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From the President

Through the magic of autosomal DNA testing, I have found two new close family members. Or I should say “they found me”! I discovered I have a half-sister and a niece. Both adopted at birth, they matched each other’s DNA on Ancestry. And then they were able to track my brother and I down.

I knew of the niece, the product of a relationship my late brother had at a very, very young age. I lost my brother in 2014 and my father last year. After that loss, adding two family members was quite a pleasant surprise.

My “new niece” has two boys of her own and the fact that my brother had grandchildren is a little “mind blowing” to me. Seeing photos of them and my niece’s similarities to my brother is bittersweet. I only wish my brother had survived long enough to meet both his daughter and his grandchildren.

My new “big sister” is retired and living in Florida. We now exchange texts often and I look forward to meeting her in person in the future.

Because of Gratia Mahony’s work on my family line, I was able to quickly share our family tree with both my niece and my half-sister. Being able to share “where we came from” with my newfound relatives who had for decades wondered “where they came from” was extremely gratifying. My thanks to both Gratia and this organization for enabling this.

Sincerely,
Jeffrey M. Dunham
President
Dunham Genealogy Research Assn.

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Editor's Corner

Dunham Genealogy Research Association is still looking for a new Editor for our quarterly Newsletter along with helpers to share their family stories and those who have found Dunham landmarks and other Dunham related locations.

The July issue of the DGRA Newsletter only took a few hours to put together and the Newsletter Staff hopes that you like the presentation in this issue that includes the Dunham Park, a 12 Generation Dunham Family and along with the 3rd part of the Descendants of John ⁵ Donham and Mary Thomas.

Jeff Dunham also provided the Presidents message and James updated the "What's New on the Dunham website"

Please let us know if you have a story that needs to be published and DGRA Newsletter staff will help you put it together and get it published.

If you know of an area of Dunham Genealogy that you would like to see discussed in a future Newsletter please let us know.

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A Dunham Landmark

Harry Dunham Park in Bernard's Township, New Jersey

By Gratia Dunham Mahony

My summer visit to see my daughter in New Jersey this year produced another visit to a Dunham site. The Harry Dunham Park at 490 Somerville Road and Liberty Corner Road in Basking Ridge (Bernard's Township) New Jersey is an attractive and well used community park. The park is named to honor Harry Melville Dunham who served on the Planning Board for more than twenty years.

Harry Melville Dunham was born in Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts on 8 March 1920. He was the son of Col. Arthur Andrew and Mary Ellen (Wright) Dunham. He and his wife, Margot Wally Zimmermann, and their two daughters moved to Basking Ridge about 1955. Harry served the town as Chairman of the Planning Board for ten years during the building boom in the 1980s.

The park serves the community with an indoor pavilion, an outdoor hockey rink, running paths, baseball fields and a children's playground. At the dedication of the park, it was stated "This is truly a lasting tribute to Harry Dunham. It is a realization of a dream come true. He was truly committed to open space, and here we are preserving open space."



The ancestral line of Harry Melville Dunham will be given in the following article.

Harry Melville Dunham (1920-1990)

Twelve Generation Descendant of Deacon John Dunham

By Gratia Dunham Mahony

The man honored in the “Dunham Landmark” article in this issue was Harry Melville Dunham born in Springfield, Hampden County, MA; who died in Basking Ridge, Somerset County, NJ 15 June 1990.

The first five generations of this line are given in detail on the Dunham web site www.dunham-singletary.org under the line of Dunham Families in America, line of John Dunham of Plymouth.

Briefly that line is:

Generation One

John¹ Dunham and Abigail Balliou

Generation Two

Joseph² Dunham and Mercy Morton

Generation Three

Nathaniel³ Dunham and Mary Tilson

Generation Four

Ichabod⁴ Dunham and Mary Crediford

Generation Five

Jeremiah⁵ Dunham and Anna Frost

Jeremiah⁵ Dunham (Ichabod⁴ Nathaniel³ Joseph² John¹) born before 21 January 1727/8 when his parents Ichabod and Mary Dunnam were received to full communion by the Church at Wells, Maine. The record states “also Jeremiah, son of Ichabod and Mary Dunnam.” He married in Wells 4 Feb. 1748/49 **Anna Frost**.

Children of **Jeremiah⁵ Dunham** and **Anna Frost**:

- + i. John⁶ Dunham b. about 1752 in Wells, Maine
- ii. Susannah⁶ Dunham b. 25 March 1755 in Wells, Maine Ref. VR Wells, ME 1737-1841 p. 210

Child of **Jeremiah⁵ Dunham** and **Unknown**:

- ii. Joseph⁶ Dunham b. about 1756-7, m. 29 November 1775 in Wells, ME
Hephzibah Whitney

Ref. for m. NEHGR 115:219, VR of Wells, ME

Children of Joseph ⁶ and Hephzibah (Whitney) Dunham b. in York, ME:

- i. Joseph ⁷ Dunham b. 31 Jan. 1777
- ii. Jeremieh 2nd Dunham b. 29 June 1778
- iii. Hephzibah ⁶ Dunham b. 24 July 1780
- iv. John ⁶ Dunham b. 21 October 1782

Ref. for ch. NEHGR Vol. 112:307

Generation Six

John ⁶ Dunham (Jeremiah ⁵ Ichabod ⁴ Nathaniel ³ Joseph ² John ¹) b. in Wells, ME abt. 1752; d. 26 Nov. 1827 Brunswick, Cumberland County, Maine; m. 21 Aug. 1775 North Yarmouth, Cumberland County, Maine **Lois Woodbury** (1754-1833).

Ref. VR of North Yarmouth, ME

Children of **John ⁶ Dunham** and **Lois Woodbury**:

- + i. Johnson ⁷ Dunham b. 28 March 1776
- ii. Caleb ⁷ Dunham b. say 1778
- iii. Jeremiah ⁷ Dunham b. say 1780
- iv. Rufus ⁷ Dunham b. say 1790; d. 1816
 and prob. 5 unnamed daughters who appear on census records

Generation Seven

Johnson ⁷ Dunham (John ⁶ Jeremiah ⁵ Ichabod ⁴ Nathaniel ³ Joseph ² John ¹) b. in Brunswick, Cumberland County, Maine 28 March 1776; d. in Bath, Sagadahoc County, Maine 5 Jan. 1860; m. in Brunswick 23 April 1797, **Hannah Moss**, dau. of Anthony Moss and Susanna Elliots. Hannah was b. in Brunswick, 21 Nov. 1780; d. in Bath, Sagadahoc County, Maine 3 Mar. 1854.

From War of 1812 historical record: Capt. P. O. Alden's Co. Maj. D. Holden's Battalion of Artillery:

Service 20 June – 22 June and Sept. 10 p Sept. 29, 1814; Company raised at Brunswick; Service at Bath, ME. Johnson Dunham, Sergeant.

