

of Plymouth, in New England in America, &c., all that my share, lot and portion of land, att or neare a place commonly called and known by the name of Nama Nakitt, in the jurisdiction of Plymouth aforesaid, which was granted unto me by the said John Adams, as being one of the children of the old comers of the said Jurisdiction, according to a grant of the Court for the Jurisdiction of Plymouth aforesaid, bearing date the third day of June, Ano. Domi., one thousand six hundred and sixty and two, being the twenty-eighth part of the tract of land, purchased by Captain Thomas Southworth, of the Indian Sachem named Josias Wampatuck, in the behalf of said Court, and also share of lands purchased by Major Winslow, lying and being at Namassa Keesett ponds."

Signed by John Adams and the mark of Elizabeth Adams, his wife.

Children of John and Joane Adams, first wife, and Elizabeth, 2d wife; *Flushing, Mary*, b. 1656; *Martha*, b. 1658; *Rebecca*, b. 1661; *Eliza*, b. 1665; *Sarah*, b. 1668; *James*, b. 1671; *Susanna*, b. 1674; *Hannah*, b. 1675; *Deborah*, b. 1678; *John*, b. 1680; *Abijah*, b. 1682; *Thomas*, b. 1684; *Marsey*, b. 1686; *Phebe*, b. 1691.

Capt. John Adams became a convert to Quakerism, through the preaching of John Burnyeat, and finally exchanged his farm of 130 acres in Flushing, for a house, 500 acres of land, and £190 cash in West New Jersey, on June 4th, 1691.

WILLIAM ADAMS, of Cambridge and Ipswich, and His Descendants.

WILLIAM ADAMS, of *Ipswich*, the ancestor of this branch of the family was born in England, Feb. 3d, 1594, came to America in the Spring of 1628; settled first in Cambridge, was made a freeman in 1639; removed to Ipswich, Mass. (now Hamilton), before 1642; was selectman in 1646, and died in 1661. He is said to have descended from Randall Adams, of an old Saxon family at Norwood, town of Wem, Shropshire. The name of William Adams' wife is not given. His children were: I, WILLIAM; II, JOHN; III, SAMUEL; IV, HANNAH; V, MARY; VI, NATHANIEL.

I, WILLIAM ADAMS (2), eldest child of William (1), was born —; married Elizabeth Stacey, of Ipswich; he died 1659. Their children were: *William* (3), *Simon*, *John*.

II, JOHN ADAMS, of *Ipswich*, second child of William (1), was born about 1631; married Rebecca —; issue, *John*, b. about 1688; *Mary*, b. 1670; *Dorcas*, b. 1678, m. Daniel Warren, of Ipswich.

III, SAMUEL ADAMS, of *Ipswich*, third child of William (1), was born —; married, 1664, Mehitable Norton, issue, *Mehitable*, b. 1665; *Mary*, b. 1667; *Samuel*, b. 1670; *William*, b. 1673; *Sarah*, b. 1677.

IV, HANNAH ADAMS, of *Ipswich*, fourth child of William (1).

V, MARY ADAMS, of *Ipswich*, fifth child of William (1).

VI, NATHANIEL ADAMS, of *Ipswich*, youngest child of William (1), born about 1641; freeman 1674; married 1678, Mercy, daughter of Thomas Dickinson, of