or more of the minor engagements of the Civil War in Penn. and Va. and after the war removed to Jackson, Minn. where he was a farmer.

Children, 3, all b. Lisbon, Ills:

1328*. i. Sherrill Nelson, b. 24 Nov. 1858.
1329. ii. Edith Adella, b. 2 Jan. 1861, d. abt. 1942, m. 31 Aug. 1880, Jabez Norman, a lawyer, who d. 29 Nov. 1918.

Children 3, all b. Denver, Colo.:

1329. i. Harry Norman, b. 11 May 1883.
1329. iii. Paul Norman, b. 16 Jan. 1894.

1330*. iii. Jackson E. b. 8 Nov. 1865.


Clark Ephriam Bushnell served in the Civil War, after which he was a farmer at Monroe, Wis. and served there on the District School Board.

Children, 9:

1331. i. Amelia Ann, b. Waukesha, Wisc. 1 Oct. 1848, d. Menomonie, Wis. 10 Oct. 1924, m. 30 Nov. 1871, Daniel Stanley Sutherland, b. Decatur, Wis. 25 June 1848, son of John Talmage and Julia Ann (Hill) Sutherland. He was in Gen. Sherman's Army on its march to the sea.

Children, 1:


1332. ii. Ellen Jane, b. 19 June 1850, d. 19 Feb. 1900, unm.
1334. iv. Anson Milo, b. 12 Feb. 1855, d. unm.
*609. Henry Titus, b. 7 Dec. 1807, bapt. Westbrook, Conn. 5 July 1812, d. 5 May 1883, m. 20 May 1840, Susan E. Denison, m. 2nd, Harriet Dickerson.  
Children, 4:
  1340. i. Rocilia, b. 28 July 1845, d. 17 Sept. 1846.  
  1341. ii. Walstein L. b. 12 Sept. 1848.  
  1342. iii. Georgia Anna, b. 27 July 1850, m. 18 Mar. 1874, James E. Hinsdale.  
Children, 1:
  1342. i. Ralph Hinsdale.  

*610. Edwin, b. 26 Mar. 1810 d. 31 Jan. 1863, m. 11 Sept. 1833 Diana Tibbals, b. 1814, d. abt. 1901.  
Children, 1:
  1344*. i. Francis Gillen, b. 25 Mar. 1838.  

Children, 4:
  1345*. i. Edward (Edwin) Gage, b. 2 Sept. 1839.  
Children, 2, b. Newark Valley:
  1346. i. Caroline Letitia Howard, b. 10 Jan. 1863, d. after 1940, m. Cephas Boutelle Barker, b. Tully, N.Y. Children, 1: i. Howard Barker, b. Newark Valley, 30 Aug. 1891, resided Syracuse, N.Y.  
  1347. iii. Flora Armenta, b. 18 Aug. 1846, d. 5 May 1889, m. 5 Dec. 1865, Austin Dickerson, b. 23 Aug. 1843, d. 8 Oct. 1925.  
Children 2:
  1347. i. George Dickerson, b. abt. 1868, d. abt. 1918. No children.  
  1347. ii. William A. Dickerson, b. abt. 1880, d. abt. 1930, m. Ella Butler. He was Treasurer of the Mutual Security Insurance Co. Binghampton, N.Y. No children.  
  1348*. iv. Theron Hill, b. 23 Aug. 1848.  

*613. Calvin, b. 7 May 1818, d. 4 Nov. 1891, m. Choconut, Pa. Henrietta Briggs, b. 12 July 1820, d. 21/24 Nov. 1905.  
Children, 5:
  1349. i. Melissa, b. 22 Oct. d. 20 Nov. 1841.  
  1350. ii. Emma Maria, b. 2 June 1843, d. 19 Sept. 1858.  
  1351. iii. Ellen, b. 28 Aug. 1844, d. 20 Aug. 1936, m. 27 Mar. 1867, Felix Roulet, b. 22 Sept. 1841, d. 1926.  
Children, 3:
1351. i. Alfred Roulet, b. 20 July 1870, d. 17 June 1871.
1351. ii. Calvin Bushnell Roulet, (FR), b. 9 Apr. 1872. In 1940 was Vice-President of National Fire Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn. resided West Hartford.
1351. iii. William Paul Roulet, b. 29 Sept. 1879, d. 7 Feb. 1903.
1353*. v. Elmer Zina, b. 9 May 1861.

*615. Henry Samuel, b. Westbrook, Conn. 28 Aug. 1809, bapt. 23 June 1822, d. there 6 Oct. 1894, m. 19 Oct. 1834, Cornelia Chapman (1166), b. Saybrook, Conn. 3 July 1815, d. Westbrook, 4 May 1884, dau. of Abel (505) and Deborah (Chapman) Bushnell. In some records his name is given as Samuel Henry.
Children, 8:
1354. i. Charles Wilson, b. abt. 1835, d. 2 Apr. 1855.
1355. ii. Myrta Sophia, b. abt. 1837, d. abt. 1916, m. 5 Dec. 1859, Edgar Griswold.
Children, 2:
1355. i. Everett E. Griswold, b. abt. 1866, d. abt. 1892.
1355. ii. Laura R. Griswold, b. abt. 1868, d. 1925.
1356. iii. Laura Maria, b. abt. 1839, d. abt. 1919, m. J. Frank Lane.
Children, 1:
1356. i. Frank P. Lane, b. abt. 1866, d. abt. 1907.
1357. iv. infant, b. 29 Aug. d. 11 Oct. 1841.
1358. v. Harriet Anne, b. 27 Mar. 1842, d. 25 Apr. 1890, m. 1st, William Freeman of Haddam, Conn. m. 2nd, Daniel (E. or) M. Holmes.
Children, 8:
1358. i. Infant Freeman, d. 8 July 1860.
1358. ii. Henry Wilson Holmes, b. 20 Apr. 1872.
1358. iii. Josephine L. Holmes, b. 14 Sept. 1873, d. 28 June 1893.
1358. iv. Daniel Holmes, b. 26 June 1875.
1358. v. Jesse N. Holmes, b. 4 Jan. 1877.
1358. vi. Judson Holmes.
1358. vii. George Holmes, d. 2 Apr. 1896.
1358. viii. Arthur Holmes.
1359. vi. Deborah Cornelia, b. abt. 1842, d. abt. 1890, m. 24 June 1864, Zadoc Morgan, b. abt. 1842, a Veteran of the Civil War.
Children 4:
1359. i. Harry H. Morgan, b. 26 May 1874, m. Louise Tucker.
1359. ii. Carlos Don Morgan, b. 1 June 1877, m. Blanch Butler. Children, 6: i.
Clarence Zadock Frederick Morgan, b. 26 Aug. 1888, m. 1 Jan. 1907, Mabel Louise Thompson; ii. Bertha Louise Morgan, b. 9 Dec. 1890, m. 10 Apr. 1917, Herbert Earl Herrick, b. 15 Oct. 1886; iii. Earl Eldred Morgan, b. 24 Sept. 1897, m. 3 Mar. 1919, Sarah Swayne, b. 13 Mar. 1888; iv. Raymond Butler Morgan, b. 4 Feb. 1899, m. 19 Jan. 1922, Laura Cook, b. 9 Nov. 1895; v. Alice Cornelia Morgan, b. 22 Aug. 1900, m. 30 Dec. 1926, John Kenneth Anderson, b. 29 July 1902; vi. Helen Gertrude Morgan, b. 11 June 1908.

