

Scituate; Israel, born 1642.

JAEI, born Dec 1643, married May 23, 1664, Joseph Bradford.

GERSHON, 1645; Japhet, April 1647; Nehemiah, 1649; David, 1651; Rebecca, born 1654, married Oct 10, 1679, Daniel Mason, of Stonington, Conn.; Abigail Lydia. Rev. Peter Hobart, died Jan. 20, 1679.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH BRADFORD BY HIS WIFE JAEI HOBART BRADFORD.

I. Joseph, born April 18, 1665.

II. ELISEA, married 1st Hannah Cole and had Hannah, who married Joshua Bradford of Kingston. He married 2nd Bathsheba La Broche.

LINE OF JOSEPH BRADFORD YOUNGEST CHILD OF GOVERNOR WILLIAM BRADFORD BY HIS SECOND WIFE MRS. ALICE SOUTHWORTH NEE CARPENTER.

II Elisha Bradford, son of Joseph and Jael (Hobart) Bradford, was a native of Plymouth in New England. The "Female Review" says of him: "He possessed good abilities and explored many sources that led him to literary distinction. As he was eminent in property; so piety, humanity and uprightness were the distinguishing characteristics of his life." He was married Sep. 7, 1719, to Bathsheba Le Broche, a French lady of elegant extraction and accomplishments. Her father was a native of Paris. Mr. Bradford, for one of his benevolent offices, being bound for a ship and rich cargo, belonging to a merchant of the same town, had the misfortune to lose the greater part of his interest. Being at this time (1760) considerably advanced in years, this circumstance, together with the loss of his eldest son, preyed fast upon his constitution, and he did not long survive to mourn the loss of what seemed not in his power to remedy."

CHILDREN OF ELISHA BRADFORD BY HIS WIFE BATHSHEBA LE BROCHE.

1. Hannah, born April 10, 1719.

2. Joseph, born Dec. 17, 1721.

3. Nehemiah, born July 27, 1724.

4. Laurana, born March 26, 1720; married Elijah McFarland, of Plympton.

5. Mary, born Aug. 1, 1727.

6. Elisha, born Oct. 6, 1729.

7. Lois, born Jan. 30, 1731.

8. DEBORAH, born Nov. 18, 1732; married Jonathan Sampson, Jr.

This Deborah Bradford, eighth child of Elisha and Bathsheba (Le Broche) Bradford by her marriage to Jonathan Sampson, Jr., became the mother of one of the most remarkable women of the Revolution. Jonathan Sampson, Jr., her husband, was the son of Jonathan Sampson and Joanna Lucas, son of Isaac Sampson born 1660; married Lydia Standish, daughter of Alexander, son of Capt. Miles Standish; he was the son of Abraham Sampson, the ancestor.

Jonathan Sampson, by his wife Deborah (Bradford) Sampson, had a child *Deborah*, who, served in the ranks of the patriot army throughout the War of the Revolution in male attire, without her sex having been discovered.