

Generation No. 5

87. ANNA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*THOMAS<sup>23</sup>, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1716, and died WFT Est. 1768-1811. She married (1) DANIEL GARDNER WFT Est. 1680-1708, son of JOHN GARDNER and ELIZABETH WELD. She married (2) ANDREW CONANT July 19, 1764, son of LOT CONANT.

More About ANNA PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 06, 1716, Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About DANIEL GARDNER:

Will proved: October 01, 1759

Notes for ANDREW CONANT:

Anna Putnam was his third wife.

Children of ANNA PUTNAM and DANIEL GARDNER are:

- i. DANIEL<sup>25</sup> GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1754-1838; m. EMMA REA, WFT Est. 1754-1797.

More About DANIEL GARDNER:

Baptism: November 12, 1738

- ii. ANNA GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1750-1841; m. BREWER, WFT Est. 1750-1793.

More About ANNA GARDNER:

Baptism: October 08, 1738

- iii. RUTH GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1750-1841; m. ESTES, WFT Est. 1750-1793.

More About RUTH GARDNER:

Baptism: Abt. September 30, 1740

- iv. GEORGE GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1838.

More About GEORGE GARDNER:

Baptism: August 29, 1742

- v. BENJAMIN GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1838.
- vi. EBENEZER GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1838.
- vii. LYDIA GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1750-1841; m. CLARKE, WFT Est. 1750-1793.
- viii. ELIZABETH GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1841.

More About ELIZABETH GARDNER:

Baptism: October 09, 1757

- ix. SARAH GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1841.

More About SARAH GARDNER:

Baptism: October 09, 1757

- x. ESTHER GARDNER, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1841.

More About ESTHER GARDNER:

Baptism: October 09, 1757

- xi. SAMUEL GARDNER, b. March 04, 1736/37; d. WFT Est. 1738-1827.

88. SAMUEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*THOMAS<sup>23</sup>, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1723 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died January 02, 1775 in Lunenburg, Massachusetts. He married SARAH NURSE April 04, 1742, daughter of EBENEZER NURSE and ELIZABETH MITCHELL.

Notes for SAMUEL PUTNAM:

Samuel Putnam, in 1752, was elected one of the first tythingmen chosen by the new town of Danvers. On 4 September, 1757, he was chosen deacon of the church, but soon afterward removed to Lunenburg and was chosen deacon of the church there. He was selectman of Lunenburg, 1767-1779.

It is possible he had a daughter Martha, born 9 September, 1743.

Samuel Putnam died at age of 52.

More About SAMUEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: January 05, 1723/24, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Title: Deacon

Notes for SARAH NURSE:

Sarah Nurse was living in 1777.

Children of SAMUEL PUTNAM and SARAH NURSE are:

229. i. MARTHA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. September 09, 1742, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. September 03, 1821.
- ii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. November 24, 1744, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1745-1838.

More About ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Christened: Salem Village, Massachusetts

- iii. THOMAS PUTNAM, b. November 10, 1746, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. December 26, 1747.

More About THOMAS PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

iv. SARAH PUTNAM, b. November 10, 1748, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. July 11, 1787; m. NURSE, WFT Est. 1762-1783.

More About SARAH PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

v. RUTH PUTNAM, b. March 28, 1751, Lunenburg, Massachusetts; d. August 20, 1812, Burlington; m. ABEL WYMAN, October 20, 1772.

More About RUTH PUTNAM:  
Baptism: March 31, 1751, Salem Village, Massachusetts

vi. ANNA PUTNAM, b. May 08, 1753, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. June 08, 1753.

More About ANNA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

vii. MITCHELL PUTNAM, b. June 13, 1754, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. June 25, 1754, Salem Village, Massachusetts.

More About MITCHELL PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

viii. MARY PUTNAM, b. July 04, 1755, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. September 20, 1789; m. BUTLER, WFT Est. 1769-1786.

More About MARY PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

ix. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. May 04, 1757, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. May 26, 1758.

More About SAMUEL PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

x. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. July 30, 1759, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. August 12, 1759.

More About SAMUEL PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

xi. ANNA PUTNAM, b. July 30, 1759, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1760-1853, New Hampshire.

More About ANNA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

230. xii. ELIJAH PUTNAM, b. June 07, 1761, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. August 11, 1825.

xiii. LUCY PUTNAM, b. November 15, 1764, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. August 03, 1807; m. PATERSON, WFT Est. 1778-1801.

xiv. CLARISA PUTNAM, b. January 09, 1768, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. May 11, 1794; m. FROST, WFT Est. 1782-1793.

**89.** RUTH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*THOMAS<sup>23</sup>, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1727, and died WFT Est. 1759-1821. She married (1) SAMUEL KIMBALL WFT Est. 1741-1774. She married (2) PHILIP PRESTON June 29, 1747, son of JOHN PRESTON and ELIZABETH.

More About RUTH PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 22, 1727, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of RUTH PUTNAM and SAMUEL KIMBALL are:

- i. PETER<sup>25</sup> KIMBALL, b. November 26, 1752; d. WFT Est. 1753-1842.
- ii. BETTY KIMBALL, b. September 26, 1754; d. WFT Est. 1755-1848.
- iii. RUTH KIMBALL, b. February 03, 1757; d. WFT Est. 1758-1851.

**90.** ELIZABETH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*TIMOTHY<sup>23</sup>, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 01, 1721 in Newbury, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1750-1815. She married NATHAN BAILEY April 28, 1744 in Tewksbury, Massachusetts, son of DANIEL BAILEY and EXPERIENCE PUTNAM.

Children of ELIZABETH PUTNAM and NATHAN BAILEY are:

- i. NATHAN<sup>25</sup> BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1746-1847.

More About NATHAN BAILEY:  
Baptism: June 03, 1744

- ii. BETTY BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.
- iii. BETTY BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About BETTY BAILEY:  
Baptism: August 11, 1745

- iv. EXPERIENCE BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About EXPERIENCE BAILEY:  
Baptism: March 22, 1746/47

- v. HANNAH BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About HANNAH BAILEY:  
Baptism: April 02, 1749

- vi. SUSANNAH BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1739-1749; d. July 09, 1750.
- vii. ELEANOR BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About ELEANOR BAILEY:  
Baptism: July 14, 1751

- viii. MOLLY BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About MOLLY BAILEY:  
Baptism: June 03, 1753

- ix. PATIENCE BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About PATIENCE BAILEY:

Baptism: April 05, 1755

91. EBENEZER<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SETH<sup>23</sup>, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 08, 1719 in Billerica, Massachusetts, and died February 02, 1782 in Charlestown, New Hampshire. He married MARY PARKER WFT Est. 1736-1768.

Notes for EBENEZER PUTNAM:

Ebenezer Putnam was early in Number Four or what is now Charlestown, being one of the Grantees. He was there in 1745, and in 1746 was on Colonel Josiah Willard's roll of the company stationed at Fort Dummer ; also in 1748 and several of the following years. He also served under Captain Phineas Stevens. The early settlers of Number Four had to contend with the French and Indians, who were constantly hovering about these frontier posts on the Connecticut.

Fort Dummer was a post established by Massachusetts to protect her frontier and when, in 1745, New Hampshire, having previously obtained a grant of this country from the King, refused to garrison the post on the Connecticut, Massachusetts sent troops to Fort Dummer, under Captain Willard, and later a troop of Rangers under Captain Stevens to Number Four. Shortly after Captain Stevens' arrival, that place repulsed a fierce Indian attack. Many of the troops under both captains were former settlers from Massachusetts, in that section of the country, among them the Putnams.

Ebenezer Putnam helped to form the first church at Number Four, and was one of the first ten male members. He was also their first deacon. He was selectman in 1755, '56, '61, '65, and moderator 1765, '66, '69.

Children of EBENEZER PUTNAM and MARY PARKER are:

- i. SETH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. August 14, 1746, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. September 26, 1746.
- ii. MARY PUTNAM, b. January 04, 1747/48, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. August 12, 1762.
231. iii. RUTH PUTNAM, b. January 13, 1749/50, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. 1823, Canada.
232. iv. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. January 25, 1751/52, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. 1824, Middlesex, Vermont.
233. v. SETH PUTNAM, b. August 09, 1754, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. February 10, 1848, Middlesex, Vermont.
234. vi. LEVI PUTNAM, b. February 11, 1757, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. February 22, 1836, Charlestown, New Hampshire.
235. vii. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. May 15, 1759, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. 1819, Charlestown, New Hampshire.
236. viii. PAMELIA PUTNAM, b. May 25, 1761, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. 1831, Charlestown, New Hampshire.
- ix. MARY PUTNAM, b. April 22, 1763, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. October 08, 1781.
- x. ISAAC PUTNAM, b. May 06, 1765, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1766-1855.
237. xi. ISAAC PUTNAM, b. May 27, 1766, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. January 24, 1766.
238. xii. TERZA PUTNAM, b. August 04, 1768, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1786-1862.
239. xiii. JACOB PUTNAM, b. March 18, 1771, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. May 29, 1844.
240. xiv. BENJAMIN PUTNAM, b. December 27, 1775, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1823-1867.

92. RUTH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SETH<sup>23</sup>, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 11, 1720 in Billerica, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1752-1814. She married PETER LARRABEE October 03, 1746.

More About RUTH PUTNAM:

Title: Charlestown, New Hampshire

Notes for PETER LARRABEE:

Peter Larrabee, Sr., was taken prisoner by the Indians in 1754, but escaped, and afterwards became one of the most prominent men in Charlestown, New Hampshire.

Children of RUTH PUTNAM and PETER LARRABEE are:

- i. RUTH<sup>25</sup> LARRABEE, b. 1747; d. WFT Est. 1748-1841.
- ii. ELIZABETH LARRABEE, b. 1749; d. WFT Est. 1750-1843.
- iii. PETER LARRABEE, b. 1750; d. WFT Est. 1767-1840; m. SARAH KENNEDY, WFT Est. 1767-1800.

93. THOMAS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SETH<sup>23</sup>, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 22, 1728 in Billerica, Massachusetts, and died August 20, 1814 in Charlestown, New Hampshire. He married RACHEL WETHERBEE January 24, 1754 in Lunenburg, Massachusetts, daughter of EPHRAIM WETHERBEE and JOANNA BELLOWS.

Notes for THOMAS PUTNAM:

Thomas Putnam took part in the French and Indian Wars as soon as he was able to bear arms, for in 1750 we find his name on the roll of Captain Stevens' company at Number Four. Shortly after this we find him settled in Lunenburg, but in 1759 he is again at Charlestown. He marched from Acworth to Bennington in August, 1777, in Captain Abel Walker's company and may have taken part in the Battle of Bennington, where, according to Stark, "had every man been an Alexander, or a Charles of Sweden, they could not have behaved better."

In civil and religious affairs Thomas Putnam was more prominent ; he was one of the first members of the church at Charlestown and after their decon. After his return to Charlestown from Acworth, where he had gone in 1771 to live in the southern part of the town, he was standing moderator of the church meetings from 1793. During his residence in both towns he was constantly in office. In Acworth he was the first justice of the peace, likewise the first miller for he built the first grist mill erected there. Moderator of Acworth town meetings in 1775, 1779. Selectman 1772, '73, '75, '76, '78, the most important years of the Revolution. He was also deacon in the Acworth church.

Children of THOMAS PUTNAM and RACHEL WETHERBEE are:

241. i. ABIGAIL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1751-1798; d. WFT Est. 1820-1886.
- ii. HESPIDETH PUTNAM, b. February 02, 1755, Lunenburg, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1756-1845.
- iii. SUSANNAH PUTNAM, b. September 16, 1756, Lunenburg, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1757-1850.

Notes for SUSANNAH PUTNAM:

Susannah Putnam's twin is Seth Putnam.

242. iv. SETH PUTNAM, b. September 16, 1756, Lunenburg, Massachusetts; d. September 03, 1827, Dorchester, Massachusetts.
- v. THOMAS PUTNAM, b. February 27, 1758, Lunenburg, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1759-1848.
- vi. EPHRAIM PUTNAM, b. October 16, 1759, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. October 16, 1769.
- vii. RACHEL PUTNAM, b. April 09, 1761, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1775-1855; m. JAMES THURBER, WFT Est. 1775-1808.
- viii. JOANNA PUTNAM, b. December 30, 1763, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1777-1857; m. SAMUEL WILLARD, WFT Est. 1777-1810.

Notes for JOANNA PUTNAM:

Married Samuel Willard. She was his second wife ; they had twelve children.

243. ix. ABIJAH PUTNAM, b. January 31, 1765, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. May 22, 1842.
244. x. ABEL PUTNAM, b. June 29, 1766, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1807-1857.

xi. HEPSY PUTNAM, b. 1767, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1768-1861.

Notes for HEPSY PUTNAM:  
Hepsy Putnam died unmarried.

245. xii. ELISHA PUTNAM, b. 1768, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1806-1859.  
xiii. EPHRAIM PUTNAM, b. June 09, 1770, Charlestown, N.H.; d. WFT Est. 1771-1860.

Notes for EPHRAIM PUTNAM:  
Ephraim Putnam never married.

246. xiv. MARTHA PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1751-1788, Acworth; d. WFT Est. 1812-1874.  
xv. DOROTHY PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1750-1776, Acworth; d. WFT Est. 1755-1859.  
xvi. ASA PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1750-1776, Acworth; d. WFT Est. 1755-1859.

94. TIMOTHY<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SETH<sup>23</sup>, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 25, 1732 in Billerica, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1775-1824 in Charlestown, New Hampshire. He married SUSANNA BADGER WFT Est. 1748-1783.

Notes for TIMOTHY PUTNAM:

Timothy Putnam was a member of Colonel Bellow's Regiment which marched in May, 1777, to reinforce Ticonderoga, and again in June of the same year, but found the fort had been evacuated.

A certain Ensign Timothy Putnam reported the details of his scout about Lake Champlain to Captain Rogers in 1755.

Notes for SUSANNA BADGER:

Susanna Badger, who perhaps married, second, (Published 19 Dec.), 1790, Josiah Hart of Charlestown, New Hampshire. Mr. Hart's first wife was Mehitable. Children by Susanna were thirteen by number. See Hist. Charlestown, where a curious error is made.

More About SUSANNA BADGER:

Title: Charlestown, New Hampshire

Children of TIMOTHY PUTNAM and SUSANNA BADGER are:

247. i. TIMOTHY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 04, 1760, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. Abt. 1835, Charlestown, New Hampshire.  
248. ii. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. June 14, 1762, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. December 20, 1848, Charlestown, New Hampshire.  
249. iii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. June 04, 1764, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. June 09, 1848, Montpelier, Vermont.  
iv. EXPERIENCE PUTNAM, b. February 03, 1766; d. May 27, 1844.  
v. SARAH PUTNAM, b. June 14, 1768; d. WFT Est. 1795-1862; m. LUTHER SPENCER, 1789.  
250. vi. BAILEY PUTNAM, b. March 03, 1770, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. September 1827.  
251. vii. DAVID PUTNAM, b. June 07, 1772, Charlestown, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1804-1863.

95. DAVID<sup>24</sup> BAILEY (*EXPERIENCE<sup>23</sup> PUTNAM, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 18, 1716/17, and died December 23, 1803 in Jeffry, New Hampshire. He married ELIZABETH DOLE February 22, 1737/38.

Child of DAVID BAILEY and ELIZABETH DOLE is:

252. i. JONATHAN<sup>25</sup> BAILEY, b. 1740; d. 1809.

96. NATHAN<sup>24</sup> BAILEY (*EXPERIENCE<sup>23</sup> PUTNAM, THOMAS<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 11, 1721 in Newbury, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1750-1812. He married ELIZABETH PUTNAM April 28, 1744 in Tewksbury, Massachusetts, daughter of TIMOTHY PUTNAM and ELEANOR DOARE.

Children of NATHAN BAILEY and ELIZABETH PUTNAM are:

i. NATHAN<sup>25</sup> BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1746-1847.

More About NATHAN BAILEY:  
Baptism: June 03, 1744

ii. BETTY BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.  
iii. BETTY BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About BETTY BAILEY:  
Baptism: August 11, 1745

iv. EXPERIENCE BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About EXPERIENCE BAILEY:  
Baptism: March 22, 1746/47

v. HANNAH BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About HANNAH BAILEY:  
Baptism: April 02, 1749

vi. SUSANNAH BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1739-1749; d. July 09, 1750.  
vii. ELEANOR BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About ELEANOR BAILEY:  
Baptism: July 14, 1751

viii. MOLLY BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About MOLLY BAILEY:  
Baptism: June 03, 1753

ix. PATIENCE BAILEY, b. WFT Est. 1740-1768; d. WFT Est. 1745-1850.

More About PATIENCE BAILEY:

Baptism: April 05, 1755

97. HOLYOKE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*EDWARD<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 27, 1706 in Salem Village, Massachusetts<sup>8</sup>, and died WFT Est. 1759-1798. He married (1) EUNICE HUTCHINSON September 1731 in Middleton, Massachusetts, daughter of JOHN HUTCHINSON and HANNAH HOWARD. He married (2) ESTHER LOVELL May 04, 1742, daughter of THOMAS LOVELL and MARTHA HERRICK.

Notes for HOLYOKE PUTNAM:

Holyoke Putnam was dismissed from the church at Middleton, Massachusetts, where he had formerly lived, to the church in Sutton, Massachusetts, in March, 1744. This is probably about the time of his settlement in Sutton. He chose to settle in that part of the town now forming a part of Millbury having been set off from Sutton in 1813.

More About HOLYOKE PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: March 1743/44, Sutton, Massachusetts

Baptism: September 29, 1706, Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About ESTHER LOVELL:

Title: Sutton

Children of HOLYOKE PUTNAM and EUNICE HUTCHINSON are:

- i. EUNICE<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. September 04, 1732, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1733-1826.
- ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. October 06, 1735, Sutton ??, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1763-1829; m. ELEAZER BATEMAN, November 08, 1757.
253. iii. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. September 07, 1738, probably Sutton, Massachusetts; d. May 04, 1808, Bethel, Vermont.
- iv. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. April 26, 1741; d. WFT Est. 1742-1835.

Children of HOLYOKE PUTNAM and ESTHER LOVELL are:

- v. MARTHA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 27, 1743; d. WFT Est. 1744-1837.
- vi. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. February 10, 1744/45; d. WFT Est. 1746-1839.
- vii. SUSANNA PUTNAM, b. August 16, 1747; d. WFT Est. 1748-1841.
- viii. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. April 19, 1749; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.
254. ix. EZRA PUTNAM, b. November 02, 1751; d. July 01, 1841, Bethel, Vermont.
255. x. THOMAS PUTNAM, b. July 01, 1754, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1784-1845.
- xi. MARY PUTNAM, b. April 05, 1758; d. WFT Est. 1759-1852.

98. EDWARD<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*EDWARD<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 30, 1711 in Salem Village, Massachusetts<sup>8</sup>, and died February 17, 1800 in Sutton, Massachusetts. He married RUTH FULLER December 03, 1734, daughter of JOHN FULLER and PHEBE SYMONDS.

Notes for EDWARD PUTNAM:

He and his wife were dismissed from the church in Middleton, Massachusetts, to the church in Sutton, Massachusetts, in 1744. It is presumed that either in 1742 or 1743, he had established his home there; there are evidences of his having been in Sutton as early as 1737, although he was taxed in Middleton as late as 1739.

In 1774, "Voted to send to send Edward Putnam as a delegate to meet the General Congress when and where they shall meet." (Sutton Town Records)

The original farm where Edward first settled was owned (1907) by a descendant, Mrs. Harriet Augusta Putnam, wife of Peter Holland Putnam, a great Granddaughter of Edward's youngest son, Asa, having inherited the farm from her father Bradford Putnam. On page 225 of the History of Sutton, there is a wood-cut of the house now standing on the place.

More About EDWARD PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: 1744, Sutton, Massachusetts

Baptism: June 30, 1711, Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About RUTH FULLER:

Admitted Church: 1744, Sutton

Children of EDWARD PUTNAM and RUTH FULLER are:

256. i. JOHN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. August 25, 1735, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. January 13, 1809, Sutton, Massachusetts.
- ii. ANDREW PUTNAM, b. 1738; d. WFT Est. 1739-1828.

More About ANDREW PUTNAM:

Baptism: 1738, Middleton, Massachusetts

- iii. STEPHEN PUTNAM, b. April 20, 1739; d. WFT Est. 1740-1829.

Notes for STEPHEN PUTNAM:

Stephen was killed in the French and Indian War.

More About STEPHEN PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: French & Indian War

257. iv. RUTH PUTNAM, b. June 06, 1741; d. December 28, 1811.
258. v. ARCHELAUS PUTNAM, b. February 16, 1742/43, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. January 14, 1809, Rutland, Massachusetts.
- vi. PHOEBE PUTNAM, b. November 02, 1745; d. WFT Est. 1772-1839; m. NATHANIEL RICH, September 25, 1766.
259. vii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. March 12, 1746/47; d. WFT Est. 1789-1842.
260. viii. MARY PUTNAM, b. 1750; d. 1796.
261. ix. DAVID PUTNAM, b. July 01, 1752, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. March 21, 1840, Croyden, New Hampshire.
262. x. CALEB PUTNAM, SR., b. October 27, 1754, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1798-1846, Croydon, New Hampshire.
263. xi. PETER PUTNAM, b. May 29, 1757, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. November 22, 1827.
264. xii. LUCY PUTNAM, b. June 02, 1760; d. 1841, Sutton, Massachusetts.
265. xiii. ASA PUTNAM, b. April 30, 1763, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Aft. 1816.

99. MARY<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*EDWARD<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 19, 1716<sup>8</sup>, and died WFT Est. 1750-1811. She married EBEN FLINT April 26, 1737, son of EBEN FLINT and GERTRUDE POPE.

Notes for MARY PUTNAM:

Married previous to 1755, \_\_\_\_\_ Flint ; probably the Mary who married 26 Apr., 1737, Eben, son of Eben and Gertrude (Pope) Flint of Dracut.

Children:

Molly  
Miles  
Nehemiah  
David  
Elijah b. 15 Nov., 1747  
Samuel  
Simeon slain in battle of White Plains

More About MARY PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 10, 1716/17, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of MARY PUTNAM and EBEN FLINT are:

- i. MOLLY<sup>25</sup> FLINT, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1841.
- ii. MILES FLINT, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1838.
- iii. NEHEMIAH FLINT, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1838.
- iv. DAVID FLINT, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1838.
- v. SAMUEL FLINT, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1838.
- vi. SIMEON FLINT, b. WFT Est. 1734-1757; d. WFT Est. 1739-1838.

More About SIMEON FLINT:

Cause of Death: slain in the Battle of White Plains

- vii. ELIJAH FLINT, b. November 15, 1747; d. WFT Est. 1748-1837.

**100.** EUNICE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*EDWARD<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 13, 1719 in Middleton, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1754-1814. She married THOMAS LOVELL September 19, 1743, son of THOMAS LOVELL and MARTHA HERRICK.

Notes for EUNICE PUTNAM:

Eunice and Thomas Lovell removed to Sutton, Massachusetts, about 1742

More About EUNICE PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of EUNICE PUTNAM and THOMAS LOVELL are:

- i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> LOVELL, b. August 22, 1744, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1780-1839; m. JOSIAH WAITE, March 15, 1775.
- ii. JOHN LOVELL, b. August 08, 1746, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1747-1836.
266. iii. EZRA LOVELL, b. March 29, 1749, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1790-1840.
- iv. EUNICE LOVELL, b. October 02, 1751; d. WFT Est. 1752-1845.

**101.** ABIGAIL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*EDWARD<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 11, 1720 in Middleton, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1766-1815. She married ISRAEL CURTIS April 25, 1744 in Middleton, Massachusetts, son of THOMAS CURTIS and PHEBE GOULD.

More About ABIGAIL PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About ISRAEL CURTIS:

Will dated: April 02, 1776

Children of ABIGAIL PUTNAM and ISRAEL CURTIS are:

267. i. RUTH<sup>25</sup> CURTIS, b. February 17, 1744/45, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1776-1839.
- ii. ELI CURTIS, b. October 27, 1745, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1762-1835; m. SUSANNA WILKINS, WFT Est. 1762-1795.
- iii. ANDREW CURTIS, b. February 27, 1748/49, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839, Andover, Massachusetts.

Notes for ANDREW CURTIS:

Andrew Curtis was killed by lightning as a young man.

More About ANDREW CURTIS:

Cause of Death: lightning

- iv. DUDLEY CURTIS, b. February 12, 1750/51, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1783-1842; m. SARAH MARBLE, July 16, 1777.

Notes for DUDLEY CURTIS:

They removed from Middleton, Massachusetts.

- v. ISRAEL CURTIS, b. October 20, 1754, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1771-1844; m. ELIZABETH WILKINS, WFT Est. 1771-1804.
- vi. LEVI CURTIS, b. November 12, 1756, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1757-1846.

Notes for LEVI CURTIS:

Probably died young.

- vii. SARAH CURTIS, b. February 25, 1759, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1760-1853.
- viii. BETTY CURTIS, b. June 22, 1764; d. WFT Est. 1792-1858; m. DANIEL BARNARD, July 02, 1786.

**102.** MILES<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*EDWARD<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 05, 1725 in Middleton, Massachusetts, and died April 19, 1800 in Grafton, Vermont. He married RACHEL WILKINS September 23, 1747 in Middleton, Massachusetts.

Notes for MILES PUTNAM:

Miles Putnam lived in Middleton until 1757, when he moved his family to Harvard ; from there he went to Winchendon where he was in 1772, for on 23 August, 1772, the church at Middleton dismissed him, and his wife Rachel, to the church at Winchendon. From Winchendon, they removed to Tomlinson and, finally, about 1783, to Grafton, Vermont.

More About MILES PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 05, 1725, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of MILES PUTNAM and RACHEL WILKINS are:

268. i. DANIEL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1746-1775, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. September 30, 1802, Grafton, Vermont.
- ii. RUTH PUTNAM, b. January 16, 1746/47, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1748-1841.
269. iii. AARON PUTNAM, b. May 05, 1751, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. March 22, 1813.
- iv. SUSANNA PUTNAM, b. June 22, 1753, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1754-1847.
270. v. EDWARD PUTNAM, b. August 20, 1755, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. December 02, 1843, Grafton, Vermont.
- vi. RACHEL PUTNAM, b. September 06, 1757, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1758-1851.

Notes for RACHEL PUTNAM:

Rachel Putnam was living in Rindge, New Hampshire in 1848.

271. vii. MARY PUTNAM, b. January 09, 1760; d. WFT Est. 1761-1854.
- viii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. August 12, 1767, Harvard; d. September 27, 1810, Grafton, Vermont.
272. ix. MILES PUTNAM, b. July 06, 1774, Winchendon; d. December 25, 1827, Plainfield, New Jersey.

**103.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*EDWARD<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 23, 1727 in Middleton, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1763-1822. She married AMOS FULLER May 08, 1746, son of JOSEPH FULLER and SUSANNA DOWMAN.

Notes for HANNAH PUTNAM:

Removed to Wilton, New Hampshire, before the incorporation of that town.

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

Notes for AMOS FULLER:

Removed to Wilton, New Hampshire, before the incorporation of that town. In the History of Wilton, Amos Fuller is said to have had three sons, Amos, Enoch and Aaron.

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and AMOS FULLER are:

- i. AMOS<sup>25</sup> FULLER, b. WFT Est. 1742-1769; d. WFT Est. 1748-1849.
- ii. AARON FULLER, b. WFT Est. 1742-1769; d. WFT Est. 1748-1849.
- iii. SUSANNA FULLER, b. May 11, 1747, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1748-1841.
- iv. SARAH FULLER, b. November 15, 1749, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1763-1843; m. JOHN NICHOLS, WFT Est. 1763-1796.

Notes for SARAH FULLER:

In 1775 said to be "daughter of Amos Fuller of Wilton, New hampshire."

More About JOHN NICHOLS:

Title: Deacon

273. v. ENOCH FULLER, b. February 13, 1754, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1835.
- vi. EUNICE FULLER, b. February 24, 1756, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1757-1850.
- vii. JOSEPH FULLER, b. July 21, 1760, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1761-1850.

**104.** ELISHA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 02, 1715 in Topsfield, Massachusetts, and died 1758 in or near, Crown Point. He married LYDIA CHASE March 03, 1741/42, daughter of PHILIP CHASE and MARY FOLLANSBEE.

Notes for ELISHA PUTNAM:

Elisha Putnam was born in Topsfield, Massachusetts, that part now Middleton. He lived in Sutton, Massachusetts, or in that part of the town now called Oxford. During the French and Indian War he served in the Provincial army and during the campaign of 1758 against Ticonderoga, he lost his life. Great numbers of the Provincial troops were killed or lost during this campaign, as the commander of the expedition, General Abercrombie, was not only a coward in battle but an incompetent leader. The assault on Ticonderoga was continued all day by the Provincials and Regulars and over 1,900 were slain.

More About ELISHA PUTNAM:

Baptism: January 08, 1715/16

Cause of Death: Ticonderoga War

More About LYDIA CHASE:

Title: .

Children of ELISHA PUTNAM and LYDIA CHASE are:

274. i. ANDREW<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. May 02, 1742, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Abt. 1812, Townsend, Massachusetts.
275. ii. ELISHA PUTNAM, b. December 04, 1745, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. May 25, 1784.
- iii. ANTIPAS PUTNAM, b. July 24, 1747, Grafton, Massachusetts; d. 1764, Havana.
276. iv. JOKTON PUTNAM, b. May 01, 1750, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1787-1841, probably Gloucester, Rhode Island.
277. v. LUKE PUTNAM, b. October 05, 1755, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1794-1846.
278. vi. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. January 07, 1758, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. July 22, 1818, Buckland, Massachusetts.

**105.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 04, 1717 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1760-1812. She married JONATHAN DUDLEY August 18, 1736 in Sutton, Massachusetts, son of SAMUEL DUDLEY and ABIGAIL (KING?).

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 08, 1717

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and JONATHAN DUDLEY are:

- i. JONATHAN<sup>25</sup> DUDLEY, b. March 22, 1737/38; d. WFT Est. 1739-1828.
- ii. HANNAH DUDLEY, b. January 20, 1739/40; d. WFT Est. 1741-1834.

- iii. JOHN DUDLEY, b. August 20, 1743; d. WFT Est. 1744-1833.
- iv. PRUDENCE DUDLEY, b. May 04, 1747; d. WFT Est. 1748-1841.
- v. ANNE DUDLEY, b. April 09, 1753; d. WFT Est. 1754-1847.
- vi. SAMUEL DUDLEY, b. January 04, 1755; d. WFT Est. 1756-1845.
- vii. PETER DUDLEY, b. January 10, 1758; d. September 08, 1836.

**106.** NEHEMIAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA*<sup>23</sup>, *EDWARD*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born March 22, 1718/19 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died November 27, 1791 in Sutton, Massachusetts. He married SARAH MANNING October 05, 1742 in Sutton, Massachusetts.

More About NEHEMIAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 29, 1719

More About SARAH MANNING:

Title: Sutton, Mass.

Children of NEHEMIAH PUTNAM and SARAH MANNING are:

- 279. i. AARON<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. March 23, 1743/44, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. October 03, 1777, Brookfield.
- ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. March 10, 1745/46; d. WFT Est. 1747-1840.
- iii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. July 26, 1748; d. WFT Est. 1778-1842; m. JONATHAN WILLARD, November 25, 1773.
- 280. iv. RACHEL PUTNAM, b. April 17, 1750; d. WFT Est. 1768-1844.
- v. SUSANNA PUTNAM, b. January 19, 1751/52; d. WFT Est. 1777-1846; m. JOHN FULLER, March 26, 1771.
- vi. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. December 04, 1753; d. WFT Est. 1779-1847; m. BENJAMIN SHUMWAY, April 04, 1773.
- 281. vii. REUBEN PUTNAM, b. April 09, 1757, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. June 1797, Sutton, Massachusetts.
- 282. viii. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. September 20, 1760, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1792-1851, Sutton, Massachusetts.
- 283. ix. BENJAMIN PUTNAM, b. September 20, 1760, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1834.

