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TO THE DESCENDANTS

- OF -

THOMAS DICKINSON, ~~son of~~

SON OF

NATHANIEL AND ANNA GULL DICKINSON,

- OF -

WETHERSFIELD, CONNECTICUT,

*Some information on
Nathaniel and his children,
other than Thomas.
Only Thomas line followed down.*

- AND -

HADLEY, MASSACHUSETTS.

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PREFACE.

TO PERPETUATE the memory of men and women, who for more than two hundred and fifty years, have left an honorable record in America, this work was undertaken six years since. It is sent forth with the hope that it may tend to inspire the living descendants with the spirit of emulation, for (quoting Mr. Wharton Dickinson at Amherst, 1883): "It cannot be denied that having sprung from a virtuous and respectable family inspires a man with confidence, when he is conscious that he does not disgrace his descent. When families, living in a Republic like ours, can maintain unbroken for over two centuries their prestige as soldiers, statesmen, jurists, scholars and divines, and fill the highest offices in State and Nation with credit and ability, they certainly deserve the reverence and esteem of their fellow citizens, and it is but just to them that a record of their lives and works should be preserved to posterity."

THE SCANDINAVIAN Earls trace their descent from the noblest and most heroic of the ruling dynasties of the North. Ivar, Prince of the Uplands in Norway, was the father of Eystein who had issue—Rogenwald and Mulahule. Rogenwald was a supporter of King Harold Harfagr and assisted him in obtaining the mastery over all the other independent Norwegian chiefs. One of his sons, Rollo, founded the line of Sovereign Dukes of Normandy and was ancestor to William the Conquerer. (*Burke's Extinct Peerages, page 492*).

Nearly eleven centuries ago there appeared at the Court of Halfdan Huilbein, King of Norway, a soldier of fortune, named Ivar. He was said to have been originally a shepherd. One day he was captured by a roving band of Northmen and carried off to sea. After a series of adventures he made his appearance at the Norse King's Court, about the year 700. Being of handsome presence, he became a great favorite with the king who made him General of his army, Prince of the Uplands, and in 725 bestowed upon him in marriage his daughter, Eurittea, the heiress of the realm. Halfdan died in 725, leaving his crown to his grandson, Eystein. Ivar was regent during his son's minor-

ity. Eystein reigned until 755 and left Harold Harfagr successor; and another son, Rogenwald. Among other issues Rogenwald left Rolf or Rollo, the most adventurous prince of his age, who overran Normandy in 910. His sixth and youngest son, Walter, received the town and castle of Caen as his inheritance. His great-grandson, Walter de Caen, accompanied William the Conquerer to England.

From Walter de Caen, later Walter de Kenson
(taking the name of his manor in Yorkshire),
comes:

1.

Johnne Dykonson, Freeholder, Kingston upon Hull,
Yorkshire.

Married, A. D. 1260, Margaret Lambert.
Died 1316.

2.

William Dykenson, Freeholder, Kingston upon Hull,
Yorkshire.

Died 1330-31.

3.

Hugh Dykensonne, Freeholder, Kingston upon Hull,
Yorkshire.

Died 1376.

4.

Anthoyne Dickensonne, Freeholder, Kingston upon
Hull, Yorkshire.

Married, 1376, Catheryne De La Pole.
Died 1396.

5.

Richard Dickenson, Freeholder, Kingston upon Hull,
Yorkshire.

Married, 1399, Margaret Cooper.
Died 1441.

6.

Thomas Dickinson, Freeholder, Kingston upon Hull,
Yorkshire.

Married, 1430, Margaret Lambert (a kinswoman).
Alderman 1st ward Hull, 1443-44. Mayor
of Hull, 1444-45.
Died 1475.

7.

Hugh Dickinson, Freeholder.

Married, 1451, Agnes Swillington. Removed 1475
to Kenson Manor, Yorkshire.
Died 1509.

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8.

William Dickinson, Freeholder of Kenson Manor,
Yorkshire.

Married, 1475, Isabel Langton.

Died 1546.

9.

John Dickinson, settled in Leeds, Yorkshire.

Married, 1499, Elizabeth Danby. Alderman 1525-1554.

Died 1554.

10.

William Dickinson, settled at Bradley Hall, Stafford-
shire.

Married, 1520, Rachael Kinge.

Died 1590.

11.

Richard Dickinson, of Bradley Hall, Staffordshire.

Married, 1540, Eliza Bagnall.

