BOOTH GENEALOGY

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In this genealogy it has been our design to follow the direct line of desent only, (except in the last five generrtions which are very nearly complete to date,) and no effort has been made to search for data on collateral lines. Possibly mistakes have been made in dates, for records could not be found in all instances, but of the correctness of the line from Robert Booth of Exeter, N. H. and Saco, Me., we are confident.

The Booth Genealogy.

Adam DeBoothes came over to England with William the Conquerer in 1066. His descendents were: —

William, m. Sybil Brereton.

Thomas, son and heir of William.

Robert, m. in the Barton family of Lancashire.

Thomas of Barton, Knight, m. dau. of Thomas de Workesly.

John, son and heir of Sir Thomas, was styled John of Barton ane bore as his paternal arms the ancient Booth device viz., three boar's heads; m. 1st. Joan, dau. of Sir Henry Trafford, 2nd., Maude, dau. of Sir Clifton Savage; had 19 children.

Robert, m. Dulcis, dau. of Sir William Venables, had 14 children; died in 1450.

Sir William, m. Maude, dau. of Joseph Dutton; had 14, children died in 1478.

Sir George, m. Catherine; dau. of Robert Montford. The Montfords were of noble connection, being related to David King of Scotland. Sir George died, leaving three sons and two daughters.

Sir William was twice married and had 10 children; died Nov. 19, 1519, and was buried at Bowden.

Sir George m. Elizabeth Butler; had 11 children; died in 1531, aged 40.

Sir George, born in 1515, died in 1544 was twice married and left 4 children.

Sir William was but three years old when his father died m. Elizabeth, dau. of Sir John Warburton; died in Sept. 1579; had 13 children.

George, born in 1557, was the first Lord Delamere, was committed to the Tower; tried for high treason and unanimously acquitted by a court of 27 Peers. He was made Privy Counseller, Chancellor of the Exchequer and was created Earl of Warrington. He had 17 children, one of whom was Richard (baptized, 1578, and died in 1628) the fifth son, from whom the first Booths of America are decended.

His three scns—Robert, Richard and John landed at New Haven, Conn., in 1639.

Richard settled in Stratford, Conn.; John in Southold, Long Island, while Robert went north.

Robert Booth first appears on a petition to the General Court in 1645 as a resident of Exeter N. H. but he was made a freeman as a citizen of Saco, Me. in July 1653 and was commisioned as a magistrate and authoriz d to preach in the absence of a minister in that town. He was a man of note in those days and was chosen town clerk of Saco for several years. He was also coroner, selectman in 1653 and was the first representative from Saco to the General Court in Boston from 1659-70. He had a tide mill on the Saco River and died in Saco in 1672, aged 68 yrs. He was twice married his last wife serviving him him and marrying Thomas Ladbrook of Portsmouth N. H.

CHILDREN.

Mary b. Sept. 30, 1627, m. Walter Penwell in 1647. Ellen b. Feb. 1634, m. Nicholas Bully in July 1652. Simcon b. May 10, 1641, d. in 1721. Martha b. Apr. 12, 1645, m. John Laiton, Oct. 2, 1663. Robert b. July 24, 1655.

Simeon (2) son of Robert (1) settled in Enfield Conn. as early as 1680, m. 1st. Rebecca dau. of Daniel Frost (b. 1640) in Jan. 1663, who d. in Dec. 1688, m. 2nd. Elizabeth Elmer of Hartford, Conn. in Dec. 1693, she d. in 1721.

CHILDREN.

William, b. in 1664, d. Aug. 1 1753. Zechariah b. in 1666, d. May 28 1741. Elizabeth, b. in 1668, m. Jonathan Pease, Oct. 11, 1693, d. in 1722. Mary, b. in 1670 m. Israel Meacham Dec. 10, 1700.

Sarah b. in 1695, m. Daniel Perry.

Pheba b. in 1697 was living unmarried at Hartford Conn. in 1721.

