

BELL FAMILY FILE

1. Letter to Kathryn Owen, dated 10 Dec 1990 from Darrell W. Bell concerning Nathaniel Gist and his Brother-in-law, David Bell; 3 pages.s
2. Letter to Kathryn Owen, dated 2 Jan 1991, concerning David Bell; 2 pages.
3. Letter to Kathryn Owen from Darrell W. Bell, dated 24 Nov, 1990. Chronology of Gist family.
4. Copy of advertisement dated Wednesday, April 31, 1793, Virginia Gazette and General Advertiser; signed, Henry Bell, Acting attorney for David Bell.
5. Copy of Advertisement, dated Friday, January 25, 1799, The Virginia Argus. Signed by Henry Bell, Buckingham County, 1 January 1799.
6. Judgement obtained in Federal Court. Unnamed source.
7. Page from the Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy showing the marriage of Judith to Dr. David Bell.
8. Article on William Taylor Berry from Biographical Encyclopedia, page 289.
9. Article titled, "Something About the Kercheval Family", pages 635, 636, 637, 638.
10. Letter to Marjorie S. Howard from Virginia (?) concerning John Berry.
11. Berry info; source unknown; 3 pages.
12. Article on Berry Family found in Virginia Historical Magazine Vol 25, pgs 81-83.
13. Letter to Kathryn Owen from Neva McAdam dated 3 Dec 1981 concerning Berry info.
14. Page from Sons of Revolution with article on Washington-Berry-Taylor.
15. From Copies of Extant Wills - Captain Joseph Berry; 2 pages.
16. From U, pages 96-101; article titled "Descendants of Two John Washingtons'".
17. Letter to Kathryn Owen from Dorothy A. Koenig concerning Berrys' and Rashes'.
18. Ahnentafel Chart prepared by Dorothy Ann Koenig; 1 Decd 1990; 2 pages.
19. Family Group Sheet of John Berry b. 1753; 3 pages.
20. Family Group Sheet of Thomas Berry; prepared by Dorothy Ann Koenig on 1 Dec 1990.
21. Card to Kathryn Owen from Dorothy Koenig, dated 27 Jan 1991 about Berry family.

Dec 10, 1990

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Dear Kathryn Owen

I'm sorry I have not written back to you before now with more information on the Bells, but it seems since I've been back to Richmond so many things have come up that I haven't even had time to sit down to look thru alot of my family papers. My Aunt had a cancerous breast removed shortly after Thanksgiving & my return from Kentucky, and spending alot of time at the hospital with her, even though the family and doctor suspected she had it. It was still a shock when the final word came confirming it. And I had my car in the shop having repairs done on it, minor adjustments, along with some Christmas shopping, so I ~~hope~~ hope you understand my tardiness in getting back with you. I went to the doctor about my ear, and he gave me some ear medicine to take which makes my ear feel better now. I hope it will stay that way when I stop taking the medicine. I thought with Christmas coming up now & so many things going on I would put off my family research until after the first of the year, when things settle down a little more. This Bell family connection in Kentucky seems to be getting very complicated, and I know it will take some time to get it all figured out if ever.

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In trying to answer your questions, the paragraph on Judith + David Bell I remember getting this information out of a red book at the library which may have been "Buckingham County, Va. miscellaneous items". I was going to call the library that had this book, but they are closed on Mondays (Mormon library). Appearing that this particular article is some kind of court document in which the courts are having trouble locating the legates + assets. No telling how they came up with this certain David Bell going to Kentucky. I did find the copy I made of Judith's death giving the years she supposedly lived as you will see the title of the book at the top of the page. Another book which apparently I did not photostat ~~but~~ copied by hand was "Scottish Emigrants to the U.S.A." It says - David Bell, To American colonies before 1755. (m.) Judith Cary, 1726 - 1798, daughter of Henry + Elizabeth Cary. I'm sure that both of these books are at the state archives in Frankfort. Other than with these references they were all I found on Judith Cary. I've included in with my letter a copy of the Bell family ^{in Virginia} at that time, since I assume you're interested mostly with that era + Judith's connections in Kentucky back to Virginia. I appreciate the papers you sent me on the Gist family. You mentioned in your letter that you would try to go to the Bourbon County courthouse in a couple of weeks. If you