Died 1605.

12.

Thomas Dickinson, Clerk, Portsmouth Navy Yard,
1567-87.

Removed to Cambridge 1587; married, 1567, Judith Carey.

Died 1590.

13.

William Dickinson, settled at Ely, Cambridge.

Married, 1594, Sarah Stacey of Ely.

Died 1628.

14.

Nathaniel Dickinson, born in Ely, Cambridge, 1600.

Married, January 1630, at East Bergholat, Suffolk,

Anna Gull, widow of William Gull.

The facts, relative to Ivar and Rollo, are from Prof. Dunham's "History of Scandinavia" and from "Burke's Extinct Peerages," and are a continuation of the Amherst address of Mr. Wharton Dickinson, the distinguished Dickinson Genealogist of New York City, by whose kindness and courtesy the English descent of the family is here outlined.

"In A. D. 1628-9 the aspect of public affairs in England became more threatening than ever. Charles I. dismissed his Parliament and tried governing without one, introducing a system of tyranny, which eventually brought him to the block. His inquisitorial policy was to extinguish Puritan opinions and to punish with imprisonment and death all deviations from established ceremonies."

"Reared in the traditions of a race which, for six centuries had braved tyranny from the Norman Rufus to the unfortunate Charles Stuart, is it any wonder that the same spirit led the stern Puritan, Nathaniel Dickinson, at this time, to seek the wilds of America."

In 1630 the London Company of Massachusetts Bay transferred itself and the whole government of its colonists, to its American settlement, and in June, of this year, John Winthrop, chosen Governor by the Massachusetts Company, with his fleet, the Arbella, Talbot, Ambrose and Jewell, bearing three or four hundred colonists—two of whom were Nathaniel Dickinson and his wife—arrived at Salem, Massachusetts. Some "resolved to set down at the head of Charles River," others, "relinquishing Salem, shipped their goods to Charleston, Watertown and Roxbury." Nathaniel Dickinson is said to have settled at Watertown, where John, Joseph and Thomas were born, and where he remained until 1635-36, when he removed to Wethersfield, Connecticut, and our American Record begins.

In the keeping of Mr. Charles Henry Dickinson, a grandson of Nathaniel Oliver and Apama Humphrey Dickinson (family number twenty-nine), at Coldwater, Michigan, is a bible, nearly one hundred and fifty years old, which was once the property of Thomas and Mary Stevens Dickinson of Goshen, Connecticut.

In this sacred and venerable book it is recorded:
"Ann Dickinson, born May ye 15th, 1715, died November 29th, 1796.

Thomas Dickinson, son of Thomas and Ann.

Mary Stevens, daughter to Andrew and Esther Stevens, born at Plainfield."

Four years of faithful inquiry failed to *locate* "Thomas and Ann" or "Plainfield" which latter might be in Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut or New Jersey. The oldest living members of the family could throw no light upon the subject. Far greater and now successful results, however, have been achieved than were anticipated at the out-set. The first clew was obtained from Trumbull's Colonial History of Connecticut, and a second from Annals of Winchester. The first says Norfolk was incorporated in 1758. "The first inhabitants (twenty-seven families) were from HARTFORD, Danbury," etc., and the second: "By a law of the General Assembly of Connecticut it was enacted that the owners of each township should have a corporate existence under the title of proprietors, vested with authority to survey and allot to each individual, pro rata, his share, according to the lists of 1720." Lots were drawn for choice. The first meeting of the proprietors of the Town of Winchester (Winchester, Norfolk, Goshen and Caanan, adjoining towns in the

northwestern part of Litchfield County, Connecticut) was held May 14th, 1744, and in 1758, under this law, among other HARTFORD names, appears: "The heirs of Thomas Dickinson," who were allotted a value of £51.0.0, all pointing to HARTFORD, where search was commenced. From this beginning, during the years 1890-96 the facts and material included herein have been collected and compiled. No claim of originality is made. Only a part of what has been found appears, the whole being too voluminous for the limits of this Record.

Among authorities consulted are:

Mr. Wharton Dickinson of New York City.

Colonial Records of Massachusetts.

Colonial Records of Connecticut. Annals of Winchester.

Annals of Salem. American Ancestry.

Annals of Colechester. History of Windham County.

History of Litchfield County.

Trumbull's Colonial History of Connecticut.

Trumbull's Memorial History of Hartford County.

Barber's Historical Collections of Connecticut.

