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HEDGES

THE FIRST Hedges in East Hampton is thought to have come from Maidstone in Kent, England. The name still appears regularly in the Kent Messenger, newspaper published in Maidstone; and the name is still well represented here. Kentish records going back for centuries spell the name variously, Hedges, Hedge, Hodge or Hodges.

Judge Henry P. Hedges, 19th century East Hampton historian, considered William Hodges who settled Taunton, Mass, in 1643 the same man who arrived in East Hampton by 1650 by way of Southampton and whose name was spelled Hedges here.

William Hedges was granted land in 1652 which remained in the family until 1923. The Hedges Inn, built about 1770 on the site of an earlier house, is located on property described in the 1652 grant as being on the "Great Plaine, more or less bounded with the hie way South, the litell Pond West, and the hie way North and John Mulford East."

Hedges men have served East Hampton Township as Supervisor, David Hedges Jr., John C. Hedges, and Stephen L. Hedges; they have been Town Clerks, Stephen L. Hedges, John C. Hedges, Howard Hedges and Arthur Hedges. The late Samuel C. Hedges (1870-1952) was Village Trustee at one time, and member of the three-man board which formulated the original Zoning Laws for the Incorporated Village of East Hampton. He was President of the East Hampton Historical Society and active in three celebrations of the town's founding, in 1899, 1924, and 1948. His nephew, Kenneth Hedges, has served as Village Trustee and is now a Town Assessor.

The Suffolk County "Portrait and Biographical Record" of 1896 says that Hedges men have been largely farmers and with few exceptions have made a signal success of it; also they are notable for longevity, averaging 85 years with near-centenarians not uncommon.

It may be added that they often exchanged the plow for the whaling-irons. A Hedges (Tristram or William, the old records are dim and historians say the given name may be either; it was probably William) in March, 1644, was named as a member of the first organized whaling company in America. Forty-four men banded together at Southampton to take care of the valuable right whales off the beach on eastern Long Island.

Whaling captains Jonathan, Jeremiah, Hiram, and William H. Hedges were among those sailing out of Sag Harbor for nearly a hundred years, 1780-1875; and nobody knows how many more shipped on whaling vessels in lesser capacities.

Some of them dropped their whaling irons in 1849 when the news of

gold in California stripped eastern Long Island of her young and enterprising men. One Job Hedges was on the Sabina, an old whaleship that sailed out of Sag Harbor around Cape Horn bound for San Francisco. Every man in the Sabina's crew was a whaling captain and they elected their master for that voyage. But most of the Argonauts came back to resume farming and fishing operations at home.

Members of this family who have settled elsewhere, attaining prominence in various fields, have kept a warm spot in their hearts for the old home town. Judge Henry P. Hedges, born in East Hampton and schooled at Clinton Academy, lived and practised law in Bridgehampton; but returned to make the principal address at two anniversaries of East Hampton's founding, in 1849 and 1889; was one of a committee to publish East Hampton Town Records, and himself wrote and published, 1897, an East Hampton History. His kinsman, Dayton Hedges, now of Havana, Cuba is honoring Judge Hedges' memory in publishing this new history and genealogies, and expressing his own affection for the first American home of his ancestors in a very concrete way by his gift to the East Hampton Library.

THE FIRST HOMESTEAD

Thanks to a series of old account books dated 1725 to 1812 it is possible to trace definitely the eight generations of the Hedges family who lived where the Hedges Inn stands, 1952. Before proceeding with the other branches of the family, it might be interesting to trace the history of the old homestead. Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hedges, still well remembered in East Hampton, had only one son, Daniel, who died in 1894 at the age of twenty-three. After Mr. Hedges' death in 1918, his wife lived on there alone until she died in 1923. Then the house was sold and became briefly a roadside restaurant with a huge sign. Mrs. Harry L. Hamlin, who had bought and restored several other early East Hampton houses, and who knew and loved Mrs. Hedges, felt this an indignity to the fine old home and an unsuitable approach to the village; the location at the head of Town Pond being entrance for all motor travel from New York. So she bought it and made additions and turned the house, a boarding house in summer since the 1870's, into a small beautiful inn, opened 1935.

Mrs. Hamlin explored a small shoemaker's shop still standing at the rear of the place. She found books and papers showing its use and its approximate age. The Hedges men must have been working in leather from about 1700, tanning the leather, manufacturing shoes, saddles and harness. Shoes of Hedges manufacture were sent as far as New York, Newport and Nantucket. Women of the village worked on the shoes at home. The old account books were given the writer by Mrs. Hamlin, and are being preserved in the East Hampton Library. John Hedges 3, John 4, Daniel 5, and John N. 6 kept the account books. John Hedges 4 kept a

limited drugstore as well as selling shoes. He charged for "tinctur" and "phisick" and to "salve and dressing a soar, sixpence."

First to live on the original grant was:

WILLIAM HEDGES 1, in E.H. about 1650, died 1674, m. Rose ———; ch. Stephen 2 b. in Kent, England Jan. 1634, Isaac 2, and 4 daus.

STEPHEN 2* b. Jan. 1634/5, d. July 7, 1734, m. 1669 Hannah, dau. John and Sarah Stratton, she b. 1649 d. Jan. 21, 1710; ch. John 3 b. 1670, Daniel 3 b. 1677 d. 1734, William 3 b. 1680, d. Nov. 4, 1768, Elizabeth 3 b. 1682, d. May 15, 1747 (who m. 1st Daniel Osborn, Nov. 3, 1712; he d. 1713; she m. 2nd as his 4th w., John Gardiner 3d, Proprietor of Gardiner's Island, Oct. 4, 1733).

*Stephen 2 was Constable 1663.

JOHN 3 (s. of Stephen 2) b. 1670 d. Jan. 9, 1737, m. Ruth Stratton who d. Nov. 22, 1739. His will leaves home lot and buildings to son John. Ch. Mary 4 bapt. Dec. 17, 1699 d. Aug. 10, 1712, John 4 bapt. Jan. 18, 1702, Stephen 4 bapt. June 6, 1703, d. May 2, 1760; Sarah 4 bapt. Aug. 26, 1705, d. inf.; Samuel 4 bapt. Oct. 5, 1707 d. Oct. 15, 1708; Abigail 4 bapt. June 17, 1711, d. Aug. 25, 1711; Daniel 4* bapt. Oct. 5, 1712 d. June 11, 1716; Lemuel 4 bapt. Aug. 29, 1714, who rem. to N.J.; and perhaps Ruth 4.

*Daniel 4 aged 3 (see p. 561 E.H. Town Records Vol. 5, "was drowned in ye tanfat while ye family were at dinner." Tan-vat is meant; it explains that this vat was almost full of leather and water.

JOHN 4* bapt. Jan. 18, 1702 d. March 12, 1786, m. Dec. 4, 1723, Elizabeth, dau. John Talmage, she d. April 18, 1772 ae 69. Ch. John 5 bapt. Sept. 20, 1724 d.s.p. Sept. 18, 1742; Josiah 5 bapt. March 13, 1726; d. July 26, 1767; Elizabeth 5 bapt. March 10, 1728, Daniel 5 bapt. July 18, 1742, Mary 5 bapt. Oct. 11, 1730,* Ruth 5 bapt. Nov. 11, 1733, who m. a Howell.

*Mary Hedges m. abt. 1750 Aaron Isaacs, he b. abt. 1723; they had 11 ch. and became grandparents of John Howard Payne who wrote "Home, Sweet Home."

JOSIAH 5 (s. of John 4) m. Mary ———, d. July 26, 1767, ae 41; ch. John 6 d. Aug. 28, 1778, at 12.

DANIEL 5 (s. of John 4) bapt. July 18, 1742 d. March 13, 1831, m. Jerusha, dau. Deacon John Huntting, she d. May 20, 1877 ae 77; of their 19 ch., 12 grew to maturity; names of only the following are found: Jerusha 6 bapt. April 11, 1772, Elizabeth 6 bapt. July 7, 1776, Lucinda 6 bapt. July 12, 1778, Julia 6 who d. Dec. 15, 1828 ae 39, John N. 6 bapt. Feb. 22, 1783, Stephen 6 (who m. Esther Gardiner and rem. to Hillsdale, N.Y.), Harriet 6 who d. July 7, 1822 ae 36. And Capt. Daniel 6*—not mentioned in any genealogies—who must have been one of the older children; discovered only lately through letters found in The Hedges by Mrs. Harry L. Hamlin. Josiah 6 d. 1769, an infant; and William Rysam 6 who d. June 21, 1793 ae 1 yr. must have been the "little son of Daniel Hedges" who was "drowned," in 1793.

*Among other old Hedges papers are eight letters written by Capt. Daniel 6 to his "Honour'd Parents," Daniel 5 and Jerusha Huntting Hedges between 1794 and 1799. His ship, the Severn, was captured 1794 by the Proserpine frigate and taken to France. He said "If I ever get my feet in New York again I will not leave it till there is a better law carried on between the nations." But he did. He wrote Jan. 1795 from Brest ("this hole"); and he went back and forth to Europe via Honduras. In 1796 he was again captured and plundered by the French; taken to Cuba and Hispaniola. In 1799 he was master of the "Molly" of N.Y., a command he secured through his uncle by marriage, Capt. William Rysam of Sag Harbor.

JOHN N. 6 (s. of Daniel 5) bapt. Feb. 22, 1783 m. Eliza B. Fithian, she b. 1808 d. Jan. 1, 1892; ch. a dau. 7 who d. inf. Nov. 25, 1830; Harriet M. 7 bapt. 1832 d. Feb. 22, 1857; John D. 7 b. July 26, 1839, Jerusha E. 7 who d. Jan. 21, 1848 ae 13; Charles 7 d. March 29, 1850 ae 5.

JOHN DANIEL 7 (s. of John N. 6) b. July 26, 1839 d. Sept. 12, 1918 m. Caroline Isabella, dau. Egbert and Caroline Conkling Homan, she b. Aug. 27, 1846, d. March 26, 1923; s. Daniel Homan 8 b. Oct. 12, 1871, d. unmd. Sept. 3, 1894.

OTHER BRANCHES OF THE EAST HAMPTON HEDGES FAMILY

ISAAC 2* (younger s. of William 1) b. 1637 d. 1676. On March 7, that year, letters of administration of his estate were granted. His young children were mentioned but not named. He m. 1660 Joanna, dau. of Joshua Barnes of Southampton who later rem. to Westchester Co., N.Y. She d. June 6, 1706. Of their children, Judge Hedges mentions only a son, Isaac 3, b. 1664; but their dau. Joanna Barnes 3 married in the late 1600's, Abraham Schellinger.

*Isaac was one of the men appointed to keep the dry herd at Montauk, 1662; in 1664 was engaged as Town drummer at 40 s. per annum.

It is possible that Isaac 2 had s. Ebenezer 3, who had a s. 4 and dau. Abigail 4 who m. Jeremiah Mulford 1713; this son 4, or perhaps another generation later, had the Ebenezer who m. 1740 and d. 1768, having s. Ebenezer b. 1751.

DANIEL 3* (s. of Stephen 2, William 1) b. 1677 d. June 11, 1734, m. Sept. 20, 1702/3, Abigail, dau. Nathaniel Baker; she d. Nov. 1, 1773 ae 92; ch. Daniel 4 b. 1708 d. April 12, 1766; Jonathan 4 b. 1724, Mary 4.

*He bought the Daniel Sayre homestead, later Miss Mary Cooper's, and founded the "Sagg Hedges" family for whom Hedges Lane is named.

WILLIAM 3, (s. of Stephen 2) b. 1680, d. Nov. 4, 1768, m. March 1702 Abiah, dau. Thomas and Mary Gardiner Mulford; she d. Oct. 27, 1763 ae 78. Ch.: William 4 bapt. March 31, 1706; Hannah 4 bapt. May 30, 1708; Mary 4, bapt. Oct. 8, 1710, who m. Sept. 11, 1728 Nathaniel Hunting; Jeremiah 4 bapt. March 1, 1713, d. Oct. 14, 1738; David 4 bapt. Jan. 9, 1715; Abiah 4 bapt. June 30, 1717; Ezekiel 4 bapt. Oct. 18, 1719, m. Elizabeth Mulford, rem. to East Patchogue, 1755 (see Patchogue Hedges); Lewis 4 bapt. July 22, 1722, d. Nov. 7, 1738, ae 17; Stephen 4 bapt. Nov. 1, 1724; Elizabeth 4 bapt. April 2, 1727; and Phebe 4, bapt. July 19, 1730.