Simeon (2) received in 1680 3 grant of land, in Enfield where he died in 1721.

William (3) son of Simeon (2) m. Aug. 30, 1693, Hannah dau. of John Burroughs. Settled in Enfield Conn. where he died Aug. 7, 1753.

CHILDREN,

Caleb, b. Aug. 15, 1695. Joshua, b. May 16, 1697, d. Sept. 21, 1257-

Joshua (4) son of William' (3), m. Sept. 5 1722, Ruth Grant. Settled in East Windsor Conn.

CHILDREN.

Oliver, b. Dec. 29, 1725, d. Aug. 25, 1807.

Ruth, b. Sept. 20, 1728, was living unmarried at Colchester, Conn. in 1765.

William, b. Oct. 20, 1731. Probably setyled in Hillsboro, N.H. Jonathan.

Ambrose, d. 1n 1759.

Sibyl.

Hannah, m. Nov. 16, 1768, Samuel Pease of Enfield Conn. Sarah, b. 1743, d. Mch. 13, 1745.

Freegrace, b. 1747, d. Oct. 17, 1751.

Joshua (4) served in the Indian War as Surgeon's Mate dying in the corvice, Sept. 21, 1757.

Oliver (5) son of Joshua (4), m. 1st. Ruth about 1750 who d. 1801, aged 80 yrs. m. 2nd. in Apr. 1802, Widow Anna Way Oliver lived in Lebanon Conn. from 1760 to 1774. When with his family he removed to Lempster N. H. where he had already acquired a large tract of land in the then new town. Here he spent his remaining days, dying there Aug. 25, 1807, his five sons also lived and died there.

CHILDREN.

Ruth, b. 1752. Freegrace, b. 1754, d. Dec. 7, 1837. Epaphras, b. 1757, d. Feb. 13, 1852. Joshua, b. 1758, d. Dec. 17, 1816. Oliver, b. Sept. 6, 1761, d. in 1825. Susannah, b. Aug. 5, 1764, d. Feb. 5, 1816. Jonathan, b. May 24, 1767, d. young. Jonathan, b. June 4, 1769, d. June 24, 1839.

Ruth (6) dau. of Oliver (5) m. Apr. 23, 1769, Samuel Day and settled in Williamsburg, Mass.

CHILDREN.

Oliver, b. Mch. 17, 1770. Lucy, b. Mch. 9, 1772. Ruth, b. Mch. 3, 1774. Mahala, b. Mch. 12, 1776. Samuel, b. Mch. 8, 1778, d. Oct. 6, 1789. Elam, b. Mch. 15, 1780. Joshua, b. Mch. 1, 1782. Benoria, b. June 10, 1784. Clarrisa, b. Jan. 16, 1787. Nancy, b. Feb. 4, 1789.

Freegrace (6) son of Oliver (5) m. Parnal-CHILDREN.

Roswell, b. July 15, 1782, d. Jan. 11, 1854. Eliphalet b. Oct. 19, 1783.

Arvillia, b. Sept. 21, 1785, m. Throop Nichols, d. July 12, 1808.

Pheny, b. Jan. 16, 1788. Sabria, b. Nov.19, 1789, m. Nov. 23, 1809, Milton Bingham. Ruth, b. Sept. 11, 1791. Lendia, b. Jan. 17, 1794. Hosea, b. Sept. 17, 1796. Joshua, b. Mch. 7, 1800, d. July 27, 1846.

Roswell (7), son of Freegrace (6) m. Nov. 27, 1805, Matilda Hurd.

CHILDREN.

Solon, b. Oct. 14, 1807. Solon Alonzo, b. Apr. 19, 1812. Hosea, b. Mch. 11, 1822.

Eliphalet (7), son of Freegrace (6), m. 1st Nov. 22, 1807, Ruth Hurd, who d. Apr. 24, 1812, m. 2nd Aug. 6, 1815, Sarah Taplin.