Barber's Historical Collections of Massachusetts.

Parker's History of Hartford Churches.

Savage's Genealogical Dictionary.

Goodwin's Genealogical Notes. The Colonial Era.

Bond's Genealogy. Glastonbury for 200 years.

New England Historical and Genealogical Register.

Dickinson Amherst Publication, and especially the

Hartford Probate Court and Land Records.

UNDER one of those theological upheavals, common to the times, and no doubt with promise of bettering their condition, Nathaniel Dickinson and his sons decided on the removal to Hadley in 1659. Wethersfield was nearly depopulated by the exodus to Hadley. The agreement, or engagement, of those who intended to remove from Connecticut to Massachusetts, is dated at Hartford, April 18th, 1659. Among the fifty-nine signers are Nathaniel Dickinson and his sons John Dickinson and Thomas Dickinson. A part of the agreement made at this meeting was that William Westwood, Richard Goodman, William Lewis, John White, and Nathaniel Dickinson, should go up to the aforesaid plantation on the east side of Northampton and lay out the number of fifty-nine homelots, and to allow eight acres for every homelot, and to leave a street twenty rods broad betwixt the two westernmost rows of homelots, and to divide said rows of homelots into quarters by highways.

In October, 1660, a town meeting was held at the house of Andrew Warner, when it was voted that no person should be owned for an inhabitant in the Plantation, or have liberty to vote or act in town affairs until he should be legally received as an inhabitant. This was signed by twenty-eight persons, among them Nathaniel Dickinson and Thomas Dickinson.

TO ANY one who has made study of American genealogy, the name of Nathaniel Dickinson is a household word. Settling with his gentle wife, Anna Gull, in Wethersfield, in A. D. 1636, he took front rank. He was one of the first Board of Selectmen, Representative to the General Assembly, from 1645 to 1656, Recorder for twenty years at Wethersfield, Deacon in the church throughout his life. In 1659, he removed with his family to Hadley, Massachusetts, where he was no less a leader. As shown above he was one of the original Committee sent to lay out the town; first Recorder there, Assessor, Town Magistrate, member of the Hampshire Troop, one of the members of the first Board of Trustees of the Hopkins' Academy. "An intelligent an influential man, and one qualified to do public business, as well as a man of substance, rating with the highest in the division of lands." He owned east of the "Great River," at Hartford, one hundred acres in the tract called "Naubuc Farms." This was sold on or before the removal to Hadley. With him from Wethersfield to Hadley, removed his Minister, Mr. Russell, who gave permanent concealment to Generals Whalley and Goffe, two members of the High Court of Justice that condemned Charles I. With the restoration of the Stuarts, a reward was offered for the heads of these Generals, but they could not be found. One

Sunday, in September, 1675, the little town of Hadley was panic-stricken by an attack of Indians. The surprise was so great, and the numbers so unequal, that the Indians were fast gaining the advantage. Suddenly there appeared among the settlers a man of towering height, and long streaming hair and beard, dressed in fantastic fashion. Wherever he went the Indians fell, and the courage of the English rose. They thought God had sent an angel to lead them out of their sore strait. When the fight was over, the stranger disappeared as suddenly as he came. Many believed to their dying day that he was not mortal. He was General Goffe, the Regicide. Without doubt, our ancestor, being an intimate friend of Mr. Russell, was entrusted with the secret of the concealment of the Regicides, and witnessed this exploit of General Goffe.



NATHANIEL DICKINSON, had a family of nine stalwart sons and two daughters, who grew up, married, and had large families, (except possibly the daughter Frances, of whom no later record is found); so that at this day his descendants are unnumbered. All of the sons took an active part in King Philip's War, and John, Joseph and Azariah, the two oldest, and the youngest, were killed. The father, borne down with affliction and weight of years, died at Hadley, June 16, 1676, leaving as legacy the record of a life which has largely helped to make history.

Trumbull's Memorial History of Hartford County, Vol. II., page 465, says: "The people of Wethersfield should remember with pride the part in the war of 1675-77 taken by this family."



A TRADITION makes us of Scotch origin, descended from one Thomas Dickinson, from Ayrshire, Scotland, 1690. The line of descent here presented proves this to be an error, and establishes the fact of our direct descent from Nathaniel Dickinson, the grand old settler of Wethersfield, Connecticut, and Hadley, Massachusetts.

LINE OF DESCENT.

Nathaniel Dickinson; January, 1630.

