

Pioneers
of the town of
Calais, Vermont

1781-1800

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SHORTT.

Shubael, (James, Phillip) born about 1763. Married Mary Barney. He died May 29, 1842 (GS#5) She died April 2, 1843 ae 79 (GS#5) He was a native of Swansea, Mass., and served in the Revolutionary war at various times from 1777 to 1780. One period in 1778 was for nine months to reinforce the Continental army, in Col. Thomas Carpenter's 1st. Bristol Co. Regt. Age 16, Stature 5ft. 6in. Complexion dark. Hair black. Eyes black. His name is on the soldier's memorial at N. Calais. Nov. 18, 1790 he purchased of Shubael Peck, proprietor, lot #48 of the second division where he established a home in time to be enumerated in the census taken in 1791. Elected grand juryman in 1797, selectman 1798/9 and 1801.

Ch. recorded book 1, page 9.

James, b. Nov. 24, 1782.

m. Jan. 5, 1808 (CVR) Patty Sears. Lived in N.Y.

Cyrenus, b. July 20, 1784.

m. Mrs. Sally (Ainsworth) Joclyn.

Lydia, b. Apr. 15, 1786.

m. Oct. 28, 1810 (CVR) Samuel Fresson

Beniah, b. Feb. 15, 1788

m. 2nd. Mrs. Olive Wilder.

m. Sarah Bugbee, dau. of Willard. She died Mar. 18, 1815

He died Nov. 17, 1861 (GS#2)

Nancy, b. July 10, 1790.

m. Mar. 25, 1812 (CVR) Henry Stone

Willard, b. May 4, 1792.

Shubael Peck, b. Apr. 4, 1794.

Betsey Dix.

m. Mary Stacey. m. 2nd. Nov. 1, 1821, (Mont. VR) Mrs.

Polly, b. Feb. 27, 1796

m. in Mont. Apr. 30, 1815 (VR) John P. Davis. Lived N.Y.

Sally, b. Apr. 10, 1798.

d. Apr. 21, 1803. (CVR)

Eliza, b. Mar. 22, 1800

She died Jan. 17, 1868 (GS#5)

m. June 5, 1857 (CVR) Apollus, son of Isaac LeBarron.

Elsa, b. Nov. 11, 1802.

m. Dec. 29, 1820 (CVR) Ira Clark.

Philip, b. June 18, 1805.

17, 1861 (GS#5) She d. Apr. 27, 1873 ae 68 (GS#5)

m. Jan. 1, 1828 (CVR) Nancy Wheeler. He died July

Calista, b. Oct. 18, 1807.

He died July 29, 1878 ae 70 (GS#5) She died July 17, 1870 ae 62 (GS#5)

m. Feb. 7, 1833 (CVR) Chauncy Spaulding.

Slayton,

Jesse, (Phineas, Thomas, Thomas) Born about 1764, Bapt. in Spencer, Mass. July 26, 1767 (VR) Marriage intention in Brookfield, Mass., Sept. 20, 1781, to Betsey Bucklin of Westminster, Vt. According to family records he was a Revolutionary soldier, and his name is on the memorial at N. Calais, but no record of his service has been found. Census of 1790 shows him in Brookfield, Mass., with a family of 2-3-3.

Apr. 26, 1797 he bought of Jacob Davis, the Isiah Rider lot, or lot #36 of the 2nd. division, consideration \$ 50. Feb. 12, 1798 he sold for \$65.00, 43 acres of the northerly part to his brother Simeon, and on Apr. 2, 1817, sold the balance of the lot to his son Darius. Believed to have left town about this time. Died in Wallingford, Vt. June 25, 1846.

He was elected sealer of weights and measures in Calais 1796 to 1800. In the early deeds he is called a mechanic.

Ch. recorded in Calais, book 1, page 11.

Lucy, b. Apr. 23, 1782. m. June 1, 1801 (CVR) David Thayer Jr.

Bucklin, b. Apr. 20, 1784. m. Apr. 15, 1804 (CVR) Sally Willis. He died
Jan. 19, 1858 (GS#5) She died Jan. 31, 1879 (GS#5)

Jesse, b. Apr. 12, 1786. m. Feb. 9, 1805 (CVR) Lydia Jennings. She d. 1812.
m. 2nd. 1813, Deborah Norton. He died June 25, 1864 (GS#5) She died June 22,
1854 (GS#5)

Darius, b. Mar. 12, 1790. m. Sept. 6, 1818 (Mont. VR) Charlotte Hawse. She died
July 18, 1853 ae 55 (GS#7) m. 2nd. Mrs. Ruth Harris. He died Mar. 6, 1890
(GS#7) He succeeded his father on the Slayton homestead.

Eleanor, b. Mar. 25, 1792. m. Mar. 12, 1814 (CVR) Elijah, son of Elijah and Beulah
(Waite) Hersey.

Phineas, b. Mar. 13, 1794. d. in Seminole war.

Mahala, b. Nov. 20, 1796. m. 1824, Calvin York.

Asenath, b. May 14, 1799. m. Nathaniel Stone Hersey, son of Elijah and Beulah
(Waite) Hersey. He died Nov. 13, 1866 ae 78 (GS#7) She died Apr. 10, 1862
(GS#7)

SLAYTON.

Phineas, (Thomas, Thomas) Born Sept.15,1737. Married in Spencer,Mass.,May 14, 1761 (VR) Eleanor Morey of Charlton,Mass. He married End.Roxana Jane Gray. He died Sept.13,1825 (GS#5)

Phineas Slayton was a private in Capt.John Woolcott's Co.,which marched on the alarm of Apr.19,1775 from Brookfield and Spencer,Mass. Also appears to have taken part in the siege of Boston during the winter of 1775-6,and to have had other services during the Revolutionary war. In 1790 he was living in Brookfield,Mass.,with a family of two males over 16,two males under 16,and four females. He was one of the original proprietors of Calais,but it is uncertain if he ever established an independent homestead in the town. Probably should not be included in the list of pioneers previous to 1800,but being a proprietor,and having many descendants here,it is deemed advisable to give a sketch of his family. In 1931 his gravestone in the Shortt cemetery was broken over and laying flat on the ground,overgrown with grass and weeds.

Ch.

Phineas, b.Dec.12,1761. m.in Spencer,Mar.9,1786 (VR) Experience Gleason
He died Oct.23,1811. She died Sept.7,1811. He was also an original proprietor of Calais.

Lucy, bapt.in Spencer,July 26,1767 (VR) Not mentioned in Slayton Genealogy.