1359. iv. Myrta A. (or S.) Morgan (FR), b. 1 June 1877, unm. 1938.

1360. vii. Francis, b. May 1846, d. 14 Apr. 1847.

1361. viii. Emeline Amelia, b. 26 May 1849, d. 20 Apr. 1907, m. ? (?).

Children, 1:

1361.1 i. Charles Carey Bushnell, b. 3 Aug. 1865, d. 17 May 1890, unm.


Children, 1:

1362. i. Wallace Treadwell, b. abt. 1871, d. abt. 1879.

1363. ii. Maryella Ervilla, b. 10 Aug. 1849, d. 8 Apr. 1890, m. 1st, William A. Phelps, son of William and La Creese (Andrews) Phelps, m. 2nd, Charles Newton of Norwich.

Children, 2:

1363. i. Charles E. Phelps, b. 21 Sept. 1872.

1363. ii. George E. Phelps (FR), b. 9 Sept. 1875, m. 20 Apr. 1911, Sadie Ray of Edgerton, Mass. No children.


1365*. iv. Charles Richard, b. 16 June 1856.

1366. v. Ella Adell (FR), b. 3 Aug. 1864, m. 27 Oct. 1907, John Brockway Pratt, b. 27 Oct. 1861, resided Essex, Conn. 1937.


1367*. i. George Irwin, b. 25 June 1849.

*620. Erastus Ebenezer, b. Westbrook, Conn. 30 Apr. 1825, bapt. 7 Sept. 1828, d. Westbrook, 20 July 1879, m. Ellen M. Stoddard of New Haven, Conn. b. abt. 1824. Children, 2:

1368. i. Emeline, b. 23 Oct. 1858.

1369. ii. Jerome, b. 10 July 1866.

*628. Newton Jabez (FR), b. Westbrook, Conn. 28 Oct. 1833, d. there 15 Nov. 1906, m. 3 June 1856, Gertrude Post, b. 5 May 1836, d. 15 Nov. 1906, dau. of John and Phebe (1646) (Bushnell) Post. Children 2:

1370. i. Gertrude Mae, b. 7 May 1858, m. 31 Oct. 1884, John Wooding. No children.

1371. ii. Norma St. Claire (FR), b. 15 Oct. 1867, m. 10 May 1893, Patsey Meyers. Children, 1:

1371. i. Donald St. Claire Meyers, b. 19 Oct. 1895.
*629. Judson Cecil, b. Westbrook, Conn. 10 June 1836, d. Centerbrook, Conn. 8 Mar. 1906, m. Essex, Conn. 6 June 1860, Harriet E. Griswold, b. abt. 1839, both buried in Centerbrook. Children, 3:
   1372. i. Jabez E, b. 9 Jan. 1864, d. 1 July 1931, m. 26 Oct. 1886, Anna B. Stevens, dau. of Samuel W. Stevens. No children.
   1373. ii. Fordyce D. b. 17 July 1865, d. 28 Dec. 1880.
   1374. iii. Clarence (FR), b. 22 Sept. 1868, m. 31 Oct. 1912, Sarah Adelaide Babcock, resided Ivoryton, Conn.

*631. Josiah Steadman, b. Tyringham, Mass. 9 Aug. 1782, d. prob. Pavilion, N.Y. before 1834, m. 28 Feb. 1808, Sarah Holly, b. 25 Feb. 1788, d. Pavilion, 10 Nov. 1856, perhaps dau. of Mehitable Holly. Josiah Steadman Bushnell removed with his parents to Vernon, N.Y. abt. 1794, at the age of 12 years. In 1807, he bought a tract of land in Vernon which he and his wife sold in 1810, and sometime later removed to Pavilion, N.Y. where in 1815, he bought the N.W. corner farm of the Criagie Tract near Pavilion. He died before 1834 when his widow, Sally, bought 104½ acres of land, less ½ acre which had been reserved as a burial ground, from Daniel and Fanny P. Biddlecomb. A Pavilion Directory for 1845 shows that Sally Bushnell then had a family of 3 males and 2 females. She died in 1856 aged 69, and was buried in the cemetery of the original homestead, as was also her son Samuel S. and her mother-in-law, Ann Bushnell. In this cemetery there are also the graves of Mehitable Holly, d. 10 Oct. 1836, ae. 77 y. and Cynthia, dau. of Jabez and Sarah Loomis, d. 31 Aug. 1852, ae. 50 y. whose connection with the family has not been determined, but it is probable that Cynthia Loomis was the grand-mother of the Alice J. Loomis, the first wife of their gr-son Joel Prescott Bushnell. This cemetery is described as quaint, on a road almost wholly deserted, and a little way down the road stands the old Bushnell house, but it had so many additions that only a trace remains of the once dignified home. Children 6, b. Pavilion, (Ref. Bible Record):
   1375. i. Betsey, b. 30 Apr. 1809, d. 29 Jan. 1861, m. 9 Nov. 1821, Hollis Pratt, b. abt. 1802, d. 23 Oct. 1864, ae. 62. He owned and operated a livery stable in Le Roy, N.Y. Children, 5:
      1375. i. Caroline M. Pratt, b. Le Roy, 11 July 1828, d. 26 May 1899, m. Charles Pratt, b. near Boston, Mass. 2 June 1818, d. 2 Mar. 1899, No children.
      1375. ii. Emily Pratt, b. 1 June 1830, d. 17 Oct. 1910, unm.
      1375. iii. Sarah J. Pratt, b. abt. 1833, d. 5 Apr. 1849,
      1375. iv. Henry Hollis Pratt, b. May 1838, drowned 10 Dec. 1844, in Allens Creek, Genesee co. N.Y.
      1375. v. Addie J. Pratt, b. 25 Jan. 1841, d. 15 May 1900, unm.
   1376. ii. Amelia F. b. 7 Apr. 1811, m. 28 Feb. 1835, Isaac Brooks.
   1377. iii. Josiah, b. 29 Dec. 1813.
Children, 7:


1378. ii. Emily Maria Churchill, b. 29 Mar. 1837, d. 31 Mar. 1853, while visiting in Le Roy.

1378. iii. infant, d.y.

1378. iv. infant, d.y.

1378. v. Adelaide Cornelia Churchill, b. abt. 1843, d.y.


1379. v. Samuel S. b. abt. 1818, d. 13 May 1829.


*636. Anson, b. Hartland, Conn. Bapt. there 24 Apr. 1803, m. Hartland, 1 Aug. 1822, Electa Phelps of Hartland. He went to Florida and later to Texas, no further record. It is said that he had a family but definite data has not been obtained.


Orlando Bushnell was a traveling salesman for a Boston, Mass. firm and had his home near Tampa, Fla. He traveled extensively and lost his life when the sloop Mary Virginia, upon which he was a passenger, was wrecked off the Florida coast, near the mouth of the Anclote River. He was married by Asa Bushnell, J.P. of Hartland, Conn.

Children, 5:

1381. i. Esther, b. 16 Nov. 1830, m. Isaac P. Harvey.