Married

Mrs. Anna Gull.

His son

Thomas Dickinson **Number One**; March 7, 1668.

Married

Hannah Crow.

His grandson

Thomas Dickinson **Number Two**; 1694.

Married

Mehitable Meekins.

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
NATHANIEL DICKENSON.

I, NATHANIEL DICKENSON, Senior, late of Haytfield, now of Hadley, in ye County of Hampshire, upon Connitticut, doe make and ordaine this my last will and testament, as follows:

IMPRIMIS. Making a full surrender of myself, soule and body, into ye handes of God, my Creator, and Jesus Christ, my alone Savior & Redeemer, relying on Him for all yt I need & hope for in this world, & yt which is to come, & leaving my body to decent burriell in hope of a blessed resurrection, I do bestow yt portion of outward estate which the Lord in His Fatherlie mercy hath blessed me with, in manner following: my debtes and funerall expenses being first payd.

SECONDLY: I doe give unto my son, Nehemiah, my house & barn & homelott, with all the preveledges and appurtenances thereto belonging; as alsoe one-half my meadow land in Hadley (except what is hereinafter excepted) with the preveledges and appurtenances thereto belonging; to be to him and his heirs forever, besides what was Thomas Webster's.

I give my daughter-in-law, Dorcas, widdow of my son Azariah, four acres & a half of Meadow land,

bounded by my son, Thomas, his land east; Francis Barnard, west; John Hubbard, north; & ye highway south; so as to be her & her heirs' forever. Further, I give or abate to her all yt was my due for ye rent of the rent of my land from her, & alsoe doe give to her ye rent money that was due to me for my oxen; and also three pounds that was due for a barrell (unpayd) of Pork: all and every of ye premises I give to ye said Dorcas as her own, to be to her and her heirs forever.

The rest of my meadow in Hadley, I doe give to be equally devided betweene all my sons (except Nehemiah) and my daughters—Frances Dickenson & Hannah Clary—which my executors shall either equally divide to all my aforesaid children, or else to pay to each their proportion of ye sayd lands, as it shall be prized in Country pay, within two years after my de cease, to ym and their heirs forever.

To my son, Thomas, I give my house & lott I bought of Mr. Wattson; he paying to Mr. Wattson ye Thirty Pounds yt is yet due for the same; or, if he like it not on those terms, then it shall be last in among my devidable estate to my children.

I give to my son, Samuel, my house & homelott in Hatfield, to be to him & his heirs forever, together with the preveledges & appurtenances thereto belonging.

To my son, Obadiah, I give all ye rest of my land in Hatfield, with ye preveledges and appurtenances thereto belonging, to be to him and his heirs forever; and my meaning & will is that these two, my sons, Samuel & Obadiah, shall not come in for a share of my land in Hadley, but this given them in Hatfield shall be instead of itt.

To my son, William Gull, (Son of his wife by her first husband) I give that Three Pounds which he oweth me for a barrell of pork.

All ye rest of my estate I give to be equally divided amongst all my sons and daughters. Frances Dickenson & Hannah Clary having equall shares with their breathren.

I doe hereby make and ordaine my two sons, Thomas & Nehemiah executors of this, my last will & testament, hereunto as my last will & testament I have subjoyned my hand and seale this present 29th day of May, 1676.

NATHANIEL DICKENSON.

In presence of
JOSEPH KELLOGG,
JOHN RUSSELL, Junior.

The desire of ye testator is yt ye share given unto Frances Dickenson, may, if she see meet, be given to Samuel Gillett's children.

(Frances was their aunt. See note to Family Number Two.)

DICKINSON ARMS.

Azure, a fesse ermine between two lions *passant*, or.

CREST.

A demi lion rampant *per pale erminois et azure*.

This blazonry of the arms of the ancient Yorkshire and Bradley Dickinsons may be found in *Encyclopædia Heraldica*, or any of the standard works on Heraldry. The will of Obadiah Dickinson, 1698, on file in the Probate Court office, at Hartford, is sealed with a coat of arms, which, although partially obliterated by the lapse of two hundred years, still shows ermine and lion *passant* on the shield.



NOTES.

FAMILY NUMBER TWO.

