

brought to Newburyport, whence he was permitted to go to Salem, and remain until exchanged in the family of his brother Robert. His wife was Sarah Sinclair who died in London, Aug. 7, 1849, aged 82, and lies buried in Stepney Meeting Ground.

Of his four children Robert William, born in the parish of Cleish, Jan'y 30, 1796, was a printer and died in London, March 19, 1869. Sarah Sinclair, born in the same parish, April 9, 1797, was married to one Sabourin of Stepney, London, a lumber merchant, whom she survived, and died childless, March 7, 1875. Christy Millar, born Oct. 27, 1800, in the parish of St. Dunstan's, Stepney, died unmarried, Sept. 6, 1849. Mary, born in the same parish, Sept. 7, 1802, died unmarried, Feb. 15, 1866, and lies buried with her brother and her sister Sarah in Abney Park Cemetery, Stoke Newington.

Robert Rintoul, who came to Boston in a British ship-of-war in 1769, settled at Salem, and perished by shipwreck in 1783, left three children, all born at Salem and probably baptized at the East Church. They were Robert, Samuel and Polly.

Of these the eldest, Robert (born Nov. 23, 1778, died at Beverly, Oct. 24, 1858), established himself in business at Beverly, June 18, 1796, at the age of eighteen; was an Overseer of the Poor of that town from 1804 to 1854, when he resigned, having written fifty consecutive annual reports; a Justice of the Peace and acting Trial Justice for the town from 1808 until his death in 1858, as well as Parish Clerk of the First Parish for the same period, and deacon of the First Church, for forty-six years before his death; an original and lifelong member of the Massachusetts Temperance Society from its inception in 1812; was, from 1830 to 1851 inclusive, an original trustee on the part of the State of the Institution for the edu-