ISAAC 3 (s. of Isaac 2) b. 1664, d. Nov. 22, 1726, m. 1685, Mary Parsons Dayton, dau. Samuel Parsons Dayton, she b. 1669, d. Oct. 8, 1744. Ch. Samuel 4, b. about 1685, d. March 9, 1755, Abraham 4 b. 1692, d. Jan. 12, 1722/3; Isaac 4 b. about 1695, Jacob 4 b. 1698 d. Jan. 16, 1723; Jeremiah 4 bapt. April 12, 1702, d. Jan. 4, 1722/3; Joanna 4 bapt. April 23, 1704, d. Dec. 13, 1722; Mary 4 bapt. June 9, 1706; Gideon 4* bapt. Oct. 28, 1711; Henry 4 bapt. April 19, 1714; David 4 bapt. Oct. 16, 1715, John 4 bapt. March 16, 1718, d. infancy.

*Gideon lived "down Egypt" on the place once home of William L. Barnes who rem. to Illinois. Gideon 4 and Henry 4 with their families removed, the latter to Middletown, Conn. Dr. F. A. Finch says that Ruth 4, dau. Isaac 3, m. William Conklin Nov. 26, 1717. Judge Hedges does not mention this daughter.

STEPHEN 4 (s. of John 3, Stephen 2, William 1) bapt. June 6, 1702/3, d. May 2, 1760,* m. Dec. 21, 1727 Amy Mulford; ch. Amy 5, bapt. Sept. 29, 1728; Stephen 5, bapt. Jan. 3, 1731; Timothy 5 bapt. March 11, 1733; Matthew 5, bapt.

June 15, 1735; Nathaniel 5 bapt. July 24, 1737, d. Nov. 1806; Esther 5 bapt. April 13, 1740; John 5 bapt. May 1, 1743, d. May 2, 1759; Elias 5 bapt. June 1, 1746; Ruth 5 bapt. Dec. 11, 1748; Mary 5 bapt. March 5, 1749; and Elizabeth 5 bapt. July 26, 1753. Stephen's Will mentions 40 acres at Newburgh, N.Y.; Matthew is to have home and lands; Nathaniel is to be maintained by brothers after Elias is 21. (Note by Judge Hedges in 1890's says that deeds in possession of Edward Osborn showed that in 1760 a Stephen Hedges lived in Morristown, N.J., and in 1799 a physician Jonathan Hedges, lived in Newburgh, N.Y.)

*Note: S. H. Finley, whose wife was a g.g.g.g. granddau. of Stephen Hedges 4, says he d. 1801 (or 1760). E.H. historians say 1760.

LEMUEL 4 (s. of John 3, Stephen 2, William 1) bapt. Aug. 29, 1714, m. Jan. 8, 1740, Amy Dimon of Southold. Ch. Amy 5, bapt. Feb. 7, 1742; son 1½ yrs. old d. Oct. 13, 1745; Mary 5 bapt. 1746; Lydia 5 bapt. Dec. 11, 1748; Abigail 5 bapt. Sept. 2, 1750; Sarah 5 bapt. Oct. 23, 1752; child 1757; dau. Jan. 17, 1759.

SAMUEL 4 (s. of Isaac 3, 2) b. about 1685, d. March 9, 1755, lived at First House at the Hither end of Montauk; he m. May 8, 1702, Lois, dau. Samuel Parsons, who d. 1718 ae 38; ch. Jonathan 5 b. 1706, Samuel 5, b. 1707; Benjamin 5 b. 1713; and perhaps daughters.

ISAAC 4 (s. of Isaac 3, Isaac 2) b. about 1695 d. Feb. 3, 1776 m. Feb. 6, 1722-3, Phebe Parsons. (See E.H. Trustees' Journals 1725-1772, Isaac Hedges to have use of common land 1730 from his house round "ye Hook Pond," Egypt, for 11 months.) Ch. Abraham 5 bapt. Dec. 8, 1723; Isaac 5 bapt. Sept. 22, 1728, d. May 16, 1739; Mary 5 bapt. March 28, 1731; Joanna 5 bapt. May 26, 1734, and Jacob 5 bapt. Sept. 24, 1738.

GIDEON 4 (s. of Isaac 3) bapt. Oct. 28, 1711, m. Abigail, dau. John Conklin; ch. Gideon 5 bapt. Oct. 22, 1734; Henry 5 bapt. Aug. 29, 1736; Sylvanus 5 bapt. Oct. 30, 1737; Abigail 5 bapt. March 23, 1740; Anne 5 bapt. Jan. 1747; son 5 (no name) bapt. Dec. 1747; Sarah 5 bapt. Jan. 26, 1750.

DANIEL 4 (s. of Daniel 3 of Sagaponack) b. 1708 d. April 12, 1766, m. Sarah Sandford, she b. Sept. 8, 1710 d. Dec. 3, 1765; ch. Daniel 5 b. May 11, 1734, David 5 b. June 15, 1744; Abigail W. 5 who m. a Pierson; Elizabeth 5 who also m. a Pierson; Sarah 5, Abraham 5 who rem. to N.J. and left s. Nathan 6 of Newark; Stephen 5.

LT. COL. JONATHAN 4* of Sagg (s. of Daniel 3) b. 1724 d. June 3, 1804 m. Sept. 11, 1746 Phebe, who d. June 1774 ae 52; ch. Phebe 5 b. July 27, 1747, who m. Sylvanus Topping; Jonathan 5 b. May 2, 1749, rem. to Tioga Co., N.Y., d. April 10, 1835, m. Catherine Bowen; Elias 5 b. Feb. 15, 1751; Job 5 b. March 4, 1753; Mary 5 b. Feb. 4, 1755, who m. Henry Moore; Cynthia 5 b. Oct. 10, 1757, m. Elisha Miller; Abigail 5 b. July 26, 1759; Stephen 5 b. April 10, 1764; Ruth 5 b. Dec. 31, 1766, m. William Pierson.

*He served 2nd Regt., Revolution, under Col. David Mulford.

WILLIAM 4 (s. of William 3) bapt. March 31, 1706, d. May 4, 1775, m. Temperance, dau. Thomas Osborne, Jr., she d. Oct. 28, 1753 ae 36. Ch.: (probably) Thomas 5 bapt. Nov. 3, 1736; William 5 bapt. Dec. 1737, Temperance 5 bapt. Jan. 16, 1740; Jeremiah 5 d. Sept. 30, 1742 ae 6 mos.; Hannah 5 bapt. Oct. 5, 1746; Jeremiah 5 bapt. Jan. 1747; Elizabeth 5 bapt. May 1, 1749; David 5 bapt. July 7, 1751, d. June 23, 1753; Phebe bapt. Sept. 22, 1753, d. Dec. 13, 1753. (Jeremiah 5, bapt. Jan. 1747 may have been the same who married Mary Conkling, bapt. 1744, who later married Thomas Tredwell of Clinton, N.Y.)

JEREMIAH 4 (s. of William 3) bapt. March 1, 1713, d. Oct. 14, 1738, m. Jerusha, dau. Matthew Mulford April 13, 1736, she b. Aug. 29, 1714, d. May 21, 1742; they had David 5 bapt. Oct. 30, 1737.

EZEKIEL 4 (s. of William 3) bapt. Oct. 18, 1719, d. Nov. 17, 1789, m. Elizabeth Mulford who d. June 27, 1795, ae 68; removed 1755 to East Patchogue and bought 1300 acres of land from Barnabas Rider for £1000; he d. Nov. 17, 1789; ch. Joseph 5 b. 1752, d. 1765; Ezekiel 5 b. 1749, Elias 5 b. Aug. 23, 1760, Jerusha 5, Joseph 5 b. June 25, 1766.

STEPHEN 4 (s. of William 3) bapt. Nov. 5, 1724, d. Feb. 17, 1801, m. Dec. 27, 1747 Mary dau. Eleazer Miller, she b. Sept. 12, 1726, d. April 13, 1814. Ch. Mary 5 b. March 4, 1749, d.s.p. Feb. 17, 1760; Lewis 5 b. March 8, 1751; Elizabeth 5, b. July 15, 1753, d. Feb. 5, 1792, m. Huntting Miller; Eleazer 5 b. April 7, 1757; Stephen 5 b. July 30, 1759; Capt. David 5 bapt. Sept. 8, 1762, d. Dec. 21, 1846; Joseph 5 b. Dec. 31, 1767, d. 1849, removed to Chester, N.J.

TIMOTHY 5 (s. of Stephen 4, John 3, etc.) had ch. John 6, Sarah 6 (bapt. Oct. 4, 1761), Jeremiah W. 6 b. March 19, 1763, Lucretia 6 bapt. Dec. 8, 1767.

MATTHEW 5 (s. of Stephen 4, John 3, etc.) bapt. June 15, 1735, d. May 27, 1817; m. 2d Naomi Wells, who d. May 25, 1795 ae 40. Ch. Juliana 6 bapt. Oct. 18, 1761; Anne 6, bapt. Jan. 13, 1763; son b. Jan. 1764; Stephen 6; Hannah 6 bapt. March 2, 1766; Paul 6 of Ohio; Matthew 6, who removed; Esther 6 d. Aug. 22, 1870 ae 83 yrs. 11 mo.; Timothy 6 bapt. Dec. 10, 1780, rem. to New York; Sophia 6 bapt. 1782, d. March 2, 1833; Abigail 6 bapt. Feb. 22, 1784, d. Dec. 5, 1867; Samuel Booth 6 bapt. March 24, 1786, rem. to Washington Co., N.Y., d. 1854; Clarinda* 6 bapt. Nov. 15, 1789; d. Nov. 30, 1810 of typhus; John W. 6 bapt. Dec. 4, 1791, d. Oct. 4, 1796; and Nathaniel 6 bapt. May 1795, d. Sept. 7, 1796.

*The late S. H. Finley of Santa Ana, Calif. in 1934, prepared a chart of the Finley family and gave one to the E.H. Free Library. He, Solomon Henderson Finley, married Ida Hedges on Jan. 8, 1891, she b. July 19, 1870 at Cambridge, N.Y., dau. Samuel Hedges (1829-1926) and Elizabeth Talford; granddau. Samuel Booth Hedges (1786-1854) and Mary Baker of Washington Co., N.Y.; she also descended from an old E.H. family. The line goes back to Stephen 4, John 3, Stephen 2 and William 1 of E.H. Matthew Hedges 5 was a refugee to Connecticut during the Revolution and a member of Capt. Lupton's Company; but he and his wife Naomi and some of their children were buried in the Jericho cemetery in E.H. Mr. Finley said Naomi was the 2nd wife.

JONATHAN 5 of Montauk (s. of Samuel 4) b. 1706, d. Jan. 16, 1763, m. Hannah Conkling Oct. 9, 1729 who d. Jan. 17, 1792; ch. Jonathan 6 bapt. Sept. 20, 1730, d. Nov. 12, 1769; Lois 6 bapt. Aug. 26, 1733; Mehetabel 6 bapt. Nov. 27, 1737; d. Sept. 28, 1768; Barnaby 6; Abigail 6, and Reuben 6 bapt. Feb. 7, 1751.

SAMUEL 5 (s. of Samuel 4) d. Aug. 27, 1735 ae about 28, m. Experience Talmage July 6, 1732; ch. Experience 6 bapt. July 7, 1734; Samuel 6 bapt. Feb. 15, 1735-6. (Widow Experience Talmage m. Dan Edwards of Patchogue June 5, 1746.)

BENJAMIN 5 (s. of Samuel 4) b. 1713, lived at Montauk; d. March 21, 1812 ae 99; m. Althea, dau. Daniel and Elizabeth Buckland Miller, a widow born Ludlow, June 16, 1741; Althea b. 1714, d. May 7, 1797; ch. Philip 6 bapt. May 2, 1742; Benjamin 6 bapt. March 18, 1744; Nathan 6 bapt. Feb. 2, 1746; Elihu 6 bapt. Sept. 4, 1749; and Christopher 6 bapt. Jan. 25, 1753; also Sabra 6 and Tempe 6, d. y.