John Dickinson and his family removed from Wethersfield to Hadley with his father, 1659. He is said to have married at about seventeen, and to have had six children before he was twenty-seven. He was a Sergeant, and was killed at the Falls (Turner's) fight, King Philip's War, May 19, 1676. His eldest daughter, Hannah, married September 23, 1668, Samuel Gillett, of Hatfield, who was killed in the same battle. She next married, May 5, 1677, Stephen Jennings; four months afterwards she was captured by the Indians and carried to Canada, getting back the next year. In 1708 her son Joseph was wounded, the husband of a daughter killed, and July 22, 1710, her second husband was killed by the Indians.

FAMILY NUMBER THREE.

Joseph Dickinson, was a soldier in King Philip's War, and was killed at Squakheag (Northfield) September 5, 1675.

FAMILY NUMBER FOUR.

Thomas Dickinson removed from Wethersfield to Hadley, April, 1659, and took part in all the exciting (and to this family terrible) events of the merciless

Indian wars. He returned with his family to Wethersfield in 1679, and died there, 1713.

The families of Nathaniel Dickinson, Senior, are placed in the table of families to show the fact that "The Old Settler" had some seventy grand children. Mr. Wharton Dickinson has a list of over three thousand descendants. The families of all the children of Thomas Dickinson Number One are also shown, but none are followed except those in lineal descent from him.

FAMILY NUMBER SIX.

Samuel Dickinson followed his father to Hadley, in 1661, and died at Hatfield. Three of his sons, Samuel, Nathaniel and Ebenezer, were in the fight at Deerfield in the winter of 1704, one of the most fearful of the many Indian atrocities, where sixty persons were killed and one hundred taken off captives through the snows to Canada.

Reverend Timothy Dickinson, a descendant of Samuel, who was Minister in Holliston, Massachusetts, from 1789 to 1811, writes in his Journal (furnished by the courtesy of Mr. Thomas A. Dickinson, of Worcester, Massachusetts,) on May 18th, 1807: "This day, thirty years ago, I first left my father's house with the recruits to join the army at Ticonderoga. I was then

under sixteen years of age, but zealous in the cause of my country. Between fourteen and fifteen months I was in the American Revolutionary Army. I review the various scenes in which I have been interested with wonder and astonishment, and I hope, with humble gratitude."

FAMILY NUMBER SEVEN.

Obadiah Dickinson was a Sergeant in King Philip's War. His house was burned by the savages September 19, 1677, his wife wounded, and he and his daughter Sarah carried captives to Canada. Returning thence he lived a short time at Hatfield, but soon removed to his old home, Wethersfield. The destruction of his home, the shock and sufferings of his wife (which probably caused her death), himself and daughter captives, taken in connection with his will, drawn three days before his death, show a life full of trials.

FAMILY NUMBER EIGHT.

Nathaniel Dickinson's wife Hannah died February 23, 1679. The date is suggestive of the hardships that befell all the families at this time. His third wife was the widow of Samuel Wright who was killed by the Indians at Northfield.

FAMILY NUMBER NINE.

Nehemiah Dickinson was a soldier in King Philip's War, and was in the Falls (Turner's) fight, May 19, 1676.

FAMILY NUMBER TEN.

Hezekiah Dickinson was a short time at Stratford, Connecticut, but soon on the Great River, (Connecticut) inn holder and trader, later merchant at Hadley, and afterwards at Springfield, Massachusetts. He was the father of Jonathan, founder of Princeton, New Jersey, College, and of whom the records say, "he lived a devout and useful life, and died universally lamented; a man of rare sagacity, calm judgment and unshrinking firmness."

Another son, Moses, was the celebrated divine of Norwalk, Connecticut, on whose monument is this inscription, "Beneath this Monumental Stone lies interred the body of the Rev'd Moses Dickinson, late Pastor of the First Church of Christ, in Norwalk, who departed this life May 1st, 1778, in the eighty-third year of his age, and the fifty-first of his ministry in said church. A man full of good understanding, well informed by study, cheerful in temper, prudent in conduct, he came to his grave in full age like as a shock of corn cometh in his season."

FAMILY NUMBER ELEVEN.

But little record is left of Azariah Dickinson, youngest son of Nathaniel and Anna Gull Dickinson. He was a soldier in King Philip's War, and was killed in the battle near Hadley, August 25, 1675.

FAMILY NUMBER FOURTEEN.