Jesse, b.abt.1764. Bapt in Spencer,July 26,1767.(VR) (continued)

Eleanor, b.abt.1765. " " " (VR) m.Feb.12,1802,Seth Doane,
son of Sylvanus. He d.May 17,1833 ae 71-6-0 (GS#5) Rev.soldier.
She died 1844

Ebiel, b.Dec.10,1766. m.Elisha Doane (continued)

Abigail, b.1768. m.int.Mar.11,1792 to Demos Hamilton. They may have lived here a short time but soon moved to N.Y.state.

Simeon, bapt.Apr.23,1769 (Spencer VR) m.Abigail Hamilton. (continued)

Elisha, b. m.int.in Brookfield,Mass.,July 3,1802 (VR) to Achsah,dau.of Elijah and Beulah (Waite) Hersey. He died the same day as his father and of the same disease.

Elijah, b.Sept.22,1777. m.Feb.3,1803,Hannah Howe. Lived in Calais from about 1812 to 1817 and then moved to N.Y.state.

Hannah, b.Sept.9,1783. m.int.Nov.27,1800 (Brookfield and Spencer VR) Reuben Doane,son of Nathan. Reuben Doane was in Calais previous to 1800, and is mentioned by Tucker,but returned to Brookfield,married and raised a large family there.

SLAYTON.

Simeon, (Phineas, Thomas, Thomas) Bapt.in Spencer, Mass. Apr. 23, 1769 (VR) Married in Brookfield, Mass., Nov. 28, 1793 (VR) Abigail Hamilton. She died Apr. 4, 1795. He married 2nd. in Calais, Mar. 30, 1797 (VR) Susannah Barnes. She died June 8, 1818 (GS#5). He married 3rd. Mrs. Betsey Fuller Davis. She died Oct. 30, 1876 (GS#5) He died Nov. 24, 1847 (GS#5)

On Feb. 12, 1798 Simeon Slayton bought of his brother, Jesse, for \$65., the northern part, or 43 acres of lot #36 of the 2nd. division, which agrees with Tucker's site of his first settlement. Tucker also lists him as a voter in 1795, but this seems to be doubted. He was elected hay warden in 1798, and in 1811 five children were attending school from this family.

Ch. recorded in Calais, book 1, page 36.

Nathan, b. May 4, 1794. Went West and was heard from no more, so the Slayton genealogy states.

Abigail, b. Sept. 10, 1797.

m. Ariel Martin

Oliver Perry, b. Sept. 3, 1799.

d. July 26, 1843.

Morey, b. May 10, 1802.

m. Tryphosia ~~Martin~~ ^{graduated} and went West.

Jera W., b. Feb. 24, 1804.

m. Oct. 5, 1828 (CVR) Betsey Kendall. He died Nov.

15, 1862 (GS#5) She died May 8, 1877 (GS#5)

Charles, b. Apr. 11, 1806.

m. Lydia Davis, He died Jan. 6, 1878 (GS#5)

She died July 3, 1862 (GS#5)

Susan, b. Dec. 20, 1812.

m. Enoch Willey. He died Apr. 18, 1868 (GS#5)

She died Jan. 2, 1867 (GS#5)

Sabrina,

d. young.

SPRAGUE

James, (Samuel, Samuel, Anthony, William) Born in Rehoboth, Mass., Mar. 11, 1760 (VR)
Married in Rehoboth, Oct. 16, 1783 (VR) Sarah Jennings, whose father was one of the
first eight settlers of Calais.

James Sprague was a private in Capt. Nath'l Carpenter's Co., Col. Thomas Carpenter's
regt. Service from July 20, 1777, 1 mo., 5 da.; at R.I.; also Capt. Sylvanus Martin's
Co., Col. Williams' regt., service from Sept. 29, 1777 to Oct. 30, 1777 at Tiverton;
also Capt. Joseph Wilmarth's Co., Col. Thomas Carpenter's regt., marched Aug. 1, 1780,
discharged Aug. 8, 1780, service 9 days. Co. marched to Tiverton on alarm of Aug.
1, 1780, and there served under Gen. Heath.

In 1790 this family was living in Rehoboth, and is listed as having one male
over 16, and four females.

Tucker says that "A Mr. Sprague settled on the Ira Morse farm" This family
remained in town several years, but left little record. James Sprague was
uncle of Lambert Sprague who located in Woodbury near the Calais line, and whose
descendants are living in Calais and Woodbury at the present time.

It is supposed that he lived in lot #54 of the 3rd. division, which was one of
the Ephraim Starkweather lots, acquired by James Jennings as already explained.

In 1811 there were two children attending school in the S.W. district from this
family, which indicated that there were younger children, born after the family
came to Calais.

Ch (Rehoboth VR)
Polly, b. Aug. 21, 1784.

Lepha, b. June 26, 1786.

Philinda, b. Jan. 11, 1789.

ALFRED BOND
A. P. & P. CO.

STEWARD.

Ethel
Ethel, (ancestry unknown)

He bought of Samuel Fay, Nov. 11, 1797 the easterly part of lot #52 of the 2nd. division, which agrees with Tuckers statement that he "began on the Wm. White farm formerly called the James Morse farm". Very little has been found to throw much light on the history of this family, although they lived in Calais for some time and had a large family as shown by the census of 1800.

He was a member of the Calais militia company previous to the war of 1812. The few records found show various spellings of the name.

Ch.

William, b. abt. 1801. m. Dec. 21, 1825 (Mont. VR) Relief Gould. He died Jan. 13, 1849 ae. 48-8-4 (Mont. VR) and in his death record he is called son of Ethel.

In 1811 there were five children in this family of school age and attending in the S.W. district.

STONE.

Moses, (Nehemiah) Born in Charlton, Mass., June 24, 1765 (VR) His father, Nehemiah, was one of the proprietors of Calais, as well as his brother Nehemiah Jr. Another of his brothers was Sampson Stone who married sisters of Aaron Lamb and had land deals in Calais.

In April 1788 Moses Stone bought of Amos Goodell all of the rights of Nathaniel Willington, an original proprietor, which made him the owner of lots #62, 1st. div., #7 2nd. div., and #7 3rd. div., and the following October his father deeded to him lot #28, 2nd. div., which adjoined his lot #62.

Sept. 30, 1788 at a meeting of the proprietors held at the house of Peter Wheelock in Calais, Moses Stone was chosen one of a committee of three to move the charter and book from the house of Parley Davis to that of Peter Wheelock, who was the newly chosen proprietor's clerk. Mr. Stone returned to Charlton for the winter and came back with the Wheelocks, arriving Apr. 13, 1789, and on June 16th. of that year was chosen proprietor's collector of taxes for the roads. Nov. 2, 1789 the proprietors voted to meet at Stone's house, which they did on Nov. 10th. This house was doubtless in either lot #62 or #28, and tradition in the Bliss family which later lived there, is to the effect that the site of this house can now be located by a huge rock which was the back of the fireplace.