CHILDREN.

Cyntha Day, b. Oct. 1808, d. Apr. 27, 1812. Albert Eliphlet, b. Sept. 14, 1810. Frederic, b. Jan. 29, 1817. James, b. May 27, 1819. George, b. Sept. 24, 1822. Ruth Maria, b. Sept. 12, 1824. Charles, b. Mch. 7, 1827, d. Sept. 24, 1899. Sarah, b. Nov. 30, 1829, d. Mch. 16, 1832. Epaphras (6), sor of Oliver (5), m. 1st June 1st 1780, Edy Roundy, she d. May 25, 1813, m. 2nd Elizabeth-CHILDREN. Roval, b. Apr. 9, 1781. Philena, b. Aug. 4, 1783. Clarinda, b. June 1, 1787, m. Mch. 11, 1824, Daniel Brooks. Collins, b. Feb. 14, 1790, d. Feb. 16, 1790. Nathan, b. Nov. 27, 1791.

William, b. Nov. 22, 1795, d. Nov. 25, 1795.

Lorra, b. Mch. 29, 1797.

Emerson, b. Jan. 26, 1815.

Nathan (7), son of Epaphras (6) m. 1st Dec. 30, 1813 Betsey L. Smith, she d. Jan. 16, 1824, m. 2nd Dec. 10, 1824, Esther Bradford.

CHILDREN.

Emily, b. Jan. 9, 1821 Sylvia, b. Jan. 2, 1826. Olive, b. Sept. 13, 1827. Sylvester, b. Oct. 14, 1830.

Oliver, Jr., (6), son of Oliver (5) m. Nov. 20, 1785, Mary Story.

CHILDREN.

Asaph, b. Mch. 10, 1786.

Enos, b. Jan. 1, 1789, m. Jan. 24, 1814, Mary Way.

Simeon, b. Feb. 13, 1790, m. Mch. 28, 1816, Lydia Hebard he d. Dec. 1872.

Eddatha, b. July 11, 1791.

Harma, b. May 1, 1793, d. 1891, m. Jan. 13, 1822 Elisha Lillie Jr.

Almira, b. Sept. 26, 1794.

Betsey, b. Mch. 20, 1796, d. Apr. 19, 1861, m. Horatio Lillie.

Marion, b. Dec. 11, 1799.

Emma, b. Dec. 9, 1801.

Susannah (6), dau. of Oliver (5), m. Jan. 15, 1790, John Way.

CHILDREN.

William, b. Dec. 5, 1790.
Olive, b. Aug. 12, 1792.
Phebe, b. July 14, 1794.
Leanord, b. June 29, 1796.
Betsey, b. June 29, 1798.
Lucinda, b. June 29, 1800.
Orpha, b. Dec. 19, 1803.
John, b. Dec. 3, 1805.

Jonathan (6), son of Oliver (5), m. Nov. 11, 1790, Dolly Scott.

CHILDREN.

Relief, b. Mch. 25, 1791. Statire, b. Sept. 21, 1792. Ansel, b. Feb. 6, 1794. William, b. Oct. 10, 1795. Orra, b. June 19, 1799. Hannah, b. Nov. 7, 1801. Dolly, b. Aug. 9, 1803. Mary Elvira, b. Nov. 14, 1808.

Joshua (6), son of Oliver (5), was in the American Revolution, enlisting in June 1777, in Capt. Uriah Wilcox's Co. Col. Bellow's Reg. He marched from Walpole, N. H. to reinforce the garrisan at l'icondiroga, N. Y. Was discharged Sept. 22, 1777. June 16, 1785, he married Mehitable Slader and settled in Lempster, N. H. He died there Dec. 17, 1816. She died June 15, 1844.

CHILDREN.