The will of Thomas Dickinson, grandson of Nathaniel, mentions by name four children only—Thomas, Moses, Elizabeth and Esther—but the records show that he had eight or nine daughters. He says, "*my son Thomas shall pay the daughters eight pounds, and my son Moses shall pay them eight pounds, to be equally divided amongst them all.*" The old church records at Hartford are largely missing, and little is found showing what became of them. Elizabeth, May 13, 1719, married John Ensign, and Susannah married, April 14, 1742, Samuel Wells. December 20, 1698, Thomas was elected "Viewer of Chimnies," at Hartford.

FAMILY NUMBER EIGHTEEN.

Of the family of Thomas' brother Moses, all that is known is from the records at Hartford, where his name appears often in land transfers between 1745 and 1765. At the time Thomas, his mother Ann, and the chil-

TABLE OF FAMILIES.

FAMILY NO.

LOCATION.

1

Nathaniel Dickinson and Mrs. Anna Gull.

Married January, 1630, at East Bergholat, Suffolk, England.

Husband, son of William and Sarah Stacey Dickinson.

Wife, widow of William Gull.

1. Ely, England.
2. Watertown, Mass.
3. Wethersfield, Conn.
4. Hadley, Mass.

CHILDREN.

John,	born	1630.	-2
Joseph,	"	1632.	-3
† Thomas,	"	1634.	-4
Hannah,	"	1636.	-5
Samuel,	"	1638.	-6
Obadiah,	"	1639.	-7
Nathaniel,	"	1641.	-8
Nehemiah,	"	1643.	-9
Hezekiah,	"	1645.	-10
Azariah,	"	1648.	-11
Frances,	"	1650.	

FAMILY NO.

2

John Dickinson and Frances Foote.

Married 1648, at Wethersfield, Conn.

Husband, son of Number One.

Wife, third daughter of Nathaniel Foote.

[1]

1. Wethersfield, Conn.
2. Hadley, Mass.

CHILDREN.

Hannah,	born	1648.	
Mary,	"	1650.	
John,	"	1652.	- check n. to Susanna Smith?
Jonathan,	"	1654.	
Sarah,	"	1656.	
Rebecca,	"	1658.	- check n. to Joseph Smith?
Elizabeth,	"	1660.	
Abigail,	"	1662.	
Mercy,	"	1664.	
Mehitable,	"	1666.	

FAMILY NO.

3 Joseph Dickinson and Phebe Bracy.

[1] 1. Northampton, Mass.
2. Northfield, Mass.

Married 1665, at Hadley, Mass.

Husband, son of Number One.

Wife, daughter of John and Phebe Besbedge Bracy.

CHILDREN.

- Samuel, born 1666.
- Joseph, " 1668.
- Nathaniel, " 1670.
- John, " 1672.
- Azariah, " 1674.

FAMILY NO.

4 Thomas Dickinson and Hannah Crow.

[1] 1. Hadley, Mass.
2. Wethersfield, Conn.

Married March 7, 1668, at Hadley, Mass.

Husband, son of Number One.

Wife, daughter of John and Elizabeth Goodwin Crow. X

CHILDREN.

- Elizabeth, born 1668.
- Hannah, " 1670.
- Thomas, " 1672.
- Esther, " 1674.
- Mehitabel, " 1675, died soon.
- Nathaniel, " 1677, died soon.
- Elihu, " 1678.
- Ebenezer, " 1679.

FAMILY NO.

5 Hannah Dickinson.

[1] 1. Hatfield, Mass.
2. Springfield, Mass.

Married, { 1, 1670, John Clary, Junior, of Hatfield.
 { 2, Enos Kingsley, of Northampton.

Wife, daughter of Number One.

CHILDREN.

- By John Clary, John, born 1672.
- Joseph, " 1674.
- Mary, " 1676.

FAMILY NO.

6 Samuel Dickinson and Martha Bridgman. [1] Hadley, Mass.

Married January 4, 1668, at Springfield, Mass.

Husband, son of Number One.

Wife, daughter of James Bridgman, of Springfield, Mass.

CHILDREN.

Samuel, born 1669.
 Child, " 1670.
 Nathaniel, " 1672.
 Sarah, " 1675.
 Azariah, " 1678.
 Ebenezer, " 1681.
 Ann, " 1683.
 Joseph, " 1686.
 Hannah, " 1689.

FAMILY NO.

7 Obadiah Dickinson. [1] 1. Hatfield, Mass.

Married, { 1, 1668, Sarah Beardsley,
 2, 1692, Mehitable Hinsdale.

Husband, son of Number One.

2. Wethersfield, Conn.

CHILDREN.