Tucker lists him as a voter in 1795 but this is doubtful, as he is not listed in the census taken in 1791. Charlton records show his marriage intention to Elizabeth Weld of Sturbridge, as dated Nov. 18, 1792 (VR) I have found no record of his residence in Calais after that date.

THAYER.

David, (David, Thomas, Ferdinando, Thomas) Born May 9, 1739. Married in Charlton, Mass., Feb. 5, 1767 (VR) Joanna Weld, dau. of Daniel Weld. They lived in Charlton, but had disappeared from there by the time the first federal census was taken. The Vermont census taken in 1791 shows a David Thayer living in Wardsboro, Vt., with a family of 1-0-5.

Land records of Calais do not show any ownership of land in town by David Thayer until about 1806, but there was a John Thayer, brother-in-law of Elijah White, who owned a small farm in lots #19 and #20 of the 2nd. division, and it is supposed that David Thayer lived there. Some years later this farm came into David Thayer's possession. He died at the age of 80, which would have been about 1819.

Ch. per Thayer Genealogy.
Joanna, b.

m. Dec. 26, 1813 (CVR) Elisha Benjamin.

Nancy, b.
He died Apr. 12, 1812.

m. Aug. 28, 1803 (CVR) Wareham, son of Jacob Ainsworth.

Elijah, b.

m. Huldah Town. Did not come to Calais.

David Jr.,

m. June 1801 (CVR) Lucy Slayton.

Chester,

William, b.

d. in Leicester, Mass., Oct. 11, 1828 ae 59.

Lived in St. Johnsbury, became insane, and his brother Elijah came from Leicester, and took him back to his home where he died.

Fanny,

Lucinda, b. Apr. 9, 1786.
1868 ae. 79-2- .

m. 1814, Ezra Chase, son of Simeon. He died Mar. 14,
Both buried in So. Woodbury cem.

Betsey, b.

m. Dec. 3, 1801, (CVR) Edmund Eddy Jr. He died at
Walden, Vt., Dec. 25, 1859 ae 83. (VR) She d. at Walden, Aug. 8, 1820 (VR)

THOMAS.

John, Listed in Calais in the census of 1800 as living alone. Married July 14, 1801, Ruzmy, daughter of Elder Ephraim Ainsworth, at which time he gave his residence as Woodbury. This marriage is also recorded in Woodbury, and is the first of record there. No further record in Calais.

TOBEY.

Zoeth, (Zoeth, Zaccheus, Samuel, Thomas) Born Sept.15,1764. (probably in Dartmouth Mass,although not of record) Married in Dartmouth, Feb.15,1791, Sarah West (VR) He died Mar.16,1812, and the widow married 2nd. Jan.21,1813 (CVR) Peter Wheelock. After Wheelock's death she married 3rd. John Gray of Calais.

In 1792 the Tobey family came to Wardsboro, Vt., and in 1799 to Calais where on Oct.8,1799 he purchased fifty two acres of lot #62 of the 2nd. division. This farm he sold Mar.7,1805 to Nathaniel Sears of Rochester, Mass., and moved to New York state, but returned to Calais a few years later and located on lot #25 of the first division where he died.

In 1812 there were four children attending school from this family, N.E. dist.

Ch. recorded in Calais, book 1, page 13.

Elizabeth, b. Nov.22,1791. m. Apr.2,1812 (CVR) David Daggett.

Mary, b. Nov.8,1793. d. young.

Kezia, b. Nov.8,1793. Married and lived in N.Y. state.

Marcy, b. 1795.

Avery, b. Jan.10,1796. m. Sally Norton and lived in Illinois.

Polly, b. Apr.25,1798. m. Feb.20,1820 (CVR) Alexander White. m. 2nd. Mar.29, 1832 (CVR) Jeremiah Comins. He died Nov.6,1863 ae 76 (GS#2) She died July 19,1855 ae 57 (GS#2)

Richard W., b. Sept.6,1800. m. Oct.10,1822 (CVR) Lydia Tucker. She died Jan.29, 1844 (GS#8) m. 2nd. May 14,1844 (CVR) Hannah Dodge Melton. She died June 18, 1883 ae 69 (GS#8) He died May 3,1874 (GS#8)

Zoeth, b. Mar.11,1803. d. May 14,1804 (CVR)

Allen, b. July 30,1805. m. Jan.10,1838 Elvira Ellis. He died June 14,1875 (GS#8) She died 1902 (GS#8).

TUCKER.

Edward, (Jonathan, Jonathan, Jonathan, Benjamin, Robert) Born in Charlton, Mass. Jan. 28, 1769 (VR) Married in Charlton, Sept. 13, 1789 (VR) Azubah Town. He died Apr. 17, 1834 (GS#5) She died Apr. 13, 1857 ae 87-4-9 (GS#5)

Feb. 10, 1794 he purchased lot #27 of the 2nd. division, which according to his son, was his homestead, although the son states that his father came to Calais in March 1792. This may be true, as several families are known to have been in Calais several years before the land records show ownership of land.

He was a voter at the town's organization, and was elected selectman. Highway surveyor, 1796, keeper of the pound 1797, highway surveyor again in 1798, etc.

Five children were attending school from this home in 1811.

Ch. recorded in Calais, book 1, page 1.

Joel, b. Dec. 31, 1789. d. in Burlington, Vt. Dec. 9, 1812, ae. 22-11-9 (GS#5)

Nancy, b. Aug. 30, 1791. m. 1808, Jonas Hall. He died Dec. 23, 1852 ae 73 (GS#8)
She died June 1, 1864 (GS#8)

Polly, b. Sept. 3, 1793. d. Oct. 28, 1804 (GS#5)

Aaron, b. Sept. 18, 1795. m. June 17, 1821 (CVR) Rachel Kent. He died May 19, 1883 (GS#8) She died July 11, 1897 (GS#8) (Note length of their married life)

Eli, b. Oct. 19, 1797. m. Dec. 27, 1817 (Mont. VR) Deborah Wheelock. He died Aug. 25, 1856 (GS#7)

Lewis, b. Mar. 26, 1799. d. Sept. 13, 1802 (GS#5)

Perry, b. Apr. 5, 1801. d. Sept. 18, 1802 (GS#5)

Lydia, b. Jan. 24, 1803. m. Oct. 10, 1822 (CVR) Richard Tobey. She d. Jan. 29, 1841 (GS#8)

Delia, b. Jan. 9, 1805. m. Jan. 10, 1825, Remember Kent 2nd.