Children of **Johnson ⁷ Dunham** and **Hannah Moss**:

- i. David B. ⁸ Dunham b. 24 June, 1797; d. in Freeport, 3 Feb. 1836
- ii. Susanna E. ⁸ Dunham, b. 23 Aug. 1799; d. 6 Dec. 1840
- iii. James M. ⁸ Dunham, b. 15 June 1801; d. 27 Dec. 1857
- iv. Hannah M. ⁸ Dunham, b. 25 July 1803, d. 1876
- v. Eliza R. ⁸ Dunham, b. 21 April 1806
- vi. Abner M. ⁸ Dunham, b. 2 Feb. 1808; d. 1877
- vii. Dorothy E. ⁸ Dunham, b. Brunswick, 27 Mar. 1810; d. Brockton, Plymouth County, MA, 27 Aug. 1902; m. 8 Feb. 1831, Greenleaf H. Woodman
- viii. Dorcas A. ⁸ Dunham, b. Freeport, 4 Jun 1812; d. Brunswick, ME, 1874; m. Harvey McManus
- ix. Elliot M. ⁸ Dunham, b. 17 June 1814
- x. Thomas ⁸ Dunham, b. 15 Sept. 1816; d. 25 Dec. 1832
- xi. Rebecca R. ⁸ Dunham, b. 4 March 1821; d. 10 Dec. 1848
- xii. Daniel J. ⁸ Dunham, b. 3 July 1823; d. 1863

Robert Roy, a descendant of Dorothy E. ⁸ Dunham, has worked hard on this Dunham line and has supplied the children of Johnson ⁷ Dunham and Hannah Moss.

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1820 Res. Brunswick, Cumberland Co. ME
1840 Res. Brunswick, Cumberland Co. ME
1850 Res. Bath, Lincoln Co. ME
1860 Res. Bath, Lincoln Co. ME

The 1850 Census of Bath, Lincoln Co. ME:

Johnson Dunham 74
Hannah Dunham 69
Daniel J. Dunham 27
Emily Dunham 29 (wife of Daniel J.)
Winfield S. Dunham 2 (son of Daniel and Emily)
Helen M. Dunham 0 (dau. of Daniel and Emily)
Mary E. Montford 23

The 1860 Census of Bath, now in Sagadahoc Co. ME

Danl. J. Dunham 38
Rhoda D. Dunham 41 (prob. second wife of Daniel J. Dunham)
Winfield Scott Dunham 11

Emely V. Dunham	4
Sarah McMannus	43
Johnson Dunham	84

Generation Eight

David B. ⁸ Dunham (Johnson ⁷ John ⁶ Jeremiah ⁵ Ichabod ⁴ Nathaniel ³ Joseph ² John ¹) b. in Freeport, Cumberland County, Maine 24 June 1797; d. in Freeport 3 Feb. 1836. He married **Mary McManus**.

Children of **David B. ⁸ Dunham** and **Mary McManus**:

- i. William T. Dunham b. 1818
- ii. Sarah Dunham b. 1820
- iii. Martha Dunham b. 1823
- + iv. Andrew Elliot Dunham 6 Nov. 1825 in Hallowell, Kennebec Co. ME
- v. James J. Dunham b. 1827
- vi. Hannah M. Dunham b. 23 Nov. 1831
- vii. Thomas P. Dunham b. 1834

Generation Nine

Andrew Elliot Dunham (David B. ⁸ Johnson ⁷ John ⁶ Jeremiah ⁵ Ichabod ⁴ Nathaniel ³ Joseph ² John ¹) b. 8 Nov. 1827 (or 6 Nov. 1825) Hallowell, Kennebec Co. ME; d. 14 March 1916 Brockton, MA. Andrew Elliot m. **Amanda M. Hawes** 16 April 1849 in Bath, Sagadahoc Co. ME.

From the 1855 State Census of Rochester, Plymouth Co. MA:

Andrew Dunham, Jr.	26
Dinah	26
Harry L. Dunham	7
Andrew Dunham	76 (so b. 1827)

Generation Ten

Harry Elijah ¹⁰ Dunham (Andrew Elliot ⁹ David B. ⁸ Johnson ⁷ John ⁶ Jeremiah ⁵ Ichabod ⁴ Nathaniel ³ Joseph ² John ¹) b. Hallowell, Kennebec Co. ME, 11 July 1859; d. Revere, Suffolk, MA, 3 Jan. 1931. He married **Adelaide Truesdale Melville**.

Generation Eleven

Arthur Andrew¹¹ Dunham (Harry Elijah¹⁰ Andrew Elliot⁹ David B.⁸ Johnson⁷ John⁶ Jeremiah⁵ Ichabod⁴ Nathaniel³ Joseph² John¹) b. Portland, Cumberland Co. ME, 21 Sept. 1889; d. Hartford, Hartford Co. CT, 4 Feb. 1963. He married **Mary Ellen Wright** b. in Connecticut, Oct. 1896; d. Hartford, 18 June 1969.

Generation Twelve

Harry Melville¹² Dunham (Arthur Andrew¹¹ Harry Elijah¹⁰ Andrew Elliot⁹ David B.⁸ Johnson⁷ John⁶ Jeremiah⁵ Ichabod⁴ Nathaniel³ Joseph² John¹) b. Springfield, Hampden, MA, 8 Mar 1920; d. Basking Ridge, Somerset Co. NJ, 15 June 1990. He married **Margot Wally Zimmermann** (1921-1995).

Descendants of John⁵ Donham and Mary Thomas

By James A. Streeter

This article continues the line of Descendants of Deacon John Dunham of Plymouth, Massachusetts from the 5th Generation. The pedigree for the 1st to 5th generations can be found online in the Dunham Families In America Collection, Dunham Genealogy Research Association website at: [DFIA - Dunham-Singletary Family Connections](#) by following the line for **John⁵ Donham** (Ebenezer⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹). Generations 5 and 6 can be found in the January 2023 issue of the DGRA Newsletter. Part 1 of the Seventh Generation was published in the April 2023 Issue.

Seventh Generation in America, Part 2

Children of **James Thomas⁶ Donham** and **Cynthia Packard**:

321.9.1. Zilphia⁷ Donham (James⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹), b. Hebron, Oxford, ME, 10 Sep 1801;^[1] d. 24 Dec 1853;^[2] m. Hebron, 14 Dec 1828, **Hosea Bicknell**,^[3] son of Noah Bicknell and Rebecca Carman.^[4] He was b. Hebron, 8 May 1803; d. Lynn, Essex, MA, 3 Aug 1875.^[5] Zilphia was bur. in North Auburn Cemetery, Auburn, Androscoggin, ME.^[6] Hosea was a Carriage Maker and was bur. in Pine Grove Cemetery, Lynn, Essex, MA.^[7]

Children of **Zilphia⁷ Donham** and **Hosea Bicknell**:

- i. Edwin Bicknell, b. Turner, 12 Sep 1829^[8] d. Lynn, 19 Mar 1877; not married.^[9] He was bur. in Pine Grove Cemetery, Lynn.^[10]
- ii. Male Bicknell, b. Hebron, 16 Dec 1831; d. Hebron, 16 Dec 1831.^[11]
- iii. Clara Bicknell, b. Turner, 24 Nov 1835;^[12] Iv. Lynn, 26 Apr 1910;^[13] m. Turner, 14 Jan 1854, George E Walker,^[14] son of Christopher O Walker and Adeline Torrey.^[15] He was b. in Jay, Franklin, ME, 31 Oct 1832,^[16] d. Lynn, 9 Dec 1912.^[17] Clara and George had 2 Children.^[18]
- iv. William Wallace Bicknell b. Turner, 1 Sep 1837;^[19] d. Turner, 16 Sep 1865.^[20] He was bur. in North Auburn Cemetery.^[21]