By Sarah, Sarah, born 1670.
 Obadiah, " 1672.
 Daniel, " 1674.
 Eliphalet, " 1676.
 By Mehitable, Noodiah, " 1694.
 Mehitable, " 1696.

FAMILY NO.

8 Nathaniel Dickinson. [1] Hatfield, Mass.

Married, { 1, 1662, Hannah —, who died February 23, 1679.

2, Mrs. Elizabeth Gillette.

3, 1684, Mrs. Elizabeth Wright.

Husband, son of Number One.

CHILDREN.

Nathaniel, born 1663.
 Hannah, " 1666.
 John, " 1667.
 Mary, " 1673.
 Daniel, " 1675.
 Rebecca, " 1677.

FAMILY NO.

9 Nehemiah Dickinson and Sarah Cowles. [1] Hadley, Mass.

Married 1670, at Hadley, Mass.
 Husband, son of Number One.
 Wife, daughter of John Cowles.

CHILDREN.

Nehemiah, born 1672.
 William, " 1675.
 John, " 1676, died soon.
 Mary, } twins, " 1678.
 John, } " 1678.
 Sarah, " 1680.
 Samuel, " 1682.
 Hannah, " 1684.
 Esther, " 1687.
 Nathaniel, " 1689.
 Israel, " 1691.
 Abigail, " 1693.
 Ebenezer, " 1696.
 Rebecca, " 1699.

FAMILY NO.

10 Hezekiah Dickinson and Abigail Blakeman. [1] ^{BLACKMAN} 1. Stratford, Conn.
 2. Hadley, Mass.
 3. Springfield, Mass.

Married December 4, 1679, at Stratford, Conn.
 Husband, son of Number One.
 Wife, daughter of Samuel Blakeman, of Stratford.

CHILDREN.

Joanna, born 1684.
 Jonathan, " 1688.
 Abigail, " 1690.
 Elizabeth, " 1693.
 Moses, " 1695.
 Adam, " 1702.

FAMILY NO.

11 Azariah Dickinson and Dorcas —. [1] 1. Hatfield, Mass.

Married —, at Hadley.
 Husband, son of Number One.
 Wife, daughter of —.

CHILDREN.

By

FAMILY NO.

12 **Elizabeth Dickinson and Benjamin Adams.** [2] *Wethersfield, Conn.*

Married 1688, at Wethersfield, Conn.

Husband, son of —.

Wife, daughter of Number Four.

CHILDREN.

John, born, 1690.

Elizabeth, " 1692.

Abigail, " 1694.

Zeruiah, " 1696.

Amasa, " 1698.

Mr. Benjamin Adams, of Wethersfield, is now engaged on a genealogy of the Adams family.

FAMILY NO.

13 **Hannah Dickinson and Samuel Leffingwell.** [2] *Norwich, Conn.*

Married November 16, 1687, at Wethersfield, Conn.

Husband, son of —.

Wife, daughter of Number Four.

Hannah, died at Norwich three or four years after her marriage.

FAMILY NO.

14 **Thomas Dickinson and Mehitable Meekins.** [2] *Hartford, Conn.*

Married 1694, at Hartford, Conn.

Husband, son of Number Four.

Wife, daughter of Thomas and Mary Bunce Meekins.

CHILDREN.

Elizabeth, baptized Oct. 6, 1695.

Hannah, " June 25, 1698.

Mehitable, " Aug. 25, 1700.

Esther, " Aug. 30, 1702.

Lois, " Sept. 17, 1704.

Sarai, " June 23, 1706.

Thomas, " April 4, 1708.

Moses, " Aug. 27, 1710.

Susannah, " July 12, 1712.

Jemima, " Sept. 22, 1717.

FAMILY NO.

15 Esther Dickinson. [2] Hartford, Conn.

Married, { 1, July 9, 1696, Nathaniel Smith, of Hartford.
 { 2, 1712, Hezekiah Porter, of Hartford.

Husband number one, son of Joseph and Lydia Smith. *

Husband number two, son of Samuel Porter.

Wife, daughter of Number Four.

CHILDREN. By Nathaniel, Nathaniel, born 1697.
 Susannah, " 1699.
 Esther, " 1701.
 Jerusha, " 1702.
 Abigail, " 1704.
 Mercy, " 1706.
 Gideon, " 1708.
 Joseph, " 1709.

FAMILY NO.