ABRAHAM 5 (s. of Isaac 4) b. Dec. 8, 1723, d. Aug. 22, 1807, m. Oct. 25, 1747 Esther Miller. Ch.: Elizabeth 6 bapt. Aug. 20, 1748, Esther 6 bapt. July 26, 1753; a child 6 bapt. 1757; Joanna 6 bapt. June 8, 1760. (Esther 6 m. 1st Aaron Fithian, 2nd John Gardiner, who was bapt. Oct. 23, 1752, d. July 30, 1799; they had 4 ch.—Esther who m. Stephen Hedges of Hillsdale, N.Y., and d.s.p.; Rev. John D. Gardiner, Abraham Hedges Gardiner and Dr. Aaron F. Gardiner.)

DEACON JACOB 5 (s. of Isaac 4) b. Sept. 24, 1738, d. May 18, 1822, m. Eliza-

beth Miller(?), b. 1750, d. Dec. 8, 1809; ch. Abraham 6 bapt. May 5, 1777; Isaac 6 bapt. Nov. 21, 1778, and Jacob 6 b. Jan. 15, 1784.

DANIEL 5 (s. of Daniel 4, Daniel 3) b. May 11, 1734, d. Nov. 26, 1797, rem. to Brooklyn; m. 1st Oct. 27, 1756 Sarah dau. Nathaniel Baker, b. Aug. 6, 1735 who d. Sept. 30, 1773 and m. 2nd Susannah Pierson who was m. of his last 2 ch. and d. May 18, 1822 ae 86. Ch. Sarah 6 b. Aug. 17, 1757, who m. a Palmer; Nathan 6 b. June 5, 1759; Daniel 6 b. Nov. 24, 1760; Abigail 6 b. Nov. 13, 1762, m. a Stevens; Phebe 6 b. March 28, 1765 m. Theophilus Cook; Abraham 6 b. July 7, 1768; Caleb 6 b. Sept. 16, 1770; Hannah 6 b. Aug. 12, 1772, m. John Pierson; Nathaniel 6 b. Sept. 12, 1774, rem. to Hartford, Conn.; Susanna 6 b. March 22, 1778, d. April 29, 1836; Martha 6 and Abraham O., twins, b. April 24, 1780.

DEACON DAVID 5* (s. of Daniel 4, 3) b. June 15, 1744 d. Nov. 8, 1817, m. 1st Charity Howell who d. Oct. 21, 1791 ae 43; he m. 2nd Phebe Baker, widow of Dr. Theophilus Howell of Mecox and widow of Thomas Sandford; she d. 1796 ae 55; he m. 3rd Esther Mulford who d. Sept. 10, 1825 ae 61. Ch. Zephaniah 6 b. Dec. 6, 1768, David 6 b. Dec. 24, 1769; Jesse 6 b. Sept. 16, 1771, Daniel 6 b. 1773 d. March 21, 1780; Wilkes 6 b. July 21, 1775; Sarah 6 b. May 6, 1777 (or 8?) d. 1870; Eunice 6 who m. John White b. Aug. 1, 1767, Mary (Polly) who m. an Arnett b. Oct. 1, 1779; Abigail 6 who m. Hiram Sandford, b. Oct. 19, 1782; Charity 6 who m. Dec. 29, 1810 Jeremiah Huntting, she b. July 15, 1785; Betsey 6 who m. Nathaniel Topping, M.D.; Betsey was d. of 3rd w. Esther; all other ch. of w. Charity.

*Deacon David Hedges was a remarkable man. He served for 20 years as Supervisor in Southampton Town; was deputy to the 4th Provincial Congress, State of New York, 1776-77; delegate to the Convention that ratified the Constitution of the U.S., and voting therefor; Member of Assembly, 1786, '87, '88, '89, 1804, '06, and '07. In 1807 he was active in securing passage of an act incorporating the Proprietors of Montauk, a complicated business which met with some opposition (see Hedges' E.H. History, p. 298).

During the Revolution the Bridgehampton Church had no minister; then and often in later life in the minister's absence he would conduct public worship and read a sermon. At the close of the Deacon's preaching on July 2, 1775, John Hulbert gathered the men of the congregation about him at the church door and there enlisted 21 men for one of the first companies organized in the colony for the defense of national liberty.

Quoting Judge Hedges: "He was physically powerful, and capable of great endurance. It is reported that he took a drove of cattle to New York and sold them for a thousand pounds. In those days robberies were frequent and the danger therefrom alarming. To avoid it Deacon Hedges took this large sum in his saddle bags, started on horseback from Brooklyn Ferry before daybreak, and stopping for refreshments only once on the road, arrived at his home in Saggs safely by 9 o'clock in the evening, a distance of 100 miles. Tradition tells that the Deacon was none the worse for it, but the young horse he rode was a long time disabled. There is a tradition that at one time the State government offered a bounty or premium to the man who would raise the most flax. In the hope of procuring the premium he sowed forty acres in one field. He led the company in pulling it, and when they got around it, Levi Sandford, one of them nearest to him said, 'Deacon, we have been around the world.'"

Author's note: Deacon David Hedges built the house on Hedges Lane, Sagaponack,—a street that was once all Hedges houses—which was owned by the late Samuel C. Hedges of East Hampton. Last of the name to live there were the Misses Esther and Ann Hedges, 8th generation. They were cousins of my grandmother, Phoebe Jeannette Osborn Huntting. I often called on them, two jolly little old ladies who wore flat sunbonnets to tend their garden and their chickens.

Cousin Ann told me that Deacon David, her great-grandfather, could walk from Sagg to Wainscott on his own land. When he was away at the Legislature he left his slaves to manage the place. He had a big family of slaves, descendants of one Adam who came as a child of 5 from the Congo; five children were born to him on the place and Miss Hedges' father built a house for his son John who drove their oxen when she was a child. The slaves were liberated in 1828, she said. Wilkes Hedges' Bible recorded births of three slaves—John, in May 1801; "Vilet," May, 1803; and Kingston July 30, 1805.

STEPHEN 5* (s. of Daniel 4, 3, of Sagg, Stephen 2, William 1) m. ———, ch. Stephen 6 b. 1765 d. Oct. 5, 1826; Jared 6 b. March 28, 1780, Phebe 6 (who m. Abraham Osborn of E.H.), Charity 6 (who m. Jacob Osborn and rem. to Blenheim, N.Y., Abigail 6 (who m. Conklin Osborn and rem. to Blenheim, N.Y.))

*There is a tradition in the Hedges family of Sagaponack that five Hedges sisters married five Osborn brothers of East Hampton and that four of these couples took up land in Schoharie Co., N.Y. Mrs. Ralph Frazee, who was born Fannie Osborn, and whose husband is descended from one of those very Hedges-Osborn couples who moved to Blenheim Ridge, N.Y., in the Catskills, tells me that there were only three sisters and three brothers,—the latter the "Pudding Hill" Osborns, sons of Thomas Osborn 5. Abraham Osborn 6 m. Phebe, dau. Stephen Hedges 5 of Sagg; they remained on the home place. Jacob 6 married Charity Hedges; they had ch. Jane 7, Phebe 7, and Charles 7. Conklin Osborn 6 m. Abigail Hedges; their son was Philander 7. Phebe 7, dau. of Jacob Osborn m. Hiram Frazee; and their s. Edmund was father of Ralph Frazee of E.H. Philander 7 had 4 ch., of whom Emeline 8 m. Calvin Stevens; their ch. were Herbert, Osborn and Carrie; Herbert Stevens' sons were William, Chauncey and Polhemus. J. Howard Hand of Wainscott has letters written 1809, 1816, and 1817 from Blenheim by Abigail Hedges Osborn to her brother Jared Hedges (Mr. Hand's great-grandfather).

ELIAS 5, b. 1751, d. 1828, m. Elizabeth Baker; served as private in Colonial Army in Revolution; ch. Jonathan 6, b. March 3, 1782. Elias 5 rem. to Western New York State, near Jamestown.

JOB 5 (s. of Col. Jonathan 4) res. Sag Harbor, b. March 4, 1753; ch. Lyman 6, Deacon Job 6, Howell 6, Phebe 6 (who m. a Babcock).

THOMAS 5 (s. of William 4) bapt. Nov. 3, 1736 d. 1786, m. ——— who d. Nov. 26, 1787; dau. Keziah 6 bapt. Nov. 8, 1767.

WILLIAM 5 (s. of William 4) bapt. Dec. 1737, d. Feb. 16, 1815, m. Mary, dau. John and Jane Mulford Chatfield, Nov. 4, 1761, she b. Sept. 10, 1740 d. March 17, 1823; ch. John Chatfield 6 b. Dec. 4, 1770; d. Nov. 10, 1798; William 6 b. Feb. 3, 1776 (who rem. to Lansingburg, N.Y.); Col. David 6 b. June 14, 1779; Jane 6 b. Aug. 27, 1782 d. March 20, 1823.

CAPT. DAVID 5 (s. of Stephen 4) b. Sept. 5, 1762, d. Dec. 21, 1846, m. 1785 Phebe Tillinghast; ch. Stafford 6 b. Sept. 1786, d. June 11, 1833, Stephen 6 b. Sept. 21, 1790, d. 1877; Betsy 6 b. Aug. 1795. Capt. David Hedges w. born 1764 was dau. Capt. Joseph and Phebe Shaler Tillinghast; Capt. Tillinghast d. Sept. 1777 in Revolution; his w. d. May 29, 1811. Phebe Tillinghast Hedges drowned herself in the ocean 1805 at E.H., her body drove up at Montauk. Dr. F. A. Finch says Capt. David and Phebe had three more children than listed above; Hiram 7 who removed to California; Margaret 7 who m. Capt. Frederick R. Cartwright; and Phebe 7 b. June 3, 1803, d. Jan. 17, 1868, who m. Schuyler Conkling of Amagansett.

JEREMIAH W. 6 (s. of Timothy 5) b. March 19, 1763, d. June 12, 1832, m. Mary Corey b. April 18, 1769 d. Sept. 1, 1839; ch. Capt. Jeremiah W. 7 of Sag Harbor b. Oct. 30, 1803.

PHILIP 6 (s. of Benjamin 5) bapt. May 2, 1742 d. March 3, 1834 ae 92; m. 1st

Mary, dau. Nathaniel and Mary Fithian Talmage, she b. March 1743, d. Aug. 3, 1787; ch. Benjamin 7, b. June 10, 1787, d. April 12, 1880; Mary 7, who was first w. of Talmage Barnes. Philip 6 m. 2nd Chloe Conkling, dau. of Henry and Amy Hedges Conkling of Amagansett; she b. 1760 d. Sept. 19, 1839. He kept the "Hither End" of Montauk, 1808 onward.

NATHAN 6 (s. of Benjamin 5) b. Feb. 2, 1746 d. Dec. 17, 1821, m. ——— Ch. Phebe 7, bapt. Dec. 17, 1775; Nathan 7 bapt. 1777, and d.y.; Temperance 7 bapt. Jan. 23, 1780; Nathan 7 bapt. May 26, 1783; and Hannah 7 bapt. June 11, 1790.

ELIHU 6 (s. of Benjamin 5) bapt. Sept. 4, 1749, d. Aug. 13, 1823, m. Bethiah ——— who d. April 25, 1819 ae 66; ch. Mary 7 bapt. Jan. 1777, d. June 24, 1824; Dr. Elihu 7 bapt. Aug. 22, 1784; Esther Talmage 7 bapt. Nov. 14, 1788; Sabra 7 bapt. Aug. 1791, d. March 30, 1857 ae 75; and Sally 7 d. Dec. 28, 1822 ae 31.

REUBEN 6 (s. of Jonathan 5) bapt. Feb. 7, 1751 d. Jan. 11, 1832, served in the Revolution and owned property on Main Street, E.H. 1776. He m. Hannah Miller; ch. Dr. George 7 bapt. June 1790, Robert Lewis 7 bapt. Nov. 1792 d. Feb. 7, 1793; Mehetabel 7 bapt. June 10, 1798, Hannah 7 and Mary 7 who d. July 10, 1868 ae 60. There was probably another son named Robert who became a schoolmaster in E.H.