Amasa, b. Dec. 9, 1806. m. Emily Fleming. She d. Aug. 1, 1841 (GS#8) m. 2nd. Diana Ellis. She d. Oct. 6, 1860 (GS#8) He died Dec. 20, 1881 (GS#8)

To him we are indebted for much information concerning early days in Calais.

Lovisa, b. May 20, 1809. m. Mar. 1823, John White. He died Oct. 1872 ae 74. (GS#7) She died Mar. 2, 1887 (GS#7)

William Arloe, b. Apr. 2, 1811. Lived in Minnesota.

Geo. Washington, b. Sept. 30, 1813. d. Jan. 24, 1814.

TUCKER.

Jonathan, (Jonathan, Jonathan, Jonathan, Benjamin, Robert) Born in Charlton Mass., May 21, 1771 (VR) Married Dec. 20, 1797 (CVR) Tamar (Kinney) Ware. She died Aug. 4, 1802 (GS#1) Married 2nd. Jan. 23, 1803 (CVR) Matilda Carpenter, daughter of Asahel, and sister of Mrs. Noah Bliss. She died Jan. 30, 1803 (GS#1) Married 3rd. Jan. 11, 1807 (CVR) Cynthia Hawkins, daughter of Abraham. He died Feb. 18, 1854

Sept. 7, 1794, he bought of Abraham and Mary Howland, lots #3 & 4 of the 2nd. Div. which agrees with his nephew's statement that Jonathan Tucker settled on the "Marcus Waite farm". In the census of 1800 there appears to be two extra adults living in the family, the male probably being his brother Amasa Tucker, then preparing a homestead in lot #7 of the 2nd. division.

Jonathan Tucker was elected lister in 1797. In 1812 there was one child attending school from this family, whose identity is not explained.

Ch. recorded in Calais, book 1, page 240.

Tamar, b. July 16, 1809. m. July 6, 1824 (CVR) Jonathan Lyford.
He died Nov. 24, 1841 (GS#2)

Cynthia, b. Oct. 12, 1813. m. Jan. 29, 1833 (CVR) Joseph Lance.

Mary, b. Oct. 13, 1814. m. Jan. 8, 1839 (CVR) Matthew P. Wallace.

Jonathan Tucker, the proprietor, who drew as his right lot #22 of the 1st. division was probably the father of the above pioneer, but he appears to have either sold or abandoned his rights as proprietor to Jonathan Jr. who drew the remaining rights in town, viz., lot #23 of the 2nd. division, and #3 of the 3rd. division. Jonathan Sr. died in Charlton in 1789.

TWISS.

Samuel, (Joseph) Born in Charlton, Mass., Feb. 3, 1760 (VR) Marriage intentions recorded in Charlton, Apr. 6, 1788 to Experience Coit of Salisbury, Conn. (VR)

Mr. and Mrs. Twiss came to Calais with the Wheelocks on Apr. 13, 1789, and in the first Federal census are listed in Calais with a family of one male over 16, one male under 16, and one female, which indicates that a male child had been born to this couple between the time of their arrival in Calais, and the time of taking the census, which was in 1791. Where they first lived in Calais is unknown, but perhaps lived with the Abijah Wheelock family for a time.

In 1793 Mr. Twiss and Col. Davis "pitched" lot #36 of the 1st. division for mill purposes, and the mill is believed to have been completed that year. Tucker says that he "began where Janus Laird lives".

Oct. 5, 1795 Mr. Twiss bought all of Salem Town's rights in Calais, which made him the owner of Lots #16 of the 1st. div., #40 of the 2nd. div., and #25 of the 3rd div. At this time he gave his residence as Coit's Gore, Vt. He disposed of these lots as follows. June 6, 1799, #16 to David and Joshua Bliss for \$160. Jan. 7, 1797, #40 to Oliver Palmer for \$110. June 6, 1799, #25 to Jedediah Fay for \$154.

Although Tucker lists Mr. Twiss as a voter in Calais at the first town meeting in 1795, this is believed to be an error, and that he had left town, moving to Coit's Gore before this date. There are no vital records of the family in Calais.

WEST.

Francis, son of Elisha West was born in Tisbury, Mass., July 25, 1761 (VR) The printed vital records of Rochester, Mass., show his marriage intention to Katurah Freeman as dated Oct. 9, 1784. But little has been found in the records of Calais to throw much light on the history of this family except land records which are given here in full.

Jan. 16, 1787, Francis West of Rochester, Mass., bought of Ebenezer Allen, proprietor, all of Allen's rights in Calais, which consisted of lot #4 of the 1st. division, lot #60 of the 2nd. division, and an undivided right in the third division, which was later drawn to Allen as lot #28. Consideration \$ 45. Deed recorded Sept. 23, 1796, page 66.

Oct 14, 1788, Francis West of Middlesex, sold to Moses Haskell of Calais, the northern part of lot #60, or about fifty acres. Witnesses were Eunice and Lovell Warren, the latter being, I believe, town clerk of Middlesex.

July 16, 1793, Francis West of Calais, sold to David Parsons, sixty four acres of the northern part of lot #4 of the 1st. division.

Sept. 23, 1796, Francis West of Montpelier, sold to Timothy Haskell of Rochester, the whole of lot #28 of the 3rd. division.

Sept. 27, 1796, Francis West of Montpelier, sold to Chas. Stephens and Samuel Edwards land in the southern part of lot #4, 1st. division.

July 6, 1797, Francis West of Montpelier, sold to Duncan Young of Calais, the balance of his land in lot #60, or about sixty-two acres, for \$300.

June 2, 1819, Francis West of Shazee, N.Y., sold to David Parsons the remaining part of lot #4, 1st. division, or about 20 acres, and described it as the last of his land in Calais.

During Calais proprietary days, Francis West and Moses Haskell presented two joint accounts to the proprietors for work on the roads.

Ch. (probably others)

Sarah, b. abt. 1791.

He d. May 23, 1859 (GS#2)

m. Lemuel Smith Bennett and lived in Calais.

She d. Aug. 17, 1842 ae 51. (GS#2)

WHEELLOCK.

Abijah, (David, Benjamin, Benjamin, Ralph) Born in Charlton, Mass. June 7, 1764 (VR) Married in Charlton, Aug. 10, 1786 (VR) Lois, daughter of William Nichols of Oxford, Mass. She born June 11, 1764, and did in Calais Oct. 28, 1847 (CVR) (GS#2) He died in Calais Apr. 18, 1846 (CVR) (GS#2)

He with others came to Calais in the summer of 1767, and began making preparations for settlement here. The next spring he purchased of Col. Davis for £20 legal money of the English colonies, lot #51 of the 1st. division, where on April 13, 1789 he made what proved to be the first permanent settlement in the town of Calais. Parts of this lot were later sold off to neighbors, and on Nov. 6, 1812 he sold the balance, or 86 acres to Welcome Wheelock, and described it in deed as the place where I now live. After this he lived on lot #55 of the 1st. division and still later on lot #7, 1st. division where he died.