**107.** JONATHAN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA*<sup>23</sup>, *EDWARD*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born July 19, 1721 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1765-1813 in Sutton, Massachusetts. He married ANNE CHASE November 03, 1743, daughter of PHILIP CHASE and MARY FOLLANSBEE.

Notes for JONATHAN PUTNAM:

Jonathan Putnam was carried to Sutton by his father, and lived there always. He built a grist mill which the Sutton Cranberry Company now own. This property with the water privilege descended through his son Captain Francis, to the latter's son Silas who sold it.

More About JONATHAN PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 03, 1721

Will dated: May 10, 1791

Will proved: March 06, 1798

Notes for ANNE CHASE:

Daughter of Philip and Mary (Follansbee) Chase, and widow of Nathaniel Stockwell. Nathaniel Stockwell, senior died 2 April, 1741.

Children by Nathaniel & Anne:

Nathaniel b. 1 Apr., 1741

More About ANNE CHASE:

Title: Sutton, Mass.

Children of JONATHAN PUTNAM and ANNE CHASE are:

- i. JOHN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1738-1767, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1745-1846.
- 284. ii. ADONIAH PUTNAM, b. October 06, 1744, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1790-1836, Guilford center, Vermont.
- 285. iii. MARY PUTNAM, b. December 25, 1755, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1794-1850.
- 286. iv. FRANCIS PUTNAM, b. September 24, 1758, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1806-1850, Sutton, Massachusetts.
- 287. v. JONATHAN FOLLANSBEE PUTNAM, b. May 09, 1763, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. October 30, 1858, Sutton, Massachusetts.

**108.** SUSANNA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA*<sup>23</sup>, *EDWARD*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1723 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1772-1818. She married (1) JOHN WHIPPLE WFT Est. 1739-1779. She married (2) TIMOTHY HOLTON February 24, 1741/42 in Sutton, Massachusetts, son of TIMOTHY HOLTON and KEZIAH.

More About SUSANNA PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 08, 1723

Children of SUSANNA PUTNAM and JOHN WHIPPLE are:

- i. JOHN<sup>25</sup> WHIPPLE, b. March 15, 1766; d. WFT Est. 1767-1856.
- ii. PERLEY WHIPPLE, b. June 06, 1769; d. WFT Est. 1770-1859.

Children of SUSANNA PUTNAM and TIMOTHY HOLTON are:

- iii. KEZIA<sup>25</sup> HOLTON, b. November 16, 1743; d. WFT Est. 1773-1837; m. SOLOMON COOK, November 29, 1768.
- iv. TIMOTHY HOLTON, b. May 01, 1745; d. WFT Est. 1746-1835.
- v. ELISHA HOLTON, b. February 17, 1751/52; d. WFT Est. 1753-1842.
- vi. SUSANNA HOLTON, b. November 1755; d. WFT Est. 1784-1849; m. BENJAMIN COGSWELL, August 29, 1779.
- vii. SARAH HOLTON, b. May 20, 1758; d. WFT Est. 1759-1852.

**109.** STEPHEN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA*<sup>23</sup>, *EDWARD*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born April 04, 1728 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died March 05, 1803 in Northampton, New Hampshire. He married MARY GIBBS March 14, 1755, daughter of JOHN GIBBS and ABIGAIL CHASE.

Notes for STEPHEN PUTNAM:

Stephen Putnam removed from Sutton to Hampshire county, but finally settled in Winchester, New Hampshire. He died according to General Rufus Putnam's account, at Northampton, 5 March, 1803 ; another account states the death occurring in May, 1802.



Children of STEPHEN PUTNAM and MARY GIBBS are:

- i. LEWIS<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1751-1778; d. WFT Est. 1757-1858.

Notes for LEWIS PUTNAM:

Lewis Putnam, in 1854 of Lansingburg and without children.

288. ii. SOLOMAN PUTNAM, b. July 17, 1755, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1830, Claremont, New Hampshire.
- iii. MARY JANE PUTNAM, b. June 10, 1757, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1758-1851.
- iv. RHODA PUTNAM, b. July 03, 1759, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1773-1853; m. JOHN EVANS, WFT Est. 1773-1806.

Notes for RHODA PUTNAM:

Married John Evans and had several children.

289. v. JOHN PUTNAM, b. May 10, 1761, Winchester, New Hampshire; d. November 17, 1849, Chesterfield, New Hampshire.
290. vi. GIDEON PUTNAM, b. April 17, 1763, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. December 01, 1812, Saratoga Springs, New York.
291. vii. ELISHA PUTNAM, b. May 13, 1765; d. February 11, 1854, Albany, New York.
- viii. CHARLOTTE PUTNAM, b. January 11, 1767; d. WFT Est. 1781-1861; m. JAMES ROSS, WFT Est. 1781-1814.

Notes for CHARLOTTE PUTNAM:

Married James Ross and had several children. This family finally removed to the western part of New York.

292. ix. DAVID PUTNAM, b. March 21, 1771, Massachusetts; d. August 09, 1832, Albany, New York.
293. x. RUFUS PUTNAM, b. March 22, 1773, probably Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1794-1863.
- xi. ABIGAIL PUTNAM, b. February 10, 1776; d. WFT Est. 1790-1870; m. ROBERTSON, WFT Est. 1790-1823.
- xii. LAVINA PUTNAM, b. May 05, 1780; d. WFT Est. 1781-1874.

**110.** AMOS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 22, 1730 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died September 17, 1811 in Sutton, Massachusetts. He married SARAH SWIFT June 26, 1760, daughter of SAMUEL SWIFT and ELIPHAL TILLEY.

Children of AMOS PUTNAM and SARAH SWIFT are:

- i. SUSANNA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1751-1780, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1756-1862.

Notes for SUSANNA PUTNAM:

Died young.

- ii. ELIPHAL PUTNAM, b. July 08, 1762, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. September 25, 1845; m. (1) EBENEZER LARNED, WFT Est. 1776-1809; m. (2) THOMAS RICE, JR., WFT Est. 1776-1809.
- iii. LUCRETIA PUTNAM, b. September 06, 1764, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. January 1852; m. JOHN NICHOLS, 3RD, WFT Est. 1778-1811.
- iv. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. February 18, 1767, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. December 29, 1854; m. ANDREW ADAMS, WFT Est. 1781-1814.
- v. PAUL PUTNAM, b. March 04, 1769, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. 1779.
- vi. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. October 22, 1772, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1786-1866; m. EBENEZER NEWTON, WFT Est. 1786-1819.
- vii. POLLY PUTNAM, b. 1775, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. 1851; m. BENJAMIN EDWARDS, WFT Est. 1789-1821.
- viii. SARAH T. PUTNAM, b. 1779, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Abt. November 01, 1855; m. EBENEZER BRYANT, WFT Est. 1793-1825.
- ix. MARTHA PUTNAM, b. October 25, 1781, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. October 03, 1852; m. SILAS LIVERMORE, WFT Est. 1795-1827.

**111.** HULDAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 25, 1734 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1766-1828. She married DANIEL MATTHEWS WFT Est. 1746-1777, son of DANIEL MATTHEWS and EUNICE MORSE.

Notes for DANIEL MATTHEWS:

Was grandfather of Reverend Edmund Burke Willson of Salem, Massachusetts.

Child of HULDAH PUTNAM and DANIEL MATTHEWS is:

- i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> MATTHEWS, b. 1764; d. June 16, 1802; m. JOSEPH WILLSON, April 08, 1782.

**112.** RUFUS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELISHA<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 09, 1738 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died May 04, 1824 in Marietta, Ohio. He married (1) ELIZABETH AYERS April 06, 1761, daughter of WILLIAM AYERS and HANNAH HAMILTON. He married (2) PERSIS RICE January 10, 1765, daughter of ZEBULON RICE.

Notes for RUFUS PUTNAM:

General Rufus Putnam was left fatherless at the age of seven. At no time during his youth would one have predicted that of two great soldiers which the Putnam family has given to this country, he was to be one; yet such has proven to be the fact, and by some he is considered to far excel his cousin and fellow patriot in military qualities, even as he excelled in education. Yet he obtained this education only by the most persistent perseverance, for, with the exception of two years spent in Danvers immediately following his father's death, during which time he was an inmate in the family of his grandfather, Jonathan Fuller, he had no schooling. Upon his mother's marriage to John Sadler he returned to Sutton where Sadler kept an inn. Sadler was not inclined to encourage the fondness of his stepson for "book learning," so young Putnam was obliged to do his studying at odd moments, and at night by candle light; moreover, such text books as he had were obtained by his own efforts, he, occasionally earning a few pennies, by attention to the guests at the inn. With what he earned in this wise, he bought ammunition and by means of an old gun shot small game, which abounded in the neighborhood, from the sales of which he obtained the money necessary for elementary text-books.

At the age of fourteen he chose his brother-in-law, Jonathan Dudley, of Sutton, guardian, and two years later we find him apprenticed to Daniel Matthews of Brookfield to learn the trade of millwright. This trade required some knowledge of geometry, and although Matthews did not send the boy to school, yet he did not discourage him in his studies as his stepfather had done. "During this time his physical frame grew fully as rapidly as his mind, so that when he was eighteen years old he possessed the brawny limbs, the muscular power, and the full stature of a man six feet high."

Early in his nineteenth year he enlisted as a private soldier in the company of Captain Ebenezer Learned. The detachment left Brookfield on the 30th of April, 1757, reaching Fort Edward on the 15th of June. Determined to see service, he joined a company of rangers as a volunteer, and, on the 8th of July; marched under Lt. Collins, on a scout around the lower end of Lake Champlain. Being detailed with two comrades to reconnoitre South Bay, Putnam, being some time absent, the detachment supposing them captured returned to camp, leaving the three scouts to their fate. After forty-eight hours, without food, they reached camp. Shortly afterward he did scout duty under the command of Israel Putnam, then a captain in provincial service.

The expiration of his term of enlistment drawing near, and it becoming evident that the provincial troops were to be kept beyond the agreed time of their discharge, the company to the number of seventy, under the leadership of their captain, having made snowshoes, silently left the camp and started through the forest for home. They carried with them provisions for fourteen days, but the hardships of the road, the difficulty of proceeding in a proper course, and so many froze their feet and hands, that from the lack of transportation facilities much of their provisions was abandoned. Their suffering, indeed, was terrible; death from starvation or freezing stared them in the face, but on the 15th of February, he arrived at his home and in the following April reenlisted under Captain Whitcomb for another campaign in the provincial service. In his journal he records that from Northampton to Greenbush, at which place he arrived June 8th, there was, with the exception of a small fort on the Housatonic River, but one house. On account of his mechanical ability he was engaged with the "regiment of carpenters" in such work as they could

do. Rufus Putnam kept a journal during this and his subsequent terms of service, from which we learn of the feeling existing in the camp at the cowardly manner in which General Webb left the garrison at Fort William Henry to their fate. At the end of the campaign of 1759 he was offered a lieutenant's commission in the army but declined. Upon the close of the campaign and war, having seen nearly four years service, he resumed the business of building mills and cultivating his farm, at every opportunity however, adding to his knowledge of surveying.

It was in 1761 that he married Miss Elizabeth Ayers, but inside of a year was left alone with an infant son who, however, soon followed his mother. In his journal he touchingly alludes to his forlorn condition after this double bereavement, but in 1765 again married, this time Miss Persis Rice, and settled in North Brookfield.

Always an active man, and much interested in the schemes of the times, it was but natural that the project of the colonial officers to secure a grant of land from the Crown and to settle thereon should have had his support. They styled themselves the Military Adventurers, and engaged General Lyman to prosecute their claims; Lyman obtained a promise of lands in West Florida. The company appointed a committee, of which Colonel Israel Putnam and Rufus Putnam were members, to prospect the proposed location. Having chartered a sloop they sailed from New York, 10 January, 1773, and arrived at Pensacola, 1 March, and although Governor Chester had received no instructions from the home government they pushed on and explored the Mississippi as far as the mouth of the Yazoo, thence some thirty miles up that river. Upon their return to Pensacola, although the Governor as yet had received no instructions he took it upon himself to promise them, upon very satisfactory terms, the location they had chosen and where they had laid out nineteen townships. Encouraged by the committee's report, quite a number of New Englanders seized the opportunity to emigrate to new lands; but unfortunately, Governor Chester had in the meantime received positive orders not to grant or sell any more lands for the present. Thus the colonists, thrown upon their own resources in an unhealthy country, and being allowed to take only what unoccupied land they could find, soon became discouraged, and as many died the colony was abandoned. Rufus Putnam found awaiting him on his return more stirring matters than new schemes for colonization, for the relations between the colonies and the home government were daily becoming more strained.

As soon as the news of bloodshed on April 19th, 1775, reached Worcester County, Rufus Putnam was up and ready to do his part with his neighbors and friends. As lieutenant-colonel of a regiment commanded by David Brewer, he marched to Roxbury, and after the battle of June 17th, he was called upon to direct the raising of fortifications. He immediately constructed a line of fortifications on Roxbury Neck and Sewall's Point, which attracted Washington's favorable notice on his arrival. In December, he accompanied General Lee to Providence and Newport and laid out works there, particularly a battery to defend the harbor.

Upon returning to Boston, he found the American army still shutting the British up in Boston, and Washington trying to devise some method to force the issue favorably. During a call on General Heath, Putnam's eye fell on a work of "Muller's Field Engineer," which after some entreaty he obtained. From this work he procured the idea for effecting a lodgment on Dorchester Heights, and which he accomplished on the night of the 4th of March, thus forcing the evacuation of Boston. These signal successes of Putnam proved to Washington what a valuable engineer he had with him and when subsequent occasion offered he showed his appreciation of Putnam's ability in this capacity.

During 1776, he was charged with the supervision of the works in and about New York. On the 11th August, 1776, he was informed by Washington of his appointment by Congress as engineer with the rank of colonel. He rendered signal service on the retreat from, and after the battle of Long Island. On December 17, 1776, he accepted the command of a regiment in the Massachusetts line. Upon being notified of this, Washington wrote to Congress as follows: "I have also to mention that for want of some establishment in the department of engineers agreeable to the plan laid before Congress in October last, Colonel Putnam, who was at the head of it, has quitted and takes a regiment in the state of Massachusetts. I know of no other man even tolerably well qualified for the conducting of that business. None of the French gentlemen whom I have seen with appointments in that way appear to know anything of that matter. There is one in Philadelphia who, I am told, is clever; but him I have not seen."

Putnam's regiment was engaged in the campaign which culminated at Saratoga with the surrender of Burgoyne, and behaved themselves very creditably throughout. They went into winter quarters at Albany. In the following March he was called upon to fortify West Point, and was obliged to tear down much of what the French engineer in charge had accomplished. The Fort at West Point, built by his own regiment, is named for him. General Israel Putnam was in command there at this time. During the early part of 1780, he was in Boston on leave of absence, and availed himself of this opportunity to obtain relief for the Massachusetts troops, then suffering greatly from lack of money and supplies. It was through his prompt action and forethought that a mutiny amongst the Massachusetts troops was prevented. During the autumn of 1782, he decided to withdraw from the army, and on the 17th of December he wrote to Washington, expressing his final determination to retire from active service and return to the care of his private affairs. In 1780, Putnam bought on easy terms the confiscated property of Colonel Murray, a tory. This property was situated in Rutland and consisted of a large farm and spacious mansion. Although the war was over and Colonel Putnam had intended to devote himself to his own affairs, yet he was not permitted to retire completely to private life, for soon he was called upon to survey the eastern lands of the state of Massachusetts, and at once proceeded to the Passamaquoddy. Congress voted him a Brigadier General's commission 7 Jan., 1783. In the year 1786, he was appointed commissioner to treat with the Penobscot Indians, together with General Lincoln and Judge Rice of Wiscasset. In January of the following year, he joined General Lincoln as a volunteer aid against the insurgents under Shays, and remained with him until their dispersion at Petersham. This year he was also appointed a justice of the peace and was elected to the legislature representing Rutland. During the year 1783-4, Putnam had urged upon Washington plans for the settlement of the western country, and as agent for the retired officers of the continental army had endeavored to bring this about; but, circumstances not being wholly ripe for the successful culmination of these plans, it was reserved for Dr. Manasseh Cutler, the prominent patriot and botanist of Essex County, Massachusetts, to obtain, three years later, the concessions asked for. Dr. Cutler not only obtained the grant of 1,500,000 acres of land to the Ohio Company upon easy terms, but was instrumental in procuring the passage of the ordinance of 1787, which prohibited slavery north of the Ohio River. The one it is said was dependent on the other. Cutler and Putnam, working together, were the chief spirits in the enterprise. Therefore when on the 23rd of November, 1787, the directors of the Ohio Company appointed Putnam, superintendent of all the business relating to the commencement of their lands in the territory northwest of the Ohio River, he gladly undertook the difficult position. "The people to go forward in companies employed under my direction, were to consist of four surveyors, one blacksmith, and nine common hands, with two wagons, etc., etc. Major Hatfield White conducted the first party, which started from Danvers the first of December. The other party was appointed to rendezvous at Hartford, where I met them the first day of January, 1788." The two parties joined 14th of February, 1788, at the Youghiogheny River, thence they proceeded by boat to the mouth of the Muskingum where they arrived on April 7, 1788, and commenced the settlement of Marietta. The first of the party to jump ashore is said to have been Allen Putnam of Danvers.

The four surveyors who accompanied Putnam were Colonel Sproat, Colonel Meiggs, Major Tupper, and Mr. John Mathers. The family of Rufus Putnam arrived at the settlement in 1790. The early years of the settlement were years of watch and ward against the Indians, and many suffered at their hands. If it had not been for the careful management of the affairs of the company by Putnam and his associates, disaster must surely have come. Financial trouble threatened the company in their early years, but Congress was disposed to treat the adventurers with generosity, appreciating the great difficulties of their position. General Putnam, himself, lost quite heavily in advances to the settlers. The expense of the Indian wars to the Ohio Company was \$11,350, a very heavy burden for them to bear. On May 5, 1792, Putnam received the news of his appointment as brigadier-general in the army of the United States and immediately proceeded to carry out the orders of the Secretary of war, which were to procure the signing of a treaty with the Wabash Indians and in which he was successful. It is impossible in the limited space at hand to give but an inadequate idea of the services of General Putnam to the northwest. He was active in all schemes for the advancement of the settlements in educational, social and more material projects.

#### More About RUFUS PUTNAM:

Burial: Mound Cemetery  
Title: General

#### Notes for PERSIS RICE:

During the absence of Colonel Putnam from home, Mrs. Putnam, with a family of small children was endeavoring to make an unproductive farm of fifty acres yield a sufficient income, helped out by the meagre allowance which her husband's pay permitted him to spare for her use. The distaff and needle helped to fill the breach; rigid economy and industry did the rest. The women of the revolution did their share in the struggle, and none were more noble hearted and self denying than Mrs. Putnam.

#### More About PERSIS RICE:

Burial: Mound Cemetery

#### Child of RUFUS PUTNAM and ELIZABETH AYERS is:

- i. AYRES<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 16, 1761; d. September 28, 1768.

#### Children of RUFUS PUTNAM and PERSIS RICE are:

- ii. ELIZABETH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. November 19, 1765; d. November 08, 1830.

#### Notes for ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Died unmarried.

294. iii. PERSIS PUTNAM, b. June 06, 1767, Brookfield, Massachusetts; d. September 22, 1822, Belpre, Ohio.
295. iv. SUSANNA PUTNAM, b. August 05, 1768, Brookfield, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1793-1862.
296. v. ABIGAIL PUTNAM, b. August 07, 1770, Brookfield, Massachusetts; d. February 1805.
297. vi. WILLIAM RUFUS PUTNAM, b. December 12, 1771, Brookfield, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1815-1863.

- vii. FRANKLIN PUTNAM, b. May 27, 1774; d. April 1776.
- 298. viii. EDWIN PUTNAM, b. January 19, 1776, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. 1844, Putnam, Ohio.
- 299. ix. PATTY PUTNAM, b. November 25, 1777, Brookfield, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1807-1871.
- 300. x. CATHARINE PUTNAM, b. October 17, 1780, Brookfield, Massachusetts; d. March 1808.

**113.** OLIVER<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOSEPH<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1722, and died Aft. 1789. He married HANNAH BROWN December 22, 1753.

Notes for OLIVER PUTNAM:

Oliver Putnam lived in Danvers, just beyond Harthorne's Hill. The house is still standing (1890).

More About OLIVER PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 21, 1722, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Notes for HANNAH BROWN:

Hannah Brown was living in 1794.

Children of OLIVER PUTNAM and HANNAH BROWN are:

- 301. i. WILLIAM<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. 1744, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1776-1835.
- ii. MEHITABLE PUTNAM, b. 1747; d. WFT Est. 1798-1842; m. JOSEPH KNIGHT, 1794.

More About MEHITABLE PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 16, 1747, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

- 302. iii. OLIVER PUTNAM, b. February 04, 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1798, probably Hampstead, New Hampshire.
- iv. LYDIA PUTNAM, b. 1754; d. WFT Est. 1768-1848; m. BENJAMIN RAY, WFT Est. 1768-1801.

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:

Living in Maine, 1794.

More About LYDIA PUTNAM:

Baptism: December 29, 1754, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

More About BENJAMIN RAY:

Occupation: tailor

- 303. v. LUCY PUTNAM, b. 1763; d. Bef. 1794.

**114.** JOSEPH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOSEPH<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 1724, and died WFT Est. 1772-1816. He married MARY PORTER January 31, 1744/45, daughter of ISRAEL PORTER and SARAH PUTNAM.

Notes for JOSEPH PUTNAM:

Joseph Putnam was more or less prominent in the local affairs of Danvers. He was tythington, 1754 and 1758 ; surveyor of highways, 1756 ; constable 1764.

More About JOSEPH PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 26, 1724, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Will dated: March 03, 1781

Will proved: April 17, 1781

More About MARY PORTER:

Baptism: April 24, 1726

Children of JOSEPH PUTNAM and MARY PORTER are:

- i. LYDIA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. 1746, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1747-1840.

More About LYDIA PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 27, 1746

- ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. Abt. January 1748/49, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1843.

Notes for SARAH PUTNAM:

Sarah Putnam died young.

More About SARAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: January 29, 1748/49

- 304. iii. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. Abt. January 1750/51, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 25, 1834, Salem, Massachusetts.
- 305. iv. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. 1753, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1803-1845.
- v. MARY PUTNAM, b. 1755, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1756-1849.

Notes for MARY PUTNAM:

Mary Putnam died young.

More About MARY PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 14, 1755

- vi. LYDIA PUTNAM, b. 1758, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1759-1852.

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:

Not mentioned in her father's will.

More About LYDIA PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 26, 1758

- vii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. 1761, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1762-1851.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:  
Not mentioned in his father's will.

More About JOHN PUTNAM:  
Baptism: January 18, 1761

viii. BETTY PUTNAM, b. 1763, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1764-1857.

More About BETTY PUTNAM:  
Baptism: October 30, 1763

ix. MARY PUTNAM, b. 1767, Danvers, Mass.; d. WFT Est. 1768-1861.

More About MARY PUTNAM:  
Christened: January 26, 1767

306. x. PORTER PUTNAM, b. 1770, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. January 1836, Hudson, New Hampshire.

**115.** ELISHA<sup>24</sup> FLINT (*MARY<sup>23</sup> PUTNAM, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 22, 1715, and died WFT Est. 1765-1807. He married MIRIAM PUTNAM January 28, 1743/44, daughter of STEPHEN PUTNAM and MIRIAM PUTNAM.

More About ELISHA FLINT:  
Occupation: farmer

More About MIRIAM PUTNAM:  
Baptism: April 18, 1721, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of ELISHA FLINT and MIRIAM PUTNAM are:

i. MARY<sup>25</sup> FLINT, b. March 12, 1744/45; d. WFT Est. 1771-1839; m. ELEAZER SPOFFORD, January 04, 1765.

More About ELEAZER SPOFFORD:  
Title: Deacon

ii. MOSES FLINT, b. July 17, 1746; d. November 25, 1754.

iii. REBECCA FLINT, b. January 25, 1748/49; d. WFT Est. 1779-1843; m. DAVID KIMBALL, April 22, 1774.

iv. MEHITABLE FLINT, b. January 09, 1758; d. WFT Est. 1785-1852; m. BARTHOLOMEW BROWN, June 17, 1779.

307. v. MIRIAM FLINT, b. November 04, 1759, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 20, 1830, Haverhill, Massachusetts.

vi. HANNAH FLINT, b. November 01, 1763; d. WFT Est. 1777-1857; m. PARKER TYLER, WFT Est. 1777-1810.

**116.** NEHEMIAH<sup>24</sup> WYMAN (*WILLIAM<sup>23</sup>, PRUDENCE<sup>22</sup> PUTNAM, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 25, 1722, and died WFT Est. 1751-1813. He married ELIZABETH WINNE WFT Est. 1736-1770.

Child of NEHEMIAH WYMAN and ELIZABETH WINNE is:

i. ABEL<sup>25</sup> WYMAN, b. April 01, 1747, Woburn, Massachusetts; d. January 14, 1823, Milton, New Hampshire; m. RUTH PUTNAM, October 20, 1772.

More About RUTH PUTNAM:  
Baptism: March 31, 1751, Salem Village, Massachusetts

**117.** EZRA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*EZRA<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1729 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died March 19, 1811 in Marietta, Ohio. He married LUCY PUTNAM June 21, 1750, daughter of DAVID PUTNAM and REBEECA PERLEY.

Notes for EZRA PUTNAM:

Ezra Putnam lived in Middleton, Massachusetts, but on the Lexington Alarm Lists at the State House he is named as lieutenant in Captain Asa Prince's company, and as of Danvers. His time of service there is given as two days. He was an ensign in Captain Samuel Flint's company, promoted from Sergeant 31 October, 1755. Crown Point Expedition.

From a "General Return of the Army of the United Colonies at Cambridge, Jan. 8th, 1776," we learn that he then held the commission of Major in Colonel Israel Hutchinson's Regiment, the 27th Foot. Among the other officers of this regiment were Captain Enoch Putnam, Adjutant Tarrant Putnam, Lieutenant (second) Tarrant Putnam, Ensign Jeremiah Putnam.

On this Coat Rolls, i. e. rolls of men who served eight months from May to December, 1775, at the siege of Boston, Massachusetts, occurs the name of Ezra Putnam, drummer, of Middleton; probably, this was the young son of Major Ezra Putnam.

After the Revolutionary War, Major Ezra settled on the old farm but in 1789 (dismissed from the church at Middleton at his own request, with his wife, 27 September, 1789) he and his wife joined his sons Ezra, David, and John in Ohio. Many letters still remain in the possession of Miss Susan Putnam of Danvers which throw much light on the incidents of the early settlements on the Ohio. From these letters and other sources we find that the sons went up the Muskingum River to their and their father's "donation land" in the fall of 1790. Soon after came the Big Bottom Massacre and the sons lost their lives. The old people were obliged to take refuge in Campus Martius and there for many years Mrs. Putnam kept a "domestic boarding house." They had many trails; the death of their son Nehemiah whom they had endeavored to persuade and settle in Ohio, the gradually failing memory of the Major, the several times and high price of labor, all these are mentioned.

During the long enenings in Campus Martius it was a common occurrence to get the Major to sing a seventy verse ballad on the taking of Capetown, and to recount the many stories of the French and Indian War in which he had taken part, having held an officer's commission at the taking of Cape Bretou.

Both the Major and Mrs. Putnam are buried in the northern end of General Rufus Putnam's lot at the Mound cemetery.

Upon his gravetone is the following inscription:

"Sacred to the Memory of Major Ezra Putnam : a native of Massachusetts, who died March 19th, 1811, aged 83 years."

Major Ezra Putnam was short but not heavy build, his wife was stout, and both were lively and cheerful disposition.

Among the old letters mentioned above is one of date 29 June, 1790, in which description is given of the excitement and unbelief in Ohio of "a scheme to bring vessels to Marretta by fire works." General Rufus Putnam, however, the writer goes on to say, endorses the scheme.

General Rufus Putnam in his Memoirs states that all three of Major Ezra's sons left male issue; this is probably a misake.

More About EZRA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: June 08, 1729, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Burial: Gen. Rufus Putnam's lot at the Mound Cemet

Title: Major

Notes for LUCY PUTNAM:

Lucy (Putnam) Putnam's gravestone inscription:

"Sacred to the Memory of Lucy Putnam, who died July 20th, 1818, aged 87 years."

More About LUCY PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 23, 1732, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Burial: Gen. Rufus Putnam's lot at the Mound Cemet

Children of EZRA PUTNAM and LUCY PUTNAM are:

- i. BETTY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. March 18, 1750/51, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1773-1845; m. ARCHELAUS BATCHELDER, November 11, 1767.
308. ii. NEHEMIAH PUTNAM, b. October 14, 1753, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. 1793, Ohio.
- iii. LUCY PUTNAM, b. January 04, 1757, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. May 19, 1802; m. SAMUEL SMALL, March 09, 1780.

Notes for LUCY PUTNAM:

Married 9 March, 1780, Samuel Small of Danvers, who married 2nd, 25 November, 1802, Mrs. Jerusha (Upton) Fuller, widow of Jacob Fuller. The following was found among some old papers:

"May 19, 1802, Mrs Lucy Small died in the 74th (?) year of her age. She was wife of Mr. Samuel Small, and 2nd daughter of Major Ezra Putnam, now at the Ohio. She lived much beloved, and died greatly lamented. Her sickness was short, but attended with the most excruciating pains, which she bore with an uncommon share of Christian patience, and met death with a calm composure of mind in the animating hope of a blessed immortality, through the merits of the great Redeemer."

- iv. EZRA PUTNAM, b. July 05, 1759, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1760-1849, Big Bottom Massacre, Marietta, Ohio.

Notes for EZRA PUTNAM:

From a "General Return of the Army of the United Colonies at Cambridge, Jan. 8th, 1776," we learn that he then held the commission of Major in Colonel Israel Hutchinson's Regiment, the 27th Foot. Among the other officers of this regiment were Captain Enoch Putnam, Adjutant Tarrant Putnam, Lieutenant (second) Tarrant Putnam, Ensign Jeremiah Putnam.

On this Coat Rolls, i. e. rolls of men who served eight months from May to December, 1775, at the siege of Boston, occurs the name of Ezra Putnam, drummer, of Middleton ; probably, this was the young Ezra Putnam.

After the Revolutionary War, his father, Major Ezra and his wife joined his sons Ezra, David, and John in Ohio. Many letters still remain in the possession of Miss Susan Putnam of Danvers which throw much light on the incidents of the early settlements on the Ohio. From these letters and other sources we find that the sons went up the Muskingum River to their and their father's "donation land" in the fall of 1790. Soon after came the Big Bottom Massacre and the sons lost their lives. Ezra Putnam was killed by Indians during the winter of 1791-92. Ezra had gone to Marietta about 1788, and some of his letters are extant. In one under date of 29 May, 1788, to his mother, he speaks well of the settlement at Marietta and mentions his brother Small of Middleton.

More About EZRA PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: Killed by Indians

309. v. DEBORAH PUTNAM, b. January 19, 1761, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1802-1856.
- vi. DAVID PUTNAM, b. July 10, 1767, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1792, Marietta, Ohio.

Notes for DAVID PUTNAM:

After the Revolutionary War, his father, Major Ezra and his wife joined his sons Ezra, David, and John in Ohio. Many letters still remain in the possession of Miss Susan Putnam of Danvers which throw much light on the incidents of the early settlements on the Ohio. From these letters and other sources we find that the sons went up the Muskingum River to their and their father's "donation land" in the fall of 1790.