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do, I would appreciate it if you could get me a copy of the Deed between Nathaniel Gist and his brother-in-law David Bell dated March 2, 1796. The papers you sent show Deed C, p. 351 for Bourbon Co. I looked to see if I already had it in my papers Mr Thompson sent, but I think he just sent me material mostly pertaining to Clark county. I don't know when I was there to see you if I mentioned, seeing information somewhere concerning the Langhorne family having land in Kentucky. Seems it was Maurice Langhorne father to John who married Judith Gist sister Sarah who later after her first husband's death married a Harrison. If you find anything on them, then this may make a better connection with the Bells in Kentucky. I will write you again after Christmas. Thanks again for your time.

Sincerely
Darrell W. Bell

Jan 2, 1991

Dear Miss Owen

I hope you had a nice Christmas + new year. I did. It was nice but hectic, glad things are back to normal schedule now. In request to your letter Dec 4, I got in touch with the morman library + the name of the book you inquired about concerning Judith + David Bell was entitled "Genealogical Records of Buckingham County, Virginia", By Edyth Rucker Whitley, + published by Genealogical Publisher Co. 1984. There may be a copy of this book at one of your local libraries. The page I sent you was all I found on them in that paragraph, nothing on the previous page. On the source you mentioned in your letter entitled "Buckingham Co., Va. miscellaneous items". I called the archives + they wanted to know if the source you listed was a book or papers on Buckingham, I told them the letter did not mention, but I would assume a book. So they said it would be best to call the state library, which I did + they did not have a book by this title mentioned, although the lady said she had one about records of burned counties which should also have listed Buckingham. The only other source I know to check with would be the Va. Historical Society, or perhaps go or check with the courthouse ~~house~~ when I get a chance

to go up that way. Best if + when I find it, I'll look thru it + let you know if I find out any new information. Did you get a chance to go to the Bourbon County Courthouse and find out anything on David Bell of this county? If you have not yet I hope when you go you can come up with something conclusive to help solve this mystery on the David Bell of Kentucky. In the meantime take care + write when you can.

Sincerely
Darrell Bell

Nov 24, 1990

Dear Miss Owen

I thought I would write you to let you know that I made it home in one piece, It was such a pleasure meeting you. I told my parents about us getting caught in the rain + being locked in, behind the gate, I guess we were lucky we caught the caretaker in time before he left to go wherever. If I had been able to catch my distant cousin at home in Huntington, W. Va. I probably would have stayed over one night with her, but as I figured when I got there she was not at home, I'm sure she was with her family for Thanksgiving, so I drove straight home. I found the paper on which I mentioned to you about David Bell, which I've sent a copy with my letter to you. As you look over it you'll notice where it mentions about 5 or 6 years ago, then later in the paragraph the year 1783. I interpreted that as presently being the year 1788 or 1789, and suit being brought up around 1783, and David Bell being deceased by 1788 or 1789, which is the case would not be the David Bell that died in 1799 in Kentucky, although David of Buckingham's wife did not die until 1798, so he should have still been living up til this point. Two key sentences that indicate to me that this is Judith Gist Scott's father, David's wife Judith

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left him as her executor, then later it says he moved to Kentucky. And then on the last sentence it mentions his wife's estate, which the David you mentioned supposedly never married. See my ancestral grandfather David never owned the Belmont estate till after his wife's death because the land was given to her + her house was built by her brother Col. Archibald Cory after her + David were married, possibly as a wedding gift. As for the Kentucky Deed indicating land David had on the State river in Buckingham, it could very well have been my grandfather for being that he had land of his own throughout the rest of the county which I found documentation of that, but not the State river it could have very well been his property also. He had one tract that consisted of 11,000 acres. I know this because the plat books have survived for Buckingham county. One other point I would like to mention was the last record on David Bell, Henry's brother that I found was in Bedford county, Va which leads me to believe if the son David moved to Kentucky he would have left from Bedford + not Buckingham. If you do find the paper you said that mentions David Bell of Kentucky as being brother-in-law to Nathaniel List then I wish you would send me a copy, or any other information that might be of interest to me. I was especially interested in the story where the man described Nathaniel List when Nathaniel met him on

parents

David BELL + Judith Cary
(from Scotland.) (daughter of Henry Cary +
Ann Elizabeth Edwards Cary.)

