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and PERSONAL MEMOIRS

RELATING TO THE FAMILIES  
OF MIDDLESEX COUNTY,  
MASSACHUSETTS

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Florence Agnes Russell, born February 14, 1888, died October 17, 1889; iii. Maud Elmer Russell, born December 11, 1890. 2. Philip Shattuck, born October 8, 1860, married January 13, 1907, Annie Lahey, of South Boston, Massachusetts. 3. Jonas Brown, Jr., mentioned below. 4. George Henry, mentioned below. 5. John Benjamin, mentioned below. 6. Mary Elizabeth, born September 3, 1869, married, June 6, 1889, Charles Frederick Slade, of Belmont, Massachusetts; children: i. Marion Kendall Slade, born July 25, 1894; ii. Esther Slade, born May 4, 1898. 7. Anna Florence, born June 26, 1871. 8. Edith Helen, born May 14, 1879.

(IX) Jonas Brown Kendall, Jr., son of Jonas Brown Kendall, Sr., (8), was born at Watertown, Massachusetts, August 18, 1862. At the age of three years he removed with his parents to Lexington, Massachusetts, where he attended school until he was ten years old, when the family removed to Belmont, Massachusetts, where he completed his schooling. When he was sixteen he worked for his father, driving the milk wagon to Boston. In April, 1888, he and his brothers, Philip, John B., and George H., formed a partnership and bought the milk business of their father, and have ever since been successful. Their place of business is at No. 41 Russell street, and three wagons are required for the serving of the customers. They enjoy the patronage of many of the best families of Cambridge. Mr. Kendall has charge of one of the routes. He resides at No. 7 Bowers avenue, West Somerville. He was reared in the Unitarian church, and is a Republican in politics. He married, June 6, 1906, Florence Bridges Freeman, widow of James Freeman, of Cambridgeport; she was born December 29, 1875, daughter of Esaias Brook and Mary Ann (Gason) Bridges, both natives of Sussex county, England.

(IX) George Henry Kendall, son of Jonas Brown Kendall (8), was born at Lexington, Massachusetts, December 25, 1864. At the age of seven he removed with his parents to Belmont, where he entered the public schools, attending the high school three years. He assisted his father about the farm, and in the milk business, and later drove a wagon to the Boston market for his father. In 1888, he and his brothers bought the milk business from their father, and have conducted it successfully ever since. He conducts a section of their large route, the business being entirely in the city of Boston among the best people.

They supply nearly five hundred patrons. Mr. Kendall is retiring in disposition, devoted to his home and business. He resides at No. 15 Windom street, West Somerville. He and his family attend the Park Avenue Methodist Church. He is a Republican, but has never aspired to public office. He is a member of Caleb Rand Lodge, No. 197, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, at Davis Square, West Somerville. He married, May 29, 1901, Amanda Lousia Johnson, born in the city of Jonkoping, Kingdom of Sweden, August 11, 1874, daughter of Samuel Johan and Sarah Eliza (Johanson) Johanson (or anglicised) Johnson. Her father was a farmer. They have one child, Chester Brown Kendall, born September 4, 1902.

(IX) John Benjamin Kendall, son of Jonas Brown Kendall (8), was born at Lexington, Massachusetts, January 1, 1867. At the age of five his parents removed to Belmont, where he received his education in the public schools, attending the high school nearly four years. He then entered the grocery store of Herbert H. Russell at Waverly, Massachusetts, where he remained seven months as clerk. Subsequently he accepted a position with E. A. Russell, a confectionery manufacturer of Cambridge, as clerk and salesman. He remained in his employ three years and a half, and then went into partnership with his three brothers in the purchase of their father's milk business. Mr. Kendall is the junior partner, and attends to the financial part of the business, acting as secretary and keeping the books for the firm. He resides at No. 25 Russell street, Cambridge, Massachusetts. He and his family attend the Cambridge Universalist church. In politics he is a Republican. He is a member of the New Towne Club of Cambridge, and has served as house officer for the club.

He married, July 22, 1896, Mabel Slade, daughter of Charles Horace Slade, of Belmont, Massachusetts. Her father is one of the best known market gardeners of Belmont. Children: 1. Charles Benjamin, born August 11, 1897. 2. Richard Slade, born May 21, 1901. (See Slade family sketch).

William Shattuck, the progenitor of most of the American families of that name, was born in England in 1622, according to his deposition made April 3, 1660. He was the immigrant ancestor. He died in

Watertown, August 14, 1672, aged fifty years. He was one of the proprietors of Watertown in 1642, and his homestead there was between that of John Clough and William Perry. He added to his original holdings by purchase and grants. He bought John Clough's place July 4, 1654, including house, garden and thirty acres of land on Common Hill, south of the present site of Wellington Hill station of the Fitchburg railroad, east of Common street, leading to Watertown village.