David Putnam died of some sickness at Marietta previous to 1792. He was graduated from Phillips Andover Academy.

More About DAVID PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: sickness

Schooling: Phillips Andover Academy

- vii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1750-1776, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1756-1856, Big Bottom Massacre, Marietta, Ohio.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:

John Putnam was killed by Indians at the same time that his brother Ezra was (during the winter of 1791-92). After the Revolutionary War, his father, Major Ezra and his wife joined his sons Ezra, David, and John in Ohio. Many letters still remain in the possession of Miss Susan Putnam of Danvers which throw much light on the incidents of the early settlements on the Ohio. From these letters and other sources we find that the sons went up the Muskingum River to their and their father's "donation land" in the fall of 1790. Soon after came the Big Bottom Massacre and the sons lost their lives.

More About JOHN PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: Killed by Indians

**118.** PHINEAS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISAAC*<sup>23</sup>, *EDWARD*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born October 01, 1722 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1743-1812.

More About PHINEAS PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 07, 1722, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of PHINEAS PUTNAM are:

- i. LEVI<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1743-1772, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1851.
- ii. ENOCH PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1743-1772, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1851.
310. iii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1743-1774, probably Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1799-1857.
- iv. BETTY PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1743-1771, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. April 05, 1784.

Notes for BETTY PUTNAM:

Betty Putnam died either 1784 or 1785.

- v. HULDAH PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1743-1772, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1748-1854.
- vi. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1743-1772, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1748-1854.

**119.** ASAPH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISAAC*<sup>23</sup>, *EDWARD*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE

*TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 11, 1724 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1756-1815. He married SARAH PARK September 07, 1748, daughter of JONATHAN PARK.

Notes for ASAPH PUTNAM:

Asaph Putnam was carried to Sutton when a boy but left there about 1760.

More About ASAPH PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 20, 1724, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of ASAPH PUTNAM and SARAH PARK are:

- i. EPHRON<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1745-1774, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1751-1853.

More About EPHRON PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 07, 1756<sup>9</sup>

311. ii. PARKS PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1745-1775, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1800-1858.
312. iii. BENAJAH PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1740-1766, probably in Vermont; d. WFT Est. 1785-1848.
- iv. ABIJAH PUTNAM, b. 1744, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1745-1834.

More About ABIJAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 21, 1744<sup>9</sup>

- v. ASAPH PUTNAM, b. 1749, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.

More About ASAPH PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 18, 1749<sup>9</sup>

- vi. JONAS PUTNAM, b. 1752, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1753-1842.

More About JONAS PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 16, 1752<sup>9</sup>

**120.** ANNA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISAAC<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 27, 1726 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1753-1820. She married JOSIAH TRASK October 31, 1745.

More About ANNA PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 31, 1726, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of ANNA PUTNAM and JOSIAH TRASK are:

313. i. MARY<sup>25</sup> TRASK, b. WFT Est. 1746-1777; d. WFT Est. 1805-1864.
- ii. PETER TRASK, b. May 22, 1746; d. October 07, 1803.
- iii. JOHN TRASK, b. December 02, 1747; d. March 19, 1747/48.
- iv. ISAAC TRASK, b. May 22, 1749; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.

**121.** NATHAN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISAAC<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 24, 1730 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died August 06, 1813 in Sutton, Massachusetts. He married BETSEY BUFFINGTON August 02, 1752, daughter of JAMES BUFFINGTON and ELIZABETH.

Notes for NATHAN PUTNAM:

Nathan Putnam was an energetic and popular man. He was known as "Esquire" Putnam and was noted for the great number of marriages he performed. He bought the original homestead of Isaac Putnam from Phineas Putnam, but his son Captain Abner Putnam sold the place. Nathan Putnam operated a trip-hammer run by horse-power and carried on the manufacture of scythes, enjoying the credit of being the father of scythe-making in Massachusetts. Many of his descendants have been in the same line of business.

More About NATHAN PUTNAM:

Occupation: father of "scythe-maker" in Massachusetts

Title: Esquire

Will dated: 1813

Notes for BETSEY BUFFINGTON:

Another authority has her month of birth as September.

Children of NATHAN PUTNAM and BETSEY BUFFINGTON are:

314. i. ZADOCK<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. December 29, 1752, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. October 02, 1819, Grafton, Massachusetts.
315. ii. MICAHA PUTNAM, b. April 08, 1754, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1795-1845.
316. iii. JAMES PUTNAM, b. November 26, 1755, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. 1785.
317. iv. BETTY PUTNAM, b. January 12, 1758, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. December 21, 1812.
- v. LYDIA PUTNAM, b. December 31, 1759, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1783-1853; m. STEPHEN FULLER, November 07, 1777.

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:

Had twelve children.

318. vi. NATHAN PUTNAM, b. May 16, 1761, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1791-1852.
319. vii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. March 13, 1763, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. September 28, 1818.
320. viii. ABNER PUTNAM, b. March 17, 1765, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1786-1855.
321. ix. SALLY PUTNAM, b. February 27, 1767, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1801-1862.
322. x. TAMAR PUTNAM, b. October 23, 1768, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. December 06, 1819.
- xi. POLLY PUTNAM, b. April 01, 1770, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1802; m. AMOS WATERS, WFT Est. 1783-1799.

Notes for POLLY PUTNAM:

They had one child.

More About AMOS WATERS:

Occupation: blacksmith

323. xii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. September 03, 1771, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1804-1862.

xiii. OLIVER PUTNAM, b. July 19, 1773, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1790-1863, s. p.; m. ELIZABETH NEWTON, WFT Est. 1790-1823.

Notes for OLIVER PUTNAM:  
A farmer of Dixfield, Maine, 1836.

More About OLIVER PUTNAM:  
Occupation: farmer

xiv. ABIGAIL PUTNAM, b. March 20, 1775, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1789-1869; m. SIMON RAWSON, WFT Est. 1789-1822.

More About SIMON RAWSON:  
Occupation: farmer

xv. GEORGE W. PUTNAM, b. May 17, 1778, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1779-1868, s. p..

More About GEORGE W. PUTNAM:  
Occupation: farmer

**122.** ISAAC<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISAAC<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 04, 1734, and died WFT Est. 1766-1825. He married RACHEL PRUTT March 22, 1760.

Notes for RACHEL PRUTT:  
Mr. Rachel (Prutt) Putnam died at the home of her son, David, at Becket, aged one hundred and four years.

Children of ISAAC PUTNAM and RACHEL PRUTT are:

i. DAVID<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1755-1784; d. WFT Est. 1761-1863.

Notes for DAVID PUTNAM:  
David Putnam's mother died at his home at Becket, aged one hundred and four years.

324. ii. ISAAC PUTNAM, b. 1762, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. April 23, 1808, Worcester, Massachusetts.

**123.** DANIEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISAAC<sup>23</sup>, EDWARD<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 28, 1739 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died 1809 in Cornish, New Hampshire. He married ANNA CHASE June 25, 1761, daughter of SAMUEL CHASE and MARY DUDLEY.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:

Captain Daniel Putnam and his wife removed to Cornish, New Hampshire in 1764, and spent the winter in a camp built for the use of men who had been cutting masts for the Royal Navy. He entered the army during the French and Indian War at the age of 18. He was wounded. He petitioned the General Court of New Hampshire, declaring that, "in 1777, he was engaged as soldier in Captain Esterbrook's company, Colonel Timothy Bedell's regiment. That he marched to Quebec and was there taken sick and in the retreat from Canada lost all his clothes, to the amount of L14, was left by the troops and no care taken of him and he was obliged to billet himself and provide doctoring at an expence of L16."

He continued in the service, and was under Schuyler on the Hudson.

He was one of the first settlers of Cornish, and the first town clerk chosen there. He served in the Continental Army under Colonel Jonathan Chase in 1777 for three years. In 1781 member of Captain Moody Dustin's Company, 1st N.H. Continental. Selectman in 1784.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:  
Title: Captain

Children of DANIEL PUTNAM and ANNA CHASE are:

- i. ELIZABETH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. July 15, 1762, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1785-1856; m. DAVID HASKELL, February 04, 1779.
- ii. ANN PUTNAM, b. November 08, 1764; d. WFT Est. 1798-1859; m. JOHN MORSE, March 07, 1793.
- iii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. May 12, 1766, Cornish, New Hampshire; d. Abt. 1772, Connecticut River.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:  
Daniel Putnam is said to be the first white male to be born in Cornish, New Hampshire. At the age of six years he drowned in the Connecticut River.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:  
Cause of Death: drowned in the Connecticut River

325. iv. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. February 28, 1768, Cornish, New Hampshire; d. November 1843.
- v. MOLLY PUTNAM, b. March 30, 1769; d. WFT Est. 1783-1863; m. LOT WILLMAN, WFT Est. 1783-1816.
326. vi. ISAAC PUTNAM, b. July 13, 1770, Cornish, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1799-1861.
- vii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. March 30, 1772; d. WFT Est. 1799-1866; m. ANTIPAS MARBLE, January 1793.

**124.** BARTHOLOMEW<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*BARTHOLOMEW<sup>23</sup>, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 03, 1711/12 in Salem, Massachusetts, and died Abt. 1753 in Salem, Massachusetts. He married RUTH GARDNER November 02, 1734, daughter of JOHN GARDNER and ELIZABETH WELD.

Notes for BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM:

Bartholomew Putnam lived in Salem, on Essex Street, nearly opposite the Essex Institute. This estate he sold about 1750. He was a tailor and of good estate. His will is dated 19 June, 1753. He appoints his beloved wife Ruth sole executrix, his brother-in-law Jonathan and Samuel Gardner trustees. His six children, Bartholomew, John, William, Mary, Ruth and Sarah Putnam are to have the benefit of his property after the death of their mother.

More About BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM:  
Baptism: March 09, 1711/12  
Occupation: tailor  
Will dated: June 19, 1753

Children of BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM and RUTH GARDNER are:

i. MARY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. August 1736; d. WFT Est. 1737-1830.

More About MARY PUTNAM:  
Baptism: August 22, 1736, South Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

327. ii. BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM, b. February 02, 1737/38, Salem, Massachusetts; d. April 17, 1815.  
 iii. NATHANIEL PUTNAM, b. October 19, 1739, Salem, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1740-1829.

Notes for NATHANIEL PUTNAM:  
 Nathaniel Putnam probably died young.

- iv. RUTH PUTNAM, b. April 15, 1740, Salem, Massachusetts; d. December 07, 1786; m. WILLIAM WARD, May 17, 1761.

Notes for RUTH PUTNAM:  
 For their descendants see Essex Institute Hist. Collections; also Pickering Genealogy chart 17, VII-105.

More About RUTH PUTNAM:  
 Baptism: April 19, 1741

328. v. SARAH PUTNAM, b. January 17, 1742/43, Salem, Massachusetts; d. October 04, 1824, Sanbornton, New Hampshire.  
 vi. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. February 25, 1744/45, Salem, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1746-1835.  
 vii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. December 02, 1748, Salem, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1838.  
 viii. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. April 07, 1751, Salem, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1752-1841.

**125.** JOSEPH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*BARTHOLOMEW<sup>23</sup>, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 01, 1714 in Salem, Massachusetts, and died July 09, 1788 in Boston, Massachusetts. He married (1) SARAH URANN WFT Est. 1732-1762, daughter of JOSEPH URANN and SARAH STACY. He married (2) ELIZABETH COMESTON April 03, 1766.

Notes for JOSEPH PUTNAM:

Joseph Putnam lived in Sudbury Street, Boston, and like his brother William, was a chair maker. In 1736 (28 May), he sold his share in his uncle Nathan's estate to David Putnam of Salem.

The executor of his will was Mr. Jesse Putnam, of Boston. In the will of Nathan Putnam, mariner, of Salem, the brother of Jonathan (No. 359, Joseph and his brother William are called "his good friends of Boston."

At the time of making of his will, viz., 1738, his son-in-law, Josiah Bradley, occupied the other half of his house in Sudbury Street.

More About JOSEPH PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 15, 1714  
 Occupation: chairmaker  
 Will dated: February 23, 1786  
 Will proved: July 19, 1788

Children of JOSEPH PUTNAM and SARAH URANN are:

- i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. September 17, 1736, Boston, Massachusetts; d. Abt. 1744<sup>10</sup>.

Notes for SARAH PUTNAM:  
 Sarah Putnam died aged 8 Yrs. (gravestone).

More About SARAH PUTNAM:  
 Baptism: August 10, 1746

- ii. MARY PUTNAM, b. May 05, 1737, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1751-1831; m. JAMES KENNY, WFT Est. 1751-1784.  
 iii. MEHITABLE PUTNAM, b. February 01, 1738/39, Boston, Massachusetts; d. 1787, Boston, Massachusetts; m. ROBERT EARL, March 24, 1760.

Notes for MEHITABLE PUTNAM:  
 Mrs. Bradford of Rutland, Vermont is a granddaughter.

- iv. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. December 01, 1740, Boston, Massachusetts; d. February 19, 1740/41.

Notes for JOSEPH PUTNAM:  
 Joseph Putnam died aged 3 months (gravestone).

- v. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. October 14, 1742, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1776-1837; m. JONATHAN CAREY, July 14, 1771, King's Chapel.  
 vi. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. Abt. August 1744; d. WFT Est. 1745-1834.

More About JOSEPH PUTNAM:  
 Baptism: August 26, 1744

329. vii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. Abt. August 1746; d. 1789.  
 viii. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. Abt. January 1748/49; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.

More About WILLIAM PUTNAM:  
 Baptism: January 29, 1748/49

- ix. BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM, b. Abt. December 1750; d. WFT Est. 1751-1840.

More About BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM:  
 Baptism: December 23, 1750

330. x. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. Abt. March 1755, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1794-1850.  
 331. xi. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. Abt. March 1757, Boston, Massachusetts; d. May 04, 1793.  
 xii. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. Abt. November 1760; d. WFT Est. 1761-1850.

More About EBENEZER PUTNAM:  
 Baptism: November 23, 1760

- xiii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. Abt. January 1762; d. WFT Est. 1763-1852.

More About JOHN PUTNAM:  
 Baptism: January 17, 1762

**126.** WILLIAM<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*BARTHOLOMEW<sup>23</sup>, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM,*



*GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 01, 1717 in Salem, Massachusetts, and died 1749 in Boston, Massachusetts. He married RUTH LEACH October 16, 1740 in Boston, Massachusetts.

Notes for WILLIAM PUTNAM:

In the will of Nathan Putnam, mariner, of Salem, the brother of Jonathan (No. 359, William and his brother Joseph are called "his good friends of Boston."

Administration on William Putnam's estate to widow, Ruth, 30 May, 1749; inventory, 25 July, 1749, L2511.12.

More About WILLIAM PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 04, 1717

Occupation: chairmaker

Notes for RUTH LEACH:

Administration on William Putnam's estate to widow, Ruth, 30 may, 1749; inventory, 25 July, 1749, L2511.12.

Children of WILLIAM PUTNAM and RUTH LEACH are:

- i. RUTH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. December 13, 1741, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1742-1835.
- ii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. August 04, 1743, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1744-1837.
- iii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. Abt. July 1744, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1745-1838<sup>11</sup>.

More About SARAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 07, 1744

- iv. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. Abt. July 1745, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1746-1835<sup>11</sup>.

More About WILLIAM PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 06, 1745

- v. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. Abt. July 1746, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1747-1836<sup>11</sup>.

More About WILLIAM PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 07, 1746

- vi. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. July 05, 1747, Boston, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1748-1837.

**127.** JONATHAN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JONATHAN<sup>23</sup>, JONATHAN<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 13, 1715 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died December 1762 in Salem Village, Massachusetts. He married SARAH PERLEY November 02, 1736, daughter of THOMAS PERLEY and HANNAH GOODHUE.

Notes for JONATHAN PUTNAM:

Jonathan Putnam Lived in Danvers; after the town of Danvers was established he held various offices, such as tythingman, hayward, constable, etc. On the 3 February, 1767, the guardianship of Nathan and Levi Putnam, minor children of Jonathan, was granted to Gideon Putnam.

More About JONATHAN PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 24, 1715, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of JONATHAN PUTNAM and SARAH PERLEY are:

332. i. JEREMIAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 31, 1737, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. September 16, 1799.
333. ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. March 02, 1737/38, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1773-1833.
- iii. JONATHAN PUTNAM, b. December 30, 1740, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. November 1762.

More About JONATHAN PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

- iv. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. December 10, 1742, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1756-1836; m. FOSTER, WFT Est. 1756-1789.

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

- v. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. January 11, 1744/45, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1762.

More About ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

334. vi. LYDIA PUTNAM, b. July 15, 1747, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. November 22, 1825.
335. vii. NATHAN PUTNAM, b. September 08, 1749, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. April 10, 1823, Danvers, Massachusetts.
- viii. LEVI PUTNAM, b. August 01, 1751, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1790.

Notes for LEVI PUTNAM:

On the 3 February, 1767, the guardianship of Levi Putnam, minor child of Jonathan, was granted to Gideon Putnam.

More About LEVI PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

- ix. PERLEY PUTNAM, b. March 17, 1754, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. April 19, 1775, Lexington, Massachusetts.

Notes for PERLEY PUTNAM:

Killed at the battle of Lexington, 19 April, 1775.

More About PERLEY PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

Cause of Death: killed at Battle

336. x. AARON PUTNAM, b. September 06, 1756, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1777-1846.

**128.** ELIZABETH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*WILLIAM<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. May 1726, and died March 30, 1759. She married JONATHAN ORNE WFT Est. 1742-1756, son of JOSIAH ORNE and SARAH INGERSOLL.

More About ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 15, 1726

More About JONATHAN ORNE:

Occupation: merchant

Children of ELIZABETH PUTNAM and JONATHAN ORNE are:

- i. JOSEPH<sup>25</sup> ORNE, b. June 04, 1749; d. WFT Est. 1766-1839; m. (1) MARY LEAVITT, WFT Est. 1766-1799; m. (2) THERESE EMERY, WFT Est. 1766-1799.
- ii. WILLIAM ORNE, b. February 04, 1751/52; d. WFT Est. 1769-1842; m. ABIGAIL ROPES, WFT Est. 1769-1801.

Notes for WILLIAM ORNE:

Died either 18 or 14 October, 1815.

More About WILLIAM ORNE:

Occupation: eminent merchant

- iii. ELIZABETH ORNE, b. Abt. September 1754; d. WFT Est. 1755-1848.

More About ELIZABETH ORNE:

Baptism: September 29, 1754

- iv. SAMUEL ORNE, b. Abt. April 1759; d. WFT Est. 1760-1849.

Notes for SAMUEL ORNE:

probably died young.

More About SAMUEL ORNE:

Baptism: April 20, 1759

**129.** SARAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*WILLIAM<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. December 1728, and died WFT Est. 1758-1822. She married JONATHAN GARDNER January 02, 1753, son of JONATHAN GARDNER and ELIZABETH GARDNER.

More About SARAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: December 22, 1728

More About JONATHAN GARDNER:

Title: Captain

Child of SARAH PUTNAM and JONATHAN GARDNER is:

- i. JONATHAN<sup>25</sup> GARDNER, b. March 16, 1755; d. September 26, 1821; m. (1) SARAH FAIRFIELD, WFT Est. 1772-1803; m. (2) LUCIA DODGE, October 27, 1799.

**130.** HULDAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JETHRO<sup>23</sup>, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. April 1727 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died May 01, 1802. She married JOHN FLINT January 08, 1745/46, son of SAMUEL FLINT and RUTH PUTNAM.

More About HULDAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 16, 1727

More About JOHN FLINT:

Title: Deacon

Children of HULDAH PUTNAM and JOHN FLINT are:

337.
  - i. RUTH<sup>25</sup> FLINT, b. WFT Est. 1740-1759; d. WFT Est. 1793-1848.
  - ii. JEREMIAH FLINT, b. June 23, 1749; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.
  - iii. JOHN FLINT, b. March 01, 1756; d. WFT Est. 1757-1846.
  - iv. ANNA FLINT, b. July 26, 1758; d. WFT Est. 1772-1852; m. ENOCH PERLEY, WFT Est. 1772-1805.

**131.** ENOCH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JETHRO<sup>23</sup>, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 18, 1731/32 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died Abt. 1796 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married (1) HANNAH PUTNAM April 12, 1754 in Danvers, Massachusetts, daughter of STEPHEN PUTNAM and MIRIAM PUTNAM. He married (2) ELIZABETH STRATTON March 25, 1778.

Notes for ENOCH PUTNAM:

Colonel Enoch Putnam lived in Danvers, Massachusetts, on the old homestead. In 1757, he was first selected to a town office, and continued for nearly forty years serving the town in one capacity or another. He held previous to the Revolution, the officers of highway surveyor, warden, constable, tythingman, and during and after the Revolution he held still more important positions, serving on committees to see about raising the necessary men for the army, taxes, supplies of beef for the army, schools, highways, etc. He was often moderator at the town meetings. In 1775, he went to Lexington, upon the alarm, as lieutenant of Captain Israel Hutchinson's company. This company suffered as much if not more, than any other single company in that fight. Those of its members who were killed were Perley Putnam and Jotham Webb; Nathan Putnam was wounded. By 1776, Enoch Putnam was captain and shortly after was commissioned colonel.

More About ENOCH PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 26, 1731/32

Title: Colonel

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 18, 1735, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of ENOCH PUTNAM and HANNAH PUTNAM are:

338.
  - i. JETHRO<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. December 22, 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 20, 1815, Danvers, Massachusetts.
  - ii. ANNA PUTNAM, b. April 22, 1759, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1760-1853.

339. iii. FANNY PUTNAM, b. August 07, 1764, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. June 28, 1858.  
340. iv. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. May 21, 1771, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. June 22, 1830.

**132.** REBECCA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JETHRO*<sup>23</sup>, *JAMES*<sup>22</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born September 05, 1736 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1775-1831. She married (1) OAKES WFT Est. 1750-1783. She married (2) PETER PUTNAM May 27, 1771 in Hampton, New Hampshire, son of CALEB PUTNAM and SILENCE PHILLIPS.

Notes for REBECCA PUTNAM:  
Mention in Peter Putnam's will.

More About REBECCA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: September 05, 1736

Notes for PETER PUTNAM:  
Peter Putnam mentions his second wife in his will. In this will he names "brother-in-law Enoch Putnam" to be executor. In 4 January, 1774, Jeremiah Page is appointed guardian of Peter, Hannah, John, Mary, and Caleb.

More About PETER PUTNAM:  
Baptism: July 06, 1735, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Will dated: November 21, 1773  
Will proved: December 07, 1773

Child of REBECCA PUTNAM and OAKES is:

- i. CALEB<sup>25</sup> OAKES, b. WFT Est. 1754-1777; d. WFT Est. 1759-1858.

**133.** WILLIAM<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DAVID*<sup>23</sup>, *JOSEPH*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. March 1729/30 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died July 07, 1807. He married ELIZABETH PUTNAM November 05, 1751 in Danvers, Massachusetts, daughter of JOSIAH PUTNAM and RUTH HUTCHINSON.

Notes for WILLIAM PUTNAM:  
William Putnam had in life left the old homestead, and set up for himself - at one time living in the farmhouse in Danvers, Massachusetts, known as the "Clarke Place." In about 1777 or 1778 he moved to Lancaster, Massachusetts, and became a considerable landholder in that and the neighboring towns. In 1780 he was a member of the Convention which framed the State Constitution. In 1783 he bought a large farm in that part of Lancaster which soon after set of as the new town of Sterling, Massachusetts. This farm he divided into two, building a new home for himself, and establishing his oldest son, Andrew, in the old farmhouse, a very old but substantially built oak-framed house, which was still standing (1890) in good repair.

More About WILLIAM PUTNAM:  
Baptism: March 08, 1729/30, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Will dated: June 04, 1807, Watertown, Massachusetts  
Will proved: July 07, 1807, Worcester, Massachusetts

More About ELIZABETH PUTNAM:  
Baptism: July 04, 1725, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of WILLIAM PUTNAM and ELIZABETH PUTNAM are:

341. i. REBECCA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 26, 1753; d. September 1814, Danvers, Massachusetts.  
342. ii. ANDREW PUTNAM, b. April 02, 1755, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 13, 1809, Sterling, Massachusetts.  
343. iii. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. March 15, 1757; d. WFT Est. 1758-1847.  
344. iv. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. March 25, 1764; d. November 09, 1841.

**134.** LUCY<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DAVID*<sup>23</sup>, *JOSEPH*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born April 1732 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died July 20, 1818 in Marietta, Ohio. She married EZRA PUTNAM June 21, 1750, son of EZRA PUTNAM and ELIZABETH FULLER.

Notes for LUCY PUTNAM:  
Lucy (Putnam) Putnam's gravestone inscription:

"Sacred to the Memory of Lucy Putnam, who  
died July 20th, 1818, aged 87 years."

More About LUCY PUTNAM:  
Baptism: April 23, 1732, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Burial: Gen. Rufus Putnam's lot at the Mound Cemeter

Notes for EZRA PUTNAM:  
Ezra Putnam lived in Middleton, Massachusetts, but on the Lexington Alarm Lists at the State House he is named as lieutenant in Captain Asa Prince's company, and as of Danvers. His time of service there is given as two days. He was an ensign in Captain Samuel Flint's company, promoted from Sergeant 31 October, 1755. Crown Point Expedition. From a "General Return of the Army of the United Colonies at Cambridge, Jan. 8th, 1776," we learn that he then held the commission of Major in Colonel Israel Hutchinson's Regiment, the 27th Foot. Among the other officers of this regiment were Captain Enoch Putnam, Adjutant Tarrant Putnam, Lieutenant (second) Tarrant Putnam, Ensign Jeremiah Putnam. On this Coat Rolls, i. e. rolls of men who served eight months from May to December, 1775, at the siege of Boston, Massachusetts, occurs the name of Ezra Putnam, drummer, of Middleton; probably, this was the young son of Major Ezra Putnam. After the Revolutionary War, Major Ezra settled on the old farm but in 1789 (dismissed from the church at Middleton at his own request, with his wife, 27 September, 1789) he and his wife joined his sons Ezra, David, and John in Ohio. Many letters still remain in the possession of Miss Susan Putnam of Danvers which throw much light on the incidents of the early settlements on the Ohio. From these letters and other sources we find that the sons went up the Muskingum River to their and their father's "donation land" in the fall of 1790. Soon after came the Big Bottom Massacre and the sons lost their lives. The old people were obliged to take refuge in Campus Martius and there for many years Mrs. Putnam kept a "domestic boarding house." They had many trails; the death of their son Nehemiah whom they had endeavored to persuade and settle in Ohio, the gradually failing memory of the Major, the several times and high price of labor, all these are mentioned.

During the long enenings in Campus Martius it was a common occurrence to get the Major to sing a seventy verse ballad on the taking of Capetown, and to recount the many stories of the French and Indian War in which he had taken part, having held an officer's commission at the taking of Cape Bretou.

Both the Major and Mrs. Putnam are buried in the northern end of General Rufus Putnam's lot at the Mound cemetery.

Upon his gravetone is the following inscription:

"Sacred to the Memory of Major Ezra Putnam : a native of Massachusetts, who died March 19th, 1811, aged 83 years."

Major Ezra Putnam was short but not heavy build, his wife was stout, and both were lively and cheerful disposition.

Among the old letters mentioned above is one of date 29 June, 1790, in which description is given of the excitement and unbelief in Ohio of "a scheme to bring vessels to Marretta by fire works." General Rufus Putnam, however, the writer goes on to say, endorses the scheme.

General Rufus Putnam in his Memoirs states that all three of Major Ezra's sons left male issue ; this is probably a misake.

More About EZRA PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 08, 1729, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Burial: Gen. Rufus Putnam's lot at the Mound Cemet

Title: Major

Children of LUCY PUTNAM and EZRA PUTNAM are:

308. i. BETTY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. March 18, 1750/51, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1773-1845; m. ARCHELAUS BATCHELDER, November 11, 1767.  
ii. NEHEMIAH PUTNAM, b. October 14, 1753, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. 1793, Ohio.  
iii. LUCY PUTNAM, b. January 04, 1757, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. May 19, 1802; m. SAMUEL SMALL, March 09, 1780.

Notes for LUCY PUTNAM:

Married 9 March, 1780, Samuel Small of Danvers, who married 2nd, 25 November, 1802, Mrs. Jerusha (Upton) Fuller, widow of Jacob Fuller. The following was found among some old papers:

"May 19, 1802, Mrs Lucy Small died in the 74th (?) year of her age. She was wife of Mr. Samuel Small, and 2nd daughter of Major Ezra Putnam, now at the Ohio. She lived much beloved, and died greatly lamented. Her sickness was short, but attended with the most excruciating pains, which she bore with an uncommon share of Christian patience, and met death with a calm composure of mind in the animating hope of a blessed immortality, through the merits of the great Redeemer."

- iv. EZRA PUTNAM, b. July 05, 1759, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1760-1849, Big Bottom Massacre, Marietta, Ohio.

Notes for EZRA PUTNAM:

From a "General Return of the Army of the United Colonies at Cambridge, Jan. 8th, 1776," we learn that he then held the commission of Major in Colonel Israel Hutchinson's Regiment, the 27th Foot. Among the other officers of this regiment were Captain Enoch Putnam, Adjutant Tarrant Putnam, Lieutenant (second) Tarrant Putnam, Ensign Jeremiah Putnam.

On this Coat Rolls, i. e. rolls of men who served eight months from May to December, 1775, at the siege of Boston, occurs the name of Ezra Putnam, drummer, of Middleton ; probably, this was the young Ezra Putnam.

After the Revolutionary War, his father, Major Ezra and his wife joined his sons Ezra, David, and John in Ohio. Many letters still remain in the possession of Miss Susan Putnam of Danvers which throw much light on the incidents of the early settlements on the Ohio. From these letters and other sources we find that the sons went up the Muskingum River to their and their father's "donation land" in the fall of 1790. Soon after came the Big Bottom Massacre and the sons lost their lives. Ezra Putnam was killed by Indians during the winter of 1791-92. Ezra had gone to Marietta about 1788, and some of his letters are extant. In one under date of 29 May, 1788, to his mother, he speaks well of the settlement at Marietta and mentions his brother Small of Middleton.

More About EZRA PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: Killed by Indians

309. v. DEBORAH PUTNAM, b. January 19, 1761, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1802-1856.  
vi. DAVID PUTNAM, b. July 10, 1767, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1792, Marietta, Ohio.

Notes for DAVID PUTNAM:

After the Revolutionary War, his father, Major Ezra and his wife joined his sons Ezra, David, and John in Ohio. Many letters still remain in the possession of Miss Susan Putnam of Danvers which throw much light on the incidents of the early settlements on the Ohio. From these letters and other sources we find that the sons went up the Muskingum River to their and their father's "donation land" in the fall of 1790.

David Putnam died of some sickness at Marietta previous to 1792. He was graduated from Phillips Andover Academy.

More About DAVID PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: sickness

Schooling: Phillips Andover Academy

- vii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1750-1776, Middleton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1756-1856, Big Bottom Massacre, Marietta, Ohio.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:

John Putnam was killed by Indians at the same time that his brother Ezra was (during the winter of 1791-92). After the Revolutionary War, his father, Major Ezra and his wife joined his sons Ezra, David, and John in Ohio. Many letters still remain in the possession of Miss Susan Putnam of Danvers which throw much light on the incidents of the early settlements on the Ohio. From these letters and other sources we find that the sons went up the Muskingum River to their and their father's "donation land" in the fall of 1790. Soon after came the Big Bottom Massacre and the sons lost their lives.

More About JOHN PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: Killed by Indians

**135.** JOSEPH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DAVID<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 23, 1739 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died March 09, 1818 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married RUTH FLINT March 26, 1770 in Danvers, Massachusetts, daughter of JOHN FLINT and HULDAH PUTNAM.