Their Children

- (1) David BELL of Bedford Co, Va, removed to Bourbon Co, Ky. (never married.) (?)
- (2) Henry BELL (m.) Sally Christian of Amherst Co, Va.
(my line is descended from Sally)
second (m.) Rebecca Harrison of Cumberland Co, Va.
- (3) Sarah BELL (m.) John Langhorne (widowed)
second (m.) Cary Harrison

(This is about all I could confirm, I found very little on dates, their children etc. due to lost of documents from Buckingham Courthouse. what helped me on my line was the good records of Bells at Amherst Courthouse.)

- (4) Judith BELL (m.) Nathaniel Gist a ~~number~~ number of children which you have information on.
second (m.) Charles Scott

his trip west from Maryland or Pennsylvania, and on
his son (Sejourna?) plus anything you would have of
Judith West Scott. I pretty much have the lineage of
these children so I don't think I'll need anymore of
that type of information. Hope this letter finds you well
& write soon.

Sincerely
Dauell W. Bell

P.S.

I have an appointment next Tuesday to
see a specialist about my ear. It is feeling much
better now. I think going thru the mountains may
have irritated it more.

Wednesday April 31, 1793

Virginia Gazette and General Advertiser

Whereas my brother David BELL gave his bond to a certain Edmund Thomas (then of the city of Richmond) obliging himself to convey to the said Thomas a tract of Land, lying and being in the county of Buckingham containing one thousand acres, this Land being part of a much larger tract, the said Thomas was by agreement to have his choice of the whole. These are there fore to request the said Thomas, or whoever else may hold the said bond, to come forth with it, and make choice of the Land, agreeable to the stipulation contained in the said bond, because the residue of those Lands are sold to other purchasers, and conveyances cannot be made for them until Thomas, or those holding under him, are first served. Six months are hereby given to the holder of the said bond, to come forth, or they may expect ever after to be precluded from their choice as aforesaid.

HENRY BELL, acting attorney
For DAVID BELL

Buckingham, April 30, 1793

Richmond.
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Friday January 25, 1799

Printed by
Samuel Pleasants

The Virginia Argus

Advertisement

On the twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand seven hundred and seventy, my father David BELL, died intestate, seized in fee of two negro men (slaves) and no person administered upon his estate; they remained in the possession of his widow (my mother) until the sixteenth day of April, One thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, at which time she died. Now, this is to give notice to all whom it may concern, that one of the negroes afore alluded to, is in my possession, ready to be delivered up to any person legally authoritative to receive him, and that I will not be answerable for him in any other manner, and should any attempt be made, to cause me to do so, I will plead this advertisement in ba--- (bothere of ^(P))

HENRY BELL

Buckingham County

January 1st, 1799

Miles Gibson, £ 7.12.4 $\frac{1}{2}$, Cumberland Store. Judgement is obtained in Buckingham Court, and the money will soon be paid.

Judith Bell, £ 2 $\frac{1}{2}$.6.1, Warwick Store. Judgement had been obtained several years ago in Federal Court, and long after the judgement Judith Bell died, leaving David Bell as her executor. David Bell qualified in Buckingham Court, advertised, and sold all the property. He moved to Kentucky, and is now deceased, owing £ 437.14.10 $\frac{1}{2}$, also at Warwick Store. Two suits have been alternately instituted in Federal Court about 5 or 6 years ago, one against Henry Bell as heir at law of David Bell, but since no assets were found, a second suit was brought against him upon an assumption, which was not proved, and the case was discharged. David Bell, dec., was not able to pay this debt at the time it was contracted, much less was the estate able in 1783. David Bell held his wife's estate as tenant by courtesy.

John Benning, £ 15.10.1 $\frac{1}{2}$, Manchester Store. Benning, who lived in Buckingham County, paid the debt and moved to the westward.

Thomas Word owed £ 104.4.6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in Buckingham Court. The defendant has arranged with James Lyle, Sr., of Manchester to pay this debt, as also a debt due Henderson, McColl, and Company by installments. 1783. (British Mercantile Claims, 1779 - 1803).

John Coleman, £ 4.12.11 $\frac{1}{2}$. Judgement in Buckingham Court; execution returned, ready to satisfy the debts and costs.

