

is still standing, a big chimneyed red house with numerous out buildings on Farm Street, on the south side of Ponkipog Pond. The land (five hundred acres) was bought by his father in 1694. He married about 1690 Rachel Newcomb, of Braintree, who died Oct. 16, 1750.

Children, i. to v. recorded in Milton, vi. to ix. in Dorchester, which then included the present towns of Stoughton and Canton:

- i. BETHIA,² b. Oct. 12, 1692; m. Dec. 15, 1713, Charles Wentworth (1684-1780), and d. April 29, 1780, æ. 89.
- ii. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 21, 1695; d. in Canton, June 26, 1764; m. Dec. 8, 1726, Sarah White, of Milton, who d. Sept. 29, 1760. No children found.
- iii. REBECCA, b. Sept. 8, 1697; m. Jan. 2, 1727, John Pierce, of Watertown, and moved to Canton, where he d. March 9, 1774. She d. in Canton, March 13, 1783, æ. 85.
5. iv. ISAAC, b. Nov. 14, 1699.
6. v. JOHN, b. Feb. 7, 1703.
- vi. RUTH, b. May 30, 1705; m. Oct. 10, 1728, Eliphalet Leonard, of Easton, and d. in Canton, March 28, 1768. He d. Feb. 4, 1786.
- vii. ELIZABETH, b. May 7, 1707; m. June 9, 1724, Stephen Billings, and d. Oct. 17, 1783. He d. June 10, 1767.
- viii. SETH, b. Oct. 28, 1709; d. Oct. 31, 1740.
- ix. FREELOVE, b. Feb. 1, 1715; m. 1733, John Brett, of Bridgewater.

3. BENJAMIN² FENNO (*John*¹) born in Milton, Feb. 4, 1678, inherited his father's farm, and died there May 19, 1750, aged 77; was selectman 1722; 1723 and 1724; married Sept. 23, 1696, Mary Belcher, of Milton, who was probably the Mary who died in Milton, Dec. 25, 1758.

Children, all born in Milton:

7. i. BENJAMIN,² b. Sept. 16, 1698.
- ii. REBECCA, b. July 1, 1700; m. May 18, 1721, John Sheperd, of Milton.
- iii. MARY, b. March 19, 1703; d. April 16, 1725.
- iv. JEMMA, b. March 17, 1706; m. July 15, 1726, Amos Wadling (Wadland), of Boston, mariner, b. March 1, 1699; d. probably in 1757. She d. in Boston probably in 1771.
- v. ABIGAIL, b. June 29, 1710; m. 1st, Dec. 24, 1729, George Minot, of Dorchester, who d. Nov. 10, 1744, æ. 41; she m. 2d, Jan. 15, 1746, William Tucker, of Milton.
- vi. JERUSHA, b. April 20, 1713; m. Thomas Harris.
8. vii. SAMUEL, b. March 12, 1717.

4. EPHRAIM² FENNO (*John*¹), born in Milton, June 30, 1682; died in Newton, probably early in 1767, as his son John was appointed administrator of the estate March 16, 1767. About 1705 or 1706, he moved to Boston, where he was a cordwainer. In 1736 he bought for £750, thirty-three acres in Newton, in the triangle formed by the present Homer, Grafton and Centre Streets, near where the latter crosses the Newton Boulevard, and removed thither. He married first, July 22, 1706, Elizabeth Smith, who died Nov. 22, 1713; married second, April 7, 1715, Elizabeth, daughter of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Barnes; she was born Jan. 22, 1685, in Boston, where she died March 11, 1724, aged 39. He married third, Jan. 3, 1725, Mrs. Martha (Pearce) Steel, widow of John Steel, of Boston, rope-maker; she died in Newton, in 1781, aged 89.

Children by first wife, all born in Boston:

9. i. JOHN,² b. May 12, 1707.
- ii. EPHRAIM, b. July 18, 1708; d. 1716.
- iii. SAMUEL, b. March 1, 1710; nothing further found.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. June 28, 1712; m. June 27, 1734, William Rayner.