He was a cordwainer or shoemaker, though the genealogy gives his trade as weaver. He removed to Boston in 1652, but returned to Watertown in 1654. He acquired a large property and held a respectable position in society. One of his descendants, Lemuel Shattuck, erected a monument in 1853 over his grave at Watertown, in honor of the emigrant and his son, John Shattuck, who died in the service of his country. His will was dated August 3, and proved August 29, 1672. He bequeathed to his son Samuel Church; to sons John, Philip, William, Benjamin and Samuel; to my ten younger children that are married; to wife Susanna and to each grandchild. The widow married (second) Richard Norcross, who survived her. She died December 11, 1686, at Watertown.

Children: 1. Susannah, born 1643, married J. Morse and J. Fay. 2. Mary, born August 25, 1645, married Jonathan Brown. 3. John, born February 11, 1646-47; married Ruth Whitney; soldier in King Philip's war; was drowned in the Charles river through the capsizing of the ferry boat. 4. Philip, born 1648, mentioned below. 5. Joanna, died April 4, 1673, unmarried. 6. William, born 1653, married Susanna Randall. 7. Rebecca, born 1655, married Samuel Church. 8. Abigail, born 1657, married J. Morse and J. Parker. 9. Benjamin, born in Watertown, died in his twentieth year. 10. Samuel, born February 28, 1666, married Abigail ———.

(II) Dr. Philip Shattuck, son of William Shattuck (1), was born in 1648, died in Watertown, June 26, 1722, aged seventy-three. He lived in Watertown and his farm was near the present Waverly Station of the Fitchburg railroad. He was a physician of eminence and a leading man in the town. He was moderator of town meetings, assessor and treasurer, chairman of selectmen, and held other offices of trust and responsibility. His will was dated January 29 and proved August 30, 1722. As shown by the will, he had two sons named Philip, called Philip of Saybrook

and Philip the younger. The will mentions Isaac as executor, sons Philip of Saybrook, Joseph and Benjamin, son-in-law John Underwood, daughters who married ——— Parkhurst and ——— Norcross, daughter Ann Sanderson, sons Amos and Philip the younger, and granddaughter Rebecca Underwood.

He married, November 9, 1670, Deborah Barstow, who died November 24, 1679, daughter of William and Anna Barstow. Her father died at Dedham, January 1, 1668. He married (second), February 11, 1680, Rebecca Chamberlain, who died in 1728. Her will was dated December 13, 1727, and proved November 19, 1728. The sons Amos and Philip were executors. Children of the first wife: 1. Deborah, born October 10, 1671, died October 19, 1671. 2. Philip, born January 26, 1673, married Margaret Pratt. 3. Susanna, born August 6, 1675, married Nathaniel Norcross. 4. Anna, born December 8, 1677, married William Sanderson. Children of the second wife: 5. Joseph, born August 12, 1681, died November 7, 1683. 6. Rebecca, born March 10, 1683, married John Underwood. 7. Benjamin, born March 15, 1685, mentioned below. 8. Joseph, born March 6, 1687, married Mary Ladd. 9. Nathaniel, born January 14, 1689, married Hepsibah Hastings. 10. Isaac, married Mary ———. 11. Amos, born March 19, 1693. 12. Sarah, born October 26, 1696, married Samuel Parkhurst. 13. Theophilus, born October 19, 1699. 14. Philip, "the younger."

(III) Benjamin Shattuck, son of Dr. Philip Shattuck (2), was born at Watertown, March 15, 1685, died in 1767, aged eighty. He lived on the family estate in Watertown, and was a prominent man. He was constable of Cambridge in 1732. His will was dated September 28, 1730, with a codicil dated December 29, 1754. It was proved December 8, 1767. All the real estate was bequeathed to Rachel and Josiah, and mention was made of Benjamin, Deliverance Fay, and Sarah. Benjamin and Deliverance died before the codicil was executed. He married (first), February 20, 1707, Deliverance Fay, of Marlborough, born October 7, 1686, died at Watertown, January 22, 1711, aged twenty-four years, three months and fifteen days. He married (second), March 27, 1712, Rachel Clark, born April 17, 1683, daughter of Samuel Clark, of Cambridge. Children of the first wife: 1. Deliverance, born December 22, 1707, married Samuel Fay. 2. Benjamin, born January 23, 1709, died unmarried. Children of the second wife: 3.

