

7, 1738. He died in 1772 in Derby. No date of his second wife's death recorded.

Dec. 8, 1728, Thomas Pierson and Ruth, his wife, were among the list of persons who owned the half-way covenant during Rev. Mr. Stoddard's ministry in Woodbury. (See Cothren's History of Ancient Woodbury.)

Children of 14 **Jonathan Pierson** and **Mary Bates**.

- 25.—*Martha Pierson*, b. Jan. 12, 1740, d. young.
 26.—*Elias Pierson*, b. June 23, 1743.
 27.—*Osborn Pierson*, b. — ; d. in Ohio (traditionary).
 ✓ 28.—*Bartholomew Pierson*, b. — ; d. in Penn. (traditionary).
 29.—*David Pierson*, b. — ; d. in Sharon, Ct. (traditionary).
 30.—*Jonathan Pierson, Jun.*; b. 1751; m. Elizabeth Thomas; d. in Reading Sept. 7, 1818.
 31.—*Martha Pierson, 2d*; born March 4th, 1753.
 Nothing more is known of Martha and Elias.
 Mary Bates Pierson died in Derby Feb. 16, 1755, and Jonathan Pierson died in Ridgefield, Sullivan county, N. Y.

Children of 16 **Abraham Pierson, Jun.**, and **Susannah Wooster**.

- 32.—*Oliver Pierson*, b. March 25, 1732; m. Hannah Peet.
 33.—*Stephen Pierson, 4th*, b. in 1738; d. in Newtown May 7, 1763, leaving a widow (Mary Canis?) probably and dau. Sarah.
 34.—*Elizabeth Pierson*, who m. Samuel Wooster.
 35.—*Capt. David Pierson*, b. Jan. 17, 1748; m. Lois Thompson, Oct. 29, 1766. They settled in Amenia.
 36.—*Abraham Pierson, 3d*, b. Feb. 11, 1746; m. Kesia Lines, of New Haven, July 2, 1767.
 37.—*Avis Peirson*, b. Oct. 11, 1751.
 The Woosters were from Milford, Ct.
 Abraham Pierson, Junior, d. in 1781.