TIMOTHY 6 (s. of Matthew 5, Stephen 4) bapt. Dec. 10, 1780, m. Catherine, dau. Dr. Stephen and Mary Rutgers McCrea; ch. Mary Rutgers McCrea 7 b. April 14, 1819, d. May 23, 1884 (who m. the Hon. Abraham Bogart Conger) and Catharine 7 b. Oct. 24, 1821 who d. Aug. 1891 unmd. (This family lived in what was later the Stimson place and is now the Charles W. Osborne Memorial Park at Main St. and Buell Lane. Dr. Samuel Buell once lived there. Mrs. Dwight Morrow, m. of Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh, was granddaughter of Mary Rutgers Hedges and A. B. Conger.)

CHRISTOPHER 6* (s. of Benjamin 5) bapt. Jan. 25, 1753 m. ———; ch. Lyon Gardiner 7 bapt. April 18, 1779, dau. 7 bapt. June 24, 1781, Hannah 7 bapt. June 18, 1793; Sylvanus 7 bapt. May 28, 1786, d. July 30, 1787; Elizabeth 7 bapt. Sept. 1788; Gustavus 7 bapt. April, 1794; ch. 7 bapt. Feb. 1797; Sylvanus 7 again bapt. Aug. 1797.

*Christopher 6 lived at Montauk. He was authorized by Town authorities 1809 to make a "seller" for his dwelling house at Fort Pond (Second House), and to have a garden pightel and lot adjoining.

ABRAHAM 6 (s. of Deacon Jacob 5) bapt. May 5, 1777, d. Aug. 22, 1807, m. Polly ——— who d. Jan. 14, 1822 ae 44; ch. Phebe d. Oct. 15, 1815, ae 9.

JACOB 6 bapt. 1784, d. Sept. 6, 1869, m. Sept. 1816, Betsy Dimon, b. Aug. 26, 1794, d. Jan. 22, 1844, ch. Albert L. 7 b. Aug. 29, 1819; Charles Dimon 7 b. Aug. 24, 1824, d. unmd. June 8, 1900; Clarissa Elizabeth 7 b. May 14, 1827 d. unmd. May 21, 1883, and Abram 7.

NATHAN 6 (s. of Daniel 5) m. Matsey, dau. John Cook, she d. July 18, 1778 ae 22.

DANIEL 6 (s. of Daniel 5) b. Nov. 24, 1760, rem. to Brooklyn, N.Y.; ch. James S. 7 of Sag Harbor who m. and had s. James 8 b. 1827, who in turn had w. Hannah and ch. Maurice 9 b. 1856, also John H. 9 b. 1858, Edward M. 9 b. 1865; all d.s.p.

ABRAHAM 6 (s. of Daniel 5) b. July 7, 1768; s. Nathan 7 of Newark, N.J.

ZEPHANIAH 6 (s. of Deacon David 5) b. Dec. 6, 1768 d. Sept. 16, 1847, m. 1st Susanna Miller who d. March 10, 1808 ae 35; he m. 2nd Phebe P., dau. Capt. Jeremiah Osborn, she b. Oct. 15, 1781 d. March 12, 1864; ch. Thomas S. 7 b. Feb. 23, 1810; Edwin 7 b. Dec. 29, 1811, Maria 7 b. Aug. 13, 1815 d. 1823; Henry P. 7 b. Oct. 13, 1817, Jeremiah O. 7 b. Aug. 28, 1819, Phebe 7 b. Aug. 23, 1822 d. March 28, 1823.

- CAPT. DAVID 6 (s. of Deacon David) b. Dec. 24, 1769 m. Jemima Topping, she b. 1776 d. 1839; ch. Col. Harvey 7 b. 1798; David 7 b. 1804; Mary 7 who m. Rev. Amzi Francis and had dau. Henrietta who m. James Talcott of N.Y. City.
- JESSE 6 (s. of Deacon David 5) b. Sept. 16, 1771, m. Naomi, dau. Recompense Sherrill, she b. Aug. 14, 1769; ch. Henry Sherrill 7 bapt. Aug. 1796; Albert G. 7 b. 1800; Charles S. 7 and a dau. who m. a Hallock.
- WILKES 6 (s. of Deacon David 5) b. July 21, 1775, m. Mary (Molly) dau. Hunting Miller, April 4, 1799, she b. 1778 d. May 18, 1844; ch. Eliza 7 b. July 1, 1801, d. unmd. June 26, 1863; William 7 b. Oct. 1, 1803; Mary M. 7 b. June 8, 1806, d. Oct. 18, 1827; Hunting Miller 7 born Sept. 28, 1808; Wilkes 7 b. March 8, 1811; and James M. 7 b. March 1813, d. Dec. 25, 1828. Eliza never married.
- STEPHEN 6 (s. of Stephen 5) of Sagaponack b. 1765 d. Oct. 5, 1826 m. 1st Phebe Dayton who d. March 7, 1815 ae 50; m. 2nd Elizabeth Redfield who d. Aug. 15, 1846 ae 70; ch. Levi 7 b. Nov. 28, 1791 and dau. Elizabeth 7 who m. James Edwards and d.s.p.
- DR. JOSEPH 6 (s. of Stephen 5) b. Dec. 31, 1767, d. 1849. He rem. to Chester, N.J., was a physician there; had sons Woodhull 7 also a physician; and Henry 7, a farmer; Henry 7 had s. James 8 who d. in California; and a dau. who m. a Presbyterian clergyman named Blauvelt.
- JARED 6 (s. of Stephen 5) b. March 28, 1770 d. Nov. 7, 1862, m. Nov. 21, 1807 Ruth Osborn Norris b. Oct. 7, 1782 d. June 30, 1867; ch. Robert Hallock 7 b. Jan. 18, 1809, John Norris 7 b. Oct. 13, 1811, Jared Dayton 7 b. March 4, 1814, Charity 7 b. May 28, 1818 m. Albert Hand; Charles Osborn 7 b. May 18, 1823.
- JONATHAN 6 (s. of Elias 5) b. March 3, 1782, m. Betsy Sears Oct. 18, 1806, s. Elias Sears 7, b. Oct. 21, 1807, d. July 25, 1883.
- LYMAN 6 (s. of Job 5) b. Sag Harbor, m. Jerusha ———, who d. Jan. 17, 1824 ae 25; m. probably 2nd Ruth ———; ch. Lyman 7, Stephen 7 who rem. to Michigan, James M. 7 who d. 1848 ae 20; Edwin B. 7 who d. 1848 ae 15.
- JOB 6 (Deacon) (s. of Job 5) b. April 3, 1790 d. April 7, 1841, m. May 25, 1814 Mary B. Fordham b. Feb. 3, 1793 d. March 1, 1873; ch. Charles W. 7 b. July 24, 1815, d. Dec. 14, 1895; William T. 7 b. Feb. 20, 1817 d. Feb. 20, 1819; Mary A. 7 b. Oct. 20, 1818, m. James R. Brown and had 6 ch.; Sarah L. 7 b. Aug. 15, 1820, (m. 1st George Howell who d. at sea Sept. 18, 1850; their s. Henry was killed on the gunboat Picket Sept. 6, 1862; she m. 2nd Gideon Nicoll.) Also Henry J. 7 b. Dec. 15, 1824 d. July 22, 1827; Emily L. 7 b. July 7, 1826, d. June 25, 1827, Edward P. 7 b. April 23, 1828; Harriet L. 7 b. April 20, 1830, m. Edward Reynolds; Thomas C. 7 b. March 19, 1832, d. at sea Nov. 7, 1857.
- HOWELL 6 (s. of Job 5) of Sag Harbor b. July 15, 1799, d. May 9, 1893, m. Eliza W. Hallock July 18, 1819, ch. Sarah A. 7 b. May 28, 1820 d. Feb. 1888, m. Francis Sayre June 16, 1839; Cornelia W. 7 b. March 8, 1822 d. June 7, 1890, m. Hannibal French Oct. 6, 1846; Capt. Edward S. 7 of Sag Harbor b. Oct. 11, 1823 (he went to sea at 18, whaled one voyage on the Camillus, 1841, later master on coastwise vessels); Fanny M. 7 b. July 20, 1825; David H. 7 b. Dec. 4, 1826 (last heard from June, 1848); John T. 7 b. Feb. 19, 1828; Augustus N. 7 b. June 25, 1831; Job H. 7 b. June 13, 1833; Adaline E. 7 b. Sept. 15, 1835; d. April 9, 1864; she m. Luther Hildreth who d. 1858, and m. 2nd Benjamin Conkling 1861; Arabella T. 7 b. April 10, 1838; Henry M. 7 b. July 8, 1840, lost at sea 1888; Benjamin B. 7 b. July 15, 1842, d. inf.; William W. 7 b. Feb. 20, 1844, d. Jan. 23, 1876; George T. 7 b. July 5, 1846.
- COL. DAVID 6 (s. of William 5) b. June 14, 1779, d. Jan. 1, 1857, m. 1st Nancy, dau. Hunting Miller, May 1, 1809; she d. March 19, 1811, ae 27; m. 2nd Esther, dau. Jeremiah Osborn, Dec. 14, 1815; she d. Oct. 25, 1868, ae 81. Ch. Dr. John Chatfield 7 b. Sept. 2, 1821 d.s.p. Oct. 7, 1877. Author's note: Col. David Hedges was a silversmith; almost every family here treasures some Hedges spoons; forms for making them are now in the Clinton Academy museum. His shop was moved back in 1901 by Everett J. Edwards who had bought the Purple House from

the heirs of Dr. Hedges; the shop now forms part of the home of Arnold Rat-tray; newspapers for 1814 were found in the rafters.

Note by H. P. Hedges: "Col. David Hedges was a man of unusual intelligence, good judgment and strong common sense. He served the public as a silversmith all his life. His house, and shop next south of Clinton Academy were the resort of those seeking counsel or social enjoyment. He had many strong friends. He represented Suffolk Co. in the Assembly in 1825, 1829, 1833. He held many Town offices beside that of Supervisor. Few men have enjoyed more fully the respect and confidence of their fellow men, and deservedly so. His son John Chatfield Hedges, M.D., although of sweet, modest, retiring manner, was like his father in intellect, judgment and good sense; an omnivorous reader, an untiring antiquarian, an attractive companion. No descendant perpetuates their light. The fragrant memory of their virtues and their friendship yet survives. This tribute to their worth, the writer, their kinsman, is impelled to record."

CAPT. JEREMIAH W. 7 (s. of Jeremiah W. 6) b. Oct. 30, 1803, d. Jan. 31, 1880, m. Mary Bishop, b. Oct. 22, 1810, d. May 4, 1890; ch. Samuel P. 8 b. Feb. 10, 1833, d. May 12, 1837; Jeremiah R. 8 b. Feb. 5, 1835, d. March 23, 1837; Jeremiah L. 8 b. Feb. 2, 1839, d. Sept. 6, 1862; Mary R. 8 b. Feb. 9, 1842; Hannah B. 8 b. March 24, 1844; Edward R. 8 b. May 9, 1847, who m. Mary J. Wright and had no ch.

BENJAMIN 7 (s. of Philip 6) b. 1787 d. 1880 m. Jan. 1, 1817 Jeanette Barnes b. March 25, 1790 d. Dec. 30, 1859. He moved from Montauk 1832 and bought the house in Amagansett now owned by Mrs. Maud Rackett Bodine from Jacob and Maria Osborn. Ch. Mary 8 b. Oct. 26, 1817, d.s.p. Oct. 26, 1840; William 8 b. Dec. 22, 1819, d. Oct 28, 1840; William and his sister died of what was then called "fish fever".

DR. ELIHU 7 (s. of Elisha 6) bapt. Aug. 22, 1784, rem. to Cornwall, Orange Co., N.Y.; m. Hannah ———, ch. William T. 8 d. Aug. 27, 1825 ae 9.

ALBERT L. 7 (s. of Jacob 6) b. Aug. 29, 1819, d. June 8, 1893, m. June 24, 1846, Mary, dau. David and Esther Edwards, b. June 22, 1819, d. Sept. 10, 1882; ch. Abram Edwards 8 b. May 26, 1850 and Mary E. 8 b. Jan. 26, 1859, d. March 27, 1905 who m. DeWitt C. Talmage Oct. 18, 1888.

THOMAS S. 7 (s. of Zephaniah 6) who d. Jan. 21, 1819 ae 62, m. May 1, 1833 Temperance Rogers who d. June 12, 1812 ae 35; ch. Henry R. 8 who had dau. Ella 9 who m. Horace Thacker.