Alfred, b. Mch. 3, 1786, d. unmarried in 1871. Truman, b. Oct. 17, 1787. d. Apr. 6, 1853 Oliver, b. Aug. 14, 1790, d. May 7, 1876. Ellis, b. Aug. 5, 1792, d. Feb. 5, 1793. Mason, b. Oct. 9, 1794, d. Mch. 20, 1879.

Truman (7), son of Joshua (6), m. Sophia Spencer. Settled on his fathers farm in Lempster, where he died Apr. 6, 1853 He was succeeded on the farm by his daughter Emiline. She by her son Lucius who continued there until 1906 when the place was sold out of the family for the first time in 121 years.

CHILDREN.

Emiline, b. in 814, d. Feb. 17, 1879. Harriet, b. 1817, d. in 1869. Arvill2, b. 1823, d. Sept. 25, 1898. Almon, b. 1825. Oliver (7), son of Joshua (6), m. Mch. 14, 1812, Eunice Smith. Settled in Goshen, N. H.

CHILDREN.

Silas S., b. Nov. 14, 1814, d. Sept. 1st 1894.

Joshua W., b. Oct. 22, 1816, d. May 15, 1899.

Silas S. (8), son of Oliver (7), m. May, 4, 1842, Alice Gunnison.

CHILDREN.

George A., b. June 4, 1845, d. June 10, 1903. Effie M., b. Apr. 13, 1850. Etta E., b. Mch. 21, 1852.

Effie M. (9), dau of Silas S. (8), m. June 7, 1881, Geo. W. Nourse. Settled in Newport, N. H.

CHILDREN.

Alice Marjorie, b. Oct. 29, 1888, d. Sept. 13, 1889. Lawrence G., b. July 18, 1893.

George A. (9), son of Silas S. (8), m. Laura D. Aldrich, May 3nd 1876. He d. June 10, 1903.

CHILD.

Waldo Aldrich, b. Aug. 1877, d. May, 1878.

Joshua W. (8), son of Oliver (7), m. Nov. 16, 1843, Mary Gunnison.

CHILDREN.

Charles A., b. May 21, 1847.

Alice E. b. June 5, 1853, m. Oct. 1, 1878," George Woodbury. D. aug. 1, 1915,

James, b. Sept, 10, 1856, d. July 4, 1872.

Charles (9), son of Joshua (8), m. Nov. 10, 1870 Celestia Carr.

CHILDREN.

George Gardner, b. Oct. 14, 187 Harriet Florence, b. July 30, 1875 Robert Carr, b. May 11, 1879. James Wilmer, b, Dec. 25, 1883. Helen Marion. b. Jan. 27, 1892.

George Gardner (10), son of Charles (9), m. July 25, 1894, Bertha I. Barton.

CHILDREN.

Hazel Marion, b. Aug. 22, 1895. Violet Marjorie, b. May 6, 1900 d. May 8, 1900. George Armand, b. Nov. 4, 1902.

Harriet Florence (10), dau. of Charles (9), m. May 18, 1900, Albert J. Cook.

CHILDREN.

Florence Celestia, b. Dec. 78, 1901. Marjorie May, b. May 27, 1907.

Robert Carr (10), son of Charles (9), m. Dec. 10, 190. Alice B. Urquhart.

CHILD.

Danald Carr, b. May 19, 1905.

Mason (7) son of Joshua (6), m Aug. 26, 1819; Mary, dau of John and Betsey Cofren Currier, b. Oct. 4, 1800; d. Aug. 4, 1892; lived in Lempster, N. H. and vicinity, Bolton and Worcester, Mass., where he d. Mch. 20, 1879.

CHILDREN.

Samuel Slader, b. July 13, 1820; d. July 14, 1886.

Mary Wilder, b. April 15, 1822; d. Nov. 14, 1854.

Phidelia A., b. Jan. 5, 1825. *L. Sept. 17, 1913*. Sarah Jennette, b. Jan. 7, 1827; d. unmarried Feb. 4, 1903.