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321.9.3. James Thomas⁷ Dunham Jr. (James ⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer ⁴, Samuel ³, Samuel ², John ¹), b. Hebron, 22 Jun 1805;^[1] d. Bangor, Penobscot, ME, 8 Nov 1888;^[2] m. 1829, **Sarah "Sally" Houghton**, dau. of Moses Houghton and Martha Haskell.^[3] She was b. in Norway, Oxford, ME, 1 Mar 1815;^[4] d. Paris, Oxford, ME, 4 Dec 1853.^[5] Both James and Sally were buried in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.^[6,7] James m. 2nd after 1853, Mary Unknown.^[8]

Children of **James Thomas⁷ Dunham Jr.** and **Sarah Houghton**:

321.9.3.1. Octavius Hiram⁸ Dunham, b. Paris, Oxford, ME, 28 Oct 1831; d. Gorham, Coos, NH, 30 Sep 1870. M. Electa Smith, dau. of Aaron J Smith and Lucinda C Cole. She was b. in Stark, Coos, NH, 30 Oct 1841; d. Gorham, 21 Sep 1870. Octavius and Electa d. 9 days apart and were bur. in Percy Cemetery, Stark, Coos, NH.^[9,10]

321.9.3.2. Florilla⁸ Dunham, b. North Paris, Oxford, ME, 29 Aug 1832;^[11] d. Paris, 21 Feb 1917;^[12] m. North Paris, 10 Aug 1850, Asa Freeman Ellingwood, son of John Wesley

Ellingwood and Rachael Barrows.^[13] He was b. in Milan, Coos, NH, 4 Apr 1830;^[14] d. North Paris, 12 Mar 1921.^[15] Florilla and Asa had 10 Children and were bur. in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.^[16,17]

321.9.3.3. Sarah Houghton⁸ Dunham, b. prob. North Paris, 10 Feb 1834;^[18] d. prob. North Paris, 2 Sep 1863;^[19] m. bef. 1853, **Joseph Henry⁸ Dunham** (Sylvanus,⁷ ASA,⁶ Sylvanus,⁵ Israel,⁴ Eleazar,³ Joseph,² John¹),^[20] son of Sylvanus Dunham and Esther Benson.^[21] He was b. West Paris, 8 Mar 1830; d. West Paris, 14 Oct 1913.^[22] He m. 2nd 1865, Martha Jane Dunham,^[23] dau. of **321.9.3. James Thomas⁷ Donham Jr.** and **Sarah Houghton**, and sister of Sarah Houghton⁸ Dunham.^[24] See her profile 321.9.3.vi. for her information. Sarah and Joseph had 5 children^[25] and were bur. in North Paris Cemetery, North Paris.^[26,27]

321.9.3.4. Mary Ann⁸ “Annie” Dunham, b. Paris, 22 Nov 1836;^[28] d. Dexter, Penobscot, ME, 14 Oct 1881;^[29] m. 1st bef. 1855, **Isaac James Jaques**,^[30] He was b. in Cambridge, Middlesex, MA, 1817;^[31] d. prob. MA, 28 Jan 1869.^[32] Mary and Isaac had 4 children.^[33] Isaac was a Private in the Civil War and served twice. Enlisted 1st 25 Aug 1862, mustered 19 Sep 1862, mustered out 1 Sep 1863. He was later mustered on 4 Mar 1864 in Co. G, 2nd Regiment, 59th Infantry and was wounded 12 May 1864. He was mustered out 26 May 1865 due to wounds.^[34] Both Mary and Isaac were bur. in Mount Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge.^[35,36] Mary m. 2nd **Abiezer York** bef. 1880.^[37] He was b. Maine, abt. 1830. Abiezer had been m. prior to Alice Unknown and they had 3 children.^[38]

321.9.3.5. John Perry⁸ Dunham, b. North Paris, Sep 1837;^[39] d. Portland, Cumberland, ME, 15 Apr 1906;^[40] m. Woodstock, Oxford, ME, 25 Jan 1862, **Marietta “Mary” Shaw Hazeltine**,^[41] she was the dau. of Ansel Shaw and Deborah Clark.^[42] She was b. 26 Aug 1834; and d. 1920.^[43] She had m. 1st in Dexter, ME, 3 Jul 1851 Daniel Campbell Hezeltine^[44] and they had 2 children.^[45] John and Mary had 2 children together^[46] and they were bur. in Forest City Cemetery, South Portland, Cumberland, ME.^[47, 48]

John enlisted during the Civil War in Gorham, Coos, NH, 17 Sep 1864 and mustered into the US Army on 29 Sep 1862 and as a Private and had a rank change to ‘Artificer’, 10 Apr 1865. His muster out date was 15 Jun 1865 in Washington, District of Columbia.^[49] He was employed as a Carpenter from 1860 to 1900.^[50]

321.9.3.6. Franklin Q.⁸ Dunham, b. in Maine, abt. 1840;^[51] d. in Greenwood, Oxford, ME., 1 Jun 1864, while in the US Service.^[52] Probate executor was his father.^[53]

321.9.3.7. Martha Jane⁸ Dunham, b. prob. Paris, 2 Jun 1846; d. West Paris, 13 Aug 1926; m. in 1865, **Joseph Henry⁸ Dunham**.^[55] He had m. 1st **321.9.3.3. Sarah Houghton⁸ Dunham**, sister of Martha. Martha and Joseph had 1 Unknown child.^[56] Martha was bur. in North Paris Cemetery, West Paris, Oxford, ME.^[57]

321.9.3.8. Charles K.⁸ Dunham, b. in Etna, Penobscot, ME, 1847; .^[58] d. at Fort Sumner, Bethesda, Montgomery, MD, 25 Feb 1864, due to Acute Tuberculosis.^[59] He was bur. in North Carmel Cemetery, Penobscot Co., ME.^[60] He enlisted in Co. H., 1st ME Heavy Artillery, U.S. Army during the Civil War.^[61]

321.9.3.9. George H.⁸ Dunham, b. North Paris, Oxford, ME, 27 Apr 1851; d. West Paris, 25 Sep 1919; [62] m. 1st in Gorham, Coos, NH, 23 Dec 1871, **Fidelia “Adella” Stearns**, dau. of Benjamin F Stearns and Julia Andrews.[63] She was b. in Hanover, Oxford, ME, 23

Jan 1849;[64] d. West Paris, 29 Apr 1873.[65] They had 1 son.[66] m.2nd in Oakland, Kennebec, ME, 15 Apr 1878, **Elsie J Messer**, dau. of Nelson Messer and Frances A. Hallett. She was b. in Oakland, Kennebec, ME, 17 Apr 1853; d. Biddeford, York, ME, 23 Apr 1917; they had no children.[67] George, Fidelia and Elsie were bur. in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.[68,69,70]