16 Elihu Dickinson. [2] Wethersfield, Conn.

Married, { 1, November 13, 1718, Mary, daughter of Jonathan
 Smith, who died Nov. 1720, leaving no issue.
 { 2, April 2, 1724, Lucy Deming.

Husband, son of Number Four.

CHILDREN. Mary, born 1725.
 Hannah, " 1727.
 Samuel, " 1729.
 Esther, " 1732.
 Ebenezer, " 1734.
 Experience, " 1736.
 Moses, " 1738.
 Elizabeth, " 1740.

FAMILY NO.

17 Ebenezer Dickinson and Susannah Wadams. [2] Wethersfield, Conn.

Married April 3, 1707, at Wethersfield.

Husband, son of Number Four.

Wife, daughter of John Wadams.

CHILDREN. Thomas, born 1707.
 Anne, " 1710.

NAMES.	FAMILY NUMBER	DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH.	PERSONAL NUMBER	DATE AND PLACE OF DEATH.
Dickinson, Frederick Walter	182	Nov. 5, 1893, Chicago, Ills.		
Dickinson, George	28	Nov. 24, 1807, Norfolk, Ct.		
Dickinson, George	52	May 10, 1842, Victor, N. Y.	100	
Dickinson, George Carlton	107	Aug. 30, 1874, Chicago, Ills.	u m	
Dickinson, Geo. Frederick	69	May 28, 1852, Guilford, N. Y.	120	Jan. 21, 1896, Oshkosh, Wis.
Dickinson, George Henry	87	Jan. 24, 1859, Elmira, N. Y.	135	
Dickinson, George Stevens	44	Jan. 12, 1828, Caledonia, N. Y.	87	
Dickinson, Geo. Washington	35	Aug. 4, 1838, Nottawa, Mich.	59	
Dickinson, Grace Boughton	93	Feb. 16, 1866, Green Lake, Wis.	u m	
Dickinson, Grace Eliza	93	Dec. 20, 1859, Green Lake, Wis.	d y	Aug. 21, 1864, Green Lake, Wis.
Dickinson, Hannah	1	1630, Wethersfield, Ct.	5	
Dickinson, Hannah	2		n f	
Dickinson, Hannah	4	May 20, 1670, Hadley, Mass.	18	Feb. 22, 1691, Norwich, Ct.
Dickinson, Hannah	6		n f	
Dickinson, Hannah	8		n f	
Dickinson, Hannah	9		n f	
Dickinson, Hannah	14	1698, Hartford, Ct.	n f	
Dickinson, Hannah	16		n f	
Dickinson, Hannah Redway	51	Aug. 11, 1834, Victor, N. Y.	d y	Sept. 28, 1835, Victor, N. Y.
Dickinson, Hannibal	51	Feb. 17, 1833, Victor, N. Y.	d y	March 21, 1833, Victor, N. Y.
Dickinson, Henry Coleman	51	Nov. 8, 1843, Victor, N. Y.		Feb. 28, 1878.
Dickinson, Henry Pusey	83	July 6, 1864, Chicago, Ills.	132	
Dickinson, Hezekiah	1	Feb. 28, 1645, Wethersfield, Ct.	10	June 14, 1707, Springfield, Mass.
Dickinson, Homer Wright	105	June 16, 1878, Coldwater, Mich.		
Dickinson, Imogene	63	Oct. 17, 1895, Leadville, Colo.		
Dickinson, Israel	9		n f	
Dickinson, Jay	85	Jan. 3, 1840, Nottawa, Mich.	u m	Jan. 7, 1864, Louisville, Ky.
Dickinson, Jay Rogers	61	April 13, 1874, Oshkosh, Wis.	115	
Dickinson, Jennie Ursula	35	Aug. 18, 1851, Nottawa, Mich.	d y	Jan. 17, 1852, Nottawa, Mich.
Dickinson, Jemima	14	1717, Hartford, Ct.	n f	
Dickinson, Joanna	10		n f	
Dickinson, Jonathan	2		n f	
Dickinson, Jonathan	10		n f	
Dickinson, John	1	1690, Watertown, Mass.	2	May 19, 1670, killed in Falls fight.
Dickinson, John	2		n f	
Dickinson, John	3		n f	
Dickinson, John	8		n f	
Dickinson, John	9		n f	
Dickinson, John	9		n f	
Dickinson, John	20	Sept. 15, 1770, Goshen, Ct.	27	March 11, 1857, Chili, N. Y.