Nathaniel Carter, b. Dec. 8, 1829; d. Aug. 13, 1832. Ellen Francina, b. Sept. 28, 1836. Louis Carter, b. Sept. 17, 1839; d. in California in 1863. Mary Wilder (8), dau. of Mason (7), m. in 1842; Alba, B. Hosmer; settled in Worcester, Mass., he served in the Civil War and d. Apr. 1891.

CHILDREN.

Charles Franklin, b. in 1843; d. in 1875. Delia Anna, b. in 1846; d. in 1873. John Currier, b. 1848; d. in 1895. Maria Evelyn, b. in 1851. Sarah Jennette, b. in 1853; d. Mch. in 1900.

Charles Franklin (9), son of Mary Wilder (8), a young man of excellent character, found employment when a youth in the woolen mills at Enfield, N. H., and enlisted from there in 1861. He served through the Civil War without losing a day and, returning at the close of the war, resumed his former work. He remained at Enfield, N. H. until about 1871, when he accepted a position with the Northern Railroad and was killed by the cars in the fall of 1875, dying unmarried.

Maria Evelyn (9), dau. of Mary Wilder (8), m. Feb. 1874, Sabin L. Flagg; he d. Mch. 1887; m. 2nd Sept. 1891, Edward P. Bangs.

CHILDREN.

Mabel Louise, b. June 1875; d. Dec. 1898. Hattie Caroline, b. 1878.

Mabel Louise (10), dau. of Maria Evelyn (9), m. Nov. 1892, Clarence Mooney, he d. Jan. 1900.

CHILDREN.

Florence Mabel, b. Oct. 1893. Gertrude Lillian, b. Nov. 1895. Hattie Evelyn, b. July 1897.

Hattie Caroline (10), day. of Maria Evelyn (9), m. July 1897, Rufus Kerr.

CHILDREN.

Ruth Evelyn, b. April 1898. Marion Louise, b. July 1899; d. Oct. 1899. Emily May, b. Jan. 1903. Rufus Leroy, b. Feb. 1907.

Sarah Jennette (9), dau. of Mary Wilder (8), m. 1871 Edward E. Houghton.

CHILDREN.

Viola E., b. June 1872.

Albert E., b. Dec. 1873.

*Edna M., b. Oct. 1880.

Frank W., b. Sept. 1881; d. Nov. 1881.

Viola E. (10), dau. of Sarah Jennette (9), m. June 1895 Edgar I. Lowell; he d. Mch. 1908.

Albert E. (10), son of Sarah Jennette (9), m. Dec. 1903, Grace Wheelwright.

CHILD.

Mildred A., b. Aug. 1905.

Phidelia A. (8), dau. of Mason (7), m. Mch. 15th 1849, William Plummer Pierce, son of Samuel and Abigail Davis Pierce, b. in Hopkinton, N. H., Apr. 16, 1818. Lettled in South Boston, Mass. where he conducted a livery and boarding stable business until his death May 9th 1882.

CHILDREN.

Caroline Eustis, b. Jan. 20, 1852; d. Aug. 11, 1853. Caroline Eustis, b. July 27, 1855.

Caroline Eustis (9), dau. of Phidelia (8), m. Nov. 7th 1883, George T. Coolidge, he d. in May 1894.

CHILD.

Pierce Harvey, b. Nov. 1884.

Samuel Slader (8), son of Mason (7), settled in Norwich, Vt., about 1841, and engaged in the manufacture of ladies' fine shoes, later in the merchantile business; in 1850 went to California by the overland route in pursuit of gold but returned in 1851, owing to poor health in 1854 he engaged in the lumber business, which he followed until 1879, when he retired from active business life. He was a respected citizen of the town, taking an active interest in its affairs; m. Apr. 3, 1845, Mary A. St. Clair who was b. Dec. 12, 1824 and d. Apr. 5, 1903. He died in Norwich, Vt., July 14, 1886; she died in Malden, Mass. They are both buried in the family lot at Randolph, Vt.