321.9.3.10. Augusta M.⁸ Dunham, b. Paris, Oxford, Maine, 10 Jul 1853; d. Bangor, Penobscot, ME, 19 Sep 1901;[71] m. in 1877, **George D. Steward**, son of Daniel Stewart and Betsey L. Dexter. He was b. in North Newport, Penobscot, ME, 30 Dec 1848; d. Northwood, Rockingham, NH, 31 Jan 1920.[73] George m. 1st in 1868, Millis J Burrill (1846-1872),[74] and had 2 sons.[75] He m. 3rd in Bangor, Penobscot, ME, 9 Jun 1903, Clara E Burrill (1848-1923).[76, 77] Augusta, Millis, George, and Clara were bur. in Mount Hope Cemetery, Bangor.[78, 79, 80, 81]

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321.9.4. Harvey T.⁷ Donham (James⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹), b. Hebron, Oxford, ME, 21 Jun 1807;^[1] d; Hebron, 16 May 1881;^[2] m. Turner, 12 May 1844, **Sophia Whitney Gammon**,^[3] dau. of Moses Gammon Jr. and Abigail Gross.^[4] She was b. Norway, Oxford, ME, 12 Jun 1814;^[5] d. Norway, 5 Jun 1898.^[6] Both Harvey and Sophia were bur. in Hebron Center/Maple Ridge Cemetery, Hebron.^[7,8]

Children of **Harvey T.⁷ Donham** and **Sophia Whitney Gammon**;

321.9.4.1. Sarah Jane⁸ Dunham, b. Hebron, Oxford, ME, 22 Mar 1845;^[9] d. Norway, Oxford, ME, 17 Jun 1922;^[10] m. in Auburn, Androscoggin, ME, 6 Sep 1868, **William D Bisbee**;^[11] son of Stephen Bisbee and Velzora Russell.^[12] He was b. in Maine, 15 Nov 1842; d. Maine, 28 Jan 1933.^[13] Sarah and William did not have children^[14] and were bur. in Hebron Center/Maple Ridge Cemetery, Hebron.^[15, 16]

321.9.4.2. Frances Maria⁸ Dunham, b. Maine, 24 Dec 1846;^[17] d. Paris, Oxford, ME, 31 Jan 1921;^[18] m. Hebron, 4 Nov 1863, **Nathan J Maxim 4th**,^[19] son of Nathan J Maxim 3rd and Arvilla Turner. He was b. in Buckfield, Oxford, ME, 25 May 1837; d. Paris, Oxford, 23 Aug 1917.^[20] Frances and Nathan had 10 children^[21] and were bur. in Buckfield Village Cemetery, Buckfield, Oxford, ME.^[22, 23]

321.9.4.3. Mary Louisa⁸ Donham, b. in Hebron, 18 Nov 1848;^[24] d. in Hopkinton, Middlesex, MA, 1940;^[25] m. in Hebron, 13 Mar 1869, **Edwin Percival Gurney**;^[26] son of Jacob Gurney Jr. and Sarah Ripley Stevens.^[27] He was b. in Hebron, 30 Jan 1842;^[28,29] d. in Hopkinton, Middlesex, MA, 13 Apr 1912.^[30] Mary Louisa and Edwin had 1 dau.^[31] Edwin enlisted as a Private in Danville, Maine, 1 Aug 1862 and was mustered 18 Aug 1862 into Co. C, 17th Regiment, Maine Infantry. He was mustered out from a Hospital in Washington, D. C., 26 Nov 1862 as he lost sight in his left eye due to an injury.^[32,33,34]

321.9.4.4. Lorenzo H⁸ Dunham, b. in Hebron, 24 Aug 1851;^[35] d. Hebron, 16 Jul 1871.^[36] He was not married and was bur. in Maple Ridge Cemetery, Hebron.^[37]

321.9.4.5. George William⁸ Dunham, b. Hebron, 4 Jul 1853; d. Turner, Androscoggin, ME, 24 Oct 1942;^[38] m. Turner, 9 Dec 1877, Vilera "Lera" Jennett Bray,^[39] dau. of Stephen Bray and Lois Unknown Bray.^[40] She was b. in 1856; d. in 1928.^[40] George and Lera had 4 children together^[41] and both were bur. in Turner Village Cemetery, Turner.^[42, 43]

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321.9.5. Cynthia⁷ #2 Donham (James⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹), b. Hebron, Oxford, ME, 26 Jul 1809;^[1] d. West Minot, Androscoggin, ME, 22 Mar 1885;^[2] m. Hebron, 14 Mar 1830, **Solomon DeCoster**,^[3] son of Jacob Decoster and Susanna Morse.^[4] He was b. in Hebron, 17 Jan 1806;^[5] d. West Minot, 2 Sep 1889.^[6] Cynthia and Solomon had 6 children^[7] and were bur. in Riverside Cemetery, West Minot, Androscoggin, ME.^[8,9]

Children of Cynthia⁷ #2 Donham and Solomon Decoster:

- 321.9.5.1.** Solomon Thurston Decoster, b. Maine, 17 May 1830
- 321.9.5.2.** Alvarado F. Decoster, b. Maine, 16 Dec 1831
- 321.9.5.3.** Marcena Decoster, b. 18 May 1834
- 321.9.5.4.** Rose S. Decoster, b. Minot, Androscoggin, ME, 30 Mar 1840
v. Cynthia P. Decoster, b. Minot, 1849; d. Minot, 16 Jul 1873, bur. Riverside Cemetery, West Minot.^[10, 11]
- 321.9.5.6.** James L. Decoster, b. Minot, Mar 1854

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321.9.6. Louisa⁷ Donham (James⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹), b. Hebron, 16 Jun 1811;^[1] d. in Auburn, Androscoggin, ME, 1856;^[2] m. in Hebron, 26 Oct 1834, **Marcus Virgil Davee**,^[3] son of Simeon Davee and Susannah Pratt.^[4] He was b. in Hebron, 22 Mar 1809;^[5] d. in Hebron, 11 Aug 1843.^[6] Louisa m. 2nd in Auburn, 7 Jul 1850, **Daniel Noyes Knowlton**, son of Joshua Knowlton and Nancy Noyes. He was b. in Minot, Androscoggin, ME, 11 Aug 1812; d. Auburn, 4 Dec 1874. Daniel m. 2nd in Auburn, 9 May 1863, Zylia Bacon.^[7] Marcus was bur. in Davee Cemetery, Hebron.^[8] Louisa and Marcus had no children and were bur. in Mount Auburn Cemetery, Auburn, Androscoggin, ME.^[9, 10]

Children of Louisa⁷ Donham and Marcus Virgil Davee:

- i. Mary Helen Davee, b. Hebron, Oxford, ME, 4 Aug 1835; d. Auburn, 30 Oct 1874; m. Justin Crafts, b. Hebron, 2 Apr 1823; d. Monson, Piscataquis, ME, 19 Jun 1903. They had 2 children and were bur. in Brookvale Cemetery, Auburn.^[11, 12]
- ii. Henry C. Davee-Weston, b. Hebron, 10 Dec 1837;^[13] d. Brunswick, Cumberland, ME, 4 Dec 1905;^[14] m. bef. 1861,^[15] Dorcas S Chamberlain-Weston, dau. of Sewall L. Chamberlain and Charlotte Webber. She was b. in Auburn, 28 Feb 1839; d. Auburn, 2 Oct 1893.^[16] They had 1 dau.^[17] and were bur. in Mount Auburn Cemetery, Auburn.^[18, 19]