Children, 1:

1381. i. a dau. Harvey.


1383. iii. Sarah Ann, b. 21 Sept. 1836, d. 7 Mar. 1883, m. 8 June 1857. George Pluke.

Children, 3:

1383. i. Edward G. Pluke, no children, lived Eureka, Calif. 1912.


1384. iv. Elizabeth (FR), b. Beaverton, Ills. 30 Sept. 1839, m. 9 July 1866, Austin Knight, who d. Minneapolis, Minn. June 1903.

Children, 5:

1384. i. Helen Knight (FR), b. 16 Dec. 1838, m. Willis D. Seacomb, resided Rockford, Ills. No children.
1384. ii. Archie Knight, b. 24 Nov. 1870.
1384. iii. Corienne Elizabeth Knight, b. 9 Mar. 1872.
1384. iv. Sarah C. Knight, b. 11 July 1874.
1384. v. John Harold Knight, b. 1 Aug. 1882.
1385*. v. Orlando Harrison, b. 27 Nov. 1843.

*638. Lester, b. Hartland, Conn. bapt. there 23 Oct. 1808. It is said he married and had two children, both daughters, one of whom married ( ) Newson, and had no children. He is said to have gone to South Carolina with his brother Abner, and was last heard from in Little Rock, Ark. but no trace has been found.
Children, 2:
1386. i. a dau. m. ( ) Newsom. No children.
1387. ii. a dau.

Children, 6, b. Edgefield:
Children, 2:
1388. i. Rosela Blalock, b. abt. 1861, d. 11 Aug. 1937, m. 15 Dec. 1879, Mott Carver Parker, b. 3 Jan. 1855, d. 29 Apr. 1942, son of Dr. Horace (of Ackworth, N. H.), and Sarah Catherine (Dorn) Parker (of Edgefield). Children, 4: i. Camilla Blalock Parker, b. 4 Nov. 1880, m. as his 2nd wife, 23 Dec. 1898, Thomas Garrett Talbert, b. 16 July 1872, (he m. 1st, Marie Watson); ii. Sallie Lucretia Parker (FR), b. 23 July 1884, m. 14 Mar. 1915, Leslie Sollee Kernaghan (or Kernagham), b. 7 July 1884; iii. Leroy Carver Parker, b. 2 Apr. 1891, m. 21 June 1925, Mary Elizabeth Martin De Loach, b. 20 Oct. 1903; iv. Rosela Blalock Parker, b. 30 Oct. 1894, m. 24 May 1922, Leon Carson Warren, b. 31 Oct. 1883, d. 29 Apr. 1943.
1388. ii. Pinkney Pattilla Blalock, b. 11 Nov. 1863, d. 30 Sept. 1929, m. Mattie McMillan, b. 10 July 1865, d. 28 Apr. 1934. Children, 6: i. Pinkney Patilla Blalock, b. 25 June 1885, m. 30 Jan. 1907, Stella Walker of Beach Island, b. 5 Mar. 1886; ii. Luther Blalock, b. 21 Nov. 1887, d. 29 Jan. 1893; iii. Edwardina Blalock, b. 2 Aug. 1890, m. 29 Nov. 1916, Ludy James Blakely; iv. Marion Blalock, b. 23 Nov. 1893, m. 17 Feb. 1916, Dr. William Sims Boyd, b. 18 Feb. 1891, d. 29 Sept. 1929; v. Julian Mims Blalock, b. 8 May 1897, d. 18 Dec. 1899; vi. Edward Bomar Blalock, b. 27 July 1905, d. 31 Dec. 1916.
1389. ii. Abner R. b. 2 Feb. 1840, d. 20 May 1844.
1392. v. Rachel Gallam, b. 25 Dec. 1848, d. 20 June 1903, m. 6 Oct. 1868, Abe Flynn Broadwater, b. 15 May 1836, d. 31 July 1907. He was a farmer near Edgefield.

Children, 6:

1392. i. Abner Bushnell Broadwater, b. 6 July 1869, d. 31 Jan. 1940, m. 4 June 1890, Fannie Martin, b. 24 Sept. 1869.


1392. iii. Angeline Bacon Broadwater, b. 22 Feb. 1877, d. 4 Sept. 1879.


1392. vi. Alton Lester Broadwater, b. 1 July 1866, m. 9 Oct. 1918, Irene Earle Bomar Montgomery, b. 9 Oct. 1887. Children, 2: i. Alton Lester Broadwater, b. 9 Aug. 1919, m. 14 July 1942, Catherine Pond of Torrington, Conn; ii. Mary Vernon Broadwater, b. 9 Mar. 1921, m. Newport, Ark. 15 July 1944, Lt. Howard Briscoe Bailey of Kingsport, Tenn. She was a 1st Lt. in WACS of U.S. Army, World War II.

1393. vi. Desdemona Holcomb, b. 15 Jan. 1855, d. 27 Nov. 1930, m. 10 Dec. 1872, Thomas Jefferson Lyon, b. Troy, S.C. 18 June 1852, d. 27 Apr. 1932. He was a farmer near Edgefield.

Children, 9:


1393. vii. Abe W. Lyon, b. 20 Sept. 1888, m. Maud Mae Fraser.


1393. ix. Thomas Jefferson Lyon, b. 23 Apr. 1896, d. 5 Oct. 1918, in action in Belgium, during World War I.


William Clement Bushnell, on 8 Nov. 1824, bought the homestead in Hartland, Conn. including the house, barn, cooper shop, etc. from the adm. of his father's est. where he continued to reside until his death, after which the property was sold by Benjamin Giddings, the adm. of his est. by order of the Probate Court, 19 Sept. 1832.

Children, 2:

1394*. i. Asa, b. abt. 1825.

1395*. ii. Nelson, b. 8 July 1827.


Rev. Asa Bushnell was a Methodist Minister of the East Conference, and after his retirement resided in Wilbraham, Mass. later removing to Watertown, N.Y. to live with his daughter, where he died. He was buried in Wilbraham beside his wife.

Children, 8:

1396. i. Juliana, b. Windsor, Conn. 10 Feb. d. 6 Sept. 1830.

1397. ii. Washburn William, b. Saybrook, Conn. 11 Sept. 1831. In 1857 he bought land in Franklin co. N.Y. the deed stating that he was of Springfield, Mass. In 1871/2 he was in Elyria, Ohio.

1398. iii. Sarah Ann, b. Cheshire, Conn. 2 Mar. 1834, d. 23 Nov. 1852, unm.

1399. iv. Susan Eliza, b. Hartland, 4 Apr. 1838, d. 30 May 1862, unm.

1400. v. Caroline Alida, b. Stockport, N.Y. 20 July 1842, d. 20 Aug. 1874. She was a gifted poetess.

Children, 2, b. Albany, N.Y.:
Children, 1:

Children, 7, (R-11):
   1405*. ii. James Gurdon, b. 24 July 1821.
   1406. iii. Marietta, b. 21 July 1825, d. 10 Mar. 1834, she fell into a well and was drowned.
   1407*. iv. Charles Melvin, b. 7 Sept. 1829.
   1409. vi. Marietta, b. 23 Dec. 1834, d. 11 June 1866, m. 23 Dec. 1856, Leonard Lyon. Children, 1:
      1409. i. Lester Bushnell Lyon, b. 27 Jan. 1864, m. 4 May 1893, Anna Shaul.
      Unmarried.

