

- Jemima, Phebe, Jane, gr. son Joseph Chapman, son of dau. Lois, dec'd, dau's Elizabeth and Lucy, and "eldest" son Ezra.  
 Jemima, mar. May 18, 1752, Jedediah Lathrop.  
 Ezra, mar. Oct. 17, 1756, Martha Barret.  
 John, mar. Apr. 28, 1761, Ann Waterman.  
 Gideon, mar. Apr. 13, 1757, Eunice Abel.  
 Phebe, mar. May 29, 1760, Jacob Worthington.  
 Phineas, mar. June 14, 1764, Lydia Farnham.  
 Jane.  
 Matthew, mar. May 16, 1774, Anne Pelton.  
 Lois, mar. May 23, 1767, Joseph Chapman.  
 Elizabeth, mar. Mch. 9, 1775, Benjamin Corning.  
 Lucy, mar. Apr. 27, 1775, William Edgerton.
- Phebe Birchard, b. October 1705; died young.  
 Sarah Birchard, b. Oct. 11, 1707; prob. d. y.; see below.
- 25 Jonah Birchard, b. Oct. 9, 1709, bpt. Apr. 28, 1714, died July 26, 1787, of old age, according to the Church records of Hanover Society, now in Lisbon, Conn.; he left neither wife nor children and his estate was inherited by his brothers and sisters or their heirs.
- 26 Phebe Birchard, b. 1710, bpt. Apr. 9, 1710, died Mch. 13, 1791, "Aet 81, of cancer" (Hanover Soc. Chh rec.), mar. Jan. 30, 1760, Abner French, who died at Lisbon, Conn., Nov. 22, 1788, "Aet 89, of old age."
- 27 Sarah Birchard, b. 1711, bpt. Dec. 9, 1711, died Feb. 28, 1799, "aged 88 yrs," mar. June 17, 1731, David Hartshorn and had a large family.
- Rebecca Birchard, born "in the year 1717 and lived 2 years and 2 months and died."
- 28 Daniel Birchard, b. May 9, 1718, mar. Oct. 9, 1745, Elizabeth Cooley, "of Springfield." They had Rebecca<sup>a</sup> b. June 13, 1747; Gideon b. Dec. 4, 1748; Daniel, b. Dec. 23, 1750; Elizabeth, b. Nov. 7, 1752; Matthew, b. Sept. 15, 1754.  
 Elizabeth Cooley, born Mch. 19, 1727, was the daughter of Eliakim and Griswold (Beckwith) Cooley, of West Springfield, Mass., and cousin to Daniel Birchard. (See N. E. Hist. & Gen. Register, Vol. 34, page 387.)

## 7. ABIGAIL<sup>3</sup> BIRCHARD

Abigail<sup>3</sup> Birchard, born November, 1667, in Norwich, Conn., daughter of John<sup>2</sup> and Christian (Andrews) Birchard, married October 23, 1690, in Norwich, John<sup>3</sup> Caulkins, Jr., born July 1661, in Norwich, son of John<sup>2</sup> and Sarah (Royce) Caulkins, and grandson of Hugh<sup>1</sup> Caulkins.

John Caulkins was one of the earliest settlers of Lebanon, Conn., and was the first constable of that town, chosen at its organization, May 31, 1698; he was also corporal of the first militia company there.

His wife, Abigail Birchard, was living in January 1732, when John Calkins of Lebanon, deeded to his son Jeremiah Calkins, also of Lebanon, certain lands, reserving the use of the land and house during the "life of me the said John Calkins and the natural life of my beloved wife Abigail Calkins." (L. Rec. Lebanon, Conn.; Vol. 4, p. 383.)

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On Sept. 27, 1725, "John Calkin ye first," of Lebanon, Conn., deeded land to his son James (Land Rec. Norwich, Conn., 4-294), and on January 29, 1744/5, "John Calkins of Phillips Parrish (Precinct 7) Dutches County, New York," for £20, sold to son James Calkins of Norwich, Conn., all rights to any lands in Norwich, or Lebanon, not heretofore disposed of; the witnesses to the deed were John Calkin Junr and Jeremiah Calkin.

Children of John and Abigail (Birchard) Caulkins. Births of first two are recorded at Norwich, Conn.; the next three at Lebanon, Conn. (Vol. 1, p. 44)

Abigail<sup>1</sup> Caulkins, born Sept. 8, 1691.

Sarah Caulkins, born Feb. 14, 1694.

Mary Caulkins, born Sept. 21, 1697.

John Caulkins, born Nov. 19, 1699; mar. 1721, Sarah Huntington; went to Dutchess County, N. Y.

James Caulkins, born Apr. 29, 1702, mar. April 15, 1734, Abigail Huntington; grad. Yale College, 1725; ordained minister, preached several years, but finally settled in western part of Norwich (part now Bozrah), and there died in 1756.

Jeremiah Caulkins, born in Lebanon, Conn., mar. Nov. 10, 1725, Rachel Jaues; was in Phillips Precinct, Dutchess County, N. Y., with his father and brother John, in 1756.

Name spelled Calkin, Calkins, Caulkins, Colkin, Colkins; usual form of later days, Caulkins.

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**HANFORD ITEMS FROM ENGLISH RECORDS**

By MARY LOVERING HOLMAN, of Watertown, Mass.

That Rev. Thomas Hanford was the son of Jeffrey and Eglin (Hatherly) Hanford seems to be well established. He seems to have been the only son and to have had sisters: *Lettice*, born about 1617; *Margaret*, b. 1619; m. Isaac Robinson; *Elizabeth*, b. 1621, and, apparently, *Susanna*, m. John Whiston and William Brooks. Eglin, the mother, was listed on the *Planter*, 10 April, 1635, aged 46 years, accompanied by her daughters, Margaret, aged 16, and Elizabeth, aged 14. It took about two months for the voyage, so Eglin and her daughters would not have been in the colonies before some time in June. Lettice Hanford was married 8 April 1635, to Edward Foster by Capt. Standish so was evidently in the colony before her mother enrolled for the passage to America. Probably she and Susanna came with their uncle, Timothy Hatherly.

In a small book called "Transcripts of the lost parishes of Devon," under Alverdiscott, a parish which has a gap in the baptisms between 12 Feb. 1614/15 and 15 July 1627 and of