WILLS AND ESTATES

21 June 1813, Logan County, Kentucky. Henningham Bernard, late of Buckingham County, later of the City of Richmond, died leaving as legatees: daughter Anne, Henningham C., Judith, friend Joshua Fry of Kentucky, Paul J. Carrington, Joseph Carrington of Virginia in trust for daughter Elizabeth Wells, wife of Willis Wells (or Wills), and the heirs of her body. Executors were Joshua Fry, Joseph Carrington, and Paul J. Carrington. Witnesses were: E. Carrington, Eliza Ann May, and Adeline Albert (Logan County, Kentucky, Will Book A, p. 285).

John Mackghee owned land in Buckingham County. His will was proved in Hanover County on 25 July 1828. In it he described himself as living in St. Paul's Parish, Hanover County, and named his children: Lewis, Mary (Polly) Barker, Nancy Acre, Joseph Macghee, Susannah Livesay, Sally Mosby Livesay, Patsy Gathright and Catherine Talley. Executors were: Maj. Thomas Starke, Bowling Starke, and son Joseph Mackghee. He mentioned land in Buckingham County. ("McGehee Family," William and Mary Quarterly, 1st ser., XXV, 284).

Thomas Snoddy's will, 21 May 1839 - August 1839, was proved in Jefferson County, Tennessee. In it he named children Mary Moyers, Nancy McDonald, John D. Snoddy, son Edward Blackburn Snoddy, Hannah Snoddy, Jane M. Snoddy, John Edward Snoddy and Carey Snoddy, Harriot Nowel McDonald and Hannah McDonald, not yet 18 (are granddaughters), daughter Griskey Margaret Snoddy, brother Carey Snoddy, dec., father John Snoddy, dec. Legacies were also left to: Thomas Snoddy Edgar, Thomas Snoddy Moser, Thomas Andrew Snoddy, John Anoddy McDonald, and Thomas Davis Snoddy. Will mentions land in Buckingham County, Virginia. (Jefferson County, Tennessee, Wills, 1826 - 1840, p. 543).

The will of Alexander Stinson was proved in March 1782 Court of Caswell County, North Carolina. In it he stated his daughter Nancy was to have land in Buckingham County, Virginia. He also named his wife Sarah, referred to any unborn child, referred to personal estate left him by his grandfather Childress. Executors were his wife Sarah and his father John. (Caswell County, North Carolina, Deeds, Book A, 1781 - 1782, p. 182).

Thomas Pleasants of Goochland County, in his will stated that one-third part of 157 acres in Buckingham County, including the mill seat near the mouth of Island Creek, purchased of Jeremiah Whitlow in partnership with William Duiguid and James Webster be disposed of (E. P. Valentine Papers, p. 975).