*649. Josiah, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 22 May 1799, d. Napoli, N.Y. 22 Feb. 1841, m. Litchfield, 25 Nov. 1822, Julia Ann (or Julianna) Hemenway, b. 11 Apr. 1803, d. Napoli, 8 Sept. 1888. In 1825 he removed to Napoli and bought the farm adjacent to his father's farm. It is said that he died very suddenly after the extraction of an ulcerated tooth.
Children, 7:

1411.  i. Eunice P. b. 23 Feb. 1824, d. 29 Oct. 1881, m. 30 Oct. 1843, Harrison Brink, b. abt. 1822, d. abt. 1891.
Children, 7:

1411.  i. Josiah Bushnell Brink, b. 17 Apr. 1845, d. 13 Dec. 1894, m. ( ).
Children, 2: i. Benjamin Brink; ii. Harry Brink.

1411.  ii. Agnes Brink, b. 3 Jan. 1847, d. 13 June 1887, m. Hiram Freeman.

1411.  iii. Francis Brink, b. 24 Feb. 1849, m. Evelyn Roberts. Children, 2: i.

May Brink; ii. Alice Brink.

1411.  iv. Porter H. Brink, b. 8 Mar. 1851.

1411.  v. Edna Brink, b. 4 Nov. 1852, m. John Sprague. Children 1: i. George Sprague.

1411.  vi. Alice Brink, b. 23 Feb. 1855, m. Orson Terry.

1411.  vii. Andrew J. Brink, b. 26 Mar. 1826, was blind.

1412.  ii. Elvira Alburn (FR): b. 26 Mar. 1826 m. 4 Nov. 1847, Ephriam Altenburg, who d. 18 Sept. 1854, m. 2nd, 18 June 1857, Joseph York, who d. 5 July 1893. Resided Salamanca, N.Y.
Children, 1:

1412.  i. Stella E. Altenburg, b. 19 Feb. 1849, d. 25 June 1855.


1414.  iv. Electa P. b. 29 Apr. 1831, d. 12 Feb. 1907, m. 30 Oct. 1849, William Frary, who d. 12 July 1864, m. 2nd, 30 Mar. 1874, O. N. Beebe, who d. 23 June 1863. She was totally blind for some years before her death.
Children, 3:


1414.  v. Nancy P. b. 1 Apr. 1835, d. 9 Sept. 1865, m. 16 July 1856, Nicholas Bigler.
Children 2:

1415.  i. Flora A. Bigler, b. 23 Aug. 1857, m. 13 Feb. 1878, Fred D. Whipple. Children, 2: i. a son Whipple, d.y; ii. Della E. Whipple, b. 10 Nov. 1885, m. 1st, 5 Nov. 1902, Duke J. Kilby, m. 2nd, Ralph Smith.


1416*. vi. Lyman Hemenway, b. 24 May 1837.

1417.  vii. Julianna, b. 6 Sept. 1841, d. 3 Oct. 1904, m. 1 Apr. 1871, Alfred Church.
Children, 4:

1417.  i. Martha Church, b. 7 June 1872, m. Eugene Larkin, removed to Rhode Island. No children.
1417. ii. Olive May Church, b. 4 Mar. 1874, d.y.
1417. iii. Cecil Ray Church, b. 24 Apr. 1876, m. 24 Apr. 1901, Charlotte Barnicoat.

*650. Amasa, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 29 Oct. 1800, d. Little Rock, Ark. 20 Sept. 1855, m. 1st, 27 Apr. 1823, Alice Parker, who d. 12 Nov. 1825, m. 2nd 14 Oct. 1826, Mila Frary, who d. Little Rock, 9 Jan. 1870. He removed to Napoli, N.Y. in 1825, and until his father's death in 1841, was his partner in a store there. In 1825 he with his family, removed to Little Rock where he opened a hotel on the Galena Stage Road and died in the same year.

Children 4:
1418. i. Alice Malvina, b. 17 Feb. 1825, d. 25 June 1852, m. 7 Oct. 1842, Lyman Booth.
Children, 4:
1418. i. Albert H. Booth, b. 27 Aug. 1843.
1418. ii. Lucy J. Booth, b. 28 Apr. 1845.
1418. iii. Judson S. Booth, b. 17 June 1848.
1418. iv. Alice M. Booth, b. 22 May 1852.

1419*. ii. William Judson, b. 4 Apr. 1828.
1420*. iii. Elmer, b. 30 Mar. 1830.

*652. Ashbel, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 30 July 1805, d. 28 May 1880, m. Napoli, N.Y. 15 July 1828, Martha Brink, who d. 3 Mar. 1869, m. 2nd, Lutina Pope.

Ashbel Bushnell worked in his father's store in Napoli for a while and in 1831 built a hotel at Napoli Corners and became a prominent citizen and active politician, serving the town as Supervisor in 1841-2 and 1854.

Children, 1:
1422. i. Andrew J. b. 23 Mar. 1830, d. 19 May 1855.

*653. Chauncey Smith, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 4 Sept. 1808, d. Napoli, N.Y. 5 Nov. 1884, m. 24 Dec. 1829, Emeline Woodworth, who d. Napoli, 27 Dec. 1880, dau. of Joseph and Watie (Parks) Woodworth. He worked on his father's farm until he married, after which he bought a farm in an eastern part of Napoli where his children were born. He was a lifelong student of the Bible.

Children, 5:
1423*. i. Lauren Smith, b. 3 Jan. 1831.
1424. ii. Clarissa Melvina, b. 9 May 1836, d. 1 Dec. 1903, m. 7 Sept. 1854, Andrew J. Gates, who d. 21 Nov. 1866, m. 2nd, 4 Mar. 1869, Charles S. Brown.

Children, 2:
1424. i. Elmina Emeline Gates, b. 9 Mar. 1856, d. 5 Feb. 1861.
1894, d. 9 Sept. 1895; iii. Vinal Brown Waite, b. 8 Mar. 1898.

1425. iii. Martin Dwight, b. 15 Feb. 1842, d. 5 June 1866, in Warren, Ohio. He enlisted 11 Aug. 1862, as a Corporal in the N.Y. Vol. Inf. and was wounded in his right ankle at Keneshaw Mountain, Ga. and lost his leg below the knee, was discharged 15 Aug. 1865, with brevet rank of Lieut. and in May 1866 was again operated on and failed to recover.

1426*. iv. Francis Wayland, b. 4 Dec. 1864.

1427. v. Amelia Emeline, b. 18 Aug. 1851, m. 2 Mar. 1893, George H. Blake.

*655. Elias, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 30 Dec. 1817, d. 28 June 1909, m. 1st, 14/23 Sept. 1847, Sarah Newell, who d. 4 Nov. 186( ), m. 2nd, 5 Mar. 1863, Mrs. Cynthia Smith Bennett. He was a blacksmith and Justice of the Peace for many years.

Children, 4:

1428. i. Harriet, b. 7 Oct. 1848, d. 24 July 1862,

1429. ii. Ella Cordelia, b. 23 Jan. 1852, m. 14 Sept. 1870, George A. Champlin, a farmer near Napoli, N.Y.