EDWIN 7 (s. of Zephaniah 6) b. 1811 d. June 26, 1849, m. Nancy K. Topping, she b. Sept. 13, 1813 d. Aug. 31, 1899; ch. Hervey T. 8 of Sag Harbor, Maria P. 8 b. July 18, 1842 d. Nov. 1, 1880; a dau. 8 d. inf.

JUDGE HENRY P.* 7 (s. of Zephaniah 6) b. Oct. 13, 1817 d. Sept. 26, 1911, m. 1st Gloriana, dau. Samuel Osborn of E.H., she b. June 5, 1820 d. Feb. 1, 1891; he m. 2nd Mary Gertrude, dau. Matthew Hildreth, b. 1839, d. 1925. Ch. Samuel Osborn 8 b. March 5, 1845 d.s.p. 1932; Edwin 8 b. Feb. 2, 1847 d.s.p. May 8, 1881; Rev. William 8 b. June 21, 1851 d.s.p. Nov. 28, 1912.

*Judge Hedges and sons Edwin and William were graduated from Yale. Judge Hedges, author and orator, is described elsewhere in this book. He wrote "History of E.H.", 1897.

JEREMIAH OSBORN 7 (s. of Zephaniah 6) b. Aug. 28, 1819 d. 1909, m. Eliza Brewster, she b. 1824 d. 1895; ch. Harriet B. 8 b. March 4, 1844, d. 1932; Susan Miller 8 b. Nov. 12, 1846 d. Feb. 24, 1944; Jeremiah O. 8 b. Aug. 1, 1847 d. May 1, 1849; John Brewster 8 b. 1850 d. 1908; Marcus Osborn 8* b. 1854 d. 1911.

*He became a newspaper editor.

STAFFORD 7 (s. Capt. David 6) b. Sept. 1786, d. June 13, 1833 m. Nancy ——— who d. June 24, 1844 (or 41) ae 57.

COL. HARVEY 7 (s. of Capt. David 6) b. 1798, d. April 1, 1869 m. 1st Mary Hand who d. Aug. 27, 1842 ae 25; and m. 2nd Laura Topping who d. Feb. 28, 1891 ae 81; ch. of 1st m. Mary 8 b. 1843 who m. Sherwood Adams; ch. of 2nd m. Henry who rem. to Plum Creek, Nebraska.

DAVID 7 (s. of Capt. David 6) b. 1801 d. 1870 m. Clarissa, dau. Deacon Silas White, she b. 1806 d. 1885; ch. Cassander W. 8 b. 1834 d. in Norwich, Conn.; David Anson, M.D. 8 b. Dec. 25, 1835 d. Jan. 1, 1887 who rem. to N.Y. City; Isabella 8 who m. Col. Roger A. Francis.

DEACON STEPHEN 7 (s. of Capt. David 6) b. Sept. 21, 1790, d. April 8, 1875 m. Jan. 5, 1811, Esther Miller, dau. Uriah Miller, she b. Oct. 12, 1787, d. April 28, 1866, ch. Capt. William H. 8 b. May 3, 1813. (whaling ship master, 3 voyages, settled in California; had son Stephen); Stephen L. 8 b. July 13, 1815, d. Jan. 14, 1897; Mary M. 8 b. May 31, 1818 m. Whaling Capt. Jeremiah Mulford; Nathan Miller 8 b. Feb. 21, 1822 (rem. to California, had s. Edward D. 9); Betsy 8 b. Dec. 26, 1823. m. Edward Dayton; George 8 b. March 19, 1828.

ALBERT G. 7 (s. of Jesse 6) of Sag Harbor b. 1800, m. Almira Halsey; ch. Frances 8 b. 1827; Harriet 8 b. 1829; Mary 8 b. 1831; Juliette 8 b. 1833; Helen 8 b. 1839; Susan 8 b. 1842, m. Brinley D. Sleight; and George 8.

CHARLES 7 (s. of Jesse 6) had s. Charles 8 of Sag Harbor who m. Anna V. and they had ch. Jennie 9, d.y., and Ada B. 9 b. July 1, 1867.

CAPT. WILLIAM 7* of E.H. b. Sept. 29, 1803, d. Dec. 19, 1865, m. 1st Phebe, dau. Henry and Hannah Mulford Osborn, June 16, 1829, she b. Sept. 8, 1805, d. Feb. 26, 1833; and m. 2nd Mary G. Osborn, Jan. 1, 1834, she b. 1811, d. Dec. 11, 1882 ae 71. Ch. by 1st m. James M. 8 b. Aug. 26, 1830; Mary M. 8 b. Sept. 13, 1832 d. June 26, 1900 (who m. George Carll); ch. by 2nd m. William 8 b. March 20, 1839 and Huntting Miller 8** b. May 20, 1835, d. March 27, 1857.

*N.Y. State Inf. 80th Regt. 33rd Brigade, 1st Division. Hon. disch. July 2, 1831.

**He planted the elms still growing in front of S. C. Hedges' home on Main Street.

HUNTTING MILLER 7 of Bridgehampton b. Sept. 28, 1808, m. Sept. 18, 1842 Elizabeth Abigail Youngs who d.s.p. Feb. 12, 1895, ae 74.

WILKES 7 b. March 8, 1811, d. March 12, 1885, m. May 10, 1842 Julia Ann dau. Daniel and Esther Mulford Osborn, she b. 1810, d. June 13, 1859; ch. John Wilkes 8 b. Aug. 11, 1843, d.s.p. June 22, 1917; Anna Eliza 8 b. July 24, 1845 d. Jan. 2, 1932 unmd.; and Esther Mulford 8 b. March 5, 1848, d. unmd. March 18, 1928.

LEVI 7 (s. of Stephen 6) b. Nov. 28, 1791, d. Nov. 28, 1874, m. Elmira ——— b. April 1, 1794, d. Aug. 18, 1877. On her tombstone is engraved: "She hath done what she could".

ROBERT H. 7 b. Jan. 18, 1809, d. May 23, 1892, m. Aug. 25, 1833, Phebe Parker, b. Feb. 25, 1811, d. March 15, 1883; ch. James M. 8 b. Jan. 28, 1836; Helen A. 8 b. Nov. 23, 1839, d. March 13, 1906; Robert L. 8 b. Aug. 3, 1841; Samuel P. 8 of Greenport, L.I. b. Sept. 18, 1846, Stephen 8 b. April 11, 1848.

JOHN NORRIS 7 b. Oct. 13, 1811, m. 1st Betsey Osborn, ch. Elisha O. 8 b. 1842, Mary L. 8 b. 1843; m. 2nd Caroline Ludlow, ch. John N. 8 b. June 14, 1847; Adaline A. 8 b. 1850, who m. Gurden Ludlow, Elizabeth O. 8 b. 1852 and Abbie H. 8 b. 1858, who m. Edward H. Dickinson.

JARED DAYTON 7* of Wainscott (s. of Jared 6, Stephen 5, etc) b. March 4, 1814 d. March 31, 1895, m. Dec. 25, 1839, Caroline Sherry Hopping, b. Jan. 25, 1821, d. Dec. 21, 1893; ch. Frances Elmira 8 b. June 25, 1843, m. George B. Barnes, Dec. 4, 1865; Ebenezer Dayton 8 b. Sept. 11, 1845, Nathan Osborn 8 b. Sept. 4, 1848; Elias Miller 8 b. April 21, 1852, Ruth Eliza 8 b. Jan. 30, 1854

d. March 23, 1930 (m. Jan. 1, 1879, Oliver S. Osborn); Wilbur Alfonso 8 b. March 30, 1856, Carll Hopping 8 b. June 17, 1859 (Carll is an old L.I. surname; Mary dau. Capt. William Hedges 7, she b. 1832, m. George Carll); Edward Ellsworth 8 b. Sept. 27, 1861.

*Jared Dayton Hedges left a log of a whaling voyage, July 26, 1836 on the ship Delta of Greenport—to the Azores, Madagascar, Mauritius (then called Isle of France), the Island of Amsterdam, in the Indian Ocean halfway between Africa and Australia; to St. Helena and back home to Wainscott in the spring of '39.

CHARLES OSBORN 7 b. May 18, 1823, d. April 13, 1881, m. Nov. 9, 1857 Charity Halsey Fithian, b. March 25, 1836, d. Aug. 20, 1909; ch. Charles O. Jr. 8 b. Aug. 28, 1858, d. Feb. 13, 1902; Harriet Newell 8 b. Jan. 29, 1860, d. July 15, 1933 (who m. Robert H. Woodburn Dec. 24, 1884, he d. June 25, 1937; ch. William Leroy b. Jan. 29, 1888); Edward Gilbert 8 b. Aug. 3, 1862 d. May 2, 1884; Herbert Leroy 8 b. Jan. 1, 1865, d. Dec. 27, 1947; Frank Jared 8 b. Nov. 24, 1867 d. April 27, 1944; Carrie 8 b. Sept. 15, 1869; Mattie Elizabeth 8 b. Nov. 18, 1872, d. Oct. 2, 1944 (m. Dec. 10, 1908 Gilbert Chauncey Osborn, ch. Ruth Norris b. 1912, d. inf., Carrie Mae b. Jan. 7, 1914, m. Pasquale D'Andrea Jan. 31, 1942 and has son Dennis b. Jan. 16, 1943); William Henry 8 b. Feb. 5, 1876, d. April 16, 1944.

ELIAS SEARS 7 (s. of Jonathan 6) b. Oct. 21, 1807 d. July 25, 1883, m. Rebekah Park July 18, 1832; s. William Hawkins 8 b. June 20, 1833.

CHARLES W. 7 (s. of Deacon Job 6) b. July 24, 1815, d. Dec. 14, 1895, m. Julia J. Graham Nov. 14, 1853; ch. Jerome G. 8; Carrie R. 8, Mary B. 8, and George 8, all removed; Jerome G. 8 had dau. Julia 9 of Middletown, Conn.; Carrie R. 8 had ch. Spokane, Wash.; Mary B. 8 lived in New Haven, Conn.; George H. 8 had ch. Carrie D. 9 and Raymond 9 of Middletown, Conn.

DR. JOHN CHATFIELD 7 (s. of Col. David 6) b. Sept. 2, 1821, m. Esther, dau. Jonathan B. Mulford, d.s.p. Oct. 7, 1877. She b. July 2, 1825, m. June 9, 1852, d. Dec. 18, 1898. Esther Mulford Hedges was a lady of great dignity and presence; called by her Main Street neighbors "Queen Esther". She was a notable gardener; her formal garden between the Purple House and what is now the Library building had a box-bordered maze and was still beautiful well into the 1900's; when the place was sold in 1900 the silversmith's shop still had its own garden with boxwood, lilies of the valley and roses enclosed in a low white picket fence.

ABRAM E. 8 (s. of Albert L. 7) b. May 26, 1852 d. March 28, 1900, m. Mary Elizabeth Eldredge who d. Oct. 14, 1929; ch. Howard Dimon 9 b. Nov. 8, 1877 d. Nov. 28, 1910; Bessie Miller 9 b. Nov. 16, 1879, Clarissa E. 9 b. Dec. 11, 1883 d. Nov. 19, 1910 (who m. John Daly Flannery Oct. 24, 1907 and had ch. Moyna E. b. Feb. 28, 1909 d. Feb. 26, 1910; Howard H. b. Nov. 15, 1910 d. 1943); Bessie Miller Hedges 9 m. John Flannery as his 2nd w. May 10, 1913; ch. Joseph D. b. April 2, 1915, Mary E. b. Oct. 26, 1916. Howard H. Flannery m. Dec. 31, 1937 Mary Eliza Thomas; their s. Thomas Daly b. Jan. 6, 1940 d. March 6, 1945. Joseph Flannery m. Olive Butcher of Sag Harbor, Aug. 17, 1940; ch. Kathleen Elizabeth b. Sept. 20, 1943. Mary E. Flannery m. John Gabard of Mt. Clemens, Mich. and has s. Donald Raymond b. Jan. 2, 1952.

SAMUEL OSBORN 8 (s. of Judge Henry P. 7) b. March 5, 1845, d. 1932, m. Anna Elizabeth, dau. Nymphas Wright; no ch.

EDWIN 8 (s. of Judge Henry P. 7) b. Feb. 2, 1847 d. May 8, 1881, m. Emily, dau. Richard Cook; inf. s. d. July 1, 1879.