CHILDREN.

Delia Ann, b. Feb. 3, 1847. Henry Slader, b. Aug. 31, 1848. Sarah Jennette, b. Aug. 4, 1850; d. Aug. 9, 1890. Charles Langdon, b. Aug. 4, 1855. John Mason, b. Jan. 1, 1857. William Louis, b. Jan. 27, 1858. Nellie Carrie, b. Feb. 6, 1860. Adah Eliza, b. Feb. 21, 1865.

Delia Ann (9), dau. of Samuel Slader (8), m. Mch. 12, 1872, Charles W. Bowers and settled in Natick, Mass.

CHILDREN.

James Newlin, b. Feb. 5. 1873. Orlando Carter, b. Aug. 9, 1874. Herrick Sanborn, b. Apr. 17, 1876 ; d. Oct. 30, 1895.

James Newlin (10), son of Delia Ann (9), served in the Ninth Mass. Regiment in the Spanish American War in Cuba. Afterwards enlisting into the regular army, he went to the Philippine Islands, where he has since lived, marrying in Manila, Mch. 11, 1908, Ethel May Wilkinson. Henry Slader (9), son of Samuel Slader (8), settled in Rand olph, Vt., in May 1872. entering into maufacturing and lumber business in 1875 and following it until 1906; m. Feb. 13, 1879, Elizabeth B. (Wells) Goss.

Sarah Jennette (9), dau. of Samuel Slader (8), m. Apr. 11, 1866, Henry L. Wills; he d. Mch. 30, 1903, she d. Aug. 9. 1890, they are buried at Randolph Center, Vt.

CHILDREN.

Lillian S., b. Sept. 24, 1868.

Susie M., b. Oct. 24, 1870.

Edward L., b. Feb. 14, 1874.

Frank H., b. Mch. 25, 1876; d. Feb. 16, 1878.

Earl P., b. Apr. 22, 1878; d. Feb. 7, 1885.

Harry B., b. July 29, 1890; d. Dec. 1890

Lillian S. (10), dau. of Sarah Jennette (9), m. Mch. 29, 1886, George Lane.

Susie M. (10), dau. of Sarah Jennette (9), m. Dec. 25, 1890, Horace Lane.

Edward L. (10), son of Sarah Jennette (9), m. Mch. 14, 1899, Harriet Nellie Mason.

CHILD.

Mary Lillian, b. Jan. 14, 1900.

Charles Langdon (9), son of Samuel Slader (8), m. Dec. 31, 1877, Nora Chamberlin; settled in Bridgewater, Vt.

CHILDREN.

Harold C., b. Aug. 26, 1881 ; m. Aug. 19, 1903, Marion, L. Baker.

Nellie E., b. Oct. 26, 1893.

John Mason (6), son of Samuel Slader (8), m. Etta McFarland.

CHILD.

Bessie, b. Jan. 23, 1880.

William Louis (\$), son of Samuel Slader (8), m. Feb. 7, 1889, Lizzie McClellen, she d. Dec. 25, 1894.

CHILD.

Eva W., b. Sept. 6, 1890.

Nellie Carrie (9), dau. of Samuel Slader (8), m. Dec. 28, 1886, Harvey L. Boutwell; settled in Malden, Mass.

CHILDREN.

Robert Dewey b. Jan. 4, 1888; d. Aug. 28, 1905. Louis E., b. Feb. 15, 1892.

Robert Dewey Boutwell, a youth of unusual promise and in the dawn of early manhood, gave his life in his heroic efforts to save guests of Lake Moranacook Hotel at the fatal fire of Aug. 26, 1905.

Adah Eliza (9), dau. of Samuel Slader (8), m. May 15, 1888, Dr. Frank E. Allard; settled in Boston, Mass.

CHILD.

Beatrice, b. Dec. 10, 1893.