Notes for JOSEPH PUTNAM:

Deacon Joseph Putnam was a smaller man than his brother Israel, was of a light complexion, his countenance was open and pleasant. In his old age he retained the agility of youth. Throughout his long life he was prominent in town and parish affairs and held the office of deacon in the church, having been chosen 2 September, 1802.

More About JOSEPH PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 14, 1739, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Title: Deacon

Children of JOSEPH PUTNAM and RUTH FLINT are:

344. i. RUTH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. June 29, 1773, Danvers, Mass.; d. January 22, 1849.  
ii. DAVID PUTNAM, b. October 10, 1774, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1775.  
iii. DAVID PUTNAM, b. May 04, 1776, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1776.  
345. iv. JESSE PUTNAM, b. April 03, 1778, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. February 10, 1861, Danvers, Massachusetts.  
v. PARMELIA MEELY PUTNAM, b. November 13, 1780, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. December 24, 1797.

346. vi. POLLY PUTNAM, b. April 19, 1784, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 03, 1831.  
vii. CATHARINE PUTNAM, b. May 16, 1791, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. Bef. July 1791.

Notes for CATHARINE PUTNAM:  
Catharine Putnam died aet. 4 weeks.

**136.** ISRAEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DAVID*<sup>23</sup>, *JOSEPH*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born June 29, 1742 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died February 23, 1825 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married (1) SALLY EPPES February 07, 1771 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married (2) EMMIE Aft. July 1831.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

He inherited that part of the David Putnam estate upon which stands the General Israel Putnam house. His brother Deacon Joseph had the other half of the farm.

The terms of his father's will were fulfilled in every particular and tradition states that when Joseph and Israel came to divide the property each had chosen that which the other did not want. This property comprised the estate now known as the General Israel Putnam place, the Colonel Jesse place, about fifty acres, now owned by the state, included in the Insane Hospital grounds, and the houses of Eben S. Flint, Eben Jackson, Mrs. Daniel Verry, Mrs. Julia A. Philbrick, and the schoolhouse grounds.

The section known as the Colonel Jesse estate fell to Joseph and the part known as the General Israel place fell to Israel.

Israel Putnam lived all his life in Danvers on his ancestral acres. He was a man of great breadth and warmth of character, generous, of pure tastes and of deep religious nature. It is said by his granddaughter, Mrs. Harriet (Putnam) Fowler that he resembled the portrait of his uncle, General Israel Putnam, having a round pleasant face, blue eyes, but displaying his firmness and decision of character although frank and good nature.

These traits in his character led to the seeking of his advice on town matters as an opinion given by him was rarely at fault.

For his time he was a close observer of affairs and reader of books, especially those pertaining to scripture.

More About SALLY EPPES:

Title: Danvers, Mass.

Children of ISRAEL PUTNAM and SALLY EPPES are:

- i. ALLEN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 11, 1772, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. November 10, 1793, at sea.

Notes for ALLEN PUTNAM:  
Allen Putnam died unmarried.

347. ii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. March 08, 1774, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. February 10, 1854, Danvers, Massachusetts.  
iii. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. September 29, 1776, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. July 15, 1795.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:  
Israel Putnam died unmarried.

348. iv. SALLY PUTNAM, b. March 06, 1779, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. August 20, 1811.  
349. v. BETSEY PUTNAM, b. October 09, 1782, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 23, 1864.

**137.** EUNICE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DAVID*<sup>23</sup>, *JOSEPH*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1751 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died November 26, 1846. She married NATHANIEL RICHARDSON WFT Est. 1763-1787, son of JOSHUA RICHARDSON and EUNICE JENNISON.

Notes for NATHANIEL RICHARDSON:

Nathaniel Richardson was a tanner, formerly of Woburn, Massachusetts, but afterward of Salem, Massachusetts, in which place he was killed while superintending the moving of a building.

More About NATHANIEL RICHARDSON:

Occupation: tanner

Children of EUNICE PUTNAM and NATHANIEL RICHARDSON are:

- i. JOSHUA<sup>25</sup> RICHARDSON, b. WFT Est. 1765-1791; d. WFT Est. 1771-1872.  
ii. NATHANIEL RICHARDSON, b. WFT Est. 1765-1791; d. WFT Est. 1771-1872.

More About NATHANIEL RICHARDSON:  
Occupation: merchant

- iii. WILLIAM P. RICHARDSON, b. WFT Est. 1765-1791; d. WFT Est. 1771-1872.  
iv. ISRAEL RICHARDSON, b. WFT Est. 1765-1791; d. WFT Est. 1771-1872.  
v. JESSE RICHARDSON, b. 1774; d. WFT Est. 1775-1864.

**138.** JESSE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DAVID*<sup>23</sup>, *JOSEPH*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born January 08, 1754 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died April 14, 1837 in Boston, Massachusetts. He married SUSANNA THATCHER February 11, 1776, daughter of SAMUEL THATCHER and MARY BROWN.

Notes for JESSE PUTNAM:

Colonel Jesse Putnam was one of the foremost of Boston merchants, universally respected by all who knew him. He was graduated from Harvard College in 1775.

In a letter of date 1834, he states he had become separated from his family in early life and never had returned to the homestead except on visits.

He was more or less prominent in public affairs in Boston.

The inscription was placed upon his monument at Mount Auburn:

JESSE PUTNAM

LONG KNOWN

MERCHANTS OF BOSTON  
A DISTINCTION  
NOT CLAIMED BY HIMSELF  
BUT ACCORDING BY OTHERS,  
IN CONSIDERATION OF THE  
INTELLIGENCE, ENERGY AND INTEGRITY  
WITH WHICH  
FOR MORE THAN HALF A CENTURY,  
AT HOME AND ABROAD  
HE FOLLOWED AND ADORNED  
HIS PROFESSION

On the same monument:

HERE REPOSE  
WITH THOSE OF HER HUSBAND  
THE REMAINS OF  
SUSANNAH  
FOR MORE THAN SIXTY YEARS THE WIFE OF  
JESSE PUTNAM  
SHE DIED APRIL 8, 1839  
AGED 84

The terms of his father's will were fulfilled in every particular and tradition states that when Joseph and Israel came to divide the property each had chosen that which the other did not want. This property comprised the estate now known as the General Israel Putnam place, the Colonel Jesse place, about fifty acres, now owned by the state, included in the Insane Hospital grounds, and the houses of Eben S. Flint, Eben Jackson, Mrs. Daniel Verry, Mrs. Julia A. Philbrick, and the schoolhouse grounds.

The section known as the Colonel Jesse estate fell to Joseph and the part known as the General Israel place fell to Israel.

More About JESSE PUTNAM:

Baptism: January 13, 1754  
Burial: Mount Auburn  
Schooling: 1775, Harvard College  
Title: Colonel

More About SUSANNA THATCHER:

Burial: Mount Auburn

Child of JESSE PUTNAM and SUSANNA THATCHER is:

- i. CATHARINE<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. January 09, 1777, Boston, Mass.; d. March 27, 1862, Peterborough, New Hampshire.

Notes for CATHARINE PUTNAM:

Catharine Putnam was a most cultivated and worthy woman. Throughout her life she was constantly doing good and by her example urging others to be charitable and patriotic. When the Civil War broke out she presented the Putnam Guards of Danvers with a stand of colors and in other ways encouraged them. Peterborough owes much to her benevolence, among other things a fine public park.

**139.** ISRAEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born January 28, 1739/40 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died March 07, 1812 in Belpre, Ohio. He married SARAH WALDO 1764.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Colonel Israel Putnam spent his boyhood, as most boys of his time, on the farm, only receiving such education as the contry schools afforded, but of which he made good use.

When his father hastened to Cambridge in 1775, Israel raised a company of volunteers and joined the army shortly after, where he remained under his father's orders until the arrival of Washington.

Upon the appointment of Colonel Israel Putnam as Major-General, Captain Israel Putnam was appointed an aide (22 July). In this capacity he served on the Hudson, but after three years' service he retired to his farm. During the time he was in the Army he acquitted himself with distinction.

When the Ohio company was formed, Colonel Israel Putnam joined the company, and, with two of his sons, crossed the mountains with a wagon load of farming utensils. Mrs. Putnam remained on the farm at Pomfret. At the formation of the settlement at Belfre, Colonel Putnam settled there, devoted himself to clearing a farm, and in 1790 he returned to Connecticut to bring out his family. During his absence from Ohio the Indian War broke out, which delayed his return for five years.

At Belpre, he took a leading part in the affairs of the community, and his wealth which, though not great, was greatly in excess of that of most of his neighbors, enabled him to introduce many improvements. In church affairs he was prominent, being an earnest Episcopalian, and often read the services for the church.

As a farmer he was constantly on the lookout for means to improve his stock and was the means of introducing in Ohio a fine Breed of cattle by crossing with imported stock, obtained during the Revolution.

"Colonel Putnam was a man of sound, vigorous mind, and remarkable for his plain common sense ; abrupt and homely in his manner and address, but perfectly honest and upright in his intercourse with mankind."

More About ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: Episcopalian

Baptism: June 08, 1740, Danvers, Massachusetts

Occupation: farmer

Title: Colonel

Children of ISRAEL PUTNAM and SARAH WALDO are:

- i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 25, 1764, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. 1818; m. SAMUEL THORNILY, WFT Est. 1778-1806.
350. ii. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. January 20, 1766, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. March 09, 1824, Marietta, Ohio.
351. iii. AARON WALDO PUTNAM, b. April 18, 1767, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. August 21, 1822, Belpre, Ohio.
352. iv. DAVID PUTNAM, b. February 24, 1769, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. March 31, 1856, Harmar, Ohio.
353. v. WILLIAM PITT PUTNAM, b. December 11, 1770, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. October 08, 1800, Marietta, Ohio.
354. vi. GEORGE WASHINGTON PUTNAM, b. 1771, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. Abt. 1814.
- vii. MARY PUTNAM, b. August 05, 1773, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1787-1867; m. DANIEL MAYO, WFT Est. 1787-1820.
- viii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. January 19, 1780, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1794-1874; m. JOEL CRAIG, WFT Est. 1794-1827.

**140.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 25, 1744 in Pomfret, Connecticut, and died April 03, 1821. She married JOHN WINCHESTER DANA October 26, 1764, son of ISAAC DANA and SARAH WINCHESTER.

Notes for JOHN WINCHESTER DANA:

John Wichester Dana removed, in 1773, to the grant which Governor Wentworth had made to his father in the New Hampshire Grants in 1761. The new town was called Pomfret. Here he became prominent in the affairs of town and state. Representative in the legislature in 1878, '80, '81, '92, and a member of constitutional convention of 1777.

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and JOHN DANA are:

355. i. ISAAC<sup>25</sup> DANA, b. November 28, 1765; d. WFT Est. 1818-1857.
356. ii. BETSEY DANA, b. 1768; d. March 31, 1841.
357. iii. BENJAMIN DANA, b. 1770; d. July 21, 1838.
358. iv. JUDAH DANA, b. April 25, 1772, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. December 27, 1845.
359. v. ISRAEL PUTNAM DANA, b. April 03, 1774, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. June 22, 1848.
- vi. HANNAH PUTNAM DANA, b. 1775; d. April 14, 1850, Pomfret, Connecticut; m. ZEBULON LYON, WFT Est. 1789-1821.
360. vii. JOHN WINCHESTER DANA, b. January 16, 1777; d. WFT Est. 1824-1869.
361. viii. DANIEL DANA, b. March 23, 1778; d. WFT Est. 1799-1868.
- ix. SARAH WINCHESTER DANA, b. 1779; d. WFT Est. 1793-1873; m. ELISHA SMITH, WFT Est. 1793-1826.

More About ELISHA SMITH:

Title: Major

362. x. DAVID DANA, b. March 24, 1781; d. March 12, 1839.
- xi. EUNICE DANA, b. 1783; d. WFT Est. 1797-1877; m. HARVEY CHASE, WFT Est. 1797-1830.

More About HARVEY CHASE:

Occupation: Attorney

Schooling: 1800, Yale College

- xii. SCHUYLER DANA, b. 1785; d. WFT Est. 1786-1875.

Notes for SCHUYLER DANA:

Died in infancy.

- xiii. MARY DANA, b. 1787; d. 1816; m. GREET, WFT Est. 1801-1814.

**141.** MEHITABLE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 21, 1749 in Pomfret, Connecticut, and died November 28, 1789. She married DANIEL TYLER 1771.

Notes for MEHITABLE PUTNAM:

Mehitable Putnam married, 1771, Captain Daniel Tyler, of Brooklyn, Connecticut, an aide-de-camp of General Israel Putnam (her father) at Bunker Hill. Captain Tyler was born 1750, died 29 April, 1832.

Captain Tyler was son of Daniel Tyler who was born at Groton, 22 February, 1701 ; died 20 February, 1802, aged 100 years 11 months 26 days.

Children:

- 667 Mary      b.              d. 12 June, 1832  
668 Pascal Paola   b. 15 May, 1774   m. Betsy Baker

Children:

Caroline E.   m. Hulings Cowperthwait of Philadelphia

Daniel Putnam   m. Emily C. Tyler, his cousin lawyer in Brooklyn, formerly Secretary of State

Mary B.      m. James Holbrook of Brooklyn, Conn.

669 Daniel P.   b.              d. 18 Jan., 1798 @ 21 Years

669a Septimus   b.              d. 26 May, 1782 @ 2 Yrs. 8 mos.

670 William P.   b. 7 Oct., 1781   d. 2 Dec., 1859   m. 1 Jan., 1809, Waty, dau. of Nathan and Hannah (Putnam) #976 Williams of Canterbury, Conn. They lived a few years at Warner, Vt., but returned to Brooklyn.

Children:

Hannah Putnam   b. 15 Mar.,      d. 30 Jan., 1892   m. 14 July, 1840, David Gilmur of Elizabeth, N.J.

Elizabeth      b. 19 Oct., 1809   d. 29 Apr., 1839   unmarried

Maria Cordelia   b. 3 Sept., 1811   d. 1 Mar., 1882   m. 11 Sept., 1832, John Gallup, 3d, of Brooklyn, at one time general manager of Lake Shore R.R.

Emily Cecilia   b. 3 Sept., 1811   d. 13 Feb., 1869   m. Daniel P. Tyler (above) #669   she was Maria Cordelia twin

Waty Williams   b. 27 Aug., 1814   m. 30 May, 1842, Rev. Benjamin Howe   b. 3 Nov., 1807 of Ipswich, d. Hudson, N.H.

Children:

Homer      b. 16 Aug., 1848, Wells, Me. of Hudson N.H.

Cecil Putnam   b. 8 Nov., 1857   d. 13 Feb., 1866

William P.      b. 7 July, 1815   d. 10 Sept., 1816

William Williams   b. 30 July,      d. 27 Jan., 1865   m. 22 Jan., 1855, Joanna Farrington

671 Betsy      b. 18 June, 1784   m. \_\_\_\_\_ Eldredge of Warren, Vt.

Children:  
Betsey  
Frederick  
Daniel  
Lucretia  
Edward  
Lucy

672 Septimus d. 17 Sept., 1817 @ 27 Years on passage home from St. Domingo, on board the frigate Congress. He was commercial agent of U.S. at the Island of St. Domingo

Captain Daniel, married second, Sarah, widow of Deacon Benjamin Chaplin. She was a granddaughter of President Jonathan Edwards and a sister of Aaron Burr's wife.

Children:

Sally b. 29 May, 1791 d. Nov., 1857 m. Rev. Sam'l P. Williams of Newburyport, Mass.  
Frederic b. 5 July, 1795 d. at Hartford, Conn. @ 85  
m. Sarah Sharp of Abington, Conn. and was father of Gen. Robert O. Tyler, U.S.A.  
Edwin b. 5 Jan., 1794 d. 4 Aug., 1838 m. 1st, Alla Mary Edwards d. 22 Sept., 1833 @ 34  
m. 2nd  
Gen. Daniel P., was of the late war

He married thrice and had 21 children ; at the time of his death there were living 6 children, 50 grandchildren and 120 great- grandchildren.

Three of the sons of Captain Tyler graduated at West Point ; Septimus, Edwin and Daniel.

Notes for DANIEL TYLER:

Captain Daniel Tyler was an aid-de-camp of General Israel Putnam at Bunker Hill.

More About DANIEL TYLER:

Title: Captain

Children of MEHITABLE PUTNAM and DANIEL TYLER are:

363. i. MARY<sup>25</sup> TYLER, b. WFT Est. 1764-1781; d. June 12, 1832.
364. ii. PASCAL PAOLA TYLER, b. May 15, 1774; d. WFT Est. 1795-1864.
- iii. DANIEL P. TYLER, b. Abt. 1777; d. January 18, 1798.

Notes for DANIEL P. TYLER:  
Died aet. 21 years.

More About DANIEL P. TYLER:  
Schooling: West Point

- iv. SEPTIMUS TYLER, b. Abt. November 1779; d. May 26, 1782.

Notes for SEPTIMUS TYLER:  
Died aet. 2 years, 8 months.

365. v. WILLIAM P. TYLER, b. October 07, 1781; d. December 02, 1859.
366. vi. BETSEY TYLER, b. June 18, 1784; d. WFT Est. 1802-1878.
- vii. SEPTIMUS TYLER, b. Abt. 1790; d. September 17, 1817.

Notes for SEPTIMUS TYLER:  
Died aet. 27 years, on passage home from St. Domingo, on board the frigate Congress.

More About SEPTIMUS TYLER:  
Occupation: U.S. Commercial Agent

Schooling: West Point

**142.** MARY<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL*<sup>23</sup>, *JOSEPH*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE *TURVILLE*, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born May 10, 1753 in Pomfret, Connecticut, and died WFT Est. 1798-1848. She married SAMUEL WALDO WFT Est. 1766-1794, son of ZACHARIAH WALDO.

Notes for SAMUEL WALDO:

Samuel Waldo was a descendant of Deacon Cornelius Waldo, of Chelmsford, Massachusetts.

Children of MARY PUTNAM and SAMUEL WALDO are:

367. i. BETSEY<sup>25</sup> WALDO, b. September 22, 1774, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. July 14, 1846.
- ii. ISRAEL WALDO, b. December 12, 1776; d. January 02, 1786.
- iii. SAMUEL WALDO, b. March 12, 1779; d. March 1826, Hartford, Connecticut.

Notes for SAMUEL WALDO:  
Samuel Waldo was author of many biographical works.

368. iv. FRANCIS WALDO, b. April 22, 1783; d. WFT Est. 1818-1874.
- v. LEWIS WALDO, b. June 25, 1787; d. May 01, 1788.
- vi. POLLY WALDO, b. April 13, 1789; d. WFT Est. 1790-1883.
- vii. LEWIS PUTNAM WALDO, b. March 22, 1796; d. March 28, 1796.

**143.** EUNICE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL*<sup>23</sup>, *JOSEPH*<sup>22</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE *TURVILLE*, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born January 10, 1756 in Pomfret, Connecticut, and died June 27, 1799. She married (1) LEMUEL GROSVENOR WFT Est. 1771-1792, son of EBENEZER GROSVENOR and LUCY CHENEY. She married (2) ELISHA AVERY WFT Est. 1768-1792, son of EPHRAIM AVERY and DEBORAH LOTHROP.

Notes for LEMUEL GROSVENOR:

Two more children were born, however died in infancy.



More About LEMUEL GROSVENOR:

Title: Brigider General

Children of EUNICE PUTNAM and LEMUEL GROSVENOR are:

369. i. LEMUEL PUTNAM<sup>25</sup> GROSVENOR, b. October 26, 1784; d. January 19, 1858.  
ii. GUY GROSVENOR, b. September 05, 1786; d. September 10, 1788.  
iii. EBENEZER GROSVENOR, b. February 26, 1788, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. November 10, 1817, Pomfret, Connecticut; m. HARRIET WADSWORTH PUTNAM, May 03, 1815, Brooklyn, Connecticut.

Notes for EBENEZER GROSVENOR:

No living issue.

More About EBENEZER GROSVENOR:

Occupation: Lawyer

Schooling: 1807, Yale University, New haven, Connecticut

Title: Major

Notes for HARRIET WADSWORTH PUTNAM:

No living issue.

- iv. CLARK GUY GROSVENOR, b. June 23, 1790; d. October 21, 1809.  
v. LEWIS GROSVENOR, b. April 12, 1794; d. August 12, 1833; m. HARRIET WINCHESTER, WFT Est. 1811-1830.

Notes for LEWIS GROSVENOR:

Had one daughter, died young, three more died in infancy.

Notes for HARRIET WINCHESTER:

Had one daughter, died young, three more died in infancy.

Child of EUNICE PUTNAM and ELISHA AVERY is:

- vi. ELISHA<sup>25</sup> AVERY, b. WFT Est. 1769-1795; d. WFT Est. 1775-1876.

**144.** DANIEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 18, 1759 in Pomfret, Connecticut, and died April 30, 1831 in Pomfret, Connecticut. He married CATHERINE HUTCHINSON September 02, 1782 in Boston, Massachusetts, daughter of SHRIMPTON HUTCHINSON and ELIZABETH MALBONE.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:

Daniel Putnam was a farmer on a very large scale in Brooklyn, Connecticut. He was an earnest supporter of the Protestant Episcopal church.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: Protestant Episcopal Church

Occupation: farmer

More About CATHERINE HUTCHINSON:

Title: Brooklyn, Connecticut

Children of DANIEL PUTNAM and CATHERINE HUTCHINSON are:

370. i. WILLIAM<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. January 01, 1783, Brooklyn (then Pomfret), Connecticut; d. December 05, 1846, Brooklyn, Connecticut.  
371. ii. CATHERINE PUTNAM, b. November 17, 1785, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. October 02, 1842, Hartford, Connecticut.  
iii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. February 18, 1789, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. May 10, 1794.  
iv. HARRIET WADSWORTH PUTNAM, b. September 22, 1792, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. September 20, 1869; m. EBENEZER GROSVENOR, May 03, 1815, Brooklyn, Connecticut.

Notes for HARRIET WADSWORTH PUTNAM:

No living issue.

Notes for EBENEZER GROSVENOR:

No living issue.

More About EBENEZER GROSVENOR:

Occupation: Lawyer

Schooling: 1807, Yale University, New haven, Connecticut

Title: Major

372. v. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. September 24, 1794, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. 1844.  
vi. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. May 1796, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. June 02, 1796.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Israel Putnam died @ 10 days old.

- vii. ANNE COFFIN PUTNAM, b. April 17, 1798, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. July 02, 1840.  
373. viii. EMILY PUTNAM, b. January 17, 1800, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. March 14, 1873.

**145.** PETER SCHUYLER<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL<sup>23</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>22</sup>, THOMAS<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 31, 1764 in Pomfret, Connecticut, and died September 1827. He married LUCY FRINK July 1785, daughter of NATHAN FRINK.

Notes for PETER SCHUYLER PUTNAM:

Peter Schuyler Putnam was landlord of the Mansion House at Williamstown. It was at his home in Pomfret, Connecticut, that General Israel Putnam lived during the last years of his life and died.

Children of PETER PUTNAM and LUCY FRINK are:

374. i. JOHN POPE<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. May 09, 1786, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. October 10, 1867, Cambridge, New York.

375. ii. NATHAN PUTNAM, b. August 22, 1787, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. December 03, 1841, North Adams, Massachusetts.  
 376. iii. PETER SCHUYLER PUTNAM, b. Abt. 1790, Brooklyn, Connecticut; d. 1858, Elyria, Ohio.  
 iv. OLIVER PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1785-1813; d. WFT Est. 1791-1892.

Notes for OLIVER PUTNAM:  
 Oliver Putnam died aet 6 years.

**146.** JOHN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SAMUEL<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 08, 1715 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died April 1762 in Oswego. He married SARAH MAVERICK April 25, 1737 in Sudbury, Massachusetts, daughter of JAMES MAVERICK and MARY.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:

John Putnam, at the time of his marriage lived in Framingham. He was presented with a farm by his father and had settled there. When his father was forced to surrender his property to his creditors, this farm of John's was also taken, he being unable to show title deeds. His home was on the south side of Green Hill about three quarters of a mile from the spot where Wadsworth and his men were slain in 1676.

It is said that the loss of his farm in this manner so disheartened him that he enlisted in the army during the last French and Indian war. He died in the service at Oswego in 1762.

More About JOHN PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 06, 1716

Cause of Death: French & Indian War

Children of JOHN PUTNAM and SARAH MAVERICK are:

- i. JAMES<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1736-1760; d. WFT Est. 1741-1841.

Notes for JAMES PUTNAM:  
 John Putnam, twin of Samuel, died in infancy.

- ii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. January 18, 1737/38, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1739-1832.

Notes for ELIZABETH PUTNAM:  
 Elizabeth Putnam died unmarried "at middle age."

377. iii. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. Abt. 1740; d. Abt. 1789.  
 iv. JESSE PUTNAM, b. March 25, 1743, Framingham, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1744-1833, New York.

Notes for JESSE PUTNAM:

In 1759, Jesse Putnam, was on the roll of a militia company in Sudbury. In 1835 his brother John gave the following account of him. "He went out in the French and Indian War, became entirely blind but was cared for and cured by the British surgeons, after which he remained in the British service. During the Revolution he held the commission of Ensign. At the close of the war he was in New York and died there. He was buried with honors of war." It is worth noting that this Jesse, with the exception of Hon. James Putnam, and his son James, is the only one of the name who has held commissions in the British service since 1775.

More About JESSE PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: War

Title: Ensign

378. v. JOHN PUTNAM, b. June 13, 1746, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. September 09, 1838, Chester, Vermont.  
 379. vi. NATHAN PUTNAM, b. July 26, 1749, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. June 26, 1833, Lexington, Kentucky.  
 vii. ENOS PUTNAM, b. June 08, 1752, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1753-1842.

Notes for ENOS PUTNAM:

His brother John relates that Enos was bound out when a boy, but being ill-treated left his master and travelled almost naked, to his brother's in Marlboro, who clothed him, afterward went to Templeton, but left there and never heard from.

380. viii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. September 27, 1755, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. October 21, 1819, Windham, Vermont.  
 381. ix. ASA PUTNAM, b. September 05, 1758, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. March 29, 1837.  
 x. SARAH PUTNAM, b. September 25, 1761, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1762-1855.

**147.** DANIEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SAMUEL<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 27, 1717 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died December 15, 1753 in Sudbury, Massachusetts. He married THANKFUL WFT Est. 1732-1751.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:

Daniel Putnam received as a gift from his father a farm in Sudbury, Mass., and there he lived and died. He followed the trade of a shoemaker.

Abstract from an ancient diary : "Dec. 15, 1753 died Mr. Daniel Putnam of a voilant fever of which he lay sick a week. Has left behind one child and a widow who has been in a sorrowful condition for a considerable time. The Lord support her under this heavy bereavement and also do her soul good by it and bring her out of the distressed condition take care of her and the child its father has forsaken. Taken away in the prime of life about 16 years old & bring one of my nearest neighbors the call is louder both to me & mine to get ready."

This same diarist notes the death of the father, Samuel Putnam, under date of December 20th.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 11, 1719, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Cause of Death: voilant fever

Occupation: shoemaker

More About THANKFUL:

Title: Sudbury, Mass.

Children of DANIEL PUTNAM and THANKFUL are:

- i. LUCY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. May 13, 1748, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1842.

Notes for LUCY PUTNAM:  
 Lucy Putnam died young.

ii. RELIEF PUTNAM, b. November 06, 1751, Sudbury, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1776-1845; m. EPHRAIM CURTIS, May 23, 1770, Sudbury, Massachusetts.

**148.** ASA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOSIAH<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 31, 1714 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died 1795 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married (1) SARAH PUTNAM November 30, 1738 in Salem, Massachusetts. He married (2) MARY WALCOTT August 23, 1764 in Danvers, Massachusetts.

Notes for ASA PUTNAM:

Asa Putnam was a farmer in Danvers. He was a man of an inventive turn of mind and was much respected for his Christian character and generous, kindly disposition. Mr. Putnam was always thoroughly acquainted with the results of investigations of the great minds of his day. He was a man to be guided by and any one could follow the dictates of his conscience. His life is aptly described by Dr. Wadsworth in the text delivered at his funeral "Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright for the end of that man is peace."

Deacon Asa was a man of small stature but athletic and vigorous power, both in mind and body, dark eyes which retained their lustre to the last, an expression conveying a mixture of firmness and gentleness to those who met him.

He was corporal in Captain John Putnam's Company, two days service at Lexington Alarm.

More About ASA PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 15, 1714, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Occupation: farmer

Title: Deacon

Children of ASA PUTNAM and SARAH PUTNAM are:

382. i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 22, 1739, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 1781.
383. ii. ELISHA PUTNAM, b. March 16, 1740/41, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. February 16, 1817, Danvers, Massachusetts.
- iii. JOSIAH PUTNAM, b. Abt. March 1743/44, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 06, 1754.

Notes for JOSIAH PUTNAM:

Josiah Putnam died two days before his two brothers, Asa and Peter.

More About JOSIAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 11, 1743/44, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

- iv. ASA PUTNAM, b. Abt. May 1750, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 08, 1754.

Notes for ASA PUTNAM:

Asa Putnam died the same day as his brother Peter and two days after his brother Josiah.

More About ASA PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 27, 1750, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

- v. PETER PUTNAM, b. Abt. February 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 08, 1754.

Notes for PETER PUTNAM:

Peter Putnam died the same day as his brother Asa and two days after his brother Josiah.

More About PETER PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 18, 1753, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

384. vi. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. January 09, 1755, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1784-1849.

Children of ASA PUTNAM and MARY WALCOTT are:

385. vii. MARY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. August 04, 1765; d. January 28, 1840, Beverly, Massachusetts.
386. viii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. February 02, 1767, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 27, 1853.

**149.** JOSIAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOSIAH<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 03, 1718/19 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died February 04, 1795 in Warren, Massachusetts. He married LYDIA WHEELER January 13, 1739/40.

Notes for JOSIAH PUTNAM:

Josiah Putnam was a captain in Colonel Jedediah Foote's regiment. He was at Lexington on the 19th of April, 1775, and among his men was his son Josiah.

More About JOSIAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 08, 1719, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Title: Captain

Notes for LYDIA WHEELER:

Lydia (Wheeler) Putnam died of numb palsy, after a sickness of five years.

More About LYDIA WHEELER:

Cause of Death: numb palsy

Children of JOSIAH PUTNAM and LYDIA WHEELER are:

387. i. LYDIA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1739-1766; d. May 1810.
- ii. ASA PUTNAM, b. August 10, 1743, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 07, 1795.
- iii. THANKFUL PUTNAM, b. May 06, 1747; d. August 07, 1814.

More About THANKFUL PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: drowned

388. iv. JOSIAH PUTNAM, b. June 08, 1749; d. May 01, 1835.
- v. RUTH PUTNAM, b. July 24, 1752; d. WFT Est. 1766-1846; m. JUDA DAMAN, WFT Est. 1766-1799.
389. vi. MARY PUTNAM, b. April 15, 1759, Western; d. WFT Est. 1802-1854.

**150.** ELIZABETH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOSIAH<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. June 1725, and died Bef. 1807. She married WILLIAM PUTNAM November 05, 1751 in Danvers, Massachusetts, son of DAVID PUTNAM and REBECCA PERLEY.

More About ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 04, 1725, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Notes for WILLIAM PUTNAM:

William Putnam had in life left the old homestead, and set up for himself - at one time living in the farmhouse in Danvers, Massachusetts, known as the "Clarke Place." In about 1777 or 1778 he moved to Lancaster, Massachusetts, and became a considerable landholder in that and the neighboring towns. In 1780 he was a member of the Convention which framed the State Constitution. In 1783 he bought a large farm in that part of Lancaster which soon after set of as the new town of Sterling, Massachusetts. This farm he divided into two, building a new home for himself, and establishing his oldest son, Andrew, in the old farmhouse, a very old but substantially built oak-framed house, which was still standing (1890) in good repair.