- gov. of Mo., 1905-08, chief counsellor Interstate Commerce Commn., internat. lawyer; See Vol. 1, p. 641; VIII—Mathesia Bell (b 1873; m James Avery Webb); IX—Humphrey Bate (b 1875; m Ruth Parrish); X—Lucile Cornelia (Mrs. Allen Ennis Cox, qv for Cary lineage).
- V—m Feb. 6, 1901, Nannie Dudley Pilcher, Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 18, 1876; dau. of Matthew Barrow Pilcher, of Nashville, m Judith Dudley Winston; issue (all b Nashville, Tenn.): 1—Winston, b Nov. 10, 1901; 2—Judith, b July 31, 1912; 3—Reau Estes, Jr., b Jan. 6, 1917.
- Ed. Wake Forest (N.C.) Coll. Clk. Tenn. House of Rep., 1893-1901; state treas. of Tenn., 1901-11, also ex-officio ins. commr.; gen. agt. for middle Tenn. of Equitable Life Assurance Soc., since 1911. Mason (32°). Clubs: Hermitage, Belle Meade, Lions. Residence: 2900 Elliston Pl., Nashville, Tenn.
- 1—**COX, Lucile Cornelia Folk (Mrs. Allen Ennis)**, b Brownsville, Tenn., Sept. 8, 1880.
- 9—Miles **Cary** (qv);
- 8—Henry (1850-1720), m Judith Dockey;
- 7—Henry (1875-1749), m Anne Edwards;
- 6—Judith (1726-98), m Dr. David Bell, from Scotland, capt. in colonial army, 1755, later col.;
- 5—Elizabeth C. (d 1825), m Daniel Bates (b 1756);
- 4—Sarah L., m Capt. Joel Estes (1780-1833), War 1812;
- 3—Moreau P. (1806-71), m 1836, Mary Quarles Noel (1820-59);
- 2—Dau. of Judge Henry Bate Folk (1823-99), m 1855, Martha Cornelia Estes (1837-1913). For issue and Folk lineage see Reau Estes Folk.
- M May 3, 19—, Dr. Allen Ennis Cox, b Honea Path, S.C., May 11, 1827; son of Aris Cox, m Margaret Machen, of Greenville Co., S.C.; issue: 1—Allen Estes, b Brownsville, Tenn., Nov. 4, 1903; A.B., Vanderbilt, '23; LL.B., Yale, 1926. Organized James Bate Chapter of D.A.R., 1910, and was regent same, 1911-15; rec. sec. Ark. D.A.R., 1921-23, 1st vice regent, 1924-26, and state regent, 1926-28; mem. nat. com. on conservation and thrift, N.S.D.A.R., 1925-27. Residence: 916 Porter St., Helena, Ark.
- 1—**BURNS, Walter Francis**, b Fredericktown, Cecil Co., Md., Feb. 13, 1866.
- 6—Francis Burns (b Scotland), came to America and settled nr. Swansboro, N.C., 1732;
- 5—Otway, of Swansboro;
- 4—Jesse (1758-90), soldier Am. Rev.;
- 3—Capt. Otway (1785-1850), cdr. U.S. Privateer "Snap Dragon," in War of 1812; m 1st, 1809, Joan Grant (1790-1810).
- 2—Son of Capt. Owen Burns (1810-69), officer U.S.N., 1825-39; m 1849, Martha Ann Armstrong (1834-1913); issue: I—Paul Otway (1850-1903); II—Ignatius Raleigh (b 1854); III—Xavier Eugene (b 1857); IV—Richard Jerome (b 1859); V—Charles Owen (b 1864); VI—Lillian (1864-1924); m John Anthony Wilkins; m 2d, Jesse Root Grant, qv; VII—Walter Francis (above); VIII—Edwin Oscar; IX—Owen (b 1869).
- VII—m Apr. 22, 1902, Ursula Catlin, b Peekskill, N.Y., Jan. 22, 1882; dau. of Austin H. Catlin, of Conn. (g. son of Col. Guy Catlin, of Am. Rev.); issue: 1—Walter Francis, Jr., b N.Y. City, Feb. 28, 1903; U.S.N.A., '23; 2—Otway (Mar. 13, 1904-Oct. 12, 1912); 3—Owen Austin, b N.Y. City, July 13, 1906; 4—Ursula, b N.Y. City, Oct. 13, 1907.
- Ed. Calvert Coll., Baltimore. Pres. The Burns Co. and Florida Keys Bond & Mortgage Co. Is original inventor of the home savings boxes. Mem. S.R., M.O.F.W., S.W. 1812. Clubs: Lotos, New York Athletic, Canadian (N.Y. City), Larchmont Yacht, Larchmont Lodge. Residence: Burnsville, N.C., and 7 Pryor Lane, Larchmont, N.Y.