Children, 1:


1430. iii. Harriet, b. 8 Sept. 1867, d. 8 Feb. 1874.


*656. James, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 15 May 1799, d. Cattaraugus co. N.Y. 9 May 1881, m. Woodbury, Conn. 15 Feb. 1821, Clarissa M. Hill, b. Woodbury, Conn. 18 Nov. 1792 d. Arcade, N.Y. 8 May 1837, dau. of Jonathan and Sarah (Judson) Hill. He was a farmer.

Children, 5:

1432. i. Rufus, b. 11 Nov. 1822, d.y.

1433. ii. Sarah E. b. 17 Sept. 1824, m. 1 Jan. 1850, Stephen J. Spencer, b. 20 Sept. 1816, d. 4 Dec. 1881. Children, 6, 1st child b. Byron, others Arcade, N.Y:

1433. i. Frances E. Spencer, b. 29 Nov. 1850, m. 28 July 1867, Irving W. Capron, b. 10 Mar. 1845. Children, 6: i. Rose E. Capron, b. 14 Aug. 1868, m. 1 July 1884, Alonzo Crosby, ii. Manley Capron, b. 3 Nov. 1869; iii. T. William Capron, b. 10 Apr. 1871, d. 28 Jan. 1894; iv. Helena M. Capron, b. 27 May 1881; vi. Alice M. Capron, b. 21 May 1889.

1433. ii. Barton M. Spencer, b. 31 Nov. 1853, d. 30 July 1890, m. 26 Mar. 1880, Adelaide Orville. He was a physician. Children, 2: i. Isabel Spencer, b. 23 Jan. 1881; ii. Earl Spencer, b. 25 Sept. 1883.


1433. iv. Stephen J. Spencer, b. 1 Jan. 1860, m. 30 June 1886, Clara M. Wilson, b. 22 May 1859, Children, 1: a child Spencer, d.y.

1433. v. Harriet E. Spencer, b. 5 Oct. 1863, d. 25 May 1888.

1433. vi. Mary B. Spencer, b. 5 Oct. 1863, d. 11 July 1864.
1434*. iii. Frederick B. b. 21 Feb. 1827.

Children, 6:
1437. i. Mary E. b. 27 May 1822, d. abt. 1908, m. Samuel Newell Knight, b. Wyoming co. N.Y. 15 Aug. 1824, d. Genesco, N.Y. 5 May 1897, son of Ashbel and Patience (Heath) Knight.
Children, 5: all b. Genesco, N.Y.:
1437. i. Charles Bushnell Knight, b. 10 Mar. 1859, m. 3 Nov. 1891, Mary Patterson, b. 14 Jan. 1865, lived Buffalo, N.Y. where he was a letter carrier in U.S. Postal Service. Children, 2: i. Lucille Knight, b. 30 May 1896; ii. Irving C. Knight, b. 20 Mar. 1909.
1437. ii. Emma Judson Knight, b. 31 Aug. 1860, d. 9 Oct. 1863.
1437. iii. Mary Ellen Knight, b. 1 Feb. d. 15 Oct. 1863.
1437. iv. George Newell Knight, b. 7 Dec. 1864, d. 10 Dec. 1907.
1437. v. Effie Elizabeth Knight (FR), b. 14 Aug. 1866.
Children, 2:
1439. i. Mary J. Kellogg, b. 31 Dec. 1851, d. 4 Sept. 1867.


Harvey Bushnell removed to Bath, N.Y. where he was an Elder of the Presbyterian Church for many years and where he began the manufacture of boots and shoes. He also established tanneries at Wayland, Kenona, and elsewhere at various times. He later settled at West Bloomfield where he had a shoe shop and tannery. Both he and his wife were buried in West Bloomfield.
Children, 3:
9 June 1858, Carlton Jeremiah Wheeler, b. Kenona, 29 Feb. 1832, son of Jeremiah and Sally
(Glover) Wheeler.
Children, 3:

1443.  i.  Harvey Bushnell Wheeler, b. 3 July 1859.
1443.  ii.  Sarah Emeline Wheeler, b. 25 June 1862, d. in childbirth, 9 Sept.
1889, m. William H. Gilder. Children, 1: i. Sarah Gilder, b. 9 Sept. 1889, was adopted when
about 1 month old by Benjamin and Frances Emeline (2652) (Bushnell) Hopkins, dau. of Watts
(1444) Bushnell.
1443.  iii.  Reuben Watts Wheeler, b. 18 July 1867, d. abt. 1914, m. June 1898,
Olive Wheeler, he was a jeweler in Meadville, Penna.

1444*. ii.  Watts, b. 24 Sept. 1834.
1445*. iii.  Albert, b. 18 Mar. 1848.

*661. Elijah, b. Litchfield, N.Y. 10 Jan. 1798, d. Chardon, Ohio, 2 Apr. 1860, m. 31 July 1822,
Mehitable Cole, b. 21 May 1797, d. 17 Aug. 1840, dau. of Timothy Cole of Richmond, Mass. m.
2nd, Chardon, Ohio, 30 June 1842, Amanda Colton, b. 30 Oct. 1803, d. 14 Jan. 1892, dau. of
Arad and Esther Colton, she had one son, George ( ), by a previous marriage.

Elijah Bushnell probably went with his father to Chardon, Ohio, about 1817 or 1818,
and in 1827 entered into a contract to support his father and mother as long as they should
live, and to support their minor children until they reached maturity, named as Orville,
William, Joanna, Stella, Luman, and Lansing, with provisions for his sisters Miranda Jackson
and Betsey Robinson for which he was to receive personal property and a deed to the
homestead (R-52). His wife died in 1840 and on 6 Aug. 1844, a petition was presented to the
court in Berkshire co. Mass. for a guardian for the minor heirs of Timothy Cole, late dec'd,
among whom were Jerusha, Ann I. and Mahala Bushnell, daughters of Mehitable Bushnell,
who was a dau. of the said Timothy Cole, of Richmond Mass. Daniel H. Cole was appointed a
guardian, but in May 1852, Elijah Bushnell, of Chardon, Ohio as surviving parent of Jerusha E.
19, Ann O. 16, and Mary Mahala, 13, represented that his guardianship was unsatisfactory in
that he had removed to Ohio.

Children 5, (R-11):

1446.  i.  Timothy C. b. 22 May 1832, d.y.
1447.  ii.  Jerusha Elizabeth, b. 23 July 1833, m. 1851, John H. Murphy.

Children, 1:

1448.  i.  Jesse Coules, b. 14 Dec. 1863.

1449.  iv.  Mary Mehitable, b. 13 Oct. 1838, d. 20 Feb. 1896, m. 16 Jan. 1860, Carlos
Samson Cooley.