More About WILLIAM PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 08, 1729/30, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Will dated: June 04, 1807, Watertown, Massachusetts

Will proved: July 07, 1807, Worcester, Massachusetts

Children of ELIZABETH PUTNAM and WILLIAM PUTNAM are:

341. i. REBECCA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 26, 1753; d. September 1814, Danvers, Massachusetts.
342. ii. ANDREW PUTNAM, b. April 02, 1755, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 13, 1809, Sterling, Massachusetts.
- iii. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. March 15, 1757; d. WFT Est. 1758-1847.
343. iv. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. March 25, 1764; d. November 09, 1841.

**151.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOSHUA<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 16, 1722, and died March 28, 1771. She married JOHN PRESTON July 12, 1744, son of JOHN PRESTON and ELIZABETH.

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: January 15, 1725/26, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and JOHN PRESTON are:

- i. ELIZABETH<sup>25</sup> PRESTON, b. May 09, 1745; d. WFT Est. 1789-1840; m. (1) ABEL NICHOLS, December 30, 1766; m. (2) BARTHOLOMEW TRASK, 1785.
390. ii. JOHN PRESTON, b. September 03, 1746; d. WFT Est. 1782-1837.
- iii. PHILIP PRESTON, b. October 30, 1748; d. May 29, 1749.
- iv. JOSHUA PRESTON, b. March 27, 1751; d. May 11, 1751.
- v. DAVID PRESTON, b. March 20, 1751/52; d. January 16, 1774.
- vi. HANNAH PRESTON, b. August 03, 1754; d. October 20, 1825; m. AMOS TAPLEY, May 19, 1772.
391. vii. LEVI PRESTON, b. October 21, 1756; d. WFT Est. 1793-1847.
- viii. MOSES PRESTON, b. April 20, 1758; d. WFT Est. 1775-1848; m. SARAH BERRY, WFT Est. 1775-1808.
- ix. AARON PRESTON, b. March 24, 1760; d. April 09, 1760.
- x. DANIEL PRESTON, b. June 11, 1761; d. July 01, 1762.

**152.** MARY<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOSHUA<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 26, 1727, and died WFT Est. 1750-1821. She married TIMOTHY PRINCE 1744, son of JOSEPH PRINCE and ELIZABETH ROBINSON.

More About MARY PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 15, 1712, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of MARY PUTNAM and TIMOTHY PRINCE are:

- i. SAMUEL<sup>25</sup> PRINCE, b. WFT Est. 1745-1768; d. WFT Est. 1750-1849.

More About SAMUEL PRINCE:

Baptism: May 31, 1747

- ii. PHEBE PRINCE, b. WFT Est. 1745-1768; d. WFT Est. 1750-1852.

More About PHEBE PRINCE:

Baptism: December 18, 1748

- iii. BETTY PRINCE, b. WFT Est. 1745-1768; d. WFT Est. 1750-1852.

More About BETTY PRINCE:

Baptism: December 22, 1751

- iv. TIMOTHY PRINCE, b. WFT Est. 1745-1768; d. WFT Est. 1750-1849.

More About TIMOTHY PRINCE:

Baptism: November 07, 1756

- v. HANNAH PRINCE, b. WFT Est. 1745-1768; d. WFT Est. 1750-1852.

More About HANNAH PRINCE:

Baptism: October 19, 1760

**153.** REBECCA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 07, 1720 in North Reading, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1762-1815. She married EBENEZER EMERSON November 21, 1751, son of EBENEZER EMERSON and MARY BOUTWELL.

Child of REBECCA PUTNAM and EBENEZER EMERSON is:

- i. DANIEL<sup>25</sup> EMERSON, b. 1760; d. WFT Est. 1787-1851; m. LUCY PRATT, 1781.

Notes for DANIEL EMERSON:

Daniel Emerson inherited the homestead.

**154.** DANIEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 08, 1721 in North Reading, Massachusetts, and died November 05, 1773. He married HANNAH INGALLS WFT Est. 1739-1757, daughter of HENRY INGALLS and HANNAH MARTIN.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:

Deacon Daniel Putnam was elected deacon of the church in North Reading in 1754; in 1763, 1768 and 1771 he was selectman of Reading, and in 1773 represented Reading in the General Court. On 4th January, 1774, Hannah Putnam, spinster, was appointed administratrix on his estate. Administration on both his and his son, Daniel's, estate granted at the same time.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:

Title: Deacon

Children of DANIEL PUTNAM and HANNAH INGALLS are:

- i. HANNAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. January 23, 1744/45, Reading, Massachusetts; d. January 26, 1799; m. THOMAS BROWN, Aft. 1774.

Notes for HANNAH PUTNAM:

Unmarried in 1774; Family records says she married Thos. Brown and died 26 January, 1799.

- ii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. October 10, 1747, Reading, Massachusetts; d. November 03, 1773.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:

Daniel Putnam's administration on both his and his father's estate granted at the same time.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:

Occupation: physician

392. iii. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. January 18, 1751/52, Reading, Massachusetts; d. September 17, 1785.
- iv. JOSHUA PUTNAM, b. January 27, 1751/52, Reading, Massachusetts; d. October 25, 1773; m. EUNICE, WFT Est. 1767-1772.

Notes for JOSHUA PUTNAM:

Joshua Putnam was a man of note in North Reading. Family records has his date of birth as 27 January, 1750.

393. v. HENRY PUTNAM, b. May 07, 1755, North Reading, Massachusetts; d. November 27, 1806, Reading, Massachusetts.
394. vi. AARON PUTNAM, b. April 11, 1757, Reading, Massachusetts; d. May 1812, Boston, Massachusetts.
- vii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. June 25, 1760, Reading, Massachusetts; d. March 16, 1798, Boston, Massachusetts; m. NAHUM FAY, WFT Est. 1775-1797.

More About SARAH PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: consumption (aged 38)

More About NAHUM FAY:

Title: Doctor

**155.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 31, 1726 in North Reading Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1764-1821. She married JAMES FLINT, SR. May 07, 1747, son of WILLIAM FLINT and ABIGAIL NICHOLS.

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and JAMES FLINT are:

- i. JAMES<sup>25</sup> FLINT, JR., b. March 30, 1754; d. WFT Est. 1755-1844.

Notes for JAMES FLINT, JR.:

Died unmarried.

- ii. KENDALL FLINT, b. March 06, 1756; d. WFT Est. 1757-1846.

Notes for KENDALL FLINT:

Died young.

- iii. HANNAH FLINT, b. February 05, 1759; d. WFT Est. 1791-1853; m. BENJAMIN BUXTON, September 07, 1786.
- iv. SAMUEL FLINT, b. September 01, 1761; d. WFT Est. 1762-1851.

**156.** AARON<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 15, 1733 in North Reading, Massachusetts, and died October 28, 1813 in Pomfret, Connecticut. He married (1) REBECCA HALL October 23, 1760, daughter of DAVID HALL and ELIZABETH PRESCOTT. He married (2) ELIZABETH AVERY May 1777<sup>12</sup>, daughter of EPHRAIM AVERY and DEBORAH LOTHROP.

Notes for AARON PUTNAM:

Rev. Aaron Putnam was graduated from Harvard College, in 1752. On 17 November, 1755, he was called to Pomfret, Connecticut, and accepted 8 February, 1756. Ordained 10 March, 1756. He was pastor of this church until 1802, and was universally respected and beloved by his people. He was a member of the Library Association of Pomfret, having been elected upon his arrival. This society was noted for the character of its members.

Rev. Aaron Putnam was very thorough and severe in his discipline and entertained high notions of the sanctity of the Sabbath. He lost his health and finally his voice, rendering it necessary for his deacons to read the sermons he wrote.

From his tombstone the following tribute to his memory is taken: "a kind father, an affectionate husband, a good man, and a minister of truth, whose virtues will be remembered long after the marble shall have crumbled to dust." His tombstone also states his death as 15 October.

More About AARON PUTNAM:

Schooling: 1752, Harvard College

Title: Reverend

Notes for REBECCA HALL:

Rebecca (Hall) Putnam died from the effects of a fall, having been thrown from a carriage while diving with her husband. She died within three days of the accident. Mrs. Putnam was a lady of distinguished endowments. Her brother was Dr. D. Hall of Pomfret, and her sister married Colonel John Putnam of Sutton.

More About REBECCA HALL:

Cause of Death: fall from carriage

Notes for ELIZABETH AVERY:

Children of AARON PUTNAM and REBECCA HALL are:

- i. REBECCA HALL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1751-1773; d. January 28, 1819; m. NATHANIEL FRYE MORSE, 1810.

Notes for NATHANIEL FRYE MORSE:

Dr. Morse's first wife was Hannah Gibbs, who was mother of his eleven children.

- ii. AARON PUTNAM, b. July 30, 1761; d. April 01, 1765.
- iii. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. May 05, 1763; d. January 25, 1767.
- iv. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. January 24, 1765; d. October 1808; m. ELIJAH BELCHER, WFT Est. 1779-1802.

Notes for ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

She left two sons.

- v. MARY PUTNAM, b. January 25, 1766; d. October 09, 1848; m. NATHAN ALLEN, February 20, 1790.

Notes for MARY PUTNAM:

Had nine children. See p.243, Hall Genealogy.

More About NATHAN ALLEN:

Occupation: farmer

Children of AARON PUTNAM and ELIZABETH AVERY are:

- vi. DEBORAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. February 13, 1778, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1779-1872.
- vii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. February 14, 1780; d. September 01, 1857, Cherry Valley, New York.

Notes for HANNAH PUTNAM:

Died unmarried.

- viii. RUTH PUTNAM, b. October 31, 1782; d. March 14, 1864, Cherry Valley, New York.

Notes for RUTH PUTNAM:

Died unmarried.

- ix. SALLY PUTNAM, b. October 13, 1784; d. March 1821, Cherry Valley, New York; m. SAMUEL P. STORRS, March 1821.
395. x. AARON PUTNAM, b. October 26, 1786, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. December 20, 1831.

**157.** LYDIA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOHN<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1718 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died November 22, 1789. She married DAVID GOODALE March 02, 1737/38.

Children of LYDIA PUTNAM and DAVID GOODALE are:

- i. DAVID<sup>25</sup> GOODALE, b. December 16, 1738; d. WFT Est. 1739-1828.
- ii. LYDIA GOODALE, b. November 20, 1740; d. WFT Est. 1741-1834.
- iii. EMMA GOODALE, b. January 21, 1742/43; d. WFT Est. 1744-1837.
- iv. PHEBE GOODALE, b. April 04, 1745; d. WFT Est. 1746-1839.
- v. EDE GOODALE, b. September 16, 1754; d. WFT Est. 1755-1848.
- vi. HANNAH GOODALE, b. June 05, 1758; d. WFT Est. 1759-1852.
396. vii. JUDITH GOODALE, b. April 20, 1761; d. May 04, 1837, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- viii. ANDREW GOODALE, b. November 11, 1765; d. WFT Est. 1766-1855.

**158.** JOHN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOHN<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1720 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died Abt. November 1786 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married RUTH SWINNERTON February 04, 1740/41 in Salem, Massachusetts.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:

John Putnam's will was made 29 June, 1786, proved 6 November, 1786.

Mentioned in his father's will, also "granddau. Lydia," and wife Ruth.

More About JOHN PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 11, 1724

Will dated: June 29, 1786

Will proved: November 06, 1786

Notes for RUTH SWINNERTON:

Ruth (Swinnerton) Putnam died and was buried the same day by her son Peter. Mention in her father-in-law's will.

More About RUTH SWINNERTON:

Burial: March 31, 1802

Children of JOHN PUTNAM and RUTH SWINNERTON are:

- i. NATHAN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. November 03, 1742, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1786.
397. ii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. December 10, 1743, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1773-1834.
398. iii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. April 19, 1748, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. April 26, 1813, Fitchburg, Massachusetts.

399. iv. JAMES PUTNAM, b. July 16, 1750, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. August 21, 1819, Salem Village, Massachusetts.  
 400. v. PETER PUTNAM, b. October 03, 1751, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. March 29, 1802.  
 401. vi. AMOS PUTNAM, b. May 25, 1752, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. Aft. 1835, Winchester, New Hampshire.

**159.** AMOS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM, DR. (*JOHN<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>) was born September 1722 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died July 26, 1807 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married (1) HANNAH PHILLIPS March 18, 1742/43, daughter of JAMES PHILLIPS. He married (2) MARY GOTT August 13, 1759.*

Notes for AMOS PUTNAM, DR.:

He studied medicine under Dr. Jonathan Prince of Danvers, Massachusetts, and practised in Danvers until the opening of the French and Indian War, when he entered the colonial service as surgeon. At the close of the war he returned to Danvers and practised until over eighty years of age.

During the Revolution he was member of the committee of safety, was often moderator at town meeting and held other positions of public concern. He was a firm and outspoken patriot and one of the most influential citizens of the town.

His grave, in a small enclosure near the Collins house, is marked by a plain stone with the following inscription : "Sacred to the memory of Doct. Amos Putnam and Hannah Phillips the wife of A.P."

During his life Dr. Putnam lived near Felton's corner, in the house afterward occupied by Daniel Tapley. A portrait painted, in 1762 or thereabouts, is in the possession of the Danvers Historical Society having been presented by Charles Putnam, Esq., (No. 3349) of Cambridge, a descendant. This portrait represents a man with large chin, small mouth, blue eyes and a good intellect. The following obituary appeared in the Essex Register, printed at Salem, Massachusetts, 3 August, 1807.

We have received the following notice of the character of Dr. AMOS PUTNAM, whose death, in Danvers, was mentioned in our last:-

"He was born in Danvers, 11th Oct. O.S. 1722. After having enjoyed the benefits then derivable from a common school, he commenced the study of Physic and Surgery with the late Dr. Prince, to the attachment of whose family he particularly recommended himself by the propriety of his conduct, and the uniform serenity of his disposition. In 1744, he applied to practice the rich acquisitions of his retentive mind, with that success which never attaches itself to superficial knowledge, and gained that extensive reputation which invited his advise and assistance, in the most dangerous diseases, with undiminished confidence, for 56 years; at which period an asthmatical disorder, which he had previously experienced, began to corrode his strength with more superior force, though not sufficiently to counteract the energy of medicinal application, or prevent him from the duties of his profession, until 1805 ; when his age, united with his debilitating disorder, more obstinately prohibited his future usefulness in society. He was emulous in the principles, and unremitting in the practice of the religion he professed, and a retrospective view of his life, sanctioned by the approbation of his conscience, produced that resignation to the will of his MAKER, which mantled his mind in serenity. As a husband he never infringed the sacred state by an unfeeling wurd or angry frown ; as a father, the object of his fond exertion was to infuse into the minds of hid children those virtues which shone with eminent lustre in his own ; and as a friend he was social, sincere, and innocently cheerful, was never known to slander the character even an inveterate enemy, but with benevolence involved every injury in oblivion."

In July, 1834, Judge Samuel Putnam (No. 823) wrote the following letter to Colonel Perley Putnam, of such general interest, that it is inserted here:

"I remember your grandfather, Dr. Amos Putnam (No. 271), of Danvers. He was in great practice as a physician and surgeon, and of a most courteous and gentlemanly deportment. He was the physician in my father's family. It used to be said that he acquired his skill in surgery in the war of 1756."

There was a Dr. James Putnam in Danvers the latter portion of the life of Dr. Amos, and an old rhyme runs:

"Doctor Amos was very famous,  
 Doctor Jim was very slim."

More About AMOS PUTNAM, DR.:

Baptism: October 11, 1724

Title: Doctor

Notes for HANNAH PHILLIPS:

She died 33 years of age. Her grave, in a small enclosure near the Collins house, is marked by a plain stone with the following inscription : "Sacred to the memory of Doct. Amos Putnam and Hannah Phillips the wife of A.P."

Children of AMOS PUTNAM and HANNAH PHILLIPS are:

402. i. JAMES PHILLIPS<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, DR., b. April 21, 1745, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. March 04, 1824, Danvers, Massachusetts.  
 403. ii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. September 18, 1749, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. November 26, 1802.  
 iii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. March 08, 1753, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1767-1847; m. NATHANIEL OLIVER, WFT Est. 1767-1800.

More About ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 18, 1753, Salem Village, Massachusetts

**160.** EDMUND<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOHN<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>) was born 1724 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died 1810 in Salem Village, Massachusetts. He married ANNA ANDREWS October 1745, daughter of ISRAEL ANDREWS and ANNA PORTER.*

Notes for EDMUND PUTNAM:

Deacon Edmund Putnam, in 1753, bought land of John Baker and removed to Topsfield ; but in 1758 he sold it to Rev. John Emerson and returned to Danvers, buying there of Daniel Rea a farm of 60 acres. Here he occupied, until his death, what is known as the old Pea Putnam House, noe the property and residence of Mr. Augustus Fowler (1890). For a portion of his life, Edmund was a tailor as well as a farmer, and an old manuscript account book, still extant, shows how extensively he provided outfits for his neighbors or customers, in that line of business. In 1762, he was chosen deacon of the First Church, serving twenty-three years. After the death of Rev. Peter Clarke, the third minister, which occurred June 10, 1768, the parish was without a pastor for the space of four years or more. During this interval, its affairs were entrusted to a committee of seven, consisting of John Nichols, Captain Elisha Flint, Dr. Amos Putnam, Lieutenant Archelaus Putnam, Deacon Asa Putnam, Deacon Edmund Putnam, and Dr. Samuel Holton. It was at a time of serious troubles in the society about the settlement of a successor to Mr. Clarke, but the committee wisely and usefully discharged the duties which had been assigned to them.

"Deacon Edmund," as he has usually been called, shared largely the patriotic spirit of the hour, as the outbreak of the Revolutionary war was drawing near. We copy the following from Force's American Archives, Vol II : "At a meeting of the people of the Alarm List of the Third Company in Danvers, held in said Danvers the 6th of March, 1775, for the purpose of electing officers for said Alarm List Company, Rev. Benj. Balsh, chairman ; said people unanimously made choise Dea. Edmund Putnam for Captain, Rev. Benjamin Balsh for Lieutenant, and Mr. Tarrat Putnam for Ensign. The said gentlemen, being present, declared their acceptance. Attest, Arch. Dale, clerk of said meeting." Orators and authors, like Hon. Daniel P. King, Hon. Charles Hudson, and Mr. J. Wingate Thornton, have referred to this record as illustrative of the fact that ministers and deacons, as well as others, were ready for military service, at that momentous crisis.

Deacon Edmund was now captain, and under that title he also commanded one of the eight Danvers companies which flew to encounter the British on the day of the Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1775. The company was a small one, gathered from the more sparsely settled district of the town to which its captain himself belonged. Like others of the number, it may have intercepted and harassed the enemy in his hurried retreat on the way from West Cambridge to Charlestown. All were alike paid for their two days' service, as the records at the State House attest.

On the 11th of March, 1776, Captain Putnam was chosen, by a unanimous vote, as selectman, and also as assessor of the town. At a meeting of the citizens of Danvers, held April 13, 1778, he was appointed one of the committee of thirteen to consider and report upon a form of government for the State of Massachusetts which had been adopted by the General Court on the 28th of February of the same year, and was subject to the approval of the people by a two-thirds vote. The other members of the committee were Colonel Israel Hutchinson, Mr. Archalaus Dale, Major Samuel Epes, Mr. Gideon Putnam, Captain Jonathan Procter, Major Caleb Lowe, Mr. Ezra Upton, Mr. Stephen Needham, Captain John Putnam, Captain William Shillaber, Mr. Benjamin Procter and Mr. David Prince. They reported, at an adjourned meeting, adversely to the proposed Constitution, and their action was ratified by the unanimous vote of those who were present. The objectionable draft was defeated by an overwhelming majority of the people of the commonwealth. The better form of Constitutional Government was adopted in 1780.

Deacon, or Captain Putnam, was a man of large frame and great physical strength. He was of strong mind; was possessed of much intelligence; and was one who thought for himself and who was honest and free to form and express his opinions. Not the least interesting event in his life was his conversion to Universalism. He has been claimed as the original adherent to that faith among the inhabitants of the town. His official and personal relations with the First Church ceased in 1785, and it was probably about that time that he became unalterably confirmed in his belief of the new doctrine. Moreover, that was the year, when, at Oxford, Massachusetts, the Universalists held their first convention and adopted their denominational title. In previous years,

the celebrated Rev. John Murray, the founder of Universalism in America, had been settled in Gloucester, and had earnestly and diligently proclaimed his views in the neighboring towns. "Deacon Edmund" could hardly failed to become acquainted with his teachings, if, indeed, he was not on one or more occasions a hearer. At all events, he imbibed his tenets and was henceforth a stout advocate of them. His prominence and zeal in this matter are set forth in a few of the lines of the quaint Ode written by Dr. Andrew Nichils for the Danvers Centennial Celebration, of June 16, 1852:

"Still people would think, read their Bibles, embrace  
Other doctrines than those we have named;  
Deacon Edmund, with new-fangled views of God's grace,  
Universal Salvation proclaimed.

It found little favor, his converts were few,  
When he with his forefathers slept;  
Still the seed he had sown died not, the plant grew,  
Reproduced till it thousands accept."

The officiating minister at his funeral was Rev. Edward Turner, who was then the paster of the Universalist church in Salem. One who was present recalled to us, a half century later, the scripture words which Mr. Turner quoted on the occasion: "Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age, like as a shock of corn cometh in his season." The interment took place in the old burial ground at Danvers Plains.

More About EDMUND PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: Universalism  
Baptism: June 27, 1725  
Burial: old burial ground at Danvers Plains  
Occupation: tailor, farmer  
Title: Deacon, Captain

Children of EDMUND PUTNAM and ANNA ANDREWS are:

404. i. HULDAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. May 18, 1746; d. WFT Est. 1775-1840.
405. ii. ANDREW PUTNAM, b. January 15, 1750/51, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. Abt. 1785, New York City, New York.
406. iii. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. November 20, 1754, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. August 1820, Danvers, Massachusetts.
407. iv. SARAH PUTNAM, b. December 19, 1756; d. WFT Est. 1774-1850, Newport, New Hampshire.
408. v. EDMUND PUTNAM, b. January 15, 1772, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 26, 1828, Beverly, Massachusetts.

**161.** EMMA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOHN<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1727 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1754-1821. She married JAMES SWINNERTON July 20, 1748.

More About EMMA PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 09, 1727

Children of EMMA PUTNAM and JAMES SWINNERTON are:

- i. EMMA<sup>25</sup> SWINNERTON, b. WFT Est. 1745-1768; d. WFT Est. 1750-1852.

More About EMMA SWINNERTON:

Baptism: March 16, 1755

- ii. PHEBE SWINNERTON, b. WFT Est. 1745-1768; d. WFT Est. 1750-1852.

More About PHEBE SWINNERTON:

Baptism: February 15, 1761

- iii. JAMES SWINNERTON, b. WFT Est. 1745-1768; d. WFT Est. 1750-1849.

More About JAMES SWINNERTON:

Baptism: January 11, 1767

**162.** PHEBE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOHN<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1728 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1746-1822. She married GILBERT TAPLEY WFT Est. 1742-1775.

More About PHEBE PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 22, 1728

Children of PHEBE PUTNAM and GILBERT TAPLEY are:

- i. DANIEL<sup>25</sup> TAPLEY, b. WFT Est. 1746-1769; d. WFT Est. 1751-1850.

More About DANIEL TAPLEY:

Baptism: December 23, 1750

- ii. JOSEPH TAPLEY, b. WFT Est. 1746-1769; d. WFT Est. 1751-1850.

More About JOSEPH TAPLEY:

Baptism: April 11, 1756

- iii. AARON TAPLEY, b. WFT Est. 1746-1769; d. WFT Est. 1751-1850.

More About AARON TAPLEY:

Baptism: February 04, 1759

- iv. ASA TAPLEY, b. WFT Est. 1746-1769; d. WFT Est. 1751-1850.

More About ASA TAPLEY:

Baptism: September 20, 1761

- v. ELIJAH TAPLEY, b. WFT Est. 1746-1769; d. WFT Est. 1751-1850.

More About ELIJAH TAPLEY:

Baptism: July 06, 1766

- vi. SEEIAH TAPLEY, b. WFT Est. 1746-1769; d. WFT Est. 1751-1853.

More About SEEIAH TAPLEY:

Baptism: May 24, 1772



**163.** EDE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JOHN<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1733 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1751-1827. She married JOHN SWINNERTON WFT Est. 1747-1780.

More About EDE PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 29, 1733

Children of EDE PUTNAM and JOHN SWINNERTON are:

- i. EDE<sup>25</sup> SWINNERTON, b. WFT Est. 1751-1774; d. WFT Est. 1756-1858.

More About EDE SWINNERTON:

Baptism: November 16, 1760

- ii. HANNAH SWINNERTON, b. WFT Est. 1751-1774; d. WFT Est. 1756-1858.

More About HANNAH SWINNERTON:

Baptism: November 16, 1760

**164.** AMOS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*AMOS<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1723 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died Bef. 1797 in New Salem, Massachusetts. He married LYDIA TRASK WFT Est. 1745-1775, daughter of JOHN TRASK and ELIZABETH.

Notes for AMOS PUTNAM:

Amos Putnam probably removed from Danvers, Massachusetts, to New Salem, Maine, about the time of his father's death, (1774) as he inherited with his two eldest brothers, their father's lands in New Salem. After his death his widow removed to Houlton, Maine, where her sons and nephews had already gone to hold the Academy Grant.

Amos Putnam is probably the one of that name from New Salem, who was in the American army during the siege of Boston.

In the "Story of Houlton," Mr. Francis Barnes, lately deceased, has told the sufferings and successes of the pioneers in a most interesting manner. To him I (Eben Putnam) am indebted for most of the material concerning the descendants of Amos Putnam who settled in Maine.

More About AMOS PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 31, 1729

Notes for LYDIA TRASK:

After her husband's death his widow removed to Houlton, Maine, where her sons and nephews had already gone to hold the Academy Grant.

The history of this grant shows the character of these brave New England people.

In the year 1724, many inhabitants of Salem being "much straitened for land" prayed for a grant in the western part of the Province. This petition was allowed with the conditions that one lot should be reserved for the first settled minister, one for the ministry, and one for a school. Each grantee was required to give a bond for twenty-five pounds to be on the spot, have a house seven feet stud and eighteen feet square at least, seven acres of English hay ready to be mowed, help to build a meeting house and settle a minister within five years.

One of the Danvers Houltons led the party who settled New Salem, which was incorporated in 1753. The New Salem Academy was incorporated in 1795, and two years later, in response to a petition, a township was granted to the Academy, in the Maine District. In consequence of the depreciation of land at this time the Academy was not benefited by this grant as had been anticipated, and much disappointment ensued. At this juncture, rather than that the Academy should be given up, members of the Putnam and Holton families came forward, mortgaged their farms in New Salem, which had by that time attained a good value, and bought the Maine lands with the money so received, thus supplying the Academy with funds, they themselves going into the wilderness to make new homes.

The pioneers of Houlton started in wagons to Boston, thence in a coasting vessel to St. John, N.B., thence up the river by sloops to Fredericton, thence by barges and canoes to Woodstock and then struck through the forest and reached their location. Even horses, at a much later date, could not penetrate the woods for the whole distance. This settlement is now the most prosperous town in northern Maine, and is the shire town of Aroostook. In and about Houlton are settled many families of Putnams all of whom have been much respected and honored by their townspeople. Francis Barnes, Esq., of that town, himself connected with the family, and a painstaking antiquarian, has written and collected much pertaining to Houlton and its early settlers.

He writes that Mrs. Putnam, the widow of Amos, was of an extremely generous nature, very courageous and most highly esteemed; in the "cold years" of 1816-17 she was the means of sustaining many a starving family. She would ride forth with her saddle bags filled with food and medicine and visit the less fortunate families during the most inclement weather, notwithstanding the fact she was of slight frame. Her death was widely lamented, for her great charity had reached the entire community.

More About LYDIA TRASK:

Christened: November 27, 1737, Middle Precinct now Peabody

Title: Houlton, Maine

Children of AMOS PUTNAM and LYDIA TRASK are:

- i. SAMUEL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1746-1774; d. WFT Est. 1753-1854.

Notes for SAMUEL PUTNAM:

Samuel Putnam not mentioned by Francis Barnes, Esq., of Houlton, Maine, to whom I am deeply indebted for the larger part of the Houlton family records. - E.P.

409. ii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. June 15, 1754; d. WFT Est. 1801-1849, New Salem, Maine.
- iii. AMOS PUTNAM, b. September 09, 1755; d. April 1775.

Notes for AMOS PUTNAM:

Amos Putnam died from exposure, while on the road to Lexington in April, 1775. He had started immediately upon the alarm being given.

More About AMOS PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: exposure

410. iv. JACOB PUTNAM, b. November 02, 1758, New Salem, Maine; d. WFT Est. 1792-1849, New Salem, Maine.
- v. SARAH PUTNAM, b. July 16, 1762; d. August 03, 1843, Houlton, Maine; m. JOSEPH HOULTON, 1782.

Notes for JOSEPH HOULTON:

The founder of Houlton, Maine.

- vi. AARON PUTNAM, b. April 10, 1767; d. WFT Est. 1768-1857.

Notes for AARON PUTNAM:

Aaron Putnam died young.

411. vii. LYDIA PUTNAM, b. November 24, 1770, New Salem, Maine; d. August 07, 1751, Houlton, Maine.  
412. viii. AARON PUTNAM, b. July 19, 1773, New Salem, Massachusetts; d. February 13, 1849, Houlton, Maine.

**165.** JOSHUA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*AMOS<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. January 1732/33 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died January 07, 1835 in New Salem, Maine. He married EUNICE TRASK WFT Est. 1749-1784, daughter of JOHN TRASK and ELIZABETH.

More About JOSHUA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: February 25, 1732/33

Notes for EUNICE TRASK:  
Eben Putnam states, Eunice Trask, sister of Mrs. Lydia Putnam (No. 227)?

Children of JOSHUA PUTNAM and EUNICE TRASK are:

413. i. JOHN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. November 02, 1762, New Salem, Maine; d. January 13, 1827, New Salem, Maine.  
414. ii. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. May 15, 1766, New Salem, Maine; d. August 11, 1837, Houlton, Maine.  
415. iii. JOSHUA PUTNAM, b. February 08, 1772, New Salem, Maine; d. June 14, 1835, Houlton, Maine.  
416. iv. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. August 06, 1775, New Salem, Maine; d. WFT Est. 1791-1869, Dennysville, Maine.

**166.** UZZIEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*AMOS<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1735 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1776-1826 in New Salem, Maine. He married GANSON WFT Est. 1751-1786.

Notes for UZZIEL PUTNAM:  
Uzziel Putnam in 1755 was a corporal in Captain Samuel Flint's Compny at crown Point. He was deacon in the congregationalist church in New Salem, Massachusetts.

More About UZZIEL PUTNAM:  
Baptism: October 12, 1735  
Title: Deacon

Children of UZZIEL PUTNAM and GANSON are:

417. i. DANIEL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1752-1776, New Salem, Maine; d. WFT Est. 1804-1860, New Salem, Maine.  
418. ii. UZZIEL PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1756-1785, New Salem, Maine; d. Aft. 1834.  
419. iii. MARY PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1754-1779, New Salem, Maine; d. WFT Est. 1797-1865.  
420. iv. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. October 1767, New Salem, Maine; d. January 1850.  
421. v. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. October 18, 1773, New Salem, Maine; d. January 1812, Orange.