Note: The Surname change appears to have taken place when they married, but before 24 Jun 1861 when he enlisted in the Union Army during the Civil War.^[20]
- iii. Marcus Virgil Davee Jr., b. Hebron, 22 Jul 1839; d. Auburn, 7 May 1885;^[21]
- iv. Augusta Davee, b. Hebron, 12 Sep 1841; d. unk.^[22]

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321.9.8. Lysander⁷ Donham (James⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹), b. Hebron, Oxford, ME, 29 Jun 1815;^[1] d. Minot, Androscoggin, ME, 19 Dec 1896;^[2] m. 1st in Turner, Androscoggin, Me, 13 Jan 1844, **Eunice Turner**,^[3] dau. of Stephen and Abigail Turner.^[4] She was b. 15 Oct 1814;^[5] d. Hebron, 27 Feb 1850.^[6] Lysander and Eunice had 1 child.^[7] Lysander m. 2nd in Hebron, 17 Sep 1850, **Ellen Maria Faunce**,^[8] dau. of Benjamin Faunce and Nancy Adams Washburn.^[9] She was b. in Paris, Oxford, ME, 27 Dec 1821;^[10] d. in Minot, 30 May 1902.^[11] Lysander and Ellen had 2 children^[12] and were bur. in Riverside Cemetery, West Minot, Androscoggin.^[13, 14]

Children of **Lysander⁷ Donham** and **Eunice Turner**:

321.9.8.1. Ronello⁸ Dunham, b. Jun 1845;^[15] d. aft, 6 May 1910;^[16] m. (prob. Turner), Jun 1870, **Lydia Louisa Jones**,^[17] dau. of Henry Jones and Rosella Richardson.^[18] She was b. in Turner, 13 Jun 1845;^[19] d. Turner, 7 Oct 1905.^[20]

Children of **Lysander⁷ Donham** and **Ellen Maria Faunce**:

321.9.8.2. Lyman⁸ Faunce Dunham, b. Hebron, 29 Jun 1853;^[21] d. Minot, 1929;^[22] m. Hebron, 18 Dec 1878, **Clara Mary Page**,^[23] dau. of John Quincy Adams Page and Christiana Dacy.^[24] She was b. Minot, 21 Sep 1858; d. Minot, 1921.^[25] Lyman and Clara had a dau. and they were bur. in Riverside Cemetery, West Minot.^[26, 27]

321.9.8.3. Arthur⁸ H. Dunham, b. Auburn, Androscoggin, ME, 3 Oct 1860; d. Auburn, 12 May 1921;^[28] m. abt. 1886,^[29] **Myra J. Patterson**, dau of Andrew J Patterson and Vinna Allen.^[30] She was b. Dec 1863; d. 1932.^[31] Both Arthur and Myra were bur. in Maple Grove Cemetery, Mechanic Falls, Androscoggin, ME^[32, 33]

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321.9.9. John ⁷ Donham (James ⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer ⁴, Samuel ³, Samuel ², John ¹), b. Hebron, Oxford, ME, 3 Apr 1818;^[1] d. Turner, Androscoggin, ME, 19 Feb 1887;^[2] m. 1st in Turner, 14 Feb 1841, **Delana "Dillanae" Pratt**,^[3] she was the dau. of John Pratt and Delance French.^[4] She was b. in Turner, 14 Sep 1815;^[5] d. Turner, 4 Apr 1850.^[6] John m. 2nd aft 7 Aug 1850, **Jane C. Unknow**;^[7] b. 20 Nov 1819; d. 18 Feb 1886.^[8] John m. 3rd in Turner, 30 Jan 1887, **Julia A (Unknown) Batten**.^[9] John and Jane ^[10.] and were bur. in Turner Village Cemetery, Turner.^[11, 12]

Children of John ⁷ Donham and Dillanae Pratt:

- i. **Helen ⁸ Mary Donham**, b. Turner 4 Apr 1843;^[13] lv. Turner, 16 Jan 1860.^[14]
- ii. **Julia ⁸ Maria Donham**, Turner, 22 Aug 1845;^[15] nfi.

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Child of Job⁶ Donham and Abigail Vaughn:

321.10.1. Waitstill ⁷ Dunham (Job⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel^{3,2}, John¹), b. Carver, Plymouth, MA, 1 Mar 1803;^[1] d. Bridgewater, Plymouth, MA, 2 Feb 1888;^[2] m. **Abijah Bryant**, son of Abijah and Sarah

Bryant.^[3] He was b. in Hebron, Oxford, ME, 3 Aug 1800;^[4] d. Bridgewater, 29 Jul 1874;^[5] Probate, Plymouth Co. MA, 15 Aug 1874.^[6]

Children of **Waitstill⁷ Dunham** and **Abijah Bryant**:^[7]

- i. **Abigail Vaughn “Abby” Bryant**, b. Hartford, Oxford, ME, 1829;^[8] d. Halifax, Plymouth, MA, 17 Jul 1909;^[9] m. in East Bridgewater, Plymouth, MA, 1 Jan 1852, **Benjamin B Thrasher**, son of Israel Thrasher and Ruth B. Bearse.^[10] He was b. in Plympton, Plymouth, MA, 1817;^[11] d. Halifax, 17 Jul 1894.^[12] Abigail and Benjamin had 5 children^[13] and were bur. in Sturtevant Cemetery, Halifax.^[14, 15]
- ii. **Sarah “Sally” L. Bryant**, b. Maine, 27 Jan 1834;^[16] d. Paris, Oxford, ME, 15 Jun 1901;^[17] m. bef. 1858, **James Madison Hannaford**,^[18] son of David P Hannaford and Rachel Monk.^[19] He was b. in Norway, Oxford, ME, 6 May 1836; d. in Mechanic Falls, Androscoggin, ME, 2 Sep 1910.^[20] He m. 2nd in Paris, 1902 **Annis S. Delano**.^[21] Sally and James had 1 child^[22] and were bur. in Norway Pine Grove Cemetery, Paris.^[23, 24] Annis was bur. in Piper Cemetery, West Peru, Oxford, ME.^[25]
- iii. **Isaac E. Bryant**, b. Woodstock, 7 Jan 1842;^[26] d. East Bridgewater, Plymouth, MA, 12 Jul 1916;^[27] m. Hanson, Plymouth, Ma, 26 Sep 1870, **Mary A. (Vickery) Thomas**,^[28] she had m. prior in Hanson, **Benjamin H Thomas**.^[29] She was the dau. of Daniel and Mary Vickery.^[30] She was b. in Halifax, Plymouth, MA, Feb 1850;^[31] d. Bridgewater, 2 Aug 1889.^[32] Isaac was bur. in Northville Cemetery, East Bridgewater.^[33]

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321.10.4. Irena⁷ Donham (Job⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel^{3,2}, John¹), b. in Letter B, Oxford, ME, 26 Oct 1815; d. Raymond, Cumberland, ME, 16 Sep 1909;^[1] m. in Waterford, Oxford, ME, 18 Nov 1835, **John Lunt Jr.**,^[2] son of John Lunt Sr. and Lydia Rand. He was b. Windham, Cumberland, ME, 29 May 1810; d. Raymond, Cumberland, ME, 10 Aug 1897.^[3] Both Irena and John were bur. in North Raymond Cemetery, East Raymond, Cumberland, ME.^[4, 5]