Sarah, born January 15, 1713, died December 22, 1703. 4. Josiah, born February 20, 1715, mentioned below. 5. Susan, married, January 2, 1741, John White, of Boston. 6. Sarah, born December 27, 1718, married, December 12, 1739, Jonathan Fay, of Westborough.

(IV) Josiah Shattuck, son of Benjamin Shattuck (3), was born at Watertown, February 20, 1715, died at West Cambridge about 1779. He was a farmer and succeeded to the family estate. With David Kendall and others he carried on an extensive business as a dealer in meats, and amassed a large property. He married, March 28, 1744, Abigail Stone, of Lexington, born September 26, 1716, died about 1750, daughter of Joseph and Mary Stone. He married (second), January 11, 1753, Mary Hastings. Children of the first wife: 1. Josiah, born October 13, 1744-45, died young. 2. Benjamin, born February 19, 1746, died unmarried. 3. Susanna, born February 28, 1748, died young. Child of the second wife: 4. Susanna, born December 2, 1756, mentioned below.

(V) Susanna Shattuck, daughter of Josiah Shattuck (4), was born at West Cambridge, Massachusetts, December 2, 1756, died September 9, 1803. She was the only surviving child of her parents, and married at the early age of thirteen years, three months, twenty-three days, April 26, 1770, Joshua Kendall. (See Kendall family sketch herewith).

Thomas Cole came to New England and settled in Salem, Massachusetts. He is recorded as a husbandman in Salem in 1649-50. He probably came in the ship "Mary and John" March 24, 1633, and first settled in Hampton in 1638, and afterwards removed to Salem. He married Ann ———. His will was dated December 15, 1678, and proved April 27, 1679. His widow Ann made her will November 1, 1679, and it was proved May 2, 1681. Children: Abraham, John, born 164—, mentioned below.

(II) John Cole, son of Thomas Cole (1), was born in 164— and was a cooper by trade. He lived in Salem until about 1675, when he removed to Malden, and about 1684 to Lynn, where he died October 8, 1703, intestate. He was one of the inhabitants of Salem who protested against imposts in 1668. He made a will October 5, 1703, which is endorsed "Will not perfect" and was not proved. It had but two witnesses. His son, Samuel Cole, of Boxford, was appointed administrator of the

estate of his widowed mother, Sarah Cole, of Bradford, May 25, 1741. John Cole married (first), Mary Knight, probably daughter of William Knight, May 28, 1667, who died before 1675. He married (second), between 1675 and 1686, Sarah Alsbee. She was tried for witchcraft at Charlestown, and acquitted February 1, 1693. Children: 1. John, born May 18, 1668, in Salem. 2. Thomas, born in Salem, November, 1669, died 1669. 3. Mary, born in Salem, September 1, 1671, living in 1703-04. 4. Hannah, born December 12, 1674, living in 1703. 5. Samuel, born December 27, 1687, mentioned below. 6. Anna, born in Lynn, August 5, 1690, married ——— Sessions before 1728.

(III) Samuel Cole, son of John Cole (2), was born in Lynn, December 27, 1687. He removed to Boxford in 1717, where he died January 20, 1765. He was a farmer in the west parish of Boxford and was taxed in Boxford from 1717 to 1749. He married in 171— Susanna ———, who died July 29, 1785, aged ninety-five years. Children: 1. Samuel. 2. John, mentioned below. 3. Rebecca, married Andrew Bradford, June 16, 1743, and died before 1762. 4. Susanna, married, November 4, 1746, Andrew Bixby; settled in Amherst, New Hampshire, and was living in 1762. 5. Mary, married, January 11, 1757, John Hovey, Jr., was living in 1762.

(IV) John Cole, son of Samuel Cole (3), was probably born in Lynn and went with his parents to Boxford when a child. He resided in Boxford until about 1763, when he removed to Amherst, New Hampshire. He was prominent in town and church affairs. He was a soldier in the Revolution, in Captain John Crosby's company, Colonel Nichol's regiment, in the Rhode Island campaign in 1777. He married (first), April 14, 1746, Abigail Brown, who died March 8, 1747, aged twenty-three. He married (second), December, 1748, Eunice Spofford. Children, born in Boxford, all by the second wife: 1. Abigail, born February 5, 1750. 2. Hannah, born October 7, 1751. 3. John, born June 27, 1753, killed at Bunker Hill. 4. Nathan, baptized February 23, 1755, mentioned below. 5. Priscilla, baptized December 12, 1756.

(V) Nathan Cole, son of John Cole (4), was baptized at Boxford, Massachusetts, February 23, 1755. He removed to Amherst, New Hampshire, with his parents in 1763, and settled about 1792 in Antrim, New Hampshire. He lived first on a farm on Jeremiah hill next west of the town pond. Later he lived on the