**167.** DANIEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*AMOS<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1738 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died November 13, 1801 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married ELIZABETH PUTNAM March 27, 1760 in Danvers, Massachusetts, daughter of SAMUEL PUTNAM and ELIZABETH PUTNAM.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:  
Daniel Putnam inherited his father's Danvers and Middleton property. He was a deacon in the North Church at Danvers, and marched to Lexington upon the Alarm as lieutenant in the company of Captain Samuel Flint. In 1777, he was on the committee of Correspondence.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:  
Baptism: November 26, 1738  
Title: Deacon, Lieutenant

Children of DANIEL PUTNAM and ELIZABETH PUTNAM are:

422. i. ELIZABETH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. February 26, 1761, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1762-1855.  
423. ii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. October 03, 1762, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. December 19, 1802, Newbury, Vermont.  
424. iii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. March 16, 1765, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1779-1859.  
425. iv. PHEBE PUTNAM, b. January 26, 1767, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1768-1861.  
426. v. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. May 23, 1769, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1770-1859.  
427. vi. AMOS PUTNAM, b. October 11, 1778, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. January 19, 1867, New Salem, Maine.

**168.** LYDIA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*AMOS<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1742 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1771-1836. She married (1) TIMOTHY PAGE WFT Est. 1756-1789. She married (2) SAMUEL PUTNAM May 05, 1763, son of SAMUEL PUTNAM and ELIZABETH PUTNAM.

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:  
She also had three daughters of Timothy Page.

More About LYDIA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: June 14, 1741

More About TIMOTHY PAGE:  
Title: Captain

More About SAMUEL PUTNAM:  
Baptism: June 14, 1741, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Child of LYDIA PUTNAM and TIMOTHY PAGE is:

- i. WILLIAM<sup>25</sup> PAGE, b. WFT Est. 1760-1783; d. WFT Est. 1765-1864.

Notes for WILLIAM PAGE:  
William Page was one of the first settlers of Springfield, Oneida County, New York, and Asahel of New Salem.

Children of LYDIA PUTNAM and SAMUEL PUTNAM are:

- ii. LYDIA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 09, 1764, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1778-1858; m. SHAW, WFT Est. 1778-1811.

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:  
Several children.

Notes for SHAW:  
Several children.

425. iii. MARY PUTNAM, b. August 09, 1765, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1804-1860.  
iv. SARAH PUTNAM, b. January 24, 1767, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1781-1861; m. JACOB PUTNAM, WFT Est. 1781-1814.

Notes for JACOB PUTNAM:  
Died aged 91 years.

More About JACOB PUTNAM:

Title: Colonel

**169.** JACOB<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*NATHANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 09, 1711/12 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died February 10, 1781 in Wilton, New Hampshire. He married (1) SUSANNA STYLES WFT Est. 1729-1760. He married (2) PATIENCE WFT Est. 1729-1761. He married (3) SUSANNA HARRIMAN July 1735 in Salem, Massachusetts.

Notes for JACOB PUTNAM:

Jacob Putnam was a pioneer of Salem, Canada, now Wilton, New Hampshire. It is stated that he was there in 1738. It is known that in June, 1739, Ephraim and Jacob Putnam and John Dale, all of Danvers, made the first permanent settlement in Wilton, and (1889), the remains of a cellar nearly opposite Michael McCarty's barn, mark his house site. This house was two stories in front and one in the back. For three years the wife of Jacob Putnam was the only woman who resided permanently in town. During on winter, such were the depth of snow and distance from neighbors that she saw no one outside her immediate family, for six months. In 1839, a part of Jacob's farm was in the possession of Caleb Putnam, his grandson. Ephraim Putnam, mentioned above, removed to Lyndeborough shortly after the settlement of Wilton. Both of these towns were cut out from what was originally Salem, Canada. It is said that the brothers Jacob, Ephraim and Nathaniel were all early at Wilton, and finding the Indians troublesome, returned to Danvers, then a second time settled at Wilton and Lyndeborough. Salem, Canada, was a grant of land to soldiers under Sir William Phips in the Canada Expedition of 1690, and was made in 1735.

Jacob Putnam was a man of great industry and at one time operated a saw mill, besides his farm. In his old age he employed himself in making cans.

The history of Wilton varies a few days on some of the dates of birth of children.

The reader is referred to History of Wilton, N.H., History of Lyndeborough, N.H. (in preparation), and Peabody's Centennial Address at Wilton, 1839, for many interesting anecdotes concerning the Putnams and allied families.

More About JACOB PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 20, 1717

Will proved: February 28, 1791

Notes for PATIENCE:

Mentioned in Jacob's will.

Notes for SUSANNA HARRIMAN:

Styled Henman on Salem Records.

Children of JACOB PUTNAM and SUSANNA HARRIMAN are:

426. i. NATHANIEL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 24, 1733, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. May 20, 1790, Wilton, New Hampshire.  
427. ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. June 28, 1736, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1777-1831, Wilton, New Hampshire.  
iii. PHILIP PUTNAM, b. March 09, 1739/40, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1741-1830.

Notes for PHILIP PUTNAM:  
Philip Putnam died young.

More About PHILIP PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 09, 1739/40, Salem Village, Massachusetts

428. iv. STEPHEN PUTNAM, b. September 24, 1741, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. June 29, 1812, Rumford, Maine.  
429. v. PHILIP PUTNAM, b. March 1741/42, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. October 10, 1810, Wilton, New Hampshire.  
430. vi. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. February 28, 1743/44, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. November 17, 1826, Marshfield, Vermont.  
vii. MEHITABLE PUTNAM, b. December 25, 1745, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. January 20, 1800, Wilton, New Hampshire; m. DANIEL HOLT, WFT Est. 1759-1787.

More About MEHITABLE PUTNAM:

Title: Wilton, New Hampshire

431. viii. JACOB PUTNAM, b. November 15, 1747, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. June 02, 1821, Wilton, New Hampshire.  
432. ix. ARCHELAUS PUTNAM, b. October 15, 1749, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. October 22, 1816, Chester, Vermont.  
433. x. CALEB PUTNAM, b. March 10, 1750/51, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. August 27, 1776, before Fort Ticonderoga.  
xi. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. April 15, 1753; d. WFT Est. 1783-1847; m. JACOB HARDY, November 26, 1778.

Notes for ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Removed to Hyde Park, Vermont, and bought up a large family.

- xii. PETER PUTNAM, b. January 08, 1756; d. July 03, 1776, Ticonderoga campaign.

Notes for PETER PUTNAM:

Peter Putnam died while serving in the army during the Ticonderoga campaign.

More About PETER PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: in the army

**170.** ARCHELAUS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*NATHANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 29, 1718 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died Oct. October 1756 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married MEHITABLE PUTNAM April 12, 1739, daughter of CALEB PUTNAM and SILENCE PHILLIPS.

Notes for ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:

In the spring of 1754, Deacon Archelaus Putnam moved a building which had been used as a shop, from his father's farm, now known as the "Judge Putnam farm" on Meeting House Lane, down Crane river, by floating it from the upper mill pond near his father's house, to the bank of the river, at which is now Danversport. The building was landed near where the depot now stands and taken to a spot south of what is now Warren's store. This was converted into a dwelling and here his daughter Sarah was born. (Fowler Gen.)

This settlement at New Mills was, in 1772, incorporated into a separate Highway District, there having been much feeling, provoked by the action of the settlers at the Port in building roads and bridges. The thickets were so dense formerly at the Port that once Mrs. Putnam became lost in making her way from the mill to the house.

Here were established grist and chocolate mills by Archelaus Putnam, and by Archelaus Putnam and others, a saw mill.

Archelaus Putnam was chosen Deacon of the First Church 26 January, 1756.

Administration on his estate granted to widow Mehetable, 25 October, 1756 (elsewhere it is stated that he died in 1759).

More About ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:

Title: Deacon

More About MEHITABLE PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 10, 1723, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of ARCHELAUS PUTNAM and MEHITABLE PUTNAM are:

- i. "DAU"<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 25, 1739, Danvers, Massachusetts<sup>13</sup>; d. WFT Est. 1740-1833.

Notes for "DAU" PUTNAM:

Family bible states a daughter was born.

434. ii. ARCHELAUS PUTNAM, JR., b. November 06, 1740, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. April 14, 1800, Danvers, Massachusetts.
- iii. MEHITABLE PUTNAM, b. November 11, 1742, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1743-1836.

More About MEHITABLE PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 14, 1742

Christened: November 14, 1742

435. iv. EPHRAIM PUTNAM, b. September 14, 1744, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 11, 1821, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire.
436. v. NATHANIEL PUTNAM, b. May 17, 1746, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. November 05, 1800.
- vi. MARY PUTNAM, b. March 13, 1747/48, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1842.
- vii. JACOB PUTNAM, b. November 21, 1749, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.

Notes for JACOB PUTNAM:

Guardianship to Edmond Putnam, 2 January, 1769.

More About JACOB PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 26, 1749

- viii. SAIAL PUTNAM, b. November 21, 1749, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.
- ix. PHEBE PUTNAM, b. November 27, 1751, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1752-1845.

More About PHEBE PUTNAM:

Baptism: December 01, 1751

- x. CALEB PUTNAM, b. Abt. July 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1754-1843.

More About CALEB PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 22, 1753

437. xi. SARAH PUTNAM, b. September 14, 1755, Danversport, Massachusetts; d. November 19, 1847.

**171.** EPHRAIM<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*NATHANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 10, 1719/20 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died November 13, 1777 in Lyndeborough, New Hampshire. He married SARAH CRAM WFT Est. 1734-1764, daughter of JACOB CRAM.

Notes for EPHRAIM PUTNAM:

The home of Deacon Ephraim Putnam was destroyed by fire a short time after his death (it was then occupied by one of his sons) and at that time the family records were destroyed. The children were all baptized by Rverend Mr. Wilkins, of Amherst, and births recorded by Jacob Wellman, society clerk.

Ephraim Putnam was an early settler in Salem, Canada. He settled first in what is now Wilton, New Hampshire, near the intersection of roads near the North Cemetery, but later removed to Lyndeborough, New Hampshire. He was an ardent patriot. From a pamphlet showing the patriot ancestry of Honorable William Henry Grant of St. Paul Minnesota, it appears that he took a leading part in local affairs at the commencement of the Revolution and at the age of 57 served four months and two days in the campaign against Canada, being discharged at Ticonderoga, 4 December, 1776. The garrison house was near his home and he had charge of it. It is said that the three early settlers of Lyndeborough, each living on the hill, would each morning signal the others if all was well. We can imagine the anxiety with which each watched for the return signal of the others. All of his five sons, as well as the husbands of his three daughters were soldiers in the Revolution.

Mrs. Hartshorne, of Lyndeborough, a descendant, writes "The family of Ephraim Putnam had dark eyes and black hair; they were an honest, conscientious and God-fearing family, and these characteristics are noticeable in the families immediately descended from him. The older families were rather above medium height and thickset. Their descendants now living are about medium size."

In 1834, Daniel Putnam of Lyndeborough, who supplied Colonel Perley Putnam with much information concerning his branch of the family, wrote "There are living in the town of Lyndeborough twenty-six male descendants of Ephraim Putnam including his son Aaron. Up to the present date there have been three 'Deacon' Putnams and six 'Captain' Putnams in Lyndeborough."

While the early settlers of Wilton and Lyndeborough seem to have feared the Indians greatly, and even in 1744 petitioned Gov. Wentworth for soldiers to protect them, they seem never to have been molested. The petition of 1744 is signed by Ephraim Putnam and several of the crams; in it they state they are but recently come into the province.

None of the Wilton or Lyndeborough Putnam families are known to have supplied men for the French and Indian Wars.

More About EPHRAIM PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 03, 1720

Title: Deacon

Notes for SARAH CRAM:

Died 15 Oct., 1777, aged fifty-nine years. (gravestone)

Children of EPHRAIM PUTNAM and SARAH CRAM are:

438. i. AARON<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1740-1770, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire; d. Aft. 1834, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire.

- ii. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1741-1769; d. WFT Est. 1757-1851; m. WARD WOODWARD, WFT Est. 1757-1801.

Notes for REBECCA PUTNAM:  
They had four sons and three daughters.

More About REBECCA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Amherst

- iii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. February 26, 1742/43, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1757-1837; m. ELEAZER WOODWARD, WFT Est. 1757-1790.

Notes for HANNAH PUTNAM:  
Said to be the first white child born in Lyndeborough, New Hampshire. Married Eleazer Woodward. She had five sons and five daughters; one of the latter married Aaron Woodward, Esq.

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Amherst

439. iv. EPHRAIM PUTNAM, b. June 14, 1744, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. 1799, Danvers, Massachusetts.  
v. SARAH PUTNAM, b. June 08, 1746; d. WFT Est. 1760-1840; m. JOHN BRADFORD, WFT Est. 1760-1793.

Notes for SARAH PUTNAM:  
They had four sons and three daughters.

More About SARAH PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Amherst

Notes for JOHN BRADFORD:  
He served in the revolution.

More About JOHN BRADFORD:  
Title: Captain

- vi. HULDAH PUTNAM, b. May 15, 1748; d. 1778; m. JONAS KIDDER, WFT Est. 1762-1776.

Notes for HULDAH PUTNAM:  
They had three sons and one daughter.

More About HULDAH PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Amherst

Notes for JONAS KIDDER:  
He served in the revolution.

More About JONAS KIDDER:  
Title: Captain

- vii. JESSE PUTNAM, b. September 21, 1750, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1769-1841; m. RACHEL PUTNAM, WFT Est. 1767-1798.

Notes for JESSE PUTNAM:  
Jesse Putnam served in the revolution.

More About JESSE PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Amherst

Notes for RACHEL PUTNAM:

She married second, her cousin Jesse Putnam of Lyndeborough and settled first in Guildford, Vermont, then in Buffalo, New York.

440. viii. DAVID PUTNAM, b. March 06, 1753, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire; d. 1820, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire.  
441. ix. KETURAH PUTNAM, b. June 29, 1756; d. WFT Est. 1774-1850.  
442. x. JOHN PUTNAM, b. 1760, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire; d. November 05, 1837, Bradford, Vermont.

**172.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*NATHANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 04, 1721/22 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died 1802 in Amherst, New Hampshire. She married SOLOMON HUTCHINSON WFT Est. 1738-1769, son of EBENEZER HUTCHINSON and HANNAH GOULD.

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and SOLOMON HUTCHINSON are:

- i. SOLOMON<sup>25</sup> HUTCHINSON, b. November 10, 1750, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. 1821, Fayette, Maine.
- ii. EBENEZER HUTCHINSON, b. March 22, 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1828, Ohio.
- iii. ASA HUTCHINSON, b. November 17, 1759, Amherst, New Hampshire; d. June 27, 1848, Fayette, Maine.
- iv. HITTIE HUTCHINSON, b. 1760; d. 1799, Hillsboro, New Hampshire; m. CRAM, WFT Est. 1774-1795.
- v. HANNAH HUTCHINSON, b. 1778; d. September 1821.

**173.** NATHANIEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*NATHANIEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 28, 1724 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died July 1763 in vicinity of Dunstable. He married ABIGAIL WILKINS February 06, 1743/44 in Middleton, Massachusetts.

Notes for NATHANIEL PUTNAM:

Nathaniel Putnam was in Wilton early; but, on the breaking out of the Indian troubles, returned to Danvers. About 1750, he returned to Wilton and settled upon what is now known as the Batchelder place.

Died on his way home from a trip east in the vicinity of Dunstable. His sudden death was caused by drinking cold water.

More About NATHANIEL PUTNAM:  
Baptism: June 21, 1724  
Cause of Death: drinking cold water

Children of NATHANIEL PUTNAM and ABIGAIL WILKINS are:

- i. SUSANNA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1744-1763, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1760-1850; m. ISRAEL JONES, WFT Est. 1760-1801.
- ii. MARY PUTNAM, b. July 24, 1744, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1745-1838.

Notes for MARY PUTNAM:  
Died unmarried.

- iii. ABIGAIL PUTNAM, b. September 24, 1746, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1760-1840; m. SCRIPTURE, WFT Est. 1760-1793.
- iv. SARAH PUTNAM, b. April 24, 1747, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1748-1841.

Notes for SARAH PUTNAM:  
Died young.

- v. FRANCIS PUTNAM, b. October 24, 1748, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1838.

Notes for FRANCIS PUTNAM:  
Francis Putnam enrolled 23 April, 1775, from Wilton, as second sargeant of Captain Walker's company, and was present at the battle of Bunker Hill. About 1779, 1780, he removed from Wilton, New Hampshire to Cherry Valley, New York.

More About FRANCIS PUTNAM:  
Baptism: November 06, 1748, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Title: Cherry Valley, New York

- vi. MEHETABLE PUTNAM, b. 1750, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1774-1844; m. THOMAS LEWIS, WFT Est. 1770-1805.

Notes for MEHETABLE PUTNAM:

- vii. RACHEL PUTNAM, b. April 12, 1751, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1767-1845; m. (1) TIMOTHY CARLTON, WFT Est. 1764-1772; m. (2) JESSE PUTNAM, WFT Est. 1767-1798.

Notes for RACHEL PUTNAM:  
She married second, her cousin Jesse Putnam of Lyndeborough and settled first in Guildford, Vermont, then in Buffalo, New York.

Notes for TIMOTHY CARLTON:  
Timothy Carlton, who was killed, 7 September, 1773, by the falling of the meeting-house at Wilton, New Hampshire.

More About TIMOTHY CARLTON:  
Cause of Death: falling of the meeting house

Notes for JESSE PUTNAM:  
Jesse Putnam served in the revolution.

More About JESSE PUTNAM:  
Baptism: Amherst

443. viii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. April 12, 1751, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. Bef. 1835, Andover, Vermont.
- ix. MIRIAM PUTNAM, b. May 16, 1753, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1767-1847; m. ISAAC PEABODY, JR., WFT Est. 1767-1800.
- x. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. February 27, 1760, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1761-1850.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:  
Dainel Putnam died unmarried.

- xi. BENJAMIN PUTNAM, b. March 09, 1762, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. WFT Est. 1763-1852.

Notes for BENJAMIN PUTNAM:  
Benjamin Putnam died unmarried.

More About BENJAMIN PUTNAM:

Occupation: mariner

**174.** TARRANT<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*TARRANT<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 03, 1716 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died August 27, 1794 in Sutton, Massachusetts. He married PRISCILLA BAKER December 09, 1742.

Notes for TARRANT PUTNAM:  
Deacon Tarrant Putnam went from Danvers to Sutton, and was admitted to the church at Sutton by letter from the Danvers church, 1747.

He owned a large tract of land in Sutton, embracing what are now the poor farms, and the John Rich, and Brigham farms. He left all his real estate to his son Israel.

When in 1775, General Israel Putnam rode through Sutton on his way to Bunker Hill, he stopped at the Deacon's and had dinner there. The flag stone from which he mounted his horse is still shown.

More About TARRANT PUTNAM:  
Baptism: May 06, 1716, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Title: Deacon

Notes for PRISCILLA BAKER:  
Died aged eighty-nine.

Children of TARRANT PUTNAM and PRISCILLA BAKER are:

- i. TARRANT<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 24, 1744, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. December 17, 1770.
- ii. MOLLY PUTNAM, b. July 18, 1745, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. March 24, 1763.
- iii. ELIJAH PUTNAM, b. January 23, 1745/46, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. April 14, 1787.

Notes for ELIJAH PUTNAM:

More About ELIJAH PUTNAM:  
Schooling: 1766, Harvard College

- iv. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. May 30, 1749, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1778-1843; m. ABRAHAM BROWN, March 02, 1773.

Notes for ELIZABETH PUTNAM:  
No issue.

Notes for ABRAHAM BROWN:  
No issue.

- v. PRISCILLA PUTNAM, b. August 22, 1751, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1778-1845; m. ADAM BROWN, December 03, 1772.  
vi. SARAH PUTNAM, b. August 04, 1753, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1781-1847; m. TIMOTHY MERRIAM, June 21, 1775.  
444. vii. MARTHA PUTNAM, b. July 15, 1755, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1773-1849.  
viii. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. May 05, 1759, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. March 13, 1796.

Notes for REBECCA PUTNAM:  
Died unmarried.

- ix. LYDIA PUTNAM, b. July 27, 1761, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. September 08, 1787.

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:  
Died unmarried

445. x. MOLLY PUTNAM, b. November 15, 1763, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1781-1857.  
446. xi. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. May 22, 1767, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. February 23, 1853, Sutton, Massachusetts.

**175.** MARY<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*TARRANT*<sup>23</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>22</sup>, *NATHANIEL*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born April 26, 1724 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1783-1820. She married SAMUEL ENDICOTT February 27, 1751/52<sup>14</sup>.

More About MARY PUTNAM:  
Baptism: May 03, 1724, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of MARY PUTNAM and SAMUEL ENDICOTT are:

- i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> ENDICOTT, b. 1753; d. WFT Est. 1754-1847.  
447. ii. SAMUEL ENDICOTT, b. 1754; d. WFT Est. 1774-1845, Newport, New Hampshire.  
iii. SOLOMON ENDICOTT, b. 1757; d. WFT Est. 1758-1847.  
iv. MARY ENDICOTT, b. 1758; d. WFT Est. 1759-1852.  
v. DEBORAH ENDICOTT, b. 1767; d. WFT Est. 1768-1861.  
vi. ANNA ENDICOTT, b. 1782; d. WFT Est. 1783-1876.

Notes for ANNA ENDICOTT:  
Died unmarried.

**176.** GIDEON<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*TARRANT*<sup>23</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>22</sup>, *NATHANIEL*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born May 29, 1726 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died May 17, 1811. He married HANNAH BROWNE June 13, 1752 in Beverly, Massachusetts<sup>15</sup>, daughter of ABRAHAM BROWNE and JERUSHA RAYMOND.

Notes for GIDEON PUTNAM:

Gideon Putnam was a storekeeper (he is styled joyner in partition of his father's estate, 1747) at Danvers, and was more or less influential in town affairs previous to the Revolution, but he became still more so after the struggle commenced. In 1772, he was one of the committee of three to see about taking some action concerning the civil rights of the town. In 1780, however, he was proved to have sold cheese at a higher price than fixed by law, as the following abstract from the Town Records shows: "The town taking into consideration the conduct of Gideon Putnam - Voted, Mr. Gideon Putnam has violated the Resolves of the convention at Concord by selling cheese for nine shillings pr. pound as by evidence fully appeared, Voted, Mr. Gideon Putnam be reported in one of the Public Papers of this State for Breaking one of the Resolves." The above action was taken at a town meeting, held September 13, 1779, over which Deacon Edmund Putnam was moderator.

However, this backsliding on his part seems not to have affected his popularity as he was constantly moderator of the town meetings and held many other important offices in the gift of the town.

On the 28th of April, 1785, he was chosen deacon by the First church.

He was a man of good ability and impartial judgment.

More About GIDEON PUTNAM:  
Baptism: June 12, 1726, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Occupation: store keeper  
Title: Deacon

Notes for HANNAH BROWNE:  
Died aged eighty-one.

Children of GIDEON PUTNAM and HANNAH BROWNE are:

- i. HANNAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. May 01, 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. November 24, 1773.  
ii. GIDEON PUTNAM, b. September 19, 1756, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. December 19, 1773.  
iii. SOLOMON PUTNAM, b. May 24, 1759, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. July 19, 1759.  
iv. ANNA PUTNAM, b. April 12, 1761, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 02, 1761.  
v. ABRAHAM PUTNAM, b. December 16, 1762, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. July 25, 1782.  
vi. JONATHAN PUTNAM, b. February 12, 1765, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. April 24, 1765.  
vii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. October 24, 1766, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. February 25, 1767.  
448. viii. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. May 13, 1768, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. July 03, 1853.  
ix. ELIJAH PUTNAM, b. February 26, 1771, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 25, 1771.  
x. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. January 29, 1774, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. August 29, 1795.

**177.** ISRAEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*TARRANT<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 24, 1730 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died November 05, 1756 in near Baker's Island. He married BETTY DALE June 20, 1754.

More About ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 27, 1730, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Cause of Death: drowning

Notes for BETTY DALE:

Married second, Archelaus Fuller, of Middleton. She returned an inventory of Israel Putnam's estate as Betty Fuller, 28 May, 1770.

Child of ISRAEL PUTNAM and BETTY DALE is:

- i. ISRAEL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 15, 1755; d. 1774, Salem, Massachusetts; m. POLLY SHAYS, WFT Est. 1769-1773.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Israel Putnam, at first was called "Solomon" but afterward christened Israel.

**178.** ELIZABETH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*TARRANT<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 1817 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died May 21, 1784. She married SAMUEL PUTNAM December 29, 1736 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, son of ELEAZER PUTNAM and HANNAH BOARDMAN.

Notes for ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

She was either born the 10th or 20th of May, 1718 ; died 21 May 1784. (Another authority November 5 or 21st and another 19 May.)

More About ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 08, 1718, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Notes for SAMUEL PUTNAM:

Samuel Putnam was a man of considerable influence in Danvers, Massachusetts. He was much respected by his townspeople, this fact being shown by the frequency with which he was called to occupy the various town offices. At one time he lived in Topsfield, Massachusetts, but the most of his life was spent in Danvers.

He died either 14 or 15 December. His will is dated 1 March, 1781 ; was proved 7 Jan., 1782. In it he styles himself "of Danvers, Yeoman ;" he mentions his wife Elizabeth, son Eleazer to be executor ; his daughter Elizabeth wife of Daniel Putnam, his daughter Hannah, his granddaughters Lydia, Mary, and Sarah, daughters of his son Samuel, deceased, also Sally, Betsey, Samuel, Perley, children of his son Tarrant.

More About SAMUEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 15, 1707

Burial: Nichols Street

Will dated: March 01, 1781

Will proved: January 07, 1782

Children of ELIZABETH PUTNAM and SAMUEL PUTNAM are:

- i. ELIZABETH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. 1738, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. April 14, 1791; m. DANIEL PUTNAM, March 27, 1760, Danvers, Massachusetts.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:

Daniel Putnam inherited his father's Danvers and Middleton property. He was a deacon in the North Church at Danvers, and marched to Lexington upon the Alarm as lieutenant in the company of Captain Samuel Flint. In 1777, he was on the committee of Correspondence.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 26, 1738

Title: Deacon, Lieutenant

- ii. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. June 13, 1741, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1781; m. LYDIA PUTNAM, May 05, 1763.

More About SAMUEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 14, 1741, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:

She also had three daughters of Timothy Page.

More About LYDIA PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 14, 1741

- iii. TARRANT PUTNAM, b. February 08, 1743/44, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. April 14, 1776; m. SARAH PAGE, November 16, 1768.

Notes for TARRANT PUTNAM:

Tarrant Putnam was graduated from Harvard College in 1763. In June, 1772, he was one of the committee appointed by the town "to take into consideration the condition of our civil liberties." He was private in Captain Israel Hutchinson's company and marched to Lexington on the alarm of 19th April, 1775.

Administrartion on his estate to widow, 6 May, 1776.

He was a bright, progressive man, popular and fearless. Administration on his estate to widow, Sarah Page Putnam, 6 May 1776.

More About TARRANT PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 26, 1743/44, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Schooling: 1763, Harvard College

- iv. RUFUS PUTNAM, b. March 31, 1746, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. November 21, 1749.

More About RUFUS PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 06, 1746, Salem Village, Massachusetts

- v. SOLOMON PUTNAM, b. November 13, 1748, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. November 12, 1749.

More About SOLOMON PUTNAM:



Baptism: November 20, 1748, Salem Village, Massachusetts

- vi. RUFUS PUTNAM, b. October 18, 1750, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. September 01, 1757.

More About RUFUS PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 11, 1750, Salem Village, Massachusetts

- vii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. March 19, 1753, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. August 20, 1757.

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 25, 1753, Salem Village, Massachusetts

- viii. MARY PUTNAM, b. October 24, 1755, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. August 26, 1757.

More About MARY PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 16, 1775, Salem Village, Massachusetts

- ix. ELEAZER PUTNAM, b. May 04, 1759, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. May 30, 1836, Danvers, Massachusetts; m. (1) DORCAS FOSTER, WFT Est. 1778-1807; m. (2) SARAH FULLER, January 29, 1784, Middleton, Massachusetts; m. (3) SALLY HOLTEN, September 18, 1803.

Notes for ELEAZER PUTNAM:

Eleazer Putnam was a farmer and surveyor in Danvers. For many years he was constable and tax collector, tythingman, and held various other officers. He was universally liked and respected and was known as "Squire Ely."

He and his sons Archelaus and Samuel, were very tall. Israel was of medium height. All of the Children had blue eyes and brown hair, excepting Israel whose hair was very dark.

The Gravestones of Samuel, father of Eleazer, and of his children are in the burying ground on Nichols Street.

More About ELEAZER PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 06, 1759, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Burial: Nichols Street

Occupation: farmer, surveyor

Title: Squire Ely

Notes for DORCAS FOSTER:

Died aged 63 years.

- x. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. February 01, 1762, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. August 23, 1796; m. ELIJAH FLINT, December 11, 1783.

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 28, 1762, Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About ELIJAH FLINT:

Title: Major

**179.** BENJAMIN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*BENJAMIN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 12, 1718 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died April 26, 1796 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married SARAH PUTNAM July 28, 1741.

Notes for BENJAMIN PUTNAM:

Benjamin Putnam was elected to a minor office upon the organization of the town of Danvers in 1752, i.e., that of fence viewer. He was afterward, hayward, surveyor of highway, warden, etc., but between 1755 and 1768, he held no office. In 1771 he was tithingman.

He was a sergeant in Captain Edmund Putnam's company. His son Benjamin was a private in Captain Jeremiah Page's company. Both marched to Lexington 19 April, 1775.

In 1782, a return was required for purposes of taxation, of coaches, chariots, phaetons, chaises, and riding chairs. There were returned for Danvers, eighteen fall-back chaises, and twenty-two standing-top chaises; of these Enoch Putnam, Esquire, one, Nathaniel Putnam one, Archelaus Putnam one, Phineas Putnam one.

In 1787 in company with Nathan Putnam he was on the committee to regulate schools for the winter.

Benjamin and Sarah Putnam joined the Congregationalist church at Danvers, 29 November, 1871. From an old diary quoted by Rev. A.P. Putnam in his letters to the Danvers Mirror occurs the following "The mourners followed the corpse in the following order, Captain Benjamin Putnam and mother; Mr. William Putnam and wife; Captain Porter and wife; Mr. Eben Putnam and Captain Putnam's wife; Mr. Joseph Porter junr. and wife, Stephen Putnam junr., Ruthy and Miriam Putnam, Seth and Benjamin, and Sarah Thomas.

The pall bearers were Deacon G. Putnam, Deacon Edward Putnam, Colonel Page, Colonel Hutchinson, Mr. Archelaus Rea and Benjamin Porter."

More About BENJAMIN PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: November 29, 1741, Congregationalist Church, Danvers, Massachusetts

Baptism: October 18, 1718, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Title: Sergeant

Notes for SARAH PUTNAM:

Died aged about seventy years.

Is this the Sarah Putnam No. 186 (John, Thomas Thomas, Seth)

b. 16 Mar., 1721-2 ?

This would make it about seventy years.

Or is this the Sarah Putnam No. 298 (John, Nathaniel, Benjamin, Tarrant) b. 29 Apr., 1733 ?

This would only make her about 60 years.

More About SARAH PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: November 29, 1741, Congregationist Church, Danvers, Massachusetts

Children of BENJAMIN PUTNAM and SARAH PUTNAM are:

449. i. BENJAMIN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. August 29, 1742, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 26, 1747.  
ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. May 17, 1745, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 10, 1766.  
450. iii. BETHIAH PUTNAM, b. September 10, 1748, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 10, 1815.  
iv. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. July 31, 1751, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. January 26, 1755.  
v. RUTH PUTNAM, b. June 26, 1752, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 26, 1773; m. FRANCIS PERLEY, November 28, 1771.  
451. vi. BENJAMIN PUTNAM, JR., b. April 28, 1756, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. July 09, 1812, Danvers, Massachusetts.