He was elected lister at the first town meeting, selectman 1796-7 and 1812, lister 1798-9, and held other town offices.

Ch. recorded in Calais, book 1, page 1.

Jonathan, b. in Charlton, Feb. 12, 1787. m. Nov. 3, 1813 (CVR) Sally Chase, daughter of Simeon. Moved away from Calais in the 1840s.

Lucy, b. Nov. 14, 1788. m. Jan. 31, 1819 (CVR) Chas. Bliss. He d. Aug. 8, 1842 (GS#2) She d. June 21, 1853 (GS#2)

Laura, b. May 6, 1790. d. in Calais Feb. 23, 1875 (GS#2) Unm.

Alynda, b. Apr. 4, 1792. d. in Calais, May 28, 1873 (GS#2) Unm.

Cyrus, b. Aug. 2, 1795. m. Dec. 19, 1826 (CVR) Prudence Chase. He died 1864 and is believed to have been buried in cem. #8.

Perez, b. Sept. 5, 1797. m. Dec. 24, 1823 (CVR) Eliza, dau. of Thomas Cole. He d. Mar. 1, 1874 (GS#2) She d. Feb. 27, 1871 (GS#2)

Elfrida, b. Mar. 3, 1800. m. June 27, 1824 (CVR) Gilbert Leonard Jr. He d. May 6, 1842 (GS#2) She d. Sept. 3, 1880 (GS#2)

Titus, b. July 11, 1802. m. Eliza Heath, He died Sept. 12, 1850 (GS#2) She d. Nov. 10, 1887 (GS#2)

Jairus, b. July 10, 1804. died in Calais June 16, 1844 unm (GS#2)

Rachel, b. Aug. 28, 1806. m. Leonard Wakefield. She died in Colchester, Vt. Aug. 5, 1848.

Abijah Jr., b. June 27, 1808. m. Saphronia Gove, dau. of Robert. Lived in Calais, Worcester and E. Montpelier, Vt. He d. Mar. 8, 1877.

WHEELOCK

Asa, (Jonathan, Benjamin, Benjamin, Ralph) born in Charlton, Mass. Oct. 2, 1741 (VR) Married in Charlton, Dec. 8, 1763 (VR) Rachel Drury. He died 1816, but there is no record of her death, and no gravestones for either, although they were probably buried in cem. #1.

He was a sergeant in Capt. Davis' Co., Col. Ebenezer Larned's Reg't., which marched to Roxbury on alarm of April 19, 1775, and also sergeant in Capt. Abijah Lamb's Co. Col. Jonathan Holman's Reg't which marched to Providence on an alarm in December 1776.

After the usual custom of spending one or two summers in Calais in making preparations for settlement, he brought his family here in the summer of 1789, and is believed to have located on lot #14 of the second division, although he did not acquire title to the land until some time afterward. He was an officer of the town at its organization in 1795, and was selectman in 1796

Ch. probably all born in Charlton, although only the first five are of record.
Rhoda, b. Mar. 28, 1765. No further record.

Martha, b. Dec. 9, 1766 m. Nov. 1, 1786, David Goodell (continued)

Goddard, b. Sept. 25, 1768 m. Eleanor Hathaway. (continued)

Jennison, b. May 31, 1770. m. Molly Wells (continued)

Amos, b. Mar. 5, 1772.

Mary, b. m. in Berlin, Vt. Dec. 8, 1793, Winslow Pope (continued)

Salem, b. m. Abigail McKnight. (continued)

Leonard, b. m. in C. Feb. 7, 1802 (VR) Lorinda Janes.

Huldah, b. Mar. 1780. m. Aaron Bliss (continued)

Asa, b. Is probably the Asa who located at Cape Vincent, N.Y.

Jared, b. Aug. 5, 1785. m. Jan. 1, 1806 (CVR) Mary Davis. He died Oct. 17, 1872 (GS#1) She died Sept. 20, 1872 ae 85 (GS#1)

WHEELLOCK

Gideon, (David, Benjamin, Benjamin, Ralph) Born in Charlton, Mass., July 5, 1771 (VR)
 Married in Charlton, Jan. 31, 1797 (VR) Sally, daughter of Capt. Levi Davis.
 Gideon died in Calais, July 14, 1851 (CVR) She died in C. Sept. 7, 1854 ae 77-6-11
 Both buried in cemetery #4.

Land records showing his first purchase of land in Calais are not on file in town, but he is believed to have located here about the time of his marriage as he was elected to public office at the annual meeting in 1797. His first homestead was on lot #44 of the 1st. division. Tucker says that he erected the first framed house in town, but this was probably not his first house which is believed to have stood near the old cemetery. He sold this homestead in 1827 and moved to No. 10 school district, or N. Calais, where he developed the water power at the outlet of Wheelock pond. He held all the important town offices and that of representative to the legislature in 1812-13-17-21. Captain of the local company of militia that marched to Plattsburg during the war of 1812.

The Universalist's society of Calais was organized at his house and he was elected clerk.

Ch. recorded Book 1, page 3.

Deborah, b. Apr. 10, 1798.

m. Dec. 27, 1817 (Mont. VR) Eli Tucker.

Lecty, b. Mar. 30, 1800

d. Nov. 18, 1803 (CVR)

Hannah, b. Jan. 7, 1802.

d. Jan. 18, 1802 (CVR)

Lucy, b. Mar. 28, 1803.

m. Jan. 1, 1821 (CVR) Joseph Blanchard Jr.

He d. Feb. 6, 1859

She d. May 31, 1869.

Recty, b. Dec. 3, 1804.

m. June 6, 1833 (CVR) Ira McCloud He d. Apr. 6, 1858

Elvira, b. Nov. 5, 1806.

m. Feb. 19, 1826 (CVR) Caleb Putnam

Royal Tyler, b. July 24, 1808.

m. May 24, 1830 (CVR) Nancy McCloud.

Lived in Stockholm, N.Y.

Sally D., b. July 10, 1811.

d. July 4, 1814. (CVR)

Aaron D., b. Mar. 31, 1813.

d. Aug. 27, 1814 (CVR)

Levi D., b. Nov. 13, 1814.

m. May 20, 1846, Susan Weston. m. 2nd. Eunice Weston

Lived in So. Reading, now Wakefield, Mass.