Children, 2, (R-11):

1449.  i.  Alma E. Cooley, b. 2 May 1861, m. 9 Feb. 1878, William Chilson, b.
21 July 1855, d. 26 Feb. 1933. Children, 6; i. Anna L. Chilson, b. 28 Dec. 1878, m. John Worleg;
ii. Alice B. Chilson, b. 2 June 1880, m. 25 Sept. 1905, Ray Sheldon; iii. Howard C. Chilson, b. 24
Aug. 1884, m. 12 Sept. 1905, Ineta Stewart; iv. Hallie W. Chilson, b. 17 Mar. 1886, m. 25 May
1910, Ethel Robinson; v. Ernest C. Chilson, b. 7 Aug. 1805, m. 11 Oct.
1922, Stella Bubora; vi. Jennie M. Chilson, b. 1 July 1901, unm. 1939.

1449. ii. Melbert Elijah Cooley, b. 18 June 1873, at Chardon, m. 13 June 1900, Rella Inette Cooley, dau. of Alanson and Betty (Stebbins) Cooley. Resided, 1939, on the old Truman Bushnell Farm in Chardon. Children, 3: i. Thelma Marie Cooley, b. 1 July 1902, m. Glenn Freeman, b. 27 Mar. 1890. ii. Harlan Bushnell Cooley, b. 28 June 1907, m. 26 Nov. 1932, Cecelia Elizabeth Avins (FR), b. 10 Mar. 1911; iii. Florence Elizabeth Cooley, b. 30 May 1910, m. 21 June 1934, Charles W. Ramsey, b. 5 Jan. 1909.

1450. v. Laura A. b. 16 May 1844, d. 20 Feb. 1891, m. 23 June 1869, Holly Sargent. No children.


1451. i. Leonidas, b. abt. 1826, d. 8 Sept. 1892, m. Geauga co. Ohio, 16 Oct. 1849, Sarah Strong, b. abt. 1830. They were living in Burton Twp. Geauga Co. Ohio, in 1850.

1452. ii. Juliette, b. abt. 1828, d. 12 Aug. 1896, m. in Geauga co. Ohio, 13 Dec. 1846, Anson Corning, and had a family among whom may have been a son, Lyman Corning. In 1870 they were living in Bear Lake Hills, Mich. Post Office, Hudson, Mich.

1453. iii. Carlos O. b. abt. 1829/30, d. 7 May 1913, m. Geauga co. Ohio, 13 Oct. 1853, Lauraetta Gager, m. 2nd, before 1870, Caroline E. ( ). In 1870 they were living in Bear Lake Mills, Mich.

1454*. iv. Horatio, b. 4 June 1834.

1455. v. Angeline (Lena), b. abt. 1839, m. Chauncey Wheeler.

1456. vi. Celia, b. abt. 1840, m. Almon Clark, a blacksmith, resided Chardon, Ohio. Children, 3:

1456. i. Eugene Clark.

1456. ii. Lucy Clark, m. Horace Roper, they had a family.

1456. iii. Gaylord Clark, who it is stated, went west and m. the dau. of a prosperous merchant.

1457. vii. Orville, b. abt. 1842, d. 29 Oct. 1862, enlisted in the Union Army at Chardon, Ohio, as a private, 3 Sept. 1862, in Co. F, 7th Ohio Infantry, and died from fever the next month in Harpers Ferry, Va. His enlisted record states his age as 25, and the U.S. 1850 Census show that he was 8 years old at that time. His effects were claimed by his brother-in-law, Almon Clark.


William Bushnell removed with his parents to Chardon, Ohio, abt. 1817/8, where in 1835 he m. Emily Clough, who it is stated was a native of Pelham, N.Y. In 1851 they removed to Clinton co. Mich. and in 1859, to Franklin co. Kans. Ten years later he moved to Montgomery co. Kans. where he made his home with his son Edwin until his death, having engaged in farming most of his life (R-11).
Children, 7, (R-11):

1459. ii. Wellington, d. abt. 1918, may have been in Milwaukee, Wis. in the tea and coffee business in 1897.
1460. iii. infant, d.y.
1462*. v. Edwin, b. 1 July 1843.
1463. vi. Mary L. b. 1845, m. Samuel Hathaway.


Children, 3, (R-54):

1465. i. Julina 2nd, b. 9 Dec. 1822.
1466. ii. Salina L. b. 1832, d. 20 Aug. 1856, buried in New Lenox. The Adm. of her estate stated that she was a single woman of Washington, Mass. and that she left her estate to her sister Nancy Amelia (1467) Bushnell.
1467. iii. Nancy Amelia, b. 4 Oct. 1834.

*677. Noah Yale, b. 14 Oct. 1797, d. Cheshire, Mass. 13 May 1857, m. Sally ( ). On 15 Jan. 1824 he sat in council as Elder of the First Baptist Church of Cheshire to consider the founding of the Third Baptist Church, and on 15 May 1825, he was called as Pastor of the First Church.

Rev. Noah Yale Bushnell later became pastor of the Third Church. The Adm. of his estate mentions, John L. son of John L. dec'd, Noah Bushnell, Eliza Ann Bushnell, and Celinda Brown, wife of John Brown, his children, also Orlando Harry Brown and Jane Tower, minor children of Maria Tower, who was formerly Maria Bushnell, dec'd, dau. of the said Noah Yale Bushnell.

Children, 6, (R-54):

1468*. i. John L.
1469. ii. Noah.
1471. iv. Sally Maria, b. 6 May 1824, d. bef. adm. of her father's will in 1857, m. 1st ( ) Brown, m. 2nd, ( ) Tower.

Children, 2:

1471. i. Orlando Harry Brown, minor in 1857.


Children, 6:

1474. i. William Lester, b. 4 Nov. 1829, d. abt. 1856, unm.
1475. ii. Mary, b. 19 Sept. 1832, d. 12 Aug. 1834.
1476. iii. Sarah, b. 16 Sept. 1835, d. 1 Mar. 1836.
1477*. iv. Lyman Selden (FR), b. 11 May 1838.
1478. v. Rebecca Elvira, b. 23 Dec. 1841, m. 29 Dec. 1864,
George W. Burch, b. 7 Sept. 1844, d. 26 Aug. 1875.

Children 3:
1478. i. Georgenia M. Burch, b. 27 Oct. 1866.
1478. iii. Mary Alma Burch, b. 16 June 1874.

*687. Salmon, b. Hartland, Conn. 28 Aug. 1798, m. Mary Phillips a sister of the wife of his brother Daniel (690).

Children 4:
1480. i. Sylvanus.
1481. ii. Edward.
1482. iii. Daniel.
1483. iv. Mary.

*690. Daniel, b. Hartland, Conn. 8 Dec. 1805, d. 9 Feb. 1850, m. Partheny Phillips, a sister of the wife of his brother Salmon (687). He was killed while unloading hay.

Children, 7:
1484. i. Hiram, b. 1 May 1831.
1486. iii. Sylvester.
1487. iv. Cyrus.
1488. v. Eunice.
1489. vi. Ellen.
1490. vii. Rebecca.


Children 6:
1491. i. Janet (or Jane), b. 26 Aug. 1843, d. 30 May 1899, m. S. (M. or) W. Winchell.

Children, 2:
1491. i. Rutledge Winchell.
1491. ii. Daisy Winchell.
1492. ii. Thorrit, b. 19 Oct. 1847.
1493. iii. Sarah Angeline, b. 29 Nov. 1850, m. J. K. P. Flatt.
1495. v. Susan Emily, b. 28 July 1856, d. 30 Oct. 1857.
1496. vi. Theodore, d. Sept. 1858, ae. 14 days.