**180.** EUNICE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*BENJAMIN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 21, 1722 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1758-1817. She married FRANCIS NURSE WFT Est. 1736-1764, son of SAMUEL NURSE and DOROTHY FAULKNER.

More About EUNICE PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 10, 1722, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of EUNICE PUTNAM and FRANCIS NURSE are:

- i. SAMUEL<sup>25</sup> NURSE, b. March 25, 1742; d. 1766.

Notes for SAMUEL NURSE:

Died unmarried

- ii. PETER NURSE, b. March 25, 1744; d. WFT Est. 1761-1834; m. LYDIA LAW, WFT Est. 1761-1794.
- iii. PHILLIP NURSE, b. July 10, 1748; d. WFT Est. 1749-1838.
- iv. EUNICE NURSE, b. May 02, 1752; d. WFT Est. 1766-1846; m. WILLIAM FISKE, WFT Est. 1766-1799.
- v. BENJAMIN NURSE, b. April 05, 1755; d. February 05, 1818; m. RUTH TARBELL, WFT Est. 1772-1802.

Notes for BENJAMIN NURSE:

Benjamin and Eunice had twelve children. Among his descendants is Benjamin Nurse Goodale, of Saco, Maine. Phebe, born 21 or 25 September, 1757, died unmarried. Jacob, born 11 May, 1760. Abigail, born January or June 13, 1762, married O. Spaulding, of Merrimac, New Hampshire. Edie or Edith, born 17 May, 1765, married John Odell of Amherst, New Hampshire.

**181.** MIRIAM<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*STEPHEN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 11, 1721 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1765-1816. She married ELISHA FLINT January 28, 1743/44, son of THOMAS FLINT and MARY PUTNAM.

More About MIRIAM PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 18, 1721, Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About ELISHA FLINT:

Occupation: farmer

Children of MIRIAM PUTNAM and ELISHA FLINT are:

- i. MARY<sup>25</sup> FLINT, b. March 12, 1744/45; d. WFT Est. 1771-1839; m. ELEAZER SPOFFORD, January 04, 1765.

More About ELEAZER SPOFFORD:

Title: Deacon

- ii. MOSES FLINT, b. July 17, 1746; d. November 25, 1754.
- iii. REBECCA FLINT, b. January 25, 1748/49; d. WFT Est. 1779-1843; m. DAVID KIMBALL, April 22, 1774.
- iv. MEHITABLE FLINT, b. January 09, 1758; d. WFT Est. 1785-1852; m. BARTHOLOMEW BROWN, June 17, 1779.
307. v. MIRIAM FLINT, b. November 04, 1759, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 20, 1830, Haverhill, Massachusetts.
- vi. HANNAH FLINT, b. November 01, 1763; d. WFT Est. 1777-1857; m. PARKER TYLER, WFT Est. 1777-1810.

**182.** TIMOTHY<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*STEPHEN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born January 10, 1725/26 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died 1756. He married ELIZABETH NURSE 1755.

Notes for TIMOTHY PUTNAM:

Timothy Putnam joined the church 27 April, 1755; this was probably about the time he married. He held a few minor town offices previous to 1755. On 8 March, 1756, he was elected tythingman.

In 1755 an Ensign Timothy Putnam reported the details of his scout near Lake Champlain to Captain Rogers. This Timothy ?

Various Danvers historians have stated that Timothy was a Tory, probably because his descendants are now resident in Nova Scotia. Such could not be the case as he died in 1756.; his father's will made in 1769 does not mention him. His widow had formerly been wife of Caleb Putnam (No. 417) and by him had three sons. After the death of Timothy Putnam she married Richard Upham.

The present family of Putnam in Nova Scotia, settled principally in Truro, are descended from American Loyalists, which only shows how superficial evidence can distort genealogy and history.

More About TIMOTHY PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: April 27, 1755

Baptism: March 27, 1726, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Will dated: August 04, 1756

Will proved: July 04, 1757

Notes for ELIZABETH NURSE:

Settled about 1761 in Maitland, Nova Scoti.

In 1759, Richard Upham, with wife Elizabeth, deeded land. In 1758, Richard Upham was of Boston (see Vol. 23, N.E.H. Gen. Reg.).

It is probable that Richard Upham and family remove to Nova Scotia and settled in Onslow township in 1761. Haliburton says, in his history of Nova Scotia, "The first British settlers came from the Province of Massachusetts and were of various origin. They landed in Onslow in the summer of 1761, to the number of thirty families, . . . they were compelled to undergo the most severe privations . . . During the second year the government supplied them with Indian corn . . . On their arrival they found the country laid waste to prevent the return of the Acadians, but 570 acres of marsh land were still under dyke, and about 40 acres of upland round the ruins of the houses cleared . . . Remains of the French roads . . . are still visible, as also parts of their bridges,. . . the settlers encountered great difficulty in procuring their grant and it was different from what they had been led to expect." This grant was registered on 23 February, 1769. The Acadians, or French neutrals, had been forcibly and cruelly removed from these lands by the British government in the fall of 1755.

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In 1773, Elizabeth (Nurse) (Putnam), wife of Richard Upham, of Onslow, Nova Scotia, was heir with her sons William and Caleb Putnam, (her children by her first husband Caleb Putnam), to a Putnam estate in Danvers, Essex County, (see Essex Deeds).

More About ELIZABETH NURSE:  
Admitted Church: August 03, 1746

Child of TIMOTHY PUTNAM and ELIZABETH NURSE is:

452. i. TIMOTHY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. 1756, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. October 09, 1840, Middle Stewiacke, Nova Scotia.

**183.** PHINEAS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*STEPHEN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 10, 1728 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died 1817 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married MARY WHIPPLE August 10, 1752 in Danvers, Massachusetts.

Notes for PHINEAS PUTNAM:

Phineas Putnam bought land in 1784, the Nurse homestead in Danvers, from Benjamin Nurse, great grandson of Rebecca Nurse.

Two by the name of Phineas, probably father and son, went from Danvers on the Lexington Alarm, one in Captain Putnam's and the other in Captain Asa Prince's Company.

More About PHINEAS PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 16, 1728, Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About MARY WHIPPLE:

Title: Danvers, Massachusetts

Children of PHINEAS PUTNAM and MARY WHIPPLE are:

i. PHINEAS<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. February 12, 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1776, Danvers, Massachusetts.

Notes for PHINEAS PUTNAM:

Two by the name of Phineas, probably father and son, went from Danvers on the Lexington Alarm, one in Captain Putnam's and the other in Captain Asa Prince's Company. He died in Danvers, Massachusetts, just home from the army, and is buried in the Preston Street Cemetery.

More About PHINEAS PUTNAM:

Burial: Preston Street cemetery

453. ii. MATTHEW PUTNAM, b. August 02, 1756, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. December 25, 1828, Danvers, Massachusetts.

454. iii. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. April 12, 1761, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. November 08, 1853.

455. iv. TIMOTHY H. PUTNAM, b. February 17, 1763, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. July 06, 1838, Danvers, Massachusetts.

456. v. EZRA PUTNAM, b. March 06, 1771, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1818-1863.

**184.** AARON<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*STEPHEN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 30, 1730 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died February 20, 1810 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married LYDIA WATERS January 04, 1759.

Notes for AARON PUTNAM:

Aaron Putnam was a famer and carpenter in Danvers. He was a private in Captain Edmund Putnam's company, Lexington alarm.

More About AARON PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 11, 1730, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Occupation: farmer, carpenter

Title: Private

Notes for LYDIA WATERS:

Died aged ninety-four.

Children of AARON PUTNAM and LYDIA WATERS are:

i. LYDIA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 27, 1759, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1776.

ii. AARON PUTNAM, b. April 17, 1762, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. Bef. June 1791.

Notes for AARON PUTNAM:

Administration on estate of Aaron, junr., granted to his father, Aaron, 20 April, 1791.

457. iii. RUFUS PUTNAM, b. May 07, 1764, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 21, 1836, Beverly, Massachusetts.

iv. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. July 02, 1766, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. Bef. May 1791.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Administration on estate of Israel Putnam, granted to his father, Aaron, 20 April, 1791.

v. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. Abt. April 1771, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1772-1865.

Notes for ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Died young.

More About ELIZABETH PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 28, 1771

458. vi. MARY PUTNAM, b. May 23, 1774, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1815-1869.

459. vii. SIMEON PUTNAM, b. November 22, 1776, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. July 29, 1834, Danvers, Massachusetts.

**185.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*STEPHEN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1735 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died December 18, 1776. She married ENOCH PUTNAM April 12, 1754 in Danvers, Massachusetts, son of JETHRO PUTNAM and ANNE PUTNAM.

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 18, 1735, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Notes for ENOCH PUTNAM:

Colonel Enoch Putnam lived in Danvers, Massachusetts, on the old homestead. In 1757, he was first selected to a town office, and continued for nearly forty years serving the town in one capacity or another. He held previous to the Revolution, the offices of highway surveyor, warden, constable, tythingman, and during and after the Revolution he held still more important positions, serving on committees to see about raising the necessary men for the army, taxes, supplies of beef for the army, schools, highways, etc. He was often moderator at the town meetings. In 1775, he went to Lexington, upon the alarm, as lieutenant of Captain Israel Hutchinson's company. This company suffered as much if not more, than any other single company in that fight. Those of its members who were killed were Perley Putnam and Jotham Webb; Nathan Putnam was wounded. By 1776, Enoch Putnam was captain and shortly after was commissioned colonel.

More About ENOCH PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 26, 1731/32

Title: Colonel

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and ENOCH PUTNAM are:

338. i. JETHRO<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. December 22, 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 20, 1815, Danvers, Massachusetts.
- ii. ANNA PUTNAM, b. April 22, 1759, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1760-1853.
339. iii. FANNY PUTNAM, b. August 07, 1764, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. June 28, 1858.
340. iv. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. May 21, 1771, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. June 22, 1830.

**186.** MOSES<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*STEPHEN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 30, 1739 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died July 25, 1801 in Wilton, New Hampshire. He married REBECCA KIMBALL April 03, 1768, daughter of AARON KIMBALL and SARAH WOOD.

Notes for MOSES PUTNAM:

Moses Putnam was graduated from Harvard College in 1759. He taught school a while in Boxford, Massachusetts, and in 1776 or thereabouts, removed to Wilton, New Hampshire. There he obtained the respect and trust of the people and on 9 March, 1778, was elected one of the committee of safety, served as selectman for several years, and was often on important committees. In 1778, he was chosen to represent the town in convention to be holden at Concord for "establishing some regulations by which our sinking currency may be raised and set upon some more stable basis."

More About MOSES PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 30, 1739, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Occupation: teacher

Schooling: 1759, Harvard College

Children of MOSES PUTNAM and REBECCA KIMBALL are:

460. i. STEPHEN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. May 20, 1772, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 18, 1821.
461. ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. November 05, 1773, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 10, 1809.
- iii. MOSES PUTNAM, b. July 24, 1777, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. September 20, 1807.
462. iv. AARON KIMBALL PUTNAM, b. January 11, 1784, Wilton, New Hampshire; d. March 25, 1871, Wilton, New Hampshire.

**187.** STEPHEN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM, JR. (*STEPHEN<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 22, 1741/42 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1796-1834. He married (1) SUSANNA HERRICK WFT Est. 1763-1793, daughter of SAMUEL HERRICK and ELIZABETH JONES. He married (2) RUTH PUTNAM WFT Est. 1758-1791, daughter of NATHANIEL PUTNAM.

Notes for STEPHEN PUTNAM, JR.:

Stephen Putnam was a carpenter and lived in the house (taken down, 1839), built by his father not far from where Israel H. Putnam, Esq. lived. He is credited with two days' service on the Lexington Alarm under Captain Jeremiah Page.

More About STEPHEN PUTNAM, JR.:

Occupation: carpenter

Notes for RUTH PUTNAM:

Daughter of Nathaniel Putnam (No. ???).

Children of STEPHEN PUTNAM and SUSANNA HERRICK are:

463. i. MOSES<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. November 04, 1775, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 10, 1860.
464. ii. SUSANNA PUTNAM, b. April 22, 1777, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 15, 1869.
- iii. RUTH PUTNAM, b. April 22, 1777, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1791-1871; m. ANDREW BATCHELDER, WFT Est. 1791-1824.

Notes for ANDREW BATCHELDER:

Mr. Batchelder married a second time.

More About ANDREW BATCHELDER:

Occupation: clock maker

465. iv. JACOB PUTNAM, b. November 17, 1780, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. January 18, 1866, Salem, Massachusetts.
466. v. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. October 30, 1782, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. August 15, 1856, Danvers, Massachusetts.
467. vi. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. February 04, 1785, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1877, Danvers, Massachusetts.
- vii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. January 17, 1787, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1788-1881.

Notes for HANNAH PUTNAM:

Died unmarried.

- viii. SALLY PUTNAM, b. March 10, 1795, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1796-1889.

Notes for SALLY PUTNAM:

Died unmarried.

Child of STEPHEN PUTNAM and RUTH PUTNAM is:

- ix. STEPHEN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 22, 1773, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1848.

Notes for STEPHEN PUTNAM:

Stephen Putnam died unmarried.

**188.** ISRAEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL*<sup>23</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>22</sup>, *NATHANIEL*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born March 20, 1722/23 in Bedford, Massachusetts, and died February 23, 1800 in Chelmsford, Massachusetts. He married SARAH HUTCHINSON WFT Est. 1741-1771, daughter of BENJAMIN HUTCHINSON and SARAH TARBELL.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Aged seventy-seven years (gravestone).

More About SARAH HUTCHINSON:

Baptism: February 21, 1724/25

Children of ISRAEL PUTNAM and SARAH HUTCHINSON are:

- i. JOHN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 23, 1750; d. WFT Est. 1751-1840.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:

John Putnam "removed to the Eastward" as stated in a letter of Daniel Putnam to Perley Putnam 1833. Was he the John who was the ancestor of the Searsport, Maine, family of Putnam?

- ii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. July 28, 1753; d. WFT Est. 1754-1847.
- iii. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. April 27, 1755; d. WFT Est. 1756-1845.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Israel Putnam "I think had no sons" as stated in a letter of Daniel Putnam to Perley Putnam 1833. Served 10 days in Captain John Moore's Company from Bedford during the Lexington Alarm.

468. iv. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. October 04, 1759, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. March 06, 1819, Frammingham, Massachusetts.

**189.** BENJAMIN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL*<sup>23</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>22</sup>, *NATHANIEL*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born August 02, 1725 in Bedford, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1765-1816. He married (1) EUNICE RAY WFT Est. 1742-1776. He married (2) REBECCA FARLEY WFT Est. 1742-1775.

Notes for BENJAMIN PUTNAM:

Benjamin Putnam's brother Israel to be executor of his will.

More About BENJAMIN PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 03, 1763

Will dated: September 03, 1763

Child of BENJAMIN PUTNAM and EUNICE RAY is:

- i. BENJAMIN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. Abt. June 1762; d. WFT Est. 1775-1852; m. REBECCA, WFT Est. 1775-1812.

**190.** JONATHAN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL*<sup>23</sup>, *BENJAMIN*<sup>22</sup>, *NATHANIEL*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born July 16, 1728 in Bedford, Massachusetts, and died 1784 in Chelmsford, Massachusetts. He married (1) HANNAH MELVIN August 21, 1750 in Concord, Massachusetts, daughter of DAVID MELVIN and MARY FARRAR. He married (2) HANNAH WORCESTER 1760.

Notes for JONATHAN PUTNAM:

Jonathan Putnam lived at first in Bedford, Massachusetts, but afterward removed to Chelmsford, Massachusetts. On 9 May, 1766, he bought a farm in Chelmsford, still in possession of the family (1890). The house had formerly been a garrison house and was one of the first erected in that town, and had double walls of brick. This house was torn down in 1817 and the present building erected on the same spot. When Jonathan Putnam first lived in Chelmsford, he found the Indians still there.

Aged fifty-eight (gravestone) The following epitaph is on the gravestone of either Jonathan or Hannah Putnam.

"Affliction sore long time I bore  
Physicians were in vain, till God did  
Please and death did seize, to ease  
me of my pain."

Notes for HANNAH WORCESTER:

Aged ninety-five years (gravestone).

More About HANNAH WORCESTER:

Title: Chelmsford, Massachusetts

Children of JONATHAN PUTNAM and HANNAH MELVIN are:

469. i. MARY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. November 18, 1750, Bedford, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1778-1844.
470. ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. 1753, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1790-1848.
471. iii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. 1754, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1780-1848.
472. iv. LUCY PUTNAM, b. 1756, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1781-1850.
473. v. DAVID PUTNAM, b. 1758, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. Abt. 1785.
- vi. BETSEY PUTNAM, b. 1759, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1773-1853; m. AMOS CURTIS, WFT Est. 1773-1806.

Notes for BETSEY PUTNAM:

No children.

Children of JONATHAN PUTNAM and HANNAH WORCESTER are:

- vii. EUNICE<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. 1761, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1762-1855.

Notes for EUNICE PUTNAM:

Died young.

- viii. JONATHAN PUTNAM, b. 1763, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. June 04, 1790.

Notes for JONATHAN PUTNAM:

Aged 21 yrs. (sic) aged 2 days (gravestone).

- ix. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. 1764, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1784.
- x. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. 1766, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1784.
- xi. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. 1768, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1784.
- xii. POLLY PUTNAM, b. 1769, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. June 29, 1785<sup>16</sup>.
- 474. xiii. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. March 04, 1771, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. October 18, 1858.
- xiv. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. 1773, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. 1862; m. (1) PATTY TRASK, WFT Est. 1790-1823; m. (2) MARY LINDSEY, 1817.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:  
No male issue.

- 475. xv. STEPHEN PUTNAM, b. 1776, Chelmsford, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1797-1866.

**191.** TARRANT<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ISRAEL<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 02, 1733 in Bedford, Massachusetts, and died 1804 in Newbury, Vermont. He married (1) EUNICE PORTER WFT Est. 1762-1791, daughter of DANIEL PORTER and EUNICE CUE. He married (2) MARY PORTER July 01, 1756 in Danvers, Massachusetts<sup>17</sup>, daughter of ELEAZER PORTER.

Notes for TARRANT PUTNAM:

Tarrant Putnam lived in Danvers, Massachusetts, near the Topsfield line until 1789, then in Bakerstown, Maine, and finally settled in Newbury, Vermont, where most of his children also settled. His first marriage, according to Porter Genealogy, was 19 January, 1758.

Tarrant Putnam was at Lexington, in Captain Edmund Putnam's company. He held the rank of ensign.

More About TARRANT PUTNAM:

Title: Ensign

More About MARY PORTER:

Baptism: August 22, 1736

Children of TARRANT PUTNAM and EUNICE PORTER are:

- i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1762-1790; d. WFT Est. 1767-1873.

Notes for SARAH PUTNAM:  
Married and lived in Newbury, Vermont.

- ii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1762-1790; d. WFT Est. 1768-1870.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:  
Daniel Putnam died aged about 2 years.

- 476. iii. TARRANT PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1762-1790; d. Bef. 1834.
- iv. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1762-1790; d. WFT Est. 1767-1873.

Notes for EUNICE PUTNAM:  
Eunice Putnam died unmarried.

- v. RUTH PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1762-1790; d. WFT Est. 1767-1873.
- vi. ELISHA PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1762-1790; d. WFT Est. 1768-1870.
- vii. BETSEY PUTNAM, b. February 16, 1786; d. WFT Est. 1800-1880; m. JOHN BUSKETT, WFT Est. 1800-1833.

Children of TARRANT PUTNAM and MARY PORTER are:

- 477. viii. ELEAZER PORTER<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. December 08, 1758, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1813, Corinth, Vermont.
- 478. ix. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. November 22, 1760, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1797-1851.
- 479. x. ASA PUTNAM, b. December 28, 1763, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 11, 1839.
- 480. xi. ABIGAIL PUTNAM, b. July 13, 1768, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1797.
- xii. MARY PUTNAM, b. April 05, 1771; d. WFT Est. 1785-1865; m. WYMAN WYMAN, WFT Est. 1785-1818.

Notes for MARY PUTNAM:  
They had ten children.

**192.** CORNELIUS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*CORNELIUS<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 23, 1730, and died WFT Est. 1770-1821. He married ELIZABETH PERKINS August 02, 1758.

Children of CORNELIUS PUTNAM and ELIZABETH PERKINS are:

- i. JUDITH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. February 01, 1754, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1755-1848.
- ii. AARON PUTNAM, b. January 13, 1756, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1757-1846.
- iii. REUBEN PUTNAM, b. June 05, 1758, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1759-1848.
- iv. LUCY PUTNAM, b. October 30, 1760, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1761-1854.
- v. CORNELIUS PUTNAM, b. June 11, 1763, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1764-1853.

Notes for CORNELIUS PUTNAM:  
he left descendants.

- vi. DAVID PUTNAM, b. September 21, 1765, Royalston; d. WFT Est. 1766-1855.
- vii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. November 28, 1767, Royalston; d. WFT Est. 1768-1857.

**193.** NATHANIEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*CORNELIUS<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 03, 1734 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died 1812 in Sutton, Massachusetts. He married DEBORAH WFT Est. 1751-1782.

More About NATHANIEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 27, 1812

Title: Gentleman

Will dated: June 27, 1812  
Will proved: August 04, 1812

Notes for DEBORAH:  
Died in her seventy-fifth year.

Children of NATHANIEL PUTNAM and DEBORAH are:

481. i. MOSES<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. January 23, 1758, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Abt. 1826.
482. ii. MOLLY PUTNAM, b. February 25, 1759; d. WFT Est. 1777-1853.
483. iii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. May 11, 1761; d. WFT Est. 1788-1855.
- iv. STEPHEN PUTNAM, b. January 17, 1764; d. July 1779.

**194.** SARAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*CORNELIUS<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 18, 1742/43, and died Aft. 1809. She married ARCHELAUS PUTNAM October 10, 1765, son of EDWARD PUTNAM and RUTH FULLER.

Notes for SARAH PUTNAM:  
Married 16 Oct., 1765, Captain Archelaus Putnam (No. 432).

Notes for ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:  
Captain Archelaus Putnam was a minute man in Captain Elliott's company, 1775.

More About ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:  
Title: Captain

Children of SARAH PUTNAM and ARCHELAUS PUTNAM are:

- i. ABNER<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1762-1789, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1814-1873; m. ANNE, Bef. 1809.
484. ii. AARON PUTNAM, b. July 13, 1766, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. March 23, 1822.
485. iii. ARCHELAUS PUTNAM, b. August 17, 1768, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. February 09, 1854.
486. iv. SARAH PUTNAM, b. September 26, 1770, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. April 30, 1823, 27nov1788.
487. v. ANDREW PUTNAM, b. September 24, 1773, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1821-1865.
- vi. RUTH PUTNAM, b. March 22, 1776, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1790-1870; m. ADONIJAH BARTLETT, WFT Est. 1790-1823.
488. vii. AMY PUTNAM, b. October 07, 1779, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1822-1874.
- viii. BETSEY PUTNAM, b. September 14, 1781; d. WFT Est. 1813-1875; m. CYRUS CARPENTER, Aft. 1808.

More About CYRUS CARPENTER:

Title: Captain

**195.** BARTHOLOMEW<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*CORNELIUS<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 21, 1745 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died July 09, 1825<sup>18</sup>. He married (1) HANNAH AXRELL WFT Est. 1762-1795. He married (2) MARY PUTNAM WFT Est. 1764-1788, daughter of EDWARD PUTNAM and RUTH FULLER.

Notes for BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM:  
In his will, he mentions his grandson, Edward Putnam (No. 2161).

More About BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM:  
Will dated: May 16, 1822  
Will proved: September 06, 1825

Notes for HANNAH AXRELL:  
Hannah Axtell was executrix of her husbands will.

More About MARY PUTNAM:  
Baptism: April 22, 1750

Children of BARTHOLOMEW PUTNAM and MARY PUTNAM are:

489. i. BARTHOLOMEW<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. July 13, 1774, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. July 25, 1811, Sutton, Massachusetts.
- ii. LUCY PUTNAM, b. July 08, 1779, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1793-1873; m. SIMEON HOWARD, WFT Est. 1793-1826.
490. iii. EDWARD PUTNAM, b. January 26, 1782, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Abt. 1811, Sutton, Massachusetts.
491. iv. PRUDENCE PUTNAM, b. November 13, 1784, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1818-1879.
492. v. PHEBE PUTNAM, b. October 11, 1787, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Bef. 1822.
- vi. LEWIS PUTNAM, b. July 15, 1796, Sutton Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1797-1886.
- vii. CYNTHIA PUTNAM, b. August 27, 1804, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1805-1898.

Notes for CYNTHIA PUTNAM:  
Not mentioned in her father's will.

**196.** DAVID<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*CORNELIUS<sup>23</sup>, BENJAMIN<sup>22</sup>, NATHANIEL<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 14, 1747 in Sutton, Massachusetts, and died 1814 in Sutton, Massachusetts. He married ELIZABETH WOODBURY April 12, 1770 in Sutton, Massachusetts, daughter of JOSEPH WOODBURY and ELIZABETH FULLER.

Notes for DAVID PUTNAM:  
David Putnam marched to Lexington upon the alarm of 19 April, 1775, in Captain John Sibley's company.

More About DAVID PUTNAM:  
Title: Ensign

Notes for ELIZABETH WOODBURY:  
"One of the best of Christian women" (History of Sutton).

Children of DAVID PUTNAM and ELIZABETH WOODBURY are:

- i. DAVID<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 30, 1771, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1772-1861.

Notes for DAVID PUTNAM:  
David Putnam died young.

493. ii. BETTY PUTNAM, b. April 14, 1773, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. February 02, 1815.
494. iii. ABNER PUTNAM, b. May 14, 1775, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. June 25, 1859.
495. iv. CYRUS PUTNAM, b. August 21, 1777, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1818-1868.
- v. JERUSHA PUTNAM, b. December 13, 1779, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1808-1873; m. THOMAS BIGELOW, August 28, 1803.
496. vi. CORNELIUS PUTNAM, b. January 25, 1782, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1816-1873.
- vii. SALLY PUTNAM, b. July 28, 1784, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1812-1878; m. SAMUEL BIGELOW, December 27, 1806.
497. viii. LUCY PUTNAM, b. September 08, 1787, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1817-1881.
498. ix. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. February 23, 1790, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Aft. 1840, Sutton, Massachusetts.

**197.** DANIEL<sup>24</sup> PORTER (*ELIZABETH<sup>23</sup> PUTNAM, JONATHAN<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 19, 1721 in Wenham, Massachusetts, and died January 05, 1760. He married EUNICE CUE WFT Est. 1736-1757.

Children of DANIEL PORTER and EUNICE CUE are:

- i. SAMUEL<sup>25</sup> PORTER, b. WFT Est. 1741-1760; d. WFT Est. 1747-1844, London, England.

Notes for SAMUEL PORTER:  
Samuel Porter the Tory, a graduate of Harvard College, whose estate was confiscated. He died in London.

More About SAMUEL PORTER:  
Schooling: Harvard University

499. ii. EUNICE PORTER, b. March 03, 1749/50, Wenham, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1789-1845.

**198.** DAVID<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*DAVID<sup>23</sup>, JONATHAN<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 15, 1755 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died August 12, 1825. He married ELLENOR HASKELL WFT Est. 1771-1804.

Notes for DAVID PUTNAM:

David Putnam's will mentions wife Ellenor, daughter Ellenor Perley, daughter Anna, son Joshua to whom his shop tools. Witnessed by Eleazer and Dorcas Putnam, and Samuel Preston. (Essex Probate. 405 10)

More About DAVID PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 17, 1755, North Parish, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Occupation: yeoman

Will dated: January 05, 1816

Will proved: September 06, 1825

Children of DAVID PUTNAM and ELLENOR HASKELL are:

500. i. ELLENOR<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. May 29, 1784; d. WFT Est. 1820-1879.
- ii. DAVID PUTNAM, b. March 13, 1786; d. April 27, 1812.
501. iii. JOSHUA PUTNAM, b. September 03, 1789, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1832-1881.
502. iv. ANNA PUTNAM, b. August 27, 1792; d. June 1871.
- v. HOLTON PUTNAM, b. July 14, 1795; d. May 27, 1813.

**199.** GINGER<sup>24</sup> PORTER (*SARAH<sup>23</sup> PUTNAM, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born WFT Est. 1705-1733, and died WFT Est. 1712-1815. She married DANIEL HUTCHINSON WFT Est. 1703-1763.

More About GINGER PORTER:

Baptism: August 17, 1707

Child of GINGER PORTER and DANIEL HUTCHINSON is:

503. i. SARAH ANDREWS<sup>25</sup> HUTCHINSON, b. WFT Est. 1712-1735; d. WFT Est. 1758-1824.

**200.** MARY<sup>24</sup> PORTER (*SARAH<sup>23</sup> PUTNAM, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 1726, and died 1811. She married JOSEPH PUTNAM January 31, 1744/45, son of JOSEPH PUTNAM and LYDIA FLINT.

More About MARY PORTER:

Baptism: April 24, 1726

Notes for JOSEPH PUTNAM:

Joseph Putnam was more or less prominent in the local affairs of Danvers. He was tythington, 1754 and 1758 ; surveyor of highways, 1756 ; constable 1764.

More About JOSEPH PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 26, 1724, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Will dated: March 03, 1781

Will proved: April 17, 1781

Children of MARY PORTER and JOSEPH PUTNAM are:

- i. LYDIA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. 1746, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1747-1840.

More About LYDIA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: July 27, 1746

- ii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. Abt. January 1748/49, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1843.

Notes for SARAH PUTNAM:  
Sarah Putnam died young.



More About SARAH PUTNAM:  
Baptism: January 29, 1748/49

304.   iii. JOSEPH PUTNAM, b. Abt. January 1750/51, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 25, 1834, Salem, Massachusetts.  
305.   iv. ISRAEL PUTNAM, b. 1753, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1803-1845.  
      v. MARY PUTNAM, b. 1755, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1756-1849.

Notes for MARY PUTNAM:  
Mary Putnam died young.

More About MARY PUTNAM:  
Baptism: September 14, 1755

- vi. LYDIA PUTNAM, b. 1758, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1759-1852.

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:  
Not mentioned in her father's will.

More About LYDIA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: February 26, 1758

- vii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. 1761, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1762-1851.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:  
Not mentioned in his father's will.

More About JOHN PUTNAM:  
Baptism: January 18, 1761

- viii. BETTY PUTNAM, b. 1763, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1764-1857.

More About BETTY PUTNAM:  
Baptism: October 30, 1763

- ix. MARY PUTNAM, b. 1767, Danvers, Mass.; d. WFT Est. 1768-1861.

More About MARY PUTNAM:  
Christened: January 26, 1767

306.   x. PORTER PUTNAM, b. 1770, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. January 1836, Hudson, New Hampshire.

**201.** EBENEZER<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JAMES<sup>23</sup>, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. October 1717 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died August 12, 1788 in Salem, Massachusetts. He married MARGARET SCOLLAY October 28, 1764, daughter of JOHN SCOLLAY and ELIZABETH PRATT.

Notes for EBENEZER PUTNAM:

Ebenezer Putnam was graduated from Harvard College in the class of 1739. Of his youth and early manhood very little is known; but that he studied medicine and practised in Danvers, Salem, and very generally throughout the count, and that he obtained the entire confidence of his patients, is well known.

From family letters of his younger brother, Judge James, we learn that he had a decided aversion to the state of matrimony, yet in the fall of 1764, when he had arrived at the mature age of forty-seven years, he surrendered to the charms of Miss Margaret Scollay, who it is said was a most beautiful woman.