- 1—**CRAIGHEAD, Erwin**, b Nashville, Tenn., Apr. 4, 1852.
- 6—Rev. Thomas Craighead (d 1735; son of Robert, Presbyn. moderator, Londonderry, Ireland), came to Boston, 1715; settled in Pa., 1733;
- 5—Rev. Alexander (1702-66), from Pa. to Va., thence to Sugar Creek, Mecklenburg Co., N.C.; called "The immortal Craighead, the apostle of liberty"; first preacher west of the Susquehanna River;
- 4—Rev. Thomas Brown (1750-1825), A.B., Princeton, 1775; founder and first pres. Davidson Acad. and Cumberland U. (subsequently U. Nashville); first pastor of First Presbyn. Ch., Nashville; m 1780, Elizabeth Brown (Rev. John S., of Frankfort, Ky.);
- 3—David, lawyer at Nashville, also planter in Ark.; m Mrs. Mary Goodloe.
- 2—Son of Capt. James Brown Craighead (1823-1912), A.B., U. of Nashville, '43; LL.B., Harvard, 1847; merchant and farmer, Nodena, Ark.; m Ellen Kirkman (1830-73), dau. of James Erwin (native of North of Ireland), settled at Nashville, Tenn.; m Margaret Caldwell; issue: 1—May Preston (1850-1900); m 1873, Maj. W. Hooper Harris; 11—Erwin (above).
- 11—m Dec. 12, 1878, Lura Harris (Jan. 17, 1858-Jan. 27, 1926); dau. of Maj. William Hooper Harris, C.S.A., m Frances Virginia Martin; issue: 1—Frank, b New Orleans, Nov. 23, 1879; m Mar. 1, 1911, Florence T., dau. of Col. Dick Roger.
- B.Litt., U. Nashville, '72; post-grad. student Middle Temple, London, and Leipzig U.; (LL.D., U. Ala., 1906). Journalism since 1877; staff of New Orleans Times and New Orleans Daily States, 1878-82; Mobile Register since 1882, editor and v.p. of the corp., since 1903 (See Who's Who in America). Clubs: Athelstan, Round Table. Residence: "Arden," 1550 St. Stephens Rd., Mobile, Ala.
- 1—**ELLIOT, Ellsworth**, b N.Y. City, June 6, 1864.
- 7—Rev. John Elliot (qv);
- 6—Rev. Joseph (1838-94), A.B., Harvard, 1858; m 2d, 1884/85, Mary Wyllys;
- 5—Abial (1692-1776), m 1726, Mary Leete (Gov. William's, of Conn.);
- 4—Wyllys (1731-77), m 1763, Abigail (Ward) Hull (Col. Andrew Ward's);
- 3—Wyllys, m Lucy Camp;
- 2—Son of Ellsworth Elliot (1827-1912), B.A., Yale, '49; M.D., Columbia, 1852; physician; trustee Coll. of Physicians and Surgeons; surgeon in Civil War; m 1856, Anna Stone (1826-1905); issue: I—Anna (d 1899); II—Laura; III—Ellsworth (above).
- III—m June 15, 1904, Lucy Carter Byrd, b Weymouth, Mass., 1874; dau. of George Harrison Byrd; issue: 1—Evelyn Byrd, b New York, June 14, 1906; 2—Lucy Carter, b New York, May 8, 1913; B.A., Yale, '84 (Delta Kappa); M.D., Columbia, 1887; studied surgery abroad. Visiting surgeon, Gouverneur and Presbyn. hosps.; lecturer on clin. surgery, Coll. P. and S., etc. Pres. New York Surg. Soc., etc. Served in M.C., U.S.A., 1 yr. in World War; in France 6 months, rank of maj., in charge of Evacuation Hosp. "I. Clubs: University, Century, Grolier. Residence: 34 E. 67th St., New York.
- 1—**FRENCH, Asa Palmer**, b Braintree, Mass., Jan. 29, 1860.
- 8—John French (qv);
- 7—Thomas (1652-1717), m Elizabeth Belcher;
- 6—Moses (1699-1768), m Esther Thayer;
- 5—Moses (1731-1807), soldier Am. Rev.; m 1759, Elizabeth Hobart;
- 4—Asa (1775-1853), m Mehitable Hollis;
- 3—Jonathan (1802-82), m Sarah Brackett Hayward;
- 2—John Alden (qv);
- 8—Ruth, m 1657, John Bass (1632-1716);
- 7—Sarah (b 1672), m 1692, Ephraim Thayer (1688-1757; Shadrach's, m 2d, Deliverance Priest; Thomas's, Braintree, Mass., ca. 1636, m Marguerite Wheeler);