Children of Irena⁷ Donham and John Lunt:

- i. **Alexander D. W. Lunt** b. Woodstock, Oxford, ME, abt. 1837;^[6] d. in a P.H. (Private Hospital or Home?) in Savannah, Beaufort, SC, 9 Sep 1865;^[7] m. bef. 1860,^[8] **Angelia F. Thurlow**, dau. of Charles Thurlow of Poland, Androscoggin, Me.^[9] She was b. abt. 1839, Maine;^[10] d. in Oxford, Oxford, Me, 2 Sep 1890.^[11] John was lv. in Poland, Androscoggin, ME, 22 Mar 1865, when he enlisted as a private and was mustered into Co. H, 14th Maine Infantry and was mustered out 28 Aug 1865.^[12] Alexander was bur. in the Beaufort National Cemetery, Beaufort, Beaufort, SC.^[13, 14]
- ii. **Clarinda "Clara" S. Lunt**, b. in Maine 25 Sep 1838; d. Maine, 16 Jan 1867;^[15] m. in Woodstock, Oxford, ME, 1861, **William R Hasey**,^[16] son of David Hasey and Sarah Rand "Sally" Lunt.^[17] He was b. in Woodstock, Oxford, ME, abt. 1837;^[18] d. from Consumption in Oxford Co., ME, 13 Jun 1869.^[19] Both Clarinda and William were bur. in Robinson Cemetery, Sumner, Oxford, ME.^[20, 21] During the Civil War, William enlisted 29 Sep 1862 and was Mustered the same day, into Co. C, 23 Regiment, Maine Infantry as a private. He Mustered Out in Portland, Cumberland, ME, 15 Jul 1863. His residence was listed as Hartford, Oxford, ME.^[22]
- iii. **Julia A Lunt**, b. in Sumner, Cumberland, ME 3 Mar 1842;^[23] d. Maine, 27 Jan 1927;^[24] m. 1857, **James Thurlow**,^[25] son of Moses Thurlow and Elise "Alice" Strout.^[26] He was b. in Raymond, 8 Feb 1832;^[27] d. Maine, 31 Mar 1918.^[28] Julia and James had 7 children^[29] and were bur. in North Raymond Cemetery, East Raymond, Cumberland, ME.^[30, 31]
- iv. **Louisa M Lunt**, b. Maine, 27 Apr 1846; d. Maine, 30 May 1890;^[32] m. bef. 1870, **Amos C. Archibald**,^[33] son of Reuben and Betsy Archibald.^[34] He was b. in Poland, Androscoggin, ME, 1842;^[35] d. Minneapolis, Hennepin, MN, 17 Mar 1897.^[36] Louisa was bur. in Steep Falls Cemetery, Steep Falls, Cumberland, ME,^[37] and Amos was bur. in an unmarked grave, Lakewood Cemetery, Minneapolis.^[38] There is also a Cenotaph in Highland Cemetery, West Poland, Androscoggin, ME.^[39] They had 2 children.^[40] During the Civil War, Amos enlisted as a private in Augusta, Kennebec, ME, 10 Dec

1861 and Mustered the same day into Co. D, 15th Regiment, Maine Infantry. He Mustered out 30 Apr 1864^[41]

v. **Timothy M. Hall Lunt**, b. Woodstock, 6 May 1847; d. Buckfield, Oxford, ME, 5 Dec 1916;^[42] m. 1879, **Eva Maria Heath**,^[43,44] dau. of Gilman Walker Heath and Arabella "Bell" Farrar.^[45] She was b. Sumner, ME, 23 May 1858; d. 8 Oct 1935.^[46] Timothy and Eva had 1 dau.^[47] and were bur. in Buckfield Village Cemetery, Buckfield.^[48, 49]

vi. **Henrietta C. Lunt**, b. in Woodstock, 30 May 1847; d. Maine, 16 Mar 1932;^[50] m. abt. 1874, **William Estes Strout**,^[51] son of George Strout and Mary B. Estes.^[52] He was b. in Poland, Androscoggin, ME, 5 Dec 1854,^[53] d. in Westbrook, Cumberland, ME, 5 Jul 1916.^[54] Henrietta and William had 1 daughter.^[55] Henrietta and William were bur. in Eastern Cemetery, Gorham, Cumberland, ME.^[56, 57]

vii. **James O. Lunt**, b. Woodstock, abt. 1850;^[58] lv. in Somerville, Middlesex, MA, 8 Jun 1880.^[59]

viii. **Benjamin F. Lunt** b. in Woodstock, 18 Aug 1852; d. Portland, Cumberland, ME, 2 Apr 1931; m. 1880, **Etta Mary Gooding**, dau. of John Richard Gooding and Mary Ann Nason. She was b. in Portland, 9 Mar 1859; d. Portland, 26 Jun 1919.^[60] Benjamin and Etta were the parents of 5 Children^[61] and they were bur. in Hope Cemetery, Kennebunk, York, ME.^[62, 63]

ix. **William H. Lunt**, b. Woodstock, 18 Jan 1855;^[64, 65] d. Kennebunk, 10 Aug 1944;^[66] m. in 1877, **Mary Annie Maxwell**,^[67] dau of Ebenezer Maxwell and Mary Dalton Stevens.^[68] She was b. in Maine, Jan 1849,^[69] d. Maine, 15 Apr 1914.^[70] William m. 2nd in Dover, Strafford, NH, 5 Apr 1924, **Mary Jennette Gilbert**, dau. of David F Williamson and Celina L. Taylor. She was b. in Kingfield, ME, abt. 1859 and this was her 2nd marriage.^[71] William and Annie had 1 dau.,^[72] and they were bur. in Maple Grove Cemetery, Mechanic Falls, Androscoggin, ME.^[73,74]

x. **Lydia Hannah Lunt**, b. Woodstock, 1857;^[75, 76] d. Marblehead, Essex, MA, 16 May 1948;^[77] m. 1st Portsmouth, Rockingham, NH, 22 May 1880, **George W. Fiske**,^[78] div. York Co., ME, May 1882.^[79] George was the son of Jonathan Fiske and Mary Elizabeth Johnson.^[80] He was b. in Kennebunk, York, ME, 24 Jul 1854;^[81, 82] d. unknown. **Lydia** m. 2nd in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH, 21 May 1886 **William Henry Merrill**, son of Charles C. Merrill and Abbie E. Spinney.^[83] He was b. in South Berwick, York, ME, abt. 1861,^[84] d. in Columbus, Franklin, OH, 17 Jan 1942.^[85] They had 1 daughter.^[86] William m. 2nd in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH, 27 Dec 1894, Fanny J. Norse / Nourse,^[87] and m. 3rd in Lucas County, OH, 29 Nov 1927, Mary J Meyers.^[88]

xi. **Frances A Lunt**, b. Maine, 1859;^[89] d. bef. 1870.^[90]