*693. John, b. 20 Dec. 1814, d. 1 Oct. 1838, m. Rebecca Taylor. He was asphyxiated while digging a well.

Children, 1:
1497. i. John F. (FR), b. 7 Oct. 1838.

*698. Harlow Holladay, b. Hartland, Conn. 25 May 1806, d. 7 Mar. 1880, m. 30 Sept. 1830, Sophronia Sumner, who d. 26 May 1889.

Children, 3, (R-11):
1498. i. Ellen Sophronia, b. 11 Apr. 1832, m. 27 Apr. 1853, Eustace Hamilton, who d. 1906.

Children, 1:
1498. i. Agnes Ellen Hamilton, m. 12 Oct. 1892, Prof.
Arthur L. P. Sykes, resided Springfield, Mass. where he was a professor of music.
1499* ii. Henry Seymour, b. 21 Mar. 1835.
1500. iii. Agnes Amelia, b. 14 Apr. 1840, d. 7 June 1846.

1501. i. Fannie.

*708. Hiram, b. Barkhampstead, Conn. 23 Sept. 1813, d. Plainville, Conn. 6 Jan. 1885, m. Barkhampstead, 8 Feb. 1834, Beulah M. Case, b. Barkhampstead, 4 Feb. 1819, d. Hartford, Conn. 7 June 1888. In 1840 he bought a farm in Barkhampstead of 150 acres which he sold in 1858, the house was burned down in 1902. Children, 7, (R-11):
1504. i. Emerson, b. 7 Apr. 1838, d. same day. ae. 7 hours.
1505. ii. Ellen Maria (FR), b. 10 July 1839, d. 2 Dec. 1911, m. 1st, 1860, Hiram Clark, who left Berlin, Conn. in 1862, with the 16th Conn. Regt. for service in the Civil War, fought in the Battle of Antietam, and was captured at the Battle of Plymouth and sent to the Andersonville Prison where he died, m. 2nd, 22 Dec. 1865, George A. Wright after his return from service in the Civil War. He was a member of Trinity Church and for 25 years was one of the committee for the Children's Home, the Children's Aid Society, and the Sunshine Society, was buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery.
Children, 3:
1505. i. George Denny Wright, b. 14 Oct. 1867, d. 19 Nov. 1896, m. 12 Nov. 1896, Annie B. Hubbard, No children.
1505. ii. Frederick Bushnell Wright, b. 21 Sept. 1875.
1505. iii. Theodore Austin Wright, b. 12 Oct. 1875, d. 15 May 1885.
1506*. iii. Hiram Wilbert, b. 7 Nov. 1841.
1507*. iv. Huber, b. 1 May 1846.
1508. v. Frances Amelia, b. 6 June 1845 d. 30 Oct. 1857.
1509. vi. Levings Brainard, b. 16 Feb. 1850, d. 31 Aug. 1854.
1510*. vii. Charles Franklin, b. 3 Oct. 1858.

Children, 3:
1511. i. Ethel Louise King (FR), b. 26 Aug. 1878, resided Chicago, Ills.
1511. ii. Leonard Bushnell King, b. 31 Jan. 1880, m. Wheaton, Ills. Clara Leronica Blanchard, at home of her father, Dr. Charles A. Blanchard, President of Wheaton College. They lived in Chicago and he taught school in Canton and Weeping Water, Ills.
Children, 7: i. Raymond Bushnell King, b. 18 Sept. 1907;

1511. iii. Luella Hathaway King, b. 5 Sept. 1881, m. 12 July 1905, William Lewis Riedell, b. Lafayette, Ind. son of John and Henrietta (Audel) Riedell of Germany. 

Children, 1: i. Mildred Riedell, b. Chicago, Ills. 1 Feb. 1910, m. 5 Apr. 1930, Orville Carl Larsen, son of Oscar and Amelia (Thompson) Larsen, he was a dentist.


*725. Edwin, b. Sodus Point, N.Y. 15 Apr. 1816, d. perhaps in Pike co. Ills. abt. 1844. Is said to have married twice, and to have lived in Pike co. where he had a farm.

Children, 3:

1513. i. Mary, who is said to have married at Springfield, Ills.

1514. ii. Adeline.

1515. iii. Ambrose M.

*727. Loman, b. Sodus Point, N.Y. 26 Jan. 1820, d. prob. in Pike co. Ills. where he is said to have had a farm. One account says he never married, while another says he had 3 sons and one daughter.

Children, 4: (?)

1516. i. a son.

1517. ii. a son.

1518. iii. a son.

1519. iv. a daughter.

*728. Albert H. b. Sodus Point, N.Y. 17 Feb. 1823, d. abt. 1853, m. Mary Mann. She m. 2nd, () Snyder, and had a dau. Angeline, who lived in Landres, Wis. in 1938. He is said to have had a farm in Illinois.

Children 2:

1520*. i. Elisha M.

1521. ii. a daughter.


Children, 3, (R-11):

1522*. i. James Augustus, b. 27 May 1829.

1523*. ii. Richard Oliver (FR), b. 9 Nov. 1839.

1524. iii. Rosa Ann, b. 16 Nov. 1849, d. 24 Aug. 1800, m. 21 Sept. 1887, Albert Flavel (1528), son of James Flavel (756) and Harriet F. (334) (Peters) Bushnell.

*756. James Flavel, b. Hartland, Conn. 22 Nov. 1824, m. Harriet Frances Peters, b. Barkhampstead, Conn. 13 Apr. 1824, dau. of Fredus and Alma (334) (Bushnell) Peters, m. 2nd as her 3rd husband, Abigail Lemira (Smith) (Brockway) (Frisbie), b. 18 June 1823, dau. of Lyman and Abigail S. (Hill) Smith, and widow of Allen Brockway and Daniel S. Frisbie (R-55). Children, all b. Colebrook, Conn. 4:
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1526. ii. Horace J. b. 6 Aug. 1848, d. 31 Mar. 1849.
1527. iii. Francis H. b. 2 June 1851, m. Julia Terrill.

*764. Thomas, b. Saybrook, Conn. 26 Sept. 1787, d. 8 Nov. 1829, m. Pownal, Vermont, 26 Sept. 1805, Nancy Blood, b. abt. 1787, d. 13 Jan. 1850, dau. of Jared and Esther (Upam) Blood, both are buried in Gates, N.Y.

Children, 10, (R-56-57):
1531. iii. Paulina Stevens, b. New Lisbon, N.Y. 22 Feb. 1812, d. 19 May 1881, m. Aug. 1838, Orris Kirtland Coe, b. Holland Patent, N.Y. 25 Sept. 1815, d. Feb. 1895, son of Seth Coe. He first went to Wisconsin, then later to Ixonia, Beredan, and Watertown, then Indianapolis, where they lived for 20 years and where both he and his wife were buried.