REV. WILLIAM 8 (s. of Judge Henry P. 7) b. June 21, 1851 d. Nov. 28, 1912 m. Harriet, dau. Rev. James Hamlin, res. Colebrook, Conn.; no ch.

JAMES M. 8 (s. of Robert H. 7, Jared 6, etc.) b. Jan. 28, 1836, m. July 26, 1861, Emily Ann Edwards, d. ae 84; ch. Nellie Maude of Bridgehampton b. Aug. 25, 1875.

ROBERT L. 8 (s. of Robert H. 7) b. 1842 m. Mary Fordham, son William F. 9 b. March 14, 1879.

SAMUEL PARKER 8* (s. of Robert H. 7) b. Sept. 18, 1846, d. July 9, 1927, m. Dec. 26, 1870 Mary B. Smith of Sag Harbor, moved to Greenport, L.I.; ch. Addie 9 b. Oct. 26, 1872 (m. Irving Wells, Greenport, and has s. William and dau. Edythe Wells Price); Samuel Frank 9 b. Dec. 3, 1879; Edna 9 b. Jan. 26, 1883, d. unmd. Jan. 24, 1951.

*("Portrait and Biographical Record of Suffolk County", 1896, described Samuel P. Hedges as a "rising inventor", who farmed until he was sixteen, attended a select school, then learned the blacksmith's and machinist's trade with John Fordham in Sag Harbor, then became Fordham's partner; invented, 1876, an eel-spear and manufactured it; then an appliance for extracting menhaden oil; and many other things, the latest being a sectional water tube boiler being used on Mr. Hedges' private steam yacht "Rialto", 78 feet long, built in his own boat shops.)

STEPHEN 8 of Sagaponack (s. Robert 7) b. 1848 d.s.p. May 24, 1942, m. Mary Lister of Sag Harbor. (Note: The E.H. Star has a typed collection of Stephen Hedges' verses, written in April 1939 when he was 91; some were published in the Star.)

ELISHA O. 8 of Bridgehampton (s. of John N. 7) b. 1842, never married; he and his sister Mary 8 lived together until old age. He sometimes wrote articles for the papers. Nathan Pierson Hand, writing on "David Hand, Revolutionary Hero" in the Bridgehampton News for Feb. 4, 1910 dedicated the article to "Elisha O. Hedges descendant of a brave soldier of 1812-15, Jared Hedges, quietly resting in the Poxabogue yard under the flag he loved so well."

CAPT. JOHN NORRIS 8* (s. of John N. 7) b. June 14, 1847, m. Fannie M. Rogers Dec. 24, 1872, she b. July 31, 1854; ch. Caroline A. 9 b. Nov. 21, 1873 who m. Frank A. Hopping Oct. 20, 1891, he b. Nov. 19, 1869; William J. 9 b. Nov. 30, 1878, d. ———.

*Capt. John was a notable surfman, Capt. of Mecox Life Saving Station for years; he owned the old Hampton House, Bridgehampton.

EBENEZER DAYTON 8 (s. of Jared Dayton 7) b. Sept. 11, 1845 d. Feb. 10, 1917, m. May 22, 1866 Anna F. Matthews of Sag Harbor, b. Dec. 14, 1846, d. Aug. 17, 1931; ch. George Leroy 9 b. March 23, 1868, Benjamin C. 9 b. Jan. 10, 1876.

NATHAN OSBORN 8* (s. of Jared Dayton 7) b. Sept. 4, 1848 d. Jan. 18, 1933, m. Nov. 14, 1874 Theresa Miller Burke, she b. July 26, 1860, d. March 14, 1920; she dau. Dr. Thomas Burke, Ireland, and Mary Ledwith, England; ch. Mary Hines 9 b. Jan. 22, 1882, (m. May 16, 1901 Royal Luther; ch. Royal Luther, Jr. b. Feb. 20, 1903, Caroline Hedges Luther b. Oct. 1, 1911; Royal Luther Jr. m. Elizabeth Ramsbottom; ch. Kaye b. May 16, 1932; Caroline Luther m. William Keil, Jr., 1940, ch. Susan b. Dec. 22, 1946, Margot b. July 28, 1950.) Also Norman Church 9 b. March 27, 1883, Dayton 9 b. July 22, 1884, Walter Norris 9 b. Feb. 11, 1890, d. Dec. 16, 1948. Nathan O. 8 m. 2d Hannah Elliston on July 19, 1922, she d. Dec. 16, 1935.

*He was captain of coastwise sailing vessels, a potato farmer, and operated inns in Amagansett and Moriches.

ELIAS MILLER 8 (s. of Jared Dayton 7) b. April 21, 1852, d. Jan. 1917, m. Nov. 15, 1876 Mary J. Morrison (Strong, by adoption) she b. March 1, 1853, d. July 29, 1913; ch. William H. 9 b. at East Marion, L.I., Nov. 3, 1877, d. Oct. 24, 1943; Harry M. 9 b. June 10, 1889, d. June 7, 1950; Raymond M. 9 b. Sept. 10, 1891, d. June 10, 1892.

WILBUR ALFONSO 8 (s. of Jared Dayton 7) b. March 30, 1856 d. June 17, 1945, m. Mary E. Winters b. Oct. 28, 1857 d. Jan. 23, 1919; ch. Jessie May 9 b. Nov. 12, 1882, d. Nov. 25, 1939; Ethel Lee 9 b. Dec. 13, 1884, d. Nov. 9, 1891, and Henry Alfonso 9 b. Dec. 19, 1887.

CARLL HOPPING 8 (s. of Jared Dayton 7) of Montauk, b. June 17, 1857, d. March 21, 1938, m. Jan. 30, 1880 Abigail Hallock Glover b. Cutchogue, L.I., May 3, 1861, d. July 21, 1948; ch. Maud Carleton 9 b. Sept. 11, 1880 d. March 4, 1951; she m. as 2nd w. Joseph Tilton; Carll Wilson 9 b. Oct. 31, 1882, Lizzie F. 9 b. Sept. 9, 1884, d. July 26, 1919, (m. Joseph Tilton, had s. Earl Tilton of Bridgehampton, who m. Mary, dau. Dr. Arnold Mulford), Everett G. 9 b. Oct. 3, 1886, d. Dec. 24, 1951; Hettie Peterson 9 b. March 5, 1889, d. Dec. 2, 1947, m. 1st Ralph Conklin, s. of David Conklin of E.H., who died; m. 2nd Egbert Seabury, had s. Donald Seabury; Wilson Glover 9 b. Jan. 7, 1893; Caroline De Ette 9 b. Oct. 25, 1896 (m. Dec. 26, 1921 John Ivor Edwards from Monmouthshire, England, home Pasadena, Calif.; ch. James Edwards b. Oct. 4, 1922, John I. b. Nov. 21, 1924, d. Aug. 11, 1941; Gloria De Ette b. May 5, 1926).

EDWARD ELLSWORTH 8* (s. of Jared Dayton 7) b. Wainscott Sept. 27, 1861, m. Jennie Amelia Winters Jan. 4, 1885, she b. March 25, 1864, d. Feb. 15, 1920; ch. Sadie Edwards 9 b. East Marion Sept. 3, 1887 (m. William Crutchley of Southampton Oct. 5, 1910; ch. twins Ruth Elizabeth and Marguerite Ann b. May 28, 1912; Howard Hedges b. March 13, 1914; Ethel Jane b. July 6, 1917. Ruth m. Victor G. Mount May 31, 1936; ch. Linda Hedges Mount b. Aug. 20, 1940, Garry Van Doren b. July 10, 1943; Peter Van der Veer b. Aug. 28, 1946. Howard Hedges Crutchley m. Katherine Louise Maguire Oct. 19, 1946, ch. Katherine Ethel b. April 14, 1948. Ethel Jane Crutchley m. James Francis Sanford June 6, 1942; ch. James Francis 3d. b. May 25, 1944, Sally H. b. April 12, 1947, Norman David b. Jan. 19, 1950). Also Percy Taylor Hedges 9 b. May 10, 1892, d. May 24, 1944; Robert Arnold 9 b. Feb. 22, 1899, Russell Ellsworth 9 b. Nov. 28, 1900, d. Aug. 20, 1945.

*Edward Ellsworth Hedges 8 of Wainscott, father and grandfather of this big family is living up to the family tradition for longevity. He looks a spry 70 rather than 90; and celebrated his 89th birthday with an airplane ride and his 90th with a family party for 87.

CHARLES O. 8 (s. of Charles O. 7, Jared 6, Stephen 5, etc.) b. Aug. 28, 1858 d. Feb. 13, 1902, m. March 25, 1885, Martha J. Elliston, b. 1863 d. 1908; ch. Charles Elliston 9 b. Dec. 4, 1888, Edward Gilbert 9 b. Nov. 14, 1890.

HERBERT LEROY 8 (s. of Charles O. 7) b. Jan. 1, 1865 d. Dec. 27, 1947, m. Jan. 3, 1906 Martha Adela, dau. John Osborn, she b. Aug. 31, 1876, d. 1940, ch. Herbert L. 9 b. Oct. 12, 1907.

FRANK JARED 8 (s. of Charles O. 7) b. Nov. 24, 1867, d. April 27, 1944, m. S. Bernice Hopping, dau. J. O. Hopping, July 21, 1892; ch. Arthur F. 9 b. April 26, 1894, d. Feb. 1943.

WILLIAM HAWKINS 8 (s. of Elias Sears 7) b. June 29, 1833, d. Chicago, Ill., Jan. 15, 1917, m. Jan. 11, 1858 Maria Clarke; oldest s. LeRoy Clarke 9 b. Aug. 6, 1859 at Sidney, Iowa.

CASSANDER 8 (s. of David 7) of Sagaponack b. 1834 d. 1901 m. Flora R. Chapman; ch. Isabella 9 who rem. to Norwich, Conn, Edward C. 9 who m. and went West.

DR. DAVID ANSON 8 (s. of David 7) b. Dec. 25, 1835 d. Jan. 1, 1887 m. Frances Higgins; ch. Mabel 9, LeRoy 9.

STEPHEN L. 8* (s. of Deacon Stephen 7) lived on the homestead of William 3, Lily Hill Road, b. July 13, 1815, d. Jan. 14, 1897, m. Minerva Cartwright

March 28, 1841, she b. 1818, d. 1897. He was Supervisor of E.H. Town during Civil War, and Col. of Militia, raised troops. Ch. Frances 9 b. June 30, 1842, d. March 21, 1928, m. Sept. 10, 1861 Albert M. Payne and had s. John Hedges b. Sept. 30, 1862 d. 1938; David E. 9 b. Jan. 10, 1844, d. April 22, 1859; Stephen Lawrence 9 b. March 31, 1846; Henry Dennison 9 b. Nov. 14, 1854, William A. 9 b. May 2, 1857, Nellie Minerva 9 b. June 7, 1859, d. Sept. 28, 1863.

*He was E.H. Town Clerk.

GEORGE 8 (s. of Stephen 7) b. March 19, 1828, d. Jan. 4, 1918, m. 1st Phoebe D., dau. Ezekiel and Fanny Jones, who d. May 19, 1856 ae 24; ch. Fanny J. 9 b. July 7, 1851 and George J. 9 b. March 30, 1856; m. 2nd Adelaide Osborn, dau. Chauncey and Miranda Osborn, who d. Feb. 6, 1905, ae 71. Ch. of 2nd marriage: Ada E. 9 b. Oct. 29, 1867, Mary 9 b. Nov. 5, 1870 d. Sept. 25, 1872; and son b. July 31, 1872 d. Aug. 18, 1872. They lived at Jericho, in one of the houses now owned by Philip Dater.

WILLIAM 8 (s. of Capt. William 7) of E.H. b. March 20, 1839, d. Oct. 22, 1905, m. Mary Elizabeth Baker, Nov. 13, 1862, she b. March 28, 1839 d. Feb. 13, 1927; ch. Mary Buell 9 b. Jan. 29, 1866, d. unmd. April 14, 1926; William Hunting 9 b. June 5, 1868, d. Jan. 1, 1926; Samuel Carl 9* b. Feb. 7, 1870, d. March 31, 1952, unmd.; James Miller 9 b. Sept. 17, 1872 d. April 4, 1873; Ettie Cartwright 9 b. Jan. 28, 1879, m. March 28, 1936 Frank Knox Morton Penny-packer.