- 6—Esther, m 1730, Moses French (6 above);
- 5—William Palmer (qv);
- 8—William (1613-36), came with his father in the "Fortune"; freeman 1634; m 1633, Elizabeth Hodgkins;
- 7—William (1634-79), a founder and selectman of Dartmouth; m—Paddock; m 2d, Susanna Hathaway;
- 6—William (b 1663), Little Compton, R.I.; m 1685, Mary Richmond (Capt. Edward's);
- 5—Thomas (1697-1765), m 1742, Abiel Wilbur;
- 4—Joseph (1742-91);
- 3—Simeon (1785-1853), Boston; m Mary Caldwell.
- 2—Son of Asa French (1823-1903), B.A., Yale, '51; LL.B., Harvard, 1853; judge U.S. Ct. of Alabama Claims, 1882; m 2d, 1858, Sophia Briggs Palmer (1828-91); issue: I—Asa Palmer (above); II—Emma L. (b 1861; m Jotham B. Sewall); III—Sarah H. (d 1882); IV—Harriet C. (m Charles Whitney Mixer); V—Sophia M. (m Robert Grosvenor Valentine).
- I—m Dec. 13, 1887, Elizabeth Ambrose Wales, b Randolph, Mass., Jan. 27, 1865; dau. George W. Wales, of Randolph; issue: 1—Jonathan Wales, b Randolph, Apr. 26, 1891; B.A., Yale, '13; 2—Constance, b Randolph, Apr. 10, 1919, John Lincoln Baxter, B.A., Yale, '82; LL.B., Boston U., dist. atty. s.e. dist. of Mass., 1914; del. Conv., 1917 (See Who's Who in pres. Randolph Savings Bank (dep. gov. gen.); pres. of Nor 1906-17; ex-mem. exec. com. U. Clubs: University, Yale (New Haven), Algonqu Racquet (Boston). Resider Mass.
- 1—**FRENCH, James Hay, Jr.**, b July 16, 1885.
- 6—James French (d ca. 1743), from Stafford Co., Va.; planter;
- 5—William (1725-82), planter, St. m Winifred—(1722-86);
- 4—Judge James (1756-1835), soldier veyor; judge; m 1783, Keziah (1845);
- 3—Hon. Richard (1792-1854), circ gressman; Frenchburg, co. Co., Ky., named for him; m Talliaferro (1805-86);
- 2—Joseph Callaway, from Eng. line Co., Va.;
- 6—Joseph, of Caroline Co., Va.;
- 3—Col. Richard (ca. 1724-1780), Otter River, Brunswick (m Va., ca. 1740; capt. French; col. militia; a founder of Boc burgess from Ky. Co. to Va tice; col. of the county; K Boonesborough, Ky., 1780; K Ky., named for him; m 2d, Hoy, widow of John Hoy, Co., Va.;
- 4—Keziah (1769-1845), m 1783, (above);
- 2—Son of Rev. Richard French tist minister; m 1875, Mar dau. of James William Par liams; issue: I—Julia (m R. Mary Callaway (1880-1914; t Resuden); III—Elizabeth Dr James Hay (above); V—W. Patsy Pickrell).
- IV—m June 7, 1916, Jennie Judy burg, Bath Co., Ky., Aug Richard N. Ratliff, m Kath of Winchester, Ky. Special agt. at Winchester. Life Assurance Society of Ky. State Hist. Soc. W. Va. Residence: 204 Boone Ky.
- 1—**GRAY, Henry Weedon, Jr.** May 25, 1864.
- 6—Francis Gray, from Eng. 1627; m Alice Moorman;
- 7—Francis, of Westmoreland Jones;
- 6—Nathaniel, m Mary Overto
- 5—George, m Mary Strother;
- 4—George Weedon, capt. An Thompson;
- 3—John Thompson, m Mary
- 2—Son of Henry Weedon Miss Russel; m 2d, 1858, N issue (1st marriage): I—N 1909; m his cousin, Ella G; II—Robert Colville (1859-1918 (b 1862); IV—Henry Weeds Benjamin Peers (b 866; m stead).
- IV—Not married. Ex Bur Orient Ins. Co., Hai ford since pres.; also pre Sa N.Y., and U.S. mgr. Lo Ins. Co., of London, Eng. the Cincinnati, S.A.R. Clu York), Hartford (Hartfo Trinity St., Hartford, Co
- 1—**RUFFIN, Edmund Sumt** Co., Va., Apr. 19, 1861.
- 2—William Ruffin (d 1677), of Va.;
- 8—Robert (d 1693), of Surry. m Elizabeth Watkins;
- 7—Robert (d 1720), of Surry;
- 6—Edmund (1713-90), of Sout