Children, 5, (R-11):
1531. i. Edwin Delos Coe, b. Ixonia, Wis. 11 June 1840, m. 26 Sept. 1865, Emma (Ellsworth) (Spaulding), b. Harmony, Wis. 26 Aug. 1844, dau. of Joseph and Elizabeth (Staughton) Ellsworth. He served in the Civil War, and was later a journalist at Whitewater, Wis. Chief Clerk of the Wisconsin Assembly for four terms, President of the State Board of Normal Regents for two years, Pension Agent for the U.S. Government, and Chairman of Republican State Committee. Children, 4: i. Florine Elsie Coe, b. Janesville, Wis. 1 July 1866, m. 22 Nov. 1895, Frank B. Goodline; ii. Ellsworth Spaulding Coe, b. Watertown, Wis. 11 Sept. 1866; iii. Dwight Bushnell Coe, b. 7 Aug. 1871, m. 19 Jan. 1898, Emma Burnham Parsons; iv. Robert Kirtland Coe, b. 10 May 1880.
1531. iii. Mary Augusta Coe, b. Ixonia, Wis. 6 Mar. 1845, m. Prof. L. C. Thompson.
1531. iv. Henry Coe, b. Ixonia, Wis. 16 Apr. 1848, m. Ora Orlon. He graduated University of Wisconsin, 1871, L.L.B. and practiced law in Indianapolis, Ind.

1532. iv. Mary Maria, b. New Lisbon, N.Y. 12 Apr. 1814, d. there 23 Aug. 1904, m. 27 May 1833, John Wilkes Eddy, b. Salisbury, Conn. 3 Apr. 1812, d. Oneida Castle, N.Y. 2 July 1865.

Children 4, (R-58):
1532. i. John Bushnell Eddy, b. 10 Feb. 1835.
1532. iii. Augusta Lucina Eddy, b. 15 Feb. 1842, d. 9 Feb. 1902, unm.
Children, 4:

1533. i. Mary Judson, m. George Daniel Hale, resided Rochester, N.Y.

1533. ii. John (Lavender or) Lavender Judson, b. 14 July 1846, m. 20 Sept. 1871, Mary Campbell Mack, b. 15 Dec. 1873, d. 31 July 1874; iii. Lee Mack Judson, b. 16 Apr. 1875, d. 31 July 1892; iv. Junius Royal Judson, b. 10 June 1876, m. Elizabeth Frary; v. Grace Augusta Judson, b. 3 Aug. 1879, d. unm; vi. Charles Brewster Judson, b. 10 Feb. 1881; vii. Josephine Louise Judson, b. 2 May 1884, m. George Nathan Shafer, viii. Marjorie Elizabeth Judson, b. 25 July 1885 d. ae. abt. 21, unm.

1533. iii. Charles Bushnell Judson, d. ae. abt. 72, unm.


Children, 7, (R-11-62):

1539. i. Mary Orissa, who d. W. Bloomfield, N.Y. 17 Mar. 1819, in infancy.


Children, 3, (R-11):


1541. ii. Charles Whitmore, who d. abt. 1885, m. Carrie Clement, had 9 children.

1541. iii. Ella Whitmore (FR), b. 22 Aug. 1850, living Lockport, N.Y. 1940, unm. Miss Whitmore advises that her grandfather's second wife, was a sister of Susan B. Anthony's mother.

1542*. iv. William Parish, b. 1 Apr. 1831, at Parma, N.Y.

1543. v. Mary, m. Franklin Farley.

Children, 3:

1543. i. May Farley, m. ( ) Mollineux, a chief of police.

1543. ii. Frank Farley.

1543. iii. Harriet Farley.

1544. vi. Elliot, was a Civil War soldier and was not heard from after he left home.

1545. vii. Alice, joined the church at Phelps, N.Y. 2 Apr. 1858, and later m. at Buffalo, N.Y. ( ) Martin.

*768. Samuel S. b. Pownal, Vt. 21 July 1797, d. Michigan, 21 July 1871, m. 28 Mar. 1821, Lury Butts. He removed to Michigan at age of 12 years and lived there all his life.

Children, 3:

1546*. i. Ephriam, b. 12 Oct. 1825.

1547. ii. Esther F. b. Parma, N.Y. 24 Feb. 1828, d. 2 June 1857, m. 22 Nov. 1846, John Curtis. He m. 2nd, Happy Bennett, a sister of Esther Bennett who m. Ephriam (1546) Bushnell.

Children, 6:


1547. iii. Samuel Curtis, m. Florence Case. Children, 1; i. Fay Curtis.

1547. iv. Sarah Curtis, b. 14 June 1854, d. 17 July 1890, m. 31 Mar. 1880, William O. Parker, son of William B. and T. Amanda (Smith) Parker, Children, 2: i. Esther A. Parker (FR), b. 23 Dec. 1882, m. 5 May 1915, John A. Mustard, resided Battle Creek, Mich; ii. Frank Ralph Parker, b. 19 Sept. 1884, m. 30 June 1931, Charlotte M. Webb.


1548. iii. Elizabeth, m. Charles Burns.

Children, 7:


1548. ii. Albert Burns, b. 1865, m. Marion Taggart.

1548. iii. Florence Burns, b. 1867, m. O. B. Milliman.


1548. v. Samuel Burns, b. 1871, m. 1st, Clara Rockwell, m. 2nd, Eva Packer. No children.


1548. vii. Maudie Burns, d. in infancy.


Children, 9, all b. Pownal:


Children, 6, (R-11-65):

1549. i. Eleanor Barber, b. 10 June 1831.

1549. ii. Harriet Barber, b. 6 Nov. 1833.

1549. iii. Daniel J. Barber, b. 25 July 1836.

1549. iv. Charles E. Barber, b. 14 Apr. 1839.

1549. v. Albert E. Barber, b. 14 Apr. 1845.

1549. vi. Ida Barber, b. 28 Nov. 1848.

1550*. ii. James, b. 31 Dec. 1812.

1551. iii. Meranda, b. 30 Jan. 1815, d. 8 Mar. 1878, m. 13 Feb. 1831, Pliny Morgan. No children.

1552*. iv. Jason, b. 8 Apr. 1817.


1554. vi. Mary, b. 13 Aug. 1820, d. 4 Oct. 1898, m. 9 June 1838, Nelson Thompson. Children, 5:

1554. i. Murry Thompson, b. 20 Nov. 1839, d. 5 Dec. 1841.

1554. ii. Abigail Thompson, b. 26 Nov. 1841.

1554. iii. Sherman Thompson, b. 26 Feb. 1844.

1554. iv. Perry Thompson, b. 19 Aug. 1847.


1555. vii. Sibyl, b. 10 Mar. 1823, d. 26 July 1846, m. 17 Sept. 1845, Sydney Potter. Children, 1:

1555. i. a daughter Potter.

1556. viii. Ruth, b. 7 Nov. 1827, d. 12 Mar. 1894, m. 2 Dec. 1850, Timothy Thompson. Children, 4:

1556. i. a son Thompson.

1556. ii. a son Thompson.

1556. iii. a son Thompson.

1556. iv. a daughter Thompson.

1557* ix. Potter, b. 27 June 1831.

*772. Jason, b. Bennington, Vt. 4 Jan. 1794, d. abt. 1856, m. Nov. 1817, Aurelia Dimmick. It is believed that he m. in Pownal, Vt. and lived in the Old Munson Tavern until after the birth of his dau. Electa Malvina, after which he removed to New York State where his last four children were born, then returned to Vermont where he died at the age of 62.