*Samuel C. Hedges was for years President of the Neighborhood Association; had been an elder and S.S. Supt. of Presbyterian Church, later becoming a member and vestryman of St. Luke's Episcopal Church.

JAMES M. 8 of E.H. (s. of Capt. William 7) b. Aug. 26, 1830 d. Nov. 7, 1900, m. Catherine Mulford, June 4, 1837; their dau. Phebe E. b. May 21, 1860 m. Jeremiah H. Mulford.

WILLIAM 8 (s. of Benjamin 7) b. Dec. 22, 1819 m. Frances M. Baker, dau. Jeremiah and Phebe Chatfield Baker, she b. 1823 d. Feb. 13, 1854; ch. Mary Althea b. Feb. 27, 1840 d. Aug. 29, 1902 (she m. Charles William Rackett b. March 24, 1833 d. Aug. 22, 1919) Frances Baker Hedges m. 2nd Daniel Osborn of East Hampton and had dau. Phebe Jeanette b. Sept. 12, 1850 who m. Jeremiah Hunting. Charles and Mary Rackett's ch. were Frances Arletta b. Nov. 22, 1857 d. June 1, 1921; Charles William b. July 21, 1860 d. Jan. 18, 1949; Myrtilla E. b. Nov. 29, 1864, d. Mar. 29, 1904; and Everett G. b. July 4, 1867 d. March 8, 1868.

WILLIAM HENRY 8 (s. of Charles O. 7) b. Feb. 5, 1876, m. Jan. 18, 1911 Ella Jane Edwards; ch. Henry 9, Alberta 9, now living in Southampton.

S. FRANK 9* (s. of Samuel P. 8) b. Greenport, N.Y., Dec. 3, 1879 m. June 18, 1918 Emma L. Goosey of Brooklyn; ch. Marian 10 b. May 29, 1919 (m. Ernest J. Eytinge, M.D. Jan. 17, 1919, has s. Jonathan B. b. Dec. 30, 1949; home Everett, Wash.).

*S. Frank Hedges, graduate of Yale, 1903, and N.Y. Law School, for 40 years legal counsel with the U.S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co. in N.Y. has retired and bought a home, Oct. 1951, in Bridgehampton.

WILLIAM J. 9 (s. of Capt. John N. 8) b. Nov. 30, 1878, m. ———. Ch. John Norris 10, b. ———

GEORGE LEROY 9 (s. of Ebenezer D. 8) b. March 23, 1868 d. July 17, 1950 m. Minnie Laura Sanford of Woodbury, Conn., b. March 20, 1871; ch. Hazel E. 10 b. Aug. 11, 1888 d. Feb. 1938, m. William E. Loveday, ch. Donald Wads-

worth Loveday b. Aug. 11, 1910 and Dayton Sanford 10 of Wainscott, b. New Haven, Conn., March 18, 1905.

BENJAMIN CLINTON 9 (s. of Ebenezer D. 8) b. Hedges Lane, Sagg, Jan. 10, 1876 m. Feb. 1, 1900, Mary Elizabeth Talmage; ch. Anna Belle 10, b. June 20, 1901, m. Howard B. Goss of Vermont, ch. Leland Robert Goss b. Jan. 19, 1934, Dorothy Mae Goss b. Dec. 23, 1936.

NORMAN CHURCH 9 (s. of Nathan Osborn 8) b. March 27, 1883 at Bridgehampton, home now Laurel, Del. m. Dec. 28, 1914 Lulu Blanche Fanning b. Jan. 24, 1889; ch. Nathan Edmund 10 b. Sept. 20, 1915 (served in Air Force, World War II); Norman Fanning 10 b. Dec. 22, 1916 (also Air Force, W.W. II); Lillian Fournier 10 b. Dec. 27, 1918 (m. Linford E. Wootter Sept. 11, 1936, has ch. Robert Linford b. April 30, 1938, Alma Jean b. Jan. 7, 1941); Dayton Ketcham 10 b. Jan. 29, 1921 was drowned Sept. 24, 1940 in Peconic Bay, found on Robbins Island; Theresa Elizabeth 10 b. Jan. 22, 1923 (m. Feb. 15, 1945 James L. Murray, ch. Bonnie Lee b. Dec. 24, 1946, Shirley Anne b. April 22, 1949, and Charles Harry b. Nov. 8, 1952); Walter Norris 10 b. May 31, 1924; Mary Louise 10 b. June 24, 1931 (m. John P. Janosik Feb. 3, 1951 and has dau. Linda Kay b. Oct. 28, 1952).

DAYTON 9* (s. of Nathan O. 8, Jared Dayton 7, Jared 6) b. on a farm near Wainscott, L.I., July 22, 1884, rem. to Havana, Cuba; m. Mary Elizabeth McCormick of Brooklyn, N.Y. Oct 23, 1907; ch. James Dayton 10 b. Aug. 30, 1908 in Patchogue, L.I., and Burke Osborn 10 b. in Patchogue March 30, 1912.

*As a young man he made his home in Patchogue and was elected Supervisor of Brookhaven Town at twenty-one, the youngest man ever to hold that office, serving two terms. In 1919 he took his family to Cuba and became a leading industrialist (see *Fortune*, June, 1941; and *Reader's Digest* of July, 1943).

In 1919 pioneering was possible in Cuba. It was a one-crop (sugar) country. He built a large textile mill complete with modern village, including a school, restaurant, shops, dispensary and clubhouse, and free housing for a large number of families among his 3,000 workers according to seniority. In 1937 he instituted a six-hour working day, something unheard of in Cuba at that time. He is the adopted son of three Cuban cities and the name of another town has been legally changed to "Dayton Hedges." He has been decorated several times by the Cuban Government and is the holder of Cuba's highest decoration. On May 20, 1943 a bronze bust of Dayton Hedges was unveiled with great ceremony in the park square at Bauta, a gift of the mill workers and school children. In 1948 he built a rayon factory in Matanzas, Cuba. No cotton having been raised in Cuba since slave days, it was necessary to import cotton for his mill. In 1952 he bought a large ranch and began to grow cotton by modern methods. He also is the owner of Cayo la Rosa—a large ranch where he raises beef cattle.

WALTER NORRIS 9 (s. of Nathan O. 8) b. Feb. 11, 1890, d. Dec. 16, 1948, m. 1st June 3, 1917, Helen Boyle of New York who d. Oct. 1933; he m. 2nd Jane (Jennie) Ross Hedges, widow of Arthur Hedges 9; she has now remarried to George Robinson. Ch.: Helen Irene 10 b. March 31, 1918, d. April 10, 1918; son b. Feb. 16, 1920, d. March 1, 1920.

WILLIAM HERMAN 9 (s. of Elias M. 8) b. Nov. 3, 1877, d. Oct. 24, 1943 at Bridgehampton; m. Oct. 12, 1909 Mabel Sandford, dau. James Lorenzo Sandford; ch. Allen Morrison 10 b. Nov. 3, 1910, Erwin Sandford 10 b. Aug. 14, 1912, Elias Miller 10 b. Sept. 11, 1916, Mary Louise 10 b. Nov. 26, 1927 and James Anthony 10 b. Jan. 19, 1930.

HARRY M. 9 (s. of Elias M. 8) b. June 10, 1889, d. June 7, 1950, m. 1917 Stella Raymond of Sag Harbor; s. Raymond Morrison 10 b. Sept. 8, 1917.

HENRY ALFONSO 9 b. East Marion, L.I. (s. of Wilbur Alfonso 8) Dec. 19,

1887, home Greenport, m. Oct. 14, 1916, Edna Monsell of Greenport, ch. James Wilbur 10 b. Aug. 21, 1924, d. April 2, 1927; Harold Arnold 10 b. Feb. 24, 1932.

CARLL WILSON 9 b. Oct. 31, 1882 (s. of Carll Hopping 8) now of Northeast Harbor, Maine m. 1st. Faith Divine b. 1885 d. Jan. 14, 1936; m. 2nd 1936 to Ruth Jenkins, b. 1891. Ch.: Beatrice Adele 10 b. March 15, 1918, m. Robert Hamish; Elizabeth Laurine 10 b. April 16, 1920.

WILSON GLOVER 9 (s. of Carll Hopping 8) b. Shelter Island Jan. 7, 1893, home Bridgehampton, m. Aug. 8, 1914 Gladys Marie Clark; ch. Anna Clark 10 b. Nov. 20, 1919, m. George Lewis Mott, has 3 ch.

PERCY TAYLOR 9 (s. of Edward Ellsworth 8) b. Wainscott May 10, 1892, d. May 24, 1944; m. Oct. 31, 1920, Helen Lucretia Smith of Sayville, L.I.; ch. Percy Arnold 10 b. Aug. 25, 1923, Mary Jane 10 b. April 19, 1926 (m. March 12, 1945 to Leonard Zabriskie of Butler, N.J.), Evelyn Marjorie 10 b. Jan. 4, 1928 m. April 19, 1946 to Thelta Lamar Bridges of Plainview, Ark.

ROBERT ARNOLD 9 (s. of Edward Ellsworth 8) b. Feb. 22, 1899 m. Lucy Alfred June 11, 1920, no ch.

RUSSELL ELLSWORTH 9 (s. of Edward Ellsworth 8) b. Nov. 28, 1900, d. Aug. 20, 1945, m. Mabel Alfred Dec. 2, 1920; ch. John 10 of Riverhead b. Dec. 21, 1921.

HERBERT LEROY 9 (s. of Herbert L. 8) b. Oct. 12, 1907, m. July 26, 1941 Margaret Velnette Bryan of Bath, N.Y., she b. Nov. 27, 1911; ch. Bryan Robert 10 b. March 16, 1947, Stephen Charles 10 b. Feb. 1, 1949. Home Syracuse and Wainscott. His homestead, on Parsonage Lane and Town Line Rd., has been in family since 1730 or earlier. Mr. Hedges has given considerable help with Hedges dates.

ARTHUR F. 9* (s. of Frank J. 8) b. April 26, 1894 d. Feb. 1943 m. Jennie Mae Ross of Sag Harbor; ch. Elizabeth 10 b. Aug. 31, 1917, m. Oct. 27, 1944 Lawrence W. Nims, home Southampton; they have 1 ch. Robert Lawrence (adopted) b. Dec. 5, 1946; Katharine 10 b. Dec. 18, 1921 m. May 22, 1949 Leon Rauscher; ch. Lee Hedges b. Jan. 17, 1950.

*Served as E.H. Town Clerk.

LEROY CLARKE 9 (s. of William Hawkins 8) b. Aug. 6, 1859 d. Jan. 1934 in Chicago; m. Fanny Howe in 1886; she d. 1889; m. 2nd. Ida Erie Ellis April 28, 1892; s. William Saxby 10 b. Elmwood, Ill. June 21, 1895.

STEPHEN L. 9 (s. of Stephen L. 8) b. March 31, 1846, d. Jan. 10, 1920, m. Julia Bassett of Derby (formerly Birmingham) Conn. and rem. there. Ch. David E. 10, Frances 10, Sarah M. 10, Stephen L. 10, and Harry 10; who all d. in infancy except Stephen L. 10.

HENRY D. 9 (s. of Stephen L. 8) b. Nov. 14, 1854, d. 1920, m. Ellen, dau. Capt. Ezekiel and Hannah Osborn Howes; she b. 1854, d. 1911; ch. Fannie P. 10 b. Sept. 14, 1875, Henry Howes 10 b. July 28, 1885 d.s.p. 1906; Phillip Leonard 10 b. June 20, 1888, d. Sept. 1888. Fannie Payne 10 m. Frank Benjamin Smith Dec. 28, 1907. Ch. Helen Hedges Smith b. Jan. 11, 1909, m. A. Victor Amann Jan. 5, 1935 (ch. Robert Victor b. March 31, 1936; Marjorie Helen b. Aug. 15, 1939; William Smith b. Sept. 8, 1942); and William Henry Smith, b. May 14, 1911, d. Feb. 28, 1913.

WILLIAM A. 9 (s. of Stephen L. 8) b. May 2, 1857, d.s.p. 1899; m.

NORMAN FANNING 10 (s. of Norman Church 9) b. Dec. 22, 1916, m. Iva Ellen Elliott Jan. 11, 1941; ch. Richard Burton 11 b. Dec. 31, 1942, Barbara Ellen 11 b. Aug. 18, 1944, James Dayton 11 b. June 9, 1946, served in Air Force, World War II.