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321.10.5 John ⁷ Dunham (Job⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel^{3,2}, John¹), b. in Byron, Oxford, Me, 13 Apr 1821; d. Buckfield, Oxford, ME, 17 Jan 1902;^[1] m. 1st in Buckfield, 2 Sep 1843, **Susan Walker Pearson**,^[2] dau. of William Pearson and Susanna Walker.^[3] John and Susan were div. in Sep. 1866.^[4] John m. 2nd in Canton, Oxford, Me, 24 Jan 1867, **321.1.7. Sarah Marshall "Sally" Gurney**.^[5] He abandoned her in April of 1867,^[6] and they divorced in September of that year.^[7] For more information on Sarah, see **321.1.7. Sarah Marshall "Sally" Gurney**. John remarried in Paris, Oxford, Me, 29 Oct 1867, Susan Walker Pearson, (Oxford Co. Marriage Returns, p. 165)^[8]. John and Susan were bur. in Buckfield Village Cemetery, Buckfield.^[9, 10]

Children of John ⁷ Dunham and Susan Walker Pearson:

- 321.10.5.1. Charles ⁸ H. Dunham**, b. Buckfield, 1844
- 321.10.5.2. Freeland ⁸ W. Dunham**, b. Paris, Oxford, ME, 12 Jul 1848
 - iii. George C. Dunham, b. Buckfield, Aug 1859; d. 21 Jul 1863

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Children of Calvin⁶ Donham and Hannah Harlow:

321.11.2. Hannah⁷ Harlow Dunham (Calvin⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel^{3, 2}, John¹), b. Carver, 30 Nov 1806;^[1] d. Lakeville, Plymouth, MA, 30 Jan 1881;^[2] m. in Middleborough, Plymouth, MA, 26 Apr 1828, **Cyrus Thrasher**,^[3] son of Daniel Thrasher and Lydia Wright.^[4] He was b. in Middleborough, 1792;^[5] and d. Lakeville, 27 Jun 1880.^[6] Hannah and Cyrus were bur. in Pond Cemetery, Lakeville.^[7, 8]

Children of Hannah⁷ Harlow Dunham and Cyrus Thrasher:

- i. **Alexander Thrasher**, b. Middleborough, 4 Apr 1829;^[9] d. Middleborough, Plymouth, MA, 25 Jan 1895;^[10] m. Weymouth, Norfolk, MA, 23 Oct 1853, Lydia Ann Drake, dau. of James C Drake and Lydia T Packard.^[11] She was b. in North Bridgewater, Plymouth, MA, 11 Mar 1835; d. Brockton, 23 May 1881.^[12] Alexander and Lydia had 1 dau., Flora May, b. 1 May 1856;^[13] d. 19 May 1856.^[14] All were bur. in Union Cemetery, Brockton.^[15, 16, 17] Alexander was a shoe cutter when he enlisted in the Union Army during the Civil War as a private in Co. C, 60th Massachusetts, Infantry, 14 Jul 1864 and was muster Out 30 Nov 1864.^[18]
- ii. **Calvin Thrasher**, b. Middleborough, 8 Oct 1830,^[19] nfi.
- iii. **Hannah Elizabeth Thrasher**, b. Middleborough, Plymouth, MA, 25 Sep 1834;^[20] d. Middleborough, 26 Apr 1925;^[14] m. Middleborough, 12 May 1867, Benjamin Franklin Sherman, son of Bartlett Sherman and Melintha Hammond.^[22] He was b. Rochester, Plymouth, MA, 26 Apr 1832;^[23] d. Middleborough, 21 Sep 1900.^[24] Benjamin m. 1st in New Bedford, 1 Nov 1856, Sylvia Vaughan Thomas, 1836-1865.^[25] Benjamin and Sylvia had 1 child, Alice Linwood Sherman.^[26] Hannah, Benjamin and Sylvia were bur. in Rock Cemetery, Middleborough.^[27, 28, 29] Benjamins Estate was probated in Plymouth Co. 23 Oct 1900.^[30]
- iv. **Lydia Dunham Thrasher** b. Middleborough, 30 Aug 1843;^[31] d. New Bedford, Bristol, MA, 4 Mar 1912;^[32] m. Taunton, Bristol, MA, 13 Mar 1857, William Edwin Loner,^[33] son of Jacob and Christiana Loner.^[34] He was b. Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, 4 Sep 1837;^[35] d. Lakeville, 13 Jun 1888.^[36] Lydia and William were the parents of 13 children.^[37] They were bur. in Pond Cemetery, Lakeville.^[38, 39]

William arrived in the United States at Eastport, Washington, ME, 4 Jul 1853.^[40] He was living in Taunton, Bristol, MA. 4 Aug 1855 and working as a shoemaker.^[41] He was married and lv. in Lakeville, when he enlisted in the service of the United

States on 19 Aug 1862 and assigned to E Co., 18th Mass. Vol. Inf. William was transferred into the Veteran Reserve Corps and discharged 26 Jul 1864.^[42]

- v. **George C. Thrasher** b. Lakeville, 17 Mar 1845;^[43] d. Middleborough, 4 Jul 1905;^[44] He was lv. in Foxboro, Norfolk, MA in 1900 and it was indicated he is a widower.^[45] He was bur. in Pond Cemetery, no marker found.^[46]

321.11.4. George⁷ Dunham (Calvin⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel^{3, 2}, John¹), b. in Carver, 15 Jun 1810;^[47] d. Abington, Plymouth, MA, 15 Jan 1859;^[48] m. Hanover, Plymouth, MA, 16 Oct 1850, Lucy Turner Mann,^[49] dau. of John Mann and Harriet Turner, she was b. in Hanover, 4 Aug 1829;^[50] d. Rockland, Plymouth, MA, 2 Jan 1910.^[51] Lucy m. 2nd Abington, 22 Sep 1861, William Vining,^[52] son of William Vining and Hannah Crocker.^[53] He was b. in Abington, 3 Nov 1834;^[54] d. Rockland, 7 Oct 1898.^[55] George, Lucy and William were bur. in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Rockland.^[56, 57, 58]

Children of **George⁷ Dunham** and **Lucy Turner Mann**;

- i. **Maria⁸ Lucy Dunham**, b. Rockland, 4 Aug 1851; d. Rockland, 7 Jan 1935;^[59] m. Abington, 2 Aug 1868, **Reuben Ellis**,^[60] son of Eleazer Ellis and Lydia Cahoon. He was b. Sandwich, Barnstable, MA, 20 Dec 1843; d. 16 Apr 1929. They had 2 children and were bur. in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Rockland.^[61, 62]
- ii. **Sarah⁸ J Dunham**, .b. Abington, 4 Jun 1854;^[63] d. aft. 1940;^[64] m. Randolph, Norfolk, MA, 16 Sep 1871, **Charles O Brooks**, son of Gilbert Brooks and Sybil Hobart.^[65] He was b. in Hanover, Plymouth, MA, 18 Jul 1852;^[66] d. Hanover, 23 Dec 1909.^[67] Sarah and Charles had 1 Child; George Gilbert Brooks, b. Hanover, 6 Mar 1872; d. Hanover, 12 Aug 1872.^[68, 69] Charles and George were bur. in Hanover Center Cemetery, Hanover.^[70, 71]

Children of Lucy Turner Mann and Wiliam Vining:

- iii. **Edith⁸ Elwood Vining**, b. Abington, 10 Jun 1862;^[72] d. Brockton, 7 Dec 1945;^[73] m. Rockland, 8 Jan 1879, **Asa Cook Reed**, son of Isaac Reed and Sarah White.^[74] He was b. in East Bridgewater, 22 Sep 1857;^[75] d. South Abington, 3 Apr 1880, due to consumption.^[76, 77] Edith m. 2nd Abington, 28 Apr 1883, Elmer Frederick Morse, son of David W and Abbie A Morse. Elmer was b. Upton, 27 Dec 1865; d. bef. 1917.^[78] Edith m. 3rd Boston, Suffolk, MA, 25 Nov 1917, William A Coffey, son of William Coffey and Ellen Handerhan. He was b. in Milford, 1865;^[79] d. aft. 1940.^[80] Edith and Asa had 1 child,^[81, 82] and Edith and Elmer had 1 child.^[83, 84]
- iv. **William⁸ Everett Vining**, b. Abington, 11 Jul 1864;^[85] d. Brockton, 28 Oct 1942;^[86] m. Rockland, 25 Sep 1901, **Eleanor Maude Burbank**, dau. of George Washington Burbank and Hattie Almira Hodge.^[87] She was b. Gorham, Coos, NH, 10 Feb 1881;^[88] d. Rockland, 19 Jul 1958;^[89] They were div. in Brockton, 24 Jun 1929.^[90] William and Eleanor had 2 children and Eleanor was bur. in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Rockland.^[91] William m. 2nd in Brockton, 3 Oct 1930, Gertrude May Chase Ornvoll, dau. of George G Chase and Mary A Clark.^[92] She was b. in Brockton, 4 Sep 1883;^[93] d. 21 Dec 1964;^[94]

Gertrude was engaged in New York City, 12 Mar 1900 to C. Monteith Gilpin a lawyer in New York City, New York, New York.^[95] She m.1st in Brockton, 16 Mar 1901, James I Turner, son of Horatio and Georgie A Turner.^[96] He was b. in Brockton, 13 Feb 1879; d. Brockton, 12 Aug 1904. Gertrude and James had 1 child and he was bur. in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Bridgewater.^[97] She m. 2nd abt. 1906 August Theodore Ornvoll,^[98] b. 11 May 1883,^[99] d. 1927^[100] and they had 2 children.^[101] Gertrude m. 3rd William Everett Vining – see above. Gertrude’s Will was dated 27 Aug 1945, and she was of Rockland.^[102] William and Gertrude were bur. in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Rockland.^[103, 104]

321.11.5. Soranus⁷ Dunham (Calvin⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel^{3,2}, John¹), b. Middleborough, 6 Apr 1815;^[105] d. Lakeville, 13 Jul 1881;^[106] m. Falls River, Bristol, MA, 5 Jun 1842, **Louisa Lincoln Cone**,^[107] dau. of Samuel Cone and Matilda Lincoln.^[108] She was b. in Middleborough, 12 Apr 1826; d. Brockton, 1 Jul 1904.^[109] Soranus and Louisa were bur. in Lincoln Cemetery, Brockton.^[110, 111]

Note; Brockton VR b. p. 45 Dunham, Louisa L [-----] w. Soranus -----, 1826. G.R.7.; I do not believe she was b. in Brockton as this was a Grave Record. The 1860 Census indicated her b. as in Massachusetts.

Children of **Soranus⁷ Dunham** and **Louisa Lincoln Cone**

- 321.11.5.1. Louisa⁸ Jane Dunham**, b. Fall River, Bristol, MA, 16 Aug 1843.
- 321.11.5.2. Catherine⁸ Eudora Dunham**, b. Fall River, 7 Jun 1845
- 321.11.5.3. Oscar⁸ Elbert Dunham**, b. Bridgewater, Plymouth, MA, 9 Mar 1850
- 321.11.5.4. Matilda⁸ M Dunham**, b. Brockton, 5 Jun 1853
- 321.11.5.5. Abbie⁸ A Dunham**, b. Brockton, 7 Oct 1856
- 321.11.5.6. Charles⁸ L Dunham**, b. North Bridgewater, 16 May 1860

321.11.6. Betsy⁷ “Elizabeth” Harlow Dunham (Calvin⁶, John⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Samuel^{3,2}, John¹), b. Middleborough, 1817;^[112] d. Brockton, Plymouth, MA, 21 Jan 1894;^[113] m. int. Brockton, 1 Nov 1835, **Edwin Dunbar**,^[114] b. Brockton, abt. 1810; d. of typhoid fever, Brockton, 15 Oct 1843.^[115] Edwin was bur. in Brockton.^[116] Betsy m. 2nd in North Bridgewater, Plymouth, MA, 9 Sep 1852, **Joseph Briggs Freeman**, also his 2nd m. He was b. in Middleborough, 23 Feb 1808; d. Brockton, 12 Jan 1894.^[117] Joseph was m. prior to Lydia Pratt Whiting^[118] and they had 9 Children.^[119]

Child of **Betsy⁷ “Elizabeth” Harlow Dunham** and **Edwin Dunbar**:

- i. Emily Augusta Dunbar b. North Bridgewater, 7 Mar 1837;^[120] d. Upton, Worcester, MA, 18 Oct 1909;^[121] m. Bridgewater, Plymouth, MA, 19 Jun 1860, Alexander McNutt Fisher Chaplin, Son of John Chaplin and Janet “Jeanette” Fisher.^[122] He was b. in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, 21 Oct 1823;^[123] d. Holliston, Middlesex, MA, 2 Nov 1901.^[124] Alexander had been m. 1st to Catherine Lays, dau. of James and Catherine Isabella Lays of Nova Scotia. She was b. Dec 1826 in Halifax; d. during childbirth, in North Bridgewater, 24 Jan 1860.^[125] Both Emily and Alexander were bur. in Brockton.^[126, 127]

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NOTE:

The town of Bridgewater was established as a townsite 3 Jun 1656. In 1821 the northern portion became North Bridgewater and remained as such until it was renamed Brockton In 1874 – good to know when trying to find VR's

What's New on the Dunham Website

By James A. Streeter

There was not much new material added since the April 2023 Newsletter. We were on a 32 day transatlantic Cruise from Florida to Amsterdam, the Norwegian Fjords, Iceland and Scotland followed by a week in New England the end of April and all of May. I have some additional photos that will be added to the Dunham Ancestral Photographs Collection and have been working with a couple DGRA members on their lines that will be added soon.

DGRA has plenty of room to display the photos of your Dunham ancestors. You can find the Collection at: [Photos - Dunham-Singletary Family Connections](#).

HELP NEEDED!

DGRA is looking to expand the Deacon John Dunham line that is posted on the Dunham Families in America Site from the current 4 Generations to 5 Generation along with the birth information on the children found in the 6th generation. Gratia and James will both be researching the families and as each person is completed the material will be added to the site. If anyone has information on the 5th generation Dunham's or is interested in helping research, please let James know.

We are also looking for help to review Dunham lines found in previous issues of the DSFC Newsletters and prepare them for addition to the Dunham Families in America collection. If you have questions about what is involved or if you can help, please contact James A. Streeter - james8313@sti.net.