Soon after his marriage, Dr. Putnam bought the large house formerly standing on the corner of Washington (then Court Street) and Church Street, and built in 1768. Nearly opposite was the fine mansion of Colonel Benjamin Pickman, now known as the Brookhouse estate. But eight years had passed since the very court house, in which the persons accused of witchcraft in 1692 were tried, had been torn down. This had stood between Dr. Putnam's and Colonel Pickman's. Colonel Pickman's house was afterward sold to Elias Haskett Derby, Esquire.

In this house Doctor and Mrs. Putnam lived during the exciting years preceeding and during the revolution and entertained liberally. Among those whom they numbered as friends were many who upon the outbreak of the revolution remained loyal to the Crown and these associations probably led to the charge that the doctor, too, was a tory. This charge as we shall soon see was utterly false. On the 9th of November, 1774, Doctor Putnam was chosen ruling elder of the church at Salem, in place of Nathaniel Ropes deceased. During the Revolution he entertained Judge Trowbridge, and seems to have been much invited out.

The period from 1760 to 1775, mentioned above, was one of constant agitation, on the one hand for a more liberal government of the colonies, and on the other a determined effort by the merchants and government of England to force the American trade into such channels as they willed. The gentry of the colony were uniformly loyal to the crown as well as patriotic.

That men of wealth and position did not join in the popular hue and cry, is not to be wondered at, whether their sympathies were with or against the popular party. Nearly all true-spirited colonists desired to be treated fairly but men of education perceived the great power of Great Britian and did not believe that violent measures would be successful, and therefore held aloof from the popular demonstrations.

Governor Hutchinson upon his departure for England was presented with addresses from the principal people of the colony, for although accused of subserviency to the home government and of attempting to overthrow the liberty of his countrymen, yet those who enjoyed his confidence knew how false such statements were. As a token of esteem and as an act of courtesy, these addresses were signed by the principal merchants and gentlemen of Boston, Salem, and elsewhere. Among the signers were the brothers Ebenezer, Archelaus and James Putnam. The signers were later stigmatized as Hutchinson "Addresses" and all manner of vile calumnies thrown at them by the people and press of that period. In deed, so hot became the popular feeling that in many places it became necessary for those who had innocently signed, to withdraw their signatures publicly. This was done by the following Salem gentlemen on 30th of May, 1775, John Nutting, N. Goodale, Ebenezer Putnam, Francis Cabot, N. Sparhawk, Andrew Dalglish, E.A. Holyoke, William Pynchon, Thomas Barnard (the partiotic minister who so widely advised Leslie at the North bridge, that bloodshed was averted), Nathaniel Dabney, William Pickman, C. Gayton Pickman (lived opposite Dr. Putnam). These gentlemen declared that in affixing their signatures to the adress given below, they did so with the best intentions, and they state "that we were so far from designing by that action, to show our acquiescence in those acts of Parliament so universally and justly odious to all America, that on the contrary, he hoped we might in that way contribute to their repeal . . . and our serious determination is to promote to the utmost of our power, the liberty, the welfare, and happiness of our country."

That this statement was made on the 30th May, 1775, almost one year later than the date of the address, June 11, 1774, is in itself significant. In 1774, the feeling of a personal loyalty to the Crown was nearly universal and this deep respect for King Geaoge did not disappear till after blood had been shed. In 1775, the feelings of a great many of the signers had changed, for the effect of the battle of Lexington was like that caused by the fall of Sumpter. The addresses which were presented to the departing Governor were very like in their phraseology, merely expressing regret at the difficulties under which he left the country, wishes for his future welfare, and prayer that he would attempt, in some measure, to relieve the colonies of the troubles then prevalent. These moderate expressions of courtesy so inflamed the fassions of the people that mills were burnt, property of all kinds destroyed, if belonging to the hated "Tories," themselves tarred and feathered, "smoked" out of house and home and finally in many cases driven to Boston for protection. Thus the colony in its need lost its best brain and blood, for probably not one in ten of the refugees was so from choice. Some few remained at home and after the first outburst of mob fury were left alone. The friends of Dr. Putnam were mostly numbered in this class and he himself was often troubled by the lawless element; but the people of Salem knew that his patriotism was unsullied and that very year, 1775, saw him elected as one of the committee of safety. No better proof of his integrity and the belief of his fellow citizens in his loyalty to his country is needed. In 1776, under date of January 29, William Pynchon entered in his diary, "News from Doctor Putnam at Providence where he and the Salem companies have arrived well." Doctor Putnam was then fifty-nine years old.

Some years later, certain persons in Salem presented to the selectmen a list of those whose property they desired confiscated, for, as they claimed, adhering to Great Britian. On this list occurs the name of Ebenezer Putnam but the authorities promptly erased his name, again clearing him of the charge. Doubtless much of this enmity to Doctor Putnam, was due to the fact that his brother, James Putnam, was widely known as having remained loyal to the crown and that his nephew held an officer's commission in the British army.

As will be seen from the letters of the Honable James Putnam printed hereafter, that the brothers were in instant communication and that James was distressed deoynd measures at the lamentable war, and though he refused to return yet was deeply grateful to the brother who, more patriotic than he, had the power to obtain the restitution of his Worcester estates if he would return.

In 1776, he accompanied as surgeon, the company of volunteers from Salem for the defence of Rhode Island. He was a member of the first Committee of Safety and Correspondence formed at Salem in 1775.

Doctor Putnam, by his extensive practice accumulated a very handsome property, and thus was enabled to leave to his children ample means. It is said that he was a man of great strength and courage. His death occurred at his home 12th of August, 1788. He lived to witness the recognition of the independence of his beloved country and to perceive the beneficial results which followed. He was buried in the Charter street cemetery, the pall bearers being, Elias Haskett, Esq., Mr. Ward (probably Joshua Ward whose grand-daughter Elizabeth Appleton married Eben Putnam, grandson of Dr. Putnam) and Doctor Holyoke.

In July, 1834, Judge Samuel Putnam (No. 823) wrote the following letter to Colonel Perley Putnam, of such general interest, that it is inserted here:

"Ebenezer Putnam (No. 374), of Salem, the grandfather of the postmaster, was very distinguished in the medical department. If I am not mistaken he was the brother of James Putnam of Worcester. I remember his appearance and his civility to me when I was a boy. His person moved alertly. I have heard Aunt Clark say that his house was broken open in the night; that he went down alone in the darkness, seized and detained the burglar, who was a much larger man than himself. If he had been a soldier he would have been as fearless as he was skilful as a physician."

More About EBENEZER PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 20, 1717, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

Burial: Charter Street Cemetery

Occupation: physician, Justice of the Peace

Schooling: 1739, Harvard University

Title: A.M., Doctor

Notes for MARGARET SCOLLAY:

Miss Margaret Scollay, who it is said was a most beautiful woman.

More About MARGARET SCOLLAY:

Baptism: December 06, 1724, Marblehead

Children of EBENEZER PUTNAM and MARGARET SCOLLAY are:

504. i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. August 30, 1765, Salem, Massachusetts; d. December 20, 1801, Salem, Massachusetts.
505. ii. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. 1768, Salem, Massachusetts; d. February 25, 1826, Salem, Massachusetts.

**202.** ARCHELAUS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JAMES<sup>23</sup>, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. May 1721 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died Bef. 1786. He married RUTH FLINT December 04, 1740, daughter of RUTH PUTNAM and SAMUEL FLINT.

Notes for ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:

Archelaus Putnam was ensign in 1760 and lieutenant in 1770. He was one of the selectman of Danvers at the outbreak of the Revolution and was often chosen to fill such minor offices as surveyor of highways, etc.; he was frequently chosen moderator of the town meetings and presided with great dignity and impartiality.

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Will made 18 June, 1784, proved 2 August, 1785, son Archelaus executor; to grandchildren, Fanny Perley, Nancy Perley, Francis Perley and Ebenezer Putnam Perley.

More About ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 14, 1721, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

Will dated: June 18, 1784

Will proved: August 02, 1785

Notes for RUTH FLINT:

Daughter of Captain Samuel and Ruth (Putnam) Flint.

Children of ARCHELAUS PUTNAM and RUTH FLINT are:

- i. EBENEZER<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. Abt. April 1742, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1743-1832.

More About EBENEZER PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 02, 1742

506. ii. ARCHELAUS PUTNAM, b. Abt. November 1744, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. 1800, Danvers, Massachusetts.
- iii. JAMES PUTNAM, b. Abt. August 1747, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1748-1837.

More About JAMES PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 09, 1747

- iv. MARY PUTNAM, b. Abt. March 1747/48, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1842.

More About MARY PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 20, 1747/48

v. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. Abt. April 1750, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1751-1840.

More About EBENEZER PUTNAM:  
Baptism: April 08, 1750

507. vi. RUTH PUTNAM, b. Abt. January 1751/52, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. Abt. January 1784.

203. JAMES<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (JAMES<sup>23</sup>, JAMES<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>) was born Abt. July 1726 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1771-1818 in St. John, New Brunswick. He married (1) ELEANOR SPRAGUE August 14, 1750. He married (2) ELIZABETH CHANDLER September 20, 1754, daughter of JOHN CHANDLER and HANNAH GARDINER.

Notes for JAMES PUTNAM:

Honorable James Putnam was graduated from Harvard College in 1746; there were eleven others in his class among whom was Dr. Edw. A. Holyoke, whose father Edward Holyoke was then president of the College. He studied law, under Judge Trowbridge, who, according to John Adams, controlled the whole practice of Worcester and Middlesex counties, and settled in Worcester, 1749, taking up the practice of the law.

In 1750, August 14, he married Eleanor Sprague by whom he had one daughter, Eleanor. In a letter to his brother Dr. Ebenezer Putnam, of Salem, dated July 8, 1754, he writes, after speaking of his better health. "That which you think or care but little about, [Dr. Putnam did not marry until 1764] as to your own part is not wholly out of my thoughts. I mean [tho' you could tell without further explanation what you care least about] a Female Companion. If I pursue this design which I am sometimes almost tempted to do with one of my neighbors, it will not be very speedily. But it is as affair of consequence, and tho' such a one as you yourself don't incline to meddle with, yet may perhaps with less partiality than others, prejudiced in favor of it give your friendly and brotherly sentiments upon, tho' not as to the person yet as to the thing itself which I shall expect in some future epistle unless you will be so kind as to make me a visit this summer, and if you will Doct. Tufts (probably Cotton Tufts, Harvard College of 1749, son of Doctor Simon Cotton Tufts, married a Quincy and aunt of Mrs. John Adams. He was an ardent patriot. Simin Tufts of Boston, merchant, was banished in 1778.) will be your company and then you may see and not be at the trouble of writing on that Head or giving your judgement but in part. . . . Postscript - My little daughter Nelly is very healthy and well, tho' she has not the pleasure of knowing any of her relations."

He seems to have changed his mind in regard to "not very speedily" pursuing this design, for the 20th of September, 1754, he was united in marriage to Elizabeth Chandler.

James Putnam, says Sabine, in 1757, held the commission of Major under General Loudon and saw service. Between the years of 1755 and 1758, John Adams (Harvard College, 1755) afterward President of the United States, taught school in Worcester and studied law with Mr. Putnam. He also boarded in his family. Mr. Adams remarks that Mr. Putnam possessed great acuteness of mind, had a very extensive and successful practice, and was eminent in his profession.

In 1774, January 14, Mr. Putnam in writing to Dr. Putnam, speaks of a illness which prevented his attending at the class arranged for inoculation (for small-pox) and desires to know about the future arrangement of classes as he may come down and bring his son Ebenezer.

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In 1778 the Massachusetts Legislature passed an act confiscating the estates of 308 Loyalists and banishing them; if they returned a second time, to suffer death without the benefit of clergy. Among these was the Honorable James Putnam, who had in 1777 succeeded Jonathan Sewall as attorney-general of Massachusetts, the last under the Crown.

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The term "tory" as applied to New England loyalist has long since ceased to be a term of reproach. Fortunately the terrible guerilla warfare which engaged the residents of states to the south of New England was spared us, so that there are no memories of rapes and burnings to renew a hatred which was chiefly caused by the passions of the hour. The loyalists of Massachusetts were her best blood. They should be divided into three classes : those that took service in the british army and served against their country (which is truly the class we may condemn), those that became refugees and settled in foreign lands, and absentees who returned, during and after the war, to their homes. This latter class is much larger than is generally known. Many refugees left relatives here who for a while suffered from their connection, but in many cases regained the confidence of the people and served in high office. The loyalist and patriot families were largely connected bt marriage. (An instance is that General Knox who married Secretary Thos. Flucker's daughter.) But no family connection availed in preventing confiscation of property and banishment. The feeling between both parties was intense. The whig or popular party committed acts of violence having no excuse, and which in 90 per cent of the cases was the cause of the recipients of abuse seeking the protection of the british army. We lost the representatives of many of our first families and the condition of affairs for many years showed this, for the respect due to magistrates and officers, civil and military, for many years during and after the revolution, was often very meagre and much begrudged. However, the remnant of the cultivated class soon resumed their former position and with the education of the masses, the true American spirit overcame the at first evident tendency to the revolutionary principles afterward rampant in France. Stability came from necessity and we of Massachusetts can still make the proud claim that the best of England's blood is represented on our soil.

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"James Putnam (No. 378) of Worcester, was a distinguished councillor at law, and the patron of John Adams, the late President of the United States. He adhered to the parent country, and removed to New Brunswick where he held a judicial office, with great reputation under the crown. His descendants have been very respectable, have merited and received the rewards due to their continued allgiance and fidelity. One of them returned to England and was particularly favored by Prince Edward now deceased.

We can now look to the period of the Revolution without the bitter feelings which then agitated the country. And it is clear (to my mind at least) that many of those who adhered to the old government were as true men as many of those were who shook off their allegiance.

For example, I think that James Putnam, Daniel Leonard and Jonathan Sewall loved their country as well as John Adams, John Hancock and Samuel Adams."

Copies of letters from James Putnam to Ebenezer Putnam

More About JAMES PUTNAM:

Baptism: July 31, 1736, North Paris, Danvers, Massaxhusetts

Title: Honorable, Major

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508. i. ELEANOR<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. July 15, 1751, Worcester, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1776-1845.

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Adressed "James Putnam Esqr.

6 Holles St."

Kensington Palace

June 7th, 1801

Dear Putnam

Having understood from you in converstion yesterday that you hoped to have an audience tomorrow of Sir William Scott on the subject of your situation as Marshall of the Admiralty at Halifax to which I had the good fortunes of getting you named, I thought it might be both satisfactory and useful to you to be able to produce to that highly respectable and valuable man, my written sentiments as to the manner in which you have discharged your duties in the military situation you held in North America during the period of seven years that I commanded at Halifax, I therefore herewith enclosed the same wishing you all the success in obtaining the object for which you are solicitous, that you so justly merit. I remain with the highest esteem & regard Dear Putnam

Ever Yours Most Sincerely

Edward, General and Commander in Chief  
of His Majesty's Forces in North America

More About JAMES PUTNAM:

Schooling: 1774, Harvard University

iii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. September 27, 1758; d. WFT Est. 1759-1848.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:  
John Putnam died in infancy.

509. iv. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. January 26, 1763, Worcester, Massachusetts; d. April 03, 1798, Fredericton, New Brunswick.  
510. v. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. May 07, 1769; d. August 14, 1787.

**204.** APPHIA<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELEAZER<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 09, 1731 in Preston, Connecticut, and died 1800. She married SAMUEL ANDREWS WFT Est. 1745-1776.

Notes for APPHIA PUTNAM:  
Descendants are in Pennsylvania, New York and the West.

Children of APPHIA PUTNAM and SAMUEL ANDREWS are:

- i. ELEAZER<sup>25</sup> ANDREWS, b. WFT Est. 1749-1772; d. WFT Est. 1754-1853.
- ii. ELISHA ANDREWS, b. WFT Est. 1749-1772; d. WFT Est. 1754-1853.
- iii. LUCY ANDREWS, b. WFT Est. 1749-1772; d. WFT Est. 1754-1856.
- iv. EUNICE ANDREWS, b. WFT Est. 1749-1772; d. WFT Est. 1754-1856.
- v. SALLY ANDREWS, b. WFT Est. 1749-1772; d. WFT Est. 1754-1856.

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Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:  
John Putnam's name is on the Connecticut "Lexington Alarm Lists" as "sergeant" and he is credited with three days' service. He also served in the army for a short period.

More About JOHN PUTNAM:  
Title: Sergeant

Notes for MARTHA WOODWARD:  
Family records state that her name was Thomson; the Town Records, Woodward.

Children of JOHN PUTNAM and MARTHA WOODWARD are:

511. i. HANNAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. January 01, 1763, Preston, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1790-1857.
512. ii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. March 07, 1765, Preston, Connecticut; d. January 21, 1826, Hinsdale, Massachusetts.
513. iii. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. April 06, 1767, Preston, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1785-1861.
514. iv. JEDIDIAH PUTNAM, b. February 06, 1769, Preston, Connecticut; d. January 03, 1826, Volney, New York.
- v. MARTHA PUTNAM, b. March 23, 1771, Preston, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1785-1865; m. JESSE CHEESEBORO, WFT Est. 1785-1818.

Notes for MARTHA PUTNAM:  
Married Jesse Cheeseboro of New London (another account, Stonington), Connecticut, and had five sons and three daughters.

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515. vi. CHARLOTE PUTNAM, b. May 22, 1775, Preston, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1840-1871.

**206.** CHARLES<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*ELEAZER<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 13, 1737 in Preston, Connecticut, and died Bef. 1838 in Paris, New York. He married MARTHA ROSE May 27, 1762.

Notes for CHARLES PUTNAM:  
Charles Putnam and family removed from Preston, Connecticut to Paris, New York about 1765.

Children of CHARLES PUTNAM and MARTHA ROSE are:

- i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1758-1787; d. WFT Est. 1763-1869.
- ii. APPHIA PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1758-1787; d. WFT Est. 1763-1869.
- iii. CATHERINE PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1758-1787; d. WFT Est. 1763-1869.
- iv. FREDERICK PUTNAM, b. August 20, 1763, Preston, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1764-1853.
- v. ELEAZER PUTNAM, b. December 04, 1764, Preston, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1765-1854.

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Notes for SAMUEL PUTNAM:  
Mentioned in will of his father Jephtha Putnam "housewright."

Child of SAMUEL PUTNAM and KEZIA HAYWARD is:

516. i. HOWARD<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. February 10, 1762, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. January 24, 1834, Wabash County, Illinois.

**208.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JEPHTHA<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 13, 1728 in probably Sutton, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1763-1823. She married BENJAMIN WOODBURY May 28, 1748, son of BENJAMIN WOODBURY and RUTH CONANT.

Notes for BENJAMIN WOODBURY:  
Benjamin Woodbury removed from Sutton, Massachusetts to Royalston in 1760.

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and BENJAMIN WOODBURY are:

- i. "CHILD"<sup>25</sup> WOODBURY, b. WFT Est. 1746-1773, Royalston; d. WFT Est. 1752-1856.
- ii. BENAIAH WOODBURY, b. February 21, 1747/48, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1838.
- iii. RUTH WOODBURY, b. February 12, 1748/49, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1843.
- iv. APPHIA WOODBURY, b. July 31, 1751, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1752-1845.
- v. ELIZABETH WOODBURY, b. March 21, 1753, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1754-1847.
- vi. LOT WOODBURY, b. July 10, 1755, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1756-1845.
- vii. JESSE WOODBURY, b. Abt. 1758, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1759-1848.
- viii. HANNAH WOODBURY, b. Abt. 1760, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1761-1854.

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Notes for FULLER PUTNAM:

Fuller Putnam served in the Worcester Regiment, at Fort Dummer, New Hampshire, from 13 July, to 12 October, 1749, during the Indian War. Mentioned in will of his father Jephtha Putnam "housewright."

Children of FULLER PUTNAM and MARY CUMMINGS are:

517. i. DAVID<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. January 26, 1753, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Abt. 1795.
- ii. ELI PUTNAM, b. September 27, 1754; d. Bef. 1835; m. ELIZABETH HARBACK, WFT Est. 1771-1804.

Notes for ELI PUTNAM:

He owned land and a mill in Ballston, now Jefferson, Maine which he sold prior to 1806. A bridge over the Sheepscot River was long known as "Putnam's Bridge."

More About ELI PUTNAM:

Title: Ludlow, Maine

Children of FULLER PUTNAM and EUNICE HAYWARD are:

- iii. "SON"<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1752-1781; d. WFT Est. 1758-1860.

Notes for "SON" PUTNAM:

Perhaps Rufus.

518. iv. RUTH PUTNAM, b. December 04, 1757; d. WFT Est. 1758-1851.
- v. JOHN PUTNAM, b. July 08, 1760, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. Abt. 1827, Sutton, Massachusetts.
519. vi. JEPHA PUTNAM, b. September 24, 1762; d. WFT Est. 1763-1852.
- vii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. July 20, 1765; d. WFT Est. 1791-1859.
520. viii. LUCY PUTNAM, b. February 16, 1768; d. WFT Est. 1805-1863.
- ix. RUBY PUTNAM, b. September 20, 1770; d. WFT Est. 1771-1864.
- x. PRUDY PUTNAM, b. July 20, 1774; d. WFT Est. 1800-1868; m. CALEB SIBLEY, January 01, 1794.

**210.** RUTH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JEPHTHA*<sup>23</sup>, *ELEAZER*<sup>22</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born October 18, 1732 in probably Sutton, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1762-1826. She married STEPHEN HOLMAN November 05, 1751.

Notes for RUTH PUTNAM:

She was called "Ruth Bartlett" in her father's will, Jephtha Putnam "housewright."

Children of RUTH PUTNAM and STEPHEN HOLMAN are:

- i. RUTH<sup>25</sup> HOLMAN, b. September 13, 1754; d. WFT Est. 1755-1848.
- ii. STEPHEN HOLMAN, b. December 07, 1756; d. WFT Est. 1757-1846.
- iii. JUDITH HOLMAN, b. February 21, 1759; d. WFT Est. 1760-1853.

**211.** JOHN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JEPHTHA*<sup>23</sup>, *ELEAZER*<sup>22</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born July 27, 1738 in probably Sutton, Massachusetts, and died 1771. He married MARY CUMMINGS April 09, 1761, daughter of JACOB CUMMINGS and MARY MARBLE.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:

Mentioned in will of his father Jephtha Putnam "housewright."

The widow Mary was appointed administratrix of the estate of John Putnam, her husband, late of Sutton, 29 April, 1771.

Notes for MARY CUMMINGS:

The widow Mary was appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband, late of Sutton, 29 April, 1771.

Children of JOHN PUTNAM and MARY CUMMINGS are:

521. i. REBECCA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. September 13, 1763, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1790-1857.
522. ii. JACOB PUTNAM, b. November 21, 1764, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. November 25, 1820, Marblehead, Massachusetts.
- iii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. March 18, 1766, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1796-1857; m. MARY MUGFORD, January 03, 1790.
523. iv. OLIVE PUTNAM, b. August 28, 1767, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1785-1861.
524. v. SIMEON PUTNAM, b. August 10, 1769, Charlton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1812-1861, Peabody, Massachusetts.

**212.** GIDEON<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JEPHTHA*<sup>23</sup>, *ELEAZER*<sup>22</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>21</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>20</sup>, *NICHOLAS*<sup>19</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>18</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, *JOHN*<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, *JOHN*<sup>15</sup>, *RICHARD*<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *ROGER*<sup>13</sup>, *ROGER*<sup>12</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>11</sup>, *JOHN FITZ WALE*<sup>10</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>9</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>7</sup>, *HENRY FITZ*<sup>6</sup>, *RICHARD FITZ*<sup>5</sup>, *WILLIAM*<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, *GEOFFREY*<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, *ROGER*<sup>2</sup>, *ANSCHITIL*<sup>1</sup>) was born WFT Est. 1739-1760 in probably Sutton, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1783-1844. He married ABIGAIL HOLTEN November 28, 1775, daughter of JOHN HOLTEN and ANN.

Notes for GIDEON PUTNAM:

Mentioned in will of his father Jephtha Putnam "housewright."

Gideon Putnam was probably the Gideon who marched to Lexington and served two weeks in Captain John Putnam's company from Sutton, Massachusetts. Removed from Sutton to Calais, Maine.

Children of GIDEON PUTNAM and ABIGAIL HOLTEN are:

- i. GIDEON<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. June 07, 1776; d. WFT Est. 1777-1866.
- ii. NABBY PUTNAM, b. April 23, 1778; d. WFT Est. 1779-1872.
- iii. ARTEMAS PUTNAM, b. May 31, 1780; d. WFT Est. 1781-1870.

**213.** BENAIAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*JEPHTHA<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 07, 1747 in probably Sutton, Massachusetts, and died Bef. 1835. He married SARAH FITTS December 13, 1770, daughter of JONATHAN FITTS and MARY HUTCHINSON.

Notes for BENAIAH PUTNAM:

Mentioned in will of his father Jephtha Putnam "housewright."

Children of BENAIAH PUTNAM and SARAH FITTS are:

- i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. July 05, 1771; d. WFT Est. 1808-1866; m. PETER STOCKWELL, September 30, 1803.
- ii. PHEBE PUTNAM, b. November 26, 1773; d. WFT Est. 1801-1867; m. SAMUEL DUDLEY, February 15, 1795.
525. iii. MEHITABLE PUTNAM, b. April 25, 1775; d. WFT Est. 1794-1869.
- iv. ANN PUTNAM, b. May 11, 1777; d. WFT Est. 1778-1871.

Notes for ANN PUTNAM:

Ann Putnam, or her sister Eunice, one married a Knight and the other a Hammett.

526. v. ABIJAH PUTNAM, b. July 30, 1779, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1829-1871, Sutton, Massachusetts.
- vi. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. June 17, 1782; d. WFT Est. 1783-1876.

Notes for EUNICE PUTNAM:

Eunice Putnam, or her sister Ann, one married a Knight and the other a Hammett.

- vii. MOLLY PUTNAM, b. May 02, 1784; d. WFT Est. 1798-1878; m. ANDREW SIBLEY, WFT Est. 1798-1831.
- viii. JAMES PUTNAM, b. November 02, 1786; d. 1813, Montpelier, Vermont.
527. ix. SYLVANUS PUTNAM, b. May 11, 1791, Sutton, Massachusetts; d. September 19, 1854, Montpelier, Vermont.

**214.** ELIZABETH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SAMUEL<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1738 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died April 14, 1791. She married DANIEL PUTNAM March 27, 1760 in Danvers, Massachusetts, son of AMOS PUTNAM and HANNAH.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:

Daniel Putnam inherited his father's Danvers and Middleton property. He was a deacon in the North Church at Danvers, and marched to Lexington upon the Alarm as lieutenant in the company of Captain Samuel Flint. In 1777, he was on the committee of Correspondence.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 26, 1738

Title: Deacon, Lieutenant

Children of ELIZABETH PUTNAM and DANIEL PUTNAM are:

- i. ELIZABETH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. February 26, 1761, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1762-1855.
422. ii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. October 03, 1762, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. December 19, 1802, Newbury, Vermont.
423. iii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. March 16, 1765, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1779-1859.
- iv. PHEBE PUTNAM, b. January 26, 1767, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1768-1861.
- v. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. May 23, 1769, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1770-1859.
424. vi. AMOS PUTNAM, b. October 11, 1778, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. January 19, 1867, New Salem, Maine.

**215.** SAMUEL<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SAMUEL<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 13, 1741 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died Bef. 1781. He married LYDIA PUTNAM May 05, 1763, daughter of AMOS PUTNAM and HANNAH.

More About SAMUEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 14, 1741, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:

She also had three daughters of Timothy Page.

More About LYDIA PUTNAM:

Baptism: June 14, 1741

Children of SAMUEL PUTNAM and LYDIA PUTNAM are:

- i. LYDIA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. April 09, 1764, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1778-1858; m. SHAW, WFT Est. 1778-1811.

Notes for LYDIA PUTNAM:

Several children.

Notes for SHAW:

Several children.

425. ii. MARY PUTNAM, b. August 09, 1765, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1804-1860.
- iii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. January 24, 1767, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1781-1861; m. JACOB PUTNAM, WFT Est. 1781-1814.

Notes for JACOB PUTNAM:  
Died aged 91 years.

More About JACOB PUTNAM:

Title: Colonel

**216.** TARRANT<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SAMUEL<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 08, 1743/44 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died April 14, 1776. He married SARAH PAGE November 16, 1768.

Notes for TARRANT PUTNAM:

Tarrant Putnam was graduated from Harvard College in 1763. In June, 1772, he was one of the committee appointed by the town "to take into consideration the condition of our civil liberties." He was private in Captain Israel Hutchinson's company and marched to Lexington on the alarm of 19th April, 1775.

Administrartion on his estate to widow, 6 May, 1776.

He was a bright, progressive man, popular and fearless. Administration on his estate to widow, Sarah Page Putnam, 6 May 1776.

More About TARRANT PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 26, 1743/44, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Schooling: 1763, Harvard College

Children of TARRANT PUTNAM and SARAH PAGE are:

528. i. SARAH<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 05, 1769, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. February 28, 1858.
529. ii. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. August 09, 1771; d. November 17, 1842.
- iii. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. July 30, 1773; d. March 09, 1826.
530. iv. PERLEY PUTNAM, b. December 16, 1776, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1802-1867.

**217.** ELEAZER<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SAMUEL<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 04, 1759 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died May 30, 1836 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married (1) DORCAS FOSTER WFT Est. 1778-1807. He married (2) SARAH FULLER January 29, 1784 in Middleton, Massachusetts, daughter of ARCHELAUS FULLER and BETTY DALE. He married (3) SALLY HOLTEN September 18, 1803, daughter of SAMUEL HOLTEN and MARY WARNER.

Notes for ELEAZER PUTNAM:

Eleazer Putnam was a farmer and surveyor in Danvers. For many years he was constable and tax collector, tythingman, and held various other officers. He was universally liked and respected and was known as "Squire Ely."

He and his sons Archelaus and Samuel, were very tall. Israel was of medium height. All of the Children had blue eyes and brown hair, excepting Israel whose hair was very dark.

The Gravestones of Samuel, father of Eleazer, and of his children are in the burying ground on Nichols Street.

More About ELEAZER PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 06, 1759, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Burial: Nichols Street

Occupation: farmer, surveyor

Title: Squire Ely

Notes for DORCAS FOSTER:

Died aged 63 years.

Children of ELEAZER PUTNAM and SARAH FULLER are:

- i. SALLY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. December 14, 1784, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. August 14, 1811.

Notes for SALLY PUTNAM:

Blue eyes and brown hair.

More About SALLY PUTNAM:

Burial: Nichols Street

531. ii. ISRAEL Warburton PUTNAM, b. November 24, 1786, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 03, 1868, Middleborough.
- iii. BETSEY PUTNAM, b. December 22, 1788, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. January 01, 1868, Middleborough; m. POPE, WFT Est. 1802-1834.

Notes for BETSEY PUTNAM:

Blue eyes and brown hair.

More About BETSEY PUTNAM:

Burial: Nichols Street

- iv. ARCHELAUS FULLER PUTNAM, b. October 03, 1792, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. August 11, 1859, Beverly, Massachusetts.

Notes for ARCHELAUS FULLER PUTNAM:

Doctor Archelaus Fuller Putnam graduated at Dartmouth College in 1819, and became preceptor of Moore's Charity School at Hanover (1821-4). He then commenced the study of divinity at Andover Theoloical Seminary, but in 1826, on account of ill health, abandoned his studies. Resolving upon the sudy of medicine, he graduated from the medical school at Dartmouth College in 1829, and after a premiminary course of study with Dr. Nathan Crosby of Lowell, Massachusetts, commenced practice the same year at Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

In July, 1836, he settled in Windham, New Hampshire, but ill health