HEDGES

The following has been omitted on page 385, between the line beginning:

WILLIAM A. 9
and the line beginning:
NORMAN FANNING 10

- Nov. 20, 1886, Mary Lucia, dau. Samuel and Lucia Waite Miller Stratton.
- GEORGE J. 9 (s. of George 8) b. March 30, 1856, m. Georgiana J. Corwin, dau. Joseph S. and Emma Corwin; ch. Herbert 10 b. Sept. 24, 1893, Everett F. 10 b. Oct. 21, 1894, d. young; and Phebe J. 10 b. Oct. 31, 1895. Herbert 10 m. Elsie Miller of Sag Harbor and lives in Bridgehampton; no ch. Phebe m. James K. Minnaugh and lives in National City, Calif. where her mother also lives. No ch.
- WILLIAM HUNTTING 9 (s. of William 8) b. June 5, 1868, d. Jan. 1, 1926, m. Julia Parsons Sherrill b. Jan. 30, 1868, d. May 18, 1939, she dau. Nathaniel H. and Adelia Parsons Sherrill; ch. William Sherrill 10 b. Jan. 26, 1890, Kenneth 10 b. Jan. 17, 1892, Dorothy 10 b. July 19, 1894, d. Aug. 20, 1918; Adelia Mary 10 b. Jan. 13, 1897, (m. Oct. 18, 1918 Ray Townsend; home Ossining, N.Y.; ch. Raymond Hedges Townsend b. Sept. 15, 1919, d. March 19, 1923; Dorothy Julia b. Nov. 12, 1922, who m. Raymond W. Verrey 1944 and has ch. Raymond Townsend Verrey b. April 23, 1946 and Robert Allan b. June 22, 1947. Also Anne Louise Townsend b. April 17, 1925 m. Edward C. Denne, June 14, 1947 and has ch. Sherrill Anne b. March 29, 1948, Edward Clarence 3d. b. April 19, 1951. Also Jean Adele Townsend b. Oct. 23, 1927.) Also Anna Parsons 10 b. Oct. 14, 1899, m. Charles Halsey Foster of Sagaponack Aug. 22, 1935; ch. Clifford Hedges Foster b. Jan. 29, 1939, Julia Sherrill Foster b. Nov. 7, 1942.
- JOHN NORRIS 10 (s. of William J. 9, Capt. John Norris 8) ch. Dorothy 11 (who m. Joseph Brennan of Bridgehampton, and had ch. Mildred who m. Alfred Conklin of E.H., Mary, who m. Barclay Keating, Joseph, and Evelyn, who m. William Culver of Southampton.)
- NATHAN EDMUND 10 (s. of Norman Church 9, Nathan 8, etc.) b. Sept. 20, 1915 m. Jennie Wharton Kilman Feb. 2, 1944, ch. Howard Layton 11, b. June 23, 1946.

CAPT. WALTER NORRIS 10* (s. of Norman Church 9, Nathan Osborn 8) b. May 31, 1924, m. Dec. 26, 1949, Eunice Edwina Kirby; ch. Mary Lou 11 b. Dec. 16, 1950, Martha Susan 11 b. Nov. 8, 1951.

*He was decorated 1953 after Korean service for developing new radar techniques supporting Fifth Air Force aerial operations in Korea. Bronze Star. Home Mississippi City, Miss.

JAMES DAYTON 10* (s. of Dayton 9 of Havana, Cuba) b. Aug. 30, 1908 in Patchogue, L.I., m. Muriel Jean Mendels in St. Petersburg, Fla. Feb. 10, 1934; ch. Dayton Walter 11 b. May 1, 1935, Michael Wallace 11 b. June 5, 1938, James McCormick 11 b. July 25, 1942 in Cuba.

*President, first rayon factory built (1948) in Cuba; family-built and owned, situated at Matanzas.

BURKE OSBORN 10* (s. of Dayton 9 of Havana, Cuba) b. March 30, 1912 in Patchogue, L.I., m. 1st Georgia Brown in Atlanta, Georgia, Jan. 1932; ch. Helen Beth 11 b. March 24, 1933, Avis Eleanor 11 b. July 4, 1936, both in Cuba; div. 1941; he m. 2nd. in Miami, Fla. Jan. 7, 1942, Doris Morgan.

*President, family-built and owned cotton mill, in Bauta, Cuba.

ALLEN MORRISON 10 (s. of William Herman 9) b. Nov. 3, 1910 m. June 22, 1931 Miriam Fickieson, ch. Edwin Alfred 11 b. Sept. 17, 1931, Eugene Morrison 11 b. June 3, 1933, Albert Sandford 11 b. Dec. 31, 1934, Florence Allen 11 b. Nov. 12, 1936, David Francis 11 b. Feb. 25, 1939, Thomas William 11 b. Oct. 4, 1940, Ruth Ann 11 b. Oct. 28, 1941, John Herman 11 b. May 23, 1944, Margaret Louise 11 b. April 21, 1950.

ERWIN SANDFORD 10 (s. of William Herman 9) b. Aug. 14, 1912, m. Oct. 18, 1936, Helen Skinner. He served in World War II, 1943-44, wounded, Purple Heart.

ELIAS MILLER 10 (s. of William Herman 9) b. Sept. 11, 1916, m. Jan. 13, 1938 Nellie Butts; ch. Charles Milton 11 b. June 25, 1938, Beverly Louise 11 b. Dec. 10, 1942.

RAYMOND MORRISON 10 (s. of Harry M. 9) b. Sept. 8, 1917, now of Hempstead, L.I., m. June 29, 1940 Dorothy Lester of East Hampton, dau. Edward and Lena Miller Lester; ch. Raymond M. Jr., 11, b. June 19, 1941, Edwin Harry 11, b. Nov. 15, 1945, and Jack 11, b. Dec. 4, 1951.

PERCY ARNOLD 10 (s. of Percy Taylor 9) b. Aug. 25, 1923, m. April 26, 1944, Jean Ingersoll of Sag Harbor.

JOHN 10 of Riverhead, (s. of Russell E. 9) b. Dec. 21, 1921, m. Jan. 23, 1949 Wilma H. Foersch; ch. John Russell 11, b. Dec. 6, 1949, Deborah Sue 11, b. July 12, 1951.

STEPHEN L. 10 (s. of Stephen L. 9) b. Jan. 5, 1878 d. March 27, 1941, m. April 16, 1882 Bertha Dorr of Center Brook, Conn. Ch. Stephen L. 11 of New Haven, Conn. and Dorothy E. 11, not married.

STEPHEN L. 11 (s. of Stephen L. 10) b. New Haven, Conn. Feb. 1, 1911, m. Vera P. Laine b. 1911, in Oct. 1947.

WILLIAM SHERRILL 10 (s. of William H. 9) b. Jan. 26, 1890, m. Aug. 31, 1914, Susan Depew of Peekskill, N.Y.; now living Malvern, Ark. Ch.: Jane Depew 11 b. May 17, 1921 (m. Nov. 17, 1945, William C. Crowell, home Porterdales, Ga.; ch. Sherrill Margaret b. June 11, 1947, William Matthew b. May 6, 1949); Samuel Depew 11 b. Jan. 9, 1923, William Depew 11 b. June 9, 1924, John Depew 11 b. Oct. 25, 1925, Stephen Depew 11 b. March 29, 1929.

KENNETH 10* (s. of William H. 9) b. Jan. 17, 1892, m. July 1, 1916, Irene E. Haig who d. May 19, 1948, ch. Irene Elizabeth 11 b. July 30, 1917, (m. Herbert A. Brown Sept. 21, 1943; ch. Kenneth Herbert b. June 19, 1944; David Hedges b. Feb. 25, 1947); Margaret Julia 11 b. July 22, 1919 (m. Harrison George Schneider July 9, 1941; ch. Harrison George Jr. b. April 26, 1942; Margaret Haig b. June 14, 1945, James Hedges b. April 26, 1951.)

*Has served as Village Trustee for years; now Town Assessor.

SAMUEL DEPEW 11 (s. of William S. 10) b. Jan. 9, 1923, m. Ruby Macom, home Malvern, Ark.; ch. Samuel Carl 12 b. Sept. 19, 1947; Daniel Macom 12 b. Feb. 19, 1949; David Wilkes 12 b. July 22, 1950; Ann Lorraine 12 b. Sept. 15, 1951.

WILLIAM DEPEW 11 (s. of William S. 10) b. June 9, 1924, m. Robbie Farris; ch. William Sherrill 12, b. Dec. 24, 1951.

DAYTON SANFORD 10 (s. of George Leroy 9) b. March 18, 1905 m. June 30, 1926 Evelyn Alice Holbrook; ch. Dayton Sanford 11, b. Aug. 11, 1930 (in U.S. Air Force, N. Africa, 1952), George Holbrook 11 b. Oct. 13, 1932.

Note: George Leroy Hedges 9, b. Sagaponack, went to Gardiner's Island with his father Ebenezer at 14; at 16 he left in a sail boat for New Haven, Conn. where he learned carpenter's trade with John Osborn. Five years later he became a building contractor. He returned to L.I. with his son Dayton Sanford 10 in Nov., 1948.

WILLIAM SAXBY 10 b. June 21, 1895 m. Margaret E. Hasenbalg April 21, 1920; ch. Helen Saxby 11 b. Aug. 2, 1921, m. Donald M. Kidder; Margaret Ann 11, b. May 28, 1925, m. William S. Hedges of Scarsdale, N.Y., descendant of Elias 5 of E.H. has supplied his family line. He says the Hedges farm in northern N.Y. was still in the family 1905 and his family in Illinois used to receive an annual installment of maple sugar from there.

HEDGES NORTHWEST

Quoting H. P. Hedges: "Between Northwest Creek and Three Mile Harbor there was a convenient anchoring ground for outward bound whaling ships, called 'Hedges' Banks.' A farm there was owned by Ebenezer Hedges, (who m. Mehitable Conkling March 20, 1740, d. Sept. 28, 1768), who had a son Ebenezer b. Aug. 17, 1751 and who I think was descended from Isaac 2, s. of William 1, but whose line I have not definitely traced."

EBENEZER HEDGES b. Aug. 17, 1751 d. May 5, 1832, m. Puah Tillinghast, b. Oct. 7, 1767 d. March 31, 1838; ch. Thomas Tillinghast b. May 3, 1795, d. Feb. 19, 1797; Hannah b. Oct. 14, 1796 d. Feb. 21, 1797; Hannah again b. March 13, 1797, d. July 8, 1863*; Thomas Tillinghast b. Oct. 19, 1799, d. Nov. 16, 1886; Lucretia b. Sept. 9, 1802, d. July 8, 1804; Sarah Parsons b. June 29, 1804 d. Nov. 5, 1838; Lydia Simons b. March 26, 1806, d. Oct. 8, 1806; Ebenezer Conkling b. Aug. 7, 1807, d. Dec. 20, 1839; Lydia Simons again b. March 8, 1810, d. March 31, 1832.

*E.H. Town Records, p. 521, Vol. 4 say the Town bought Hannah Hedges' place 1838 at Northwest for a poorhouse.

THOMAS TILLINGHAST (s. of Ebenezer) b. Oct. 9, 1799, d. Nov. 16, 1885, m. 1st Esther Parsons b. March 17, 1809, d. Oct. 7, 1849; ch. Samuel P. b. April 11, 1830, d. July 4, 1851; Joanna A. b. June 26, 1835 m. William L. Polley and d. Aug. 25, 1869; John T., b. July 25, 1832; all by 1st wife. M. 2nd. Nancy Foster, no issue; she d. Bridgehampton Feb. 14, 1901.

JOHN T. b. July 12, 1832 (lived Bridgehampton) m. Johanna T. Horton b. May 20, 1846; ch. Esther Puah Johanna b. April 13, 1868, rem. to Patchogue, L.I., John Ebenezer Samuel b. July 5, 1869; rem. to Rockville Centre, L.I., Beulah Elma b. Sept. 14, 1871 d. Nov. 8, 1871; Frances M. b. Aug. 21, 1874, d. Nov. 18, 1874; and Harry Andrew Thomas b. April, 1879, rem. to Center Moriches, L.I.