

John Tonkin married, about 1690, Susanna ——, who died some time prior to August 23, 1745, when letters of administration on her estate were granted to her son, John Tonkin, Esquire.*

Issue of *John Tonkin* and *Susanna* ——, his wife:†

- i. MARY, b. 1692; bapt. at St. Mary's Church, Burlington, February 1, 1703-4; m., 1713-14, Abraham Hewlings, Jr.,‡ who d. October 23, 1731, æt. 43,§ when letters of administration were granted to his widow, who d. shortly afterwards, as her estate, together with her husband's, was administered March 10, 1732, by her brother, Charles Tonkin, and her brother-in-law, Joseph Hewlings. They had issue Abraham, Isaac, Esther, of whom hereafter; Susanna, Bathsheba, Martha, and Mary. Esther, dau. of Abraham and Mary (Tonkin) Hewlings, was b. about 1718; bapt. March 29, 1719; m., first, in September, 1738, John Newman, of Philadelphia, who d. without issue, and, secondly, May 7, 1747, Colonel Thomas White, of the same place, by whom she had issue the Right Rev. William White, first (Episcopal) Bishop of Pennsylvania, and Mary White, wife of the Hon. Robert Morris, of Philadelphia. ¶
- ii. JOHN, bapt. February 1, 1703-4.
- iii. CHARLES, bapt. February 1, 1703-4.
- iv. BATHSHEBA, bapt. February 1, 1703-4, and m. Anthony Elton, 4th. See that family, *Chapter XII*, p. 59.
- v. ELIZABETH.
- vi. EDWARD, b. 1706; d. April 5, 1768, possessed of a large fortune. His gravestone is still standing in St. Mary's Churchyard.
- vii. JOSHUA.
- viii. JACOB.

* Liber V, West Jersey Wills, p. 158.

† John Tonkin's will, *Appendix XXVI*, and Records of St. Mary's Church.

‡ MS. "Genealogy of the Elton Family," compiled by Anthony Elton, who was born in 1789, in which the author states that he knew the Tonkin family, and that Bathsheba Tonkin, who married his ancestor, was sister to Edward Tonkin and to Bishop White's grandmother.

§ Abraham Hewlings, Jr., was the son of Abraham Hewlings, Sr., b. 11th mo., 1, 1660, and nephew of William Hewlings, b. 4th mo., 24, 1657, both of whom settled in Burlington County, N. J., in 1678. They were the sons of Walter and Judith Hewlings, of Cirencester, in the County of Gloucester. The latter was buried 6th mo., 6, 1661. Walter Hewlings m., secondly, Rosamond ——, by whom he had issue: Isaac, b. 1666; Jacob, b. and d. 1668; and Mary, b. 1670. Walter Hewlings was bur. 6th mo., 26, 1677.—COMPILER.

¶ Liber III, West Jersey Wills, p. 248; Liber V, West Jersey Wills, p. 26; Will of Joseph Hewlings; New Jersey Marriage Licenses, September 12, 1738; *History of the Descendants of Colonel Thomas White*, p. 30.