William Orvis, b. June 4, 1816. d. Oct. 6, 1817.

DeLorma Brooks, b. Nov. 5, 1818. m. Mary Sweetser. m. 2nd. Mary S. Newhall

Lived in Wakefield, Mass. where all are buried.

Florina, b. Feb. 4, 1821.

m. Sept. 13, 1847 (CVR) Azro E. Silloway

Lived in Northfield, Vt.

WHEELOCK

Goddard, (Asa, Jonathan, Benjamin, Benjamin, Ralph) born in Charlton, Mass. Sept. 25, 1768. (VR) m. Eleanor, daughter of Silas Hathaway. Doubtless came to Calais with his parents in 1789. June 6, 1799 he bought at vendue, the easterly part of lot #45 of the second division, and began a settlement there. This property is very near where his brother-in-law, Elnathan Hathaway had begun a settlement, but Mr. Wheelock is believed to have remained here but a few years, moving back to the East Hill where his brother-in-law, David Goodell had previously lived. There is no death record of Goddard Wheelock in town, but on April 29, 1814, Elnathan Hathaway, administrator of his estate, conveyed to Amos Wheelock, thirty acres of land in lot 14, 2nd. division. from which we conclude that he did not live to an advanced age. Goddard was surveyor of highways in 1795 and lister in 1796.

Ch.

Polly, b. Aug. 20, 1796 (CVR) m. Jan. 1, 1822, David Persons of Montpelier.

Lovicy, b. Aug. 20, 1798. d. Aug. 13, 1800 (or 1806) (GS#1)

John, b. May 20, 1799 (CVR) m. Laura Washburn, at Montpelier, Apr. 13, 1824.
He died at Boston, Mass. June 12, 1873 and is buried at Morrisville, Vt.
She died May 24, 1844. Residence, Hinesburg, Vt.

Alden, b. June 8, 1801 (CVR)

Peter Sleeman, b. Sept. 13, 1845 m. Sept. 13, 1845, Frances Maria Hall. He was a lawyer, and judge, and lived in Roxbury, Mass.

Alma,

WHEELOCK.

Jennison, (Asa, Jonathan, Benjamin, Benjamin, Ralph) Born in Charlton, Mass.
May 31, 1770 (VR) Married Molly, daughter of Benjamin and Betsey Wells.
She born Jan. 26, 1774, and died Jan. 19, 1836. He died Feb. 25, 1813.

Land records showing his first purchase of land in Calais are not on file,
but he is known to have acquired the farm in lot #13 of the 2nd. division, which
farm is still owned by his descendants.

He was elected haywarden at the first town meeting in 1795, and was high-
way surveyor on 1798. In 1811 there were 6 children attending school
from this family in the East district.

Ch. recorded in Calais, book 1, page 229.

Brittain, b. Apr. 7, 1796. m. Phebe Batchelder. He d. Apr. 14, 1868 (GS#2)

She d. Mar. 27, 1877 (GS#2)

Cynthia, b. May 2, 1798. d. July 23, 1863.

Fanny, b. Mar. 8, 1800. m. Jan. 22, 1818 (CVR) Perry Marsh, son of Jason

Roxy, b. Mar. 24, 1802. d. Sept. 4, 1803.

Christiana, b. Mar. 11, 1804. m. Hiram Cutting.

Sally, b. Apr. 4, 1807. m. Jan. 1, 1829 (CVR) Milton Ide, son of George.

He d. June 14, 1887 (GS#2) She d. July 20, 1837 (GS#2)

Silas, b. May 8, 1809. m. Mar. 9, 1830 (CVR) Rowena Peck. He was a
minister of the Christian Church of Calais and died June 29, 1878 (GS#2)
She d. Feb. 29, 1876 (GS#2)

Jacob, b. May 13, 1811. d. Apr. 8, 1813.

WHEELLOCK.

Peter, (Jonathan, Benjamin, Benjamm, Ralph) born in Charlton, Mass., Feb. 16, 1750 (VR) Married in Char. May 24, 1770 (VR) Olive Wheelock, dau. of David. She died Dec. 22, 1782 (VR) He m. 2nd. Jan. 22, 1784 (Char VR) Lydia Green, dau. of Rev. Nathaniel. She died in Calais, Apr. 7, 1812. He m. 3rd. Jan. 21, 1813 (CVR) Mrs. Sarah (West) Tobey. He died in Marshfield, June 12, 1820. His widow married John Gray of Calais.

Peter was one of the proprietors of the town of Calais and drew lots #13, #26, and #59 of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. divisions respectively. He located his home on lot #26, being the only one of the proprietors to draw a lot and actually establish a homestead thereon. On Aug. 21, 1797 he sold this farm to Abdial Bliss of Rehoboth and started a new settlement on the lot to the north, or #61 of the 1st. division, where he lived for several years, selling to Daniel Nealy, after which he moved to Marshfield.

Peter Wheelock was the leading man in the first ten years of Calais history. The town was organized at his house in 1795; he was the first town clerk, and held that office until 1802; was the first representative to the legislature; first justice of the peace; was treasurer for several years, and held other important town offices. All marriages of which there are records, were performed by him to 1801, and many more after then until he moved to Marshfield.

His work as town clerk should be particularly complemented, as he took great pains to record as many as possible of the births, marriages, and deaths which had occurred in Calais previous to the organization of the town, and thereafter during his term of office, the vital and land records are in very creditable shape. Ch. All recorded in Calais, and to 1788 also recorded in Charlton.

Jerod, b. June 20, 1772.	d. Oct. 17, 1778. (Char. VR)
Phile, b. Feb. 2, 1774.	No further record.
Arnold, b. Nov. 20, 1775.	d. Oct. 5, 1778. (Char VR)
Willard, b. Aug. 20, 1777.	d. Oct. 9, 1778 (Char VR)
Lydia, b. July 17, 1779.	m. Oct. 7, 1798 (CVR) Benjamin Gray. He died Dec. 6, 1856 ae. 82 (GS#2) She d. June 25, 1857 ae. 78 (GS#2)
Olive, b. May 11, 1781.	m. in C. Oct. 18, 1801, Oliver Merritt (VR) He son of Job. of Charlton. She died Apr. 7, 1806.
Betsey, b. Oct. 4, 1782.	d. May 30, 1788 (Char VR)
Clara, b. Apr. 20, 1785.	m. Welcome Wheelock, son of Seth of Charlton. They lived on the original Abijah Wheelock place. He died July 20, 1865 ae 80 (GS#8) She died Aug. 22, 1850 (GS#8)
Jera, b. Nov. 20, 1786.	m. July 27, 1806 (CVR) Abby Nealy. He was a justice of the peace in Calais and as such performed the marriage ceremony when his father was married for the third time.
Varnum, b. July 14, 1788.	d. in Calais, Oct. 10, 1789 (Char VR)
Lucinda, b. in C. Apr. 4, 1790.	m. Feb. 13, 1813, Winthrop Gove, son of Elisha. This was the first birth occurring in Calais of which there is record.
Ruth, b. June 17, 1792.	m. Jabez Mower, son of John the proprietor. He died Aug. 4, 1871 (GS#8) She died Apr. 8, 1877 (GS#8)
Peter, b. Jan. 13, 1794.	No further record found.
Polly, b. Dec. 20, 1795.	d. Sept. 6, 1806.
Eli, b. Apr. 24, 1798.	m. Aug. 27, 1820 (CVR) Hepsibah Osgood. They were living in Calais as late as 1830. Tavern keeper. He is said to have died in Boston June 13, 1856.
Rowena, b. Jan. 2, 1814.	m. Sept. 7, 1835 (Mont VR) Zenas Bliss. He died June 27, 1842 (GS#8) She m. 2nd. at Johnson, Vt. Luther Davis Newton, who died April 1862. She m. 3rd. Daniel Sabin.

WHEELLOCK.

Salem, (Asa, Jonathan, Benjamin, Benjamin, Ralph) Born probably in Charlton, Mass., but not of record there. Married Abigail McKnight, daughter of Thomas and Abigail of Montpelier. He was elected haywarden in Calais in 1797, but is not mentioned in census of 1800, although he is known to have been living in that vicinity for many years after that date. His last land transaction was a sale of part of lot #14, 2nd. division on Mar. 4, 1828 to Aaron Lilley.

In the early days of Calais he purchased at auction quite a number of tax titles, but he seems to have had at no time any very fixed place of abode. Tucker says he died aged 75.

Ch. recorded in CVR.

Lucy, b. Apr. 4, 1799.

Eli, b. Oct. 8, 1801.

Nabby, b. July 22, 1804. (?)

Fanny, b. Jan. 10, 1805. (?)

Elvira, b. Oct. 4, 1807.

WHITE.

Elijah, (Ebenezer) Born in Charlton, Mass., Dec. 4, 1774 (VR) Married in Charlton,
Feb. 6, 1799 (VR) Ruth Needham. He died Feb. 14, 1832 (GS#1) She died Nov. 12,
1846 ae 68, (GS#1)

Sept. 10, 1796, Ebenezer White, proprietor, sold to his son Elijah, his original
second division lot #19, consideration \$100. This agrees with Tucker's location
for Elijah White's early settlement "on the Geo. Holmes place".
Elijah White was elected haywarden in 1799.

Ch. recorded in Calais, book 1, page 22.

Lucy, b. Apr. 6, 1800.

m. June 7, 1818 (CVR) John Goodell. He d. July, 23, 1860 (GS#2)
m. 2nd Dec. 10, 1861 (CVR) Remember Kent.

Adams, b. Sept. 18, 1802.

m. Dec. 11, 1825 (CVR) Alfrida Bryant. He died

Aug. 18, 1873 ae 71. (GS#8) She died Oct. 24, 1877 ae 73. (GS#8)

Larned, b. Aug. 9, 1805.

m. Nov. 3, 1828 (CVR) Roxana Kelton He died Apr. 25,

1862. (GS#3) She died June 6, 1864 (GS#3)

Ruth, b. Nov. 19, 1812.

m. Apr. 22, 1835 (CVR) Amasa Hall.

WHITE.

Samuel, Samuel White of Brookfield, Mass. bought on Feb. 23, 1791, of Jesse Slayton of Brookfield, lot #59 of the first division in the town of Calais. This was the original Phineas Slayton lot and is located at the place now called "Pekin".

Mr White's name is on the soldier's memorial at N. Calais as a Revolutionary soldier, as doubtless it should be, but to identify his service from the Massachusetts records is another story, owing to the great number bearing that name. One record shows a Samuel White as enlisting from Brookfield at the age of nineteen, in 1781 for a term of three years.

In 1790 Mr. White was living in Brookfield with a family consisting of one male over sixteen years of age, one male under sixteen, and four females. In 1800 he is listed in Calais with a large family (See table)

In 1811 there were four children of school age in his family.

Evidently Mr. White was one of the very early Calais pioneers, and lived near the place now called "Pekin" where he remained for quite a number of years, raising a large family, but the records of the town are silent concerning their names or what became of them.

The marriage records do show the marriage of Samuel White to Diadama Chapman Dec. 12, 1808, but whether this is a second marriage for the pioneer, of a Samuel Jr., or a totally unrelated person, has not been determined.

WILBUR.

Holden, (Lemuel, Meshack, Shadrack, Shadrack, Samuel) Born in Bridgewater, Mass., Feb. 22, 1762. (VR) Married July 5, 1781 in Bridgewater (VR) Ruth Tisdale of Taunton. He married 2nd. Mar. 15, 1804 (CVR) Polly Leonard, widow of Gilbert of Taunton, and daughter of Zephaniah Garey. In 1790 he was living in Bridgewater with a family of 1-1-3. He located in Calais as early as 1798, and on June 20, 1799 he purchased of Col. Davis the Rutter lot, or lot #6 of the 1st. division, where he established a homestead. His descendants are still living on a part of that farm. Jan. 1, 1810 he sold this place to Joshua Lilley of Calais after which he lived in Woodbury. In 1836 he went to Maine to visit his brothers Asa, Daniel, and Caleb, and died while away. The Woodbury vital records show his death as having occurred Nov. 5, 1836 at Augusta, Maine. He was grandjuryman in Calais in 1798.

Ch. per Wilbur Gen.
Caroline, b. July 1782.

m. May 5, 1799 (CVR) Levi Wright.

Reuben, b.

m. Mary Bruce and lived in Woodbury.

She died June 14, 1863 ae 64 (GS West Hill Cem, Cabot, Vt.)

Almon, b. abt. 1786.

d. 1814 ae 28.

Silence, b. July 7, 1791.

m. Dec. 6, 1810 (CVR) Abraham Hawkins.

He d. Mar. 13, 1875 (GS#8)

She d. Feb. 2, 1861 (GS#8)

Ch. by 2nd. wife.
Leonard, b.

m. Sophia Kenaston

Philantrophy, b.

m. Jan. 26, 1826 (Woodbury VR) Olive Kenaston.

Lived in Woodbury where they had several children.

Holden, b.

d. young.

Ruth, b. Feb. 9, 1810.

m. Aug. 28, 1828, Chase R. Pierce.

She died Mar. 5, 1857.

WILLIS.

Edmund, (Silas, Joshua, Comfort, John,) Born in Bridgewater, Mass., June 24, 1753 (VR) Marriage intentions recorded in Hardwick, Mass., Feb. 23, 1777 (VR) and in Oakham, Mass. the next day, to Mary Fuller of Oakham.

He was a private in Col. Ebenezer Learned's Regiment, enlisted in 1775 and served 3 mos., 4 days, also in Capt. Paige's Co., that marched to Bennington on alarm in Aug. 1777.

July 30, 1789, the family was recommended by the Hardwick church to the church in Woodstock, Vt., and in the census taken in 1791, is enumerated in Woodstock, as having one male over 16, and three females.

Said to have come to Calais about 1797, but no land records have been found that give the location of his homestead. He was elected tythingman in 1800.

Ch.

Sally, b. in Hardwick, Mass., Aug. 15, 1783 (VR) m. Apr. 15, 1804 (CVR) Bucklin Slayton. He died Jan. 1858 ae 74 (GS#5) She died Jan. 31, 1879 (GS#5)

Mary, (?) (no record found) m. Mar. 9, 1807 (CVR) Isaac Hawkins, son of Abraham.

WRIGHT.

Capt. Levi, (Ephraim) Born about 1773. Married 1st. (?). m. 2nd. May 5, 1799 (CVR) Caroline Wilbur, daughter of Holden. He died June 9, 1825 ae 52 (GS#4) She died Sept. 25, 1859 ae 77 (GS#4). Early deeds show that the Wrights came from West-hampton, Mass., and the 1790 census shows an Ephraim Wright living in Weathersfield, Vt., with a family of 1-2-5. Ephraim, the father, assisted his sons Levi and Preserved in procuring homesteads in Calais, and acquired lot #28, 1st. division, which was divided between them, Levi having the northerly part and Preserved the southerly part, but this trade was not made until Oct 5, 1801, previous to which it is supposed that Levi lived in lot #6 of the 3rd. division, as Tucker points out. and which was later the homestead of Noah Clark.

Levi Wright was elected lister in Calais in 1798 and treasurer in 1814. He was also clerk in school district #3 for many years.

The house built by Levi Wright is still standing and in use.

Ch.

Levi, b. abt. 1795.

d. Aug. 11, 1802 ae. 9 (GS#4)

Hannah, b. Dec. 1798.

d. Feb. 17, 1799 ae 2 mos. (GS#4)

Ruth, b.

m. Orlena Hoyt Oct. 20, 1842. He d. June 30, 1878.

Abigail, b. 1804.

May 6, 1871 (GS#4)

m. Sept. 14, 1845 (Mont. VR) Norman Rublee. She d.

Marian, b.

Unm.

Caroline, b. abt. 1812.

d. Jan. 12, 1885 ae. 73. (GS#4) Unm.

Prudence, b.

Lived in Massachusetts.

Levi S., b. Jan. 8, 1815.

Judge Shubael Wheeler of Calais.

m. Mar. 30, 1845 (Mont. VR) Emily Wheeler, daughter of
She died May 25, 1882 in Wisconsin.

Lucy, b. abt. 1820.

m. John Fair. d. May 9, 1851 ae 31.

COLLEGE BOND
YOUNG.

Duncan (ancestry unknown) Said to have been born in Scotland, and to have served in the Revolutionary War with the British army. In 1791, census records show him in Springfield, Vt., with a family of one male over 16, two males under 16, and two females.

Mar. 11, 1796 he bought of F. LeBarron for \$57, land in the westerly part of lot #58 of the 2nd. division, and this place is believed to have been his early home. July 6, 1797 he bought of Francis West of Montpelier, the southerly part of lot #60 of the 2nd. division, consideration \$300.00, but it is not thought that he ever lived here. He was elected fence viewer in 1796, and highway surveyor in 1797. He left town about 1802, going to Worcester and later to E. Montpelier, where his descendants are still living.

His name is on the soldier's memorial at N. Calais.

He was probably married twice, and one of his wives was a Taggart.

Ch. (Only one record found)

Daniel, b.

m. Salome Carpenter.

John, b.

m. Aug. 12, 1804 (CVR) Delilah Merritt.

She died Apr. 7, 1865 (Mont VR)

Caty, b.

m. Apr. 20, 1802 (CVR) Benjamin Andrews

They had three children born in Calais.

Polly, b. Oct. 17, 1793 (Mont. VR) m. Mar. 13, 1814 (Mont. VR) Peter Nelson.

He died Sept. 23, 1865 ae. 74-2- (GS#3) She died May 1, 1876 ae. 83 (GS#3)

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Miscellaneous.

MOSES BLANCHARD, son of James and Hannah, was born in Charlton, Apr. 15, 1770. m. int. in Charlton, Jan. 3, 1796 to Lucy Bacon. This marriage is recorded in Calais, Feb. 7, 1796, also the births of twelve children from 1796 to 1815. The gravestones for several children who died young are in cemetery #4. It appears that Mr. Blanchard did not locate in Calais until after the year 1800 and that when he made family record with the town clerk, he included children born before his settlement here. Tucker gives the location of his early homestead.

CALEB MITCHELL He is known to have been in Calais as early as 1798, but as he is not listed as head of a family in 1800, it is supposed that he had not established a homestead at that time. He later married Patience Bliss, and lived on lot #45, 2nd. div., or the place where Goddard Wheelock had previously lived and which Wheelock sold to Mitchell Mar. 31, 1800.

PRESERVED WRIGHT. Appears to be included in the census of 1800 in the family of his brother Levi. He owned the farm just south of his brother, and the house built by him is still standing and in use. He married Aug. 12, 1804, Nancy Wheeler.

AMASA TUCKER. Taxed as early as 1797, but was not married until Nov. 18, 1807, so is not included in the census of 1800 except as a member of his brother Jonathan's family. His early homestead was in lot #7, 2nd. division.

BACKUS PIERCE. Taxed in Calais previous to 1800, and appears to be included in the 1800 census in the family of his brother Noah. Backus was not married until 1808 when he married Lucy Goodenough. He first located on lot #8, 1st. division, and later exchanged this place with his brother Noah, which see.

The marriage of Nathaniel Fiske and Mehitable Bates, Dec. 1, 1796 is of record in Calais. Fiske genealogy places him in Northfield and Williamstown, Vt.

The census of 1800 discloses several adults whose identity is not easily explained. See families of Isaac Kendall, Joshua Lilley, Jason Marsh, and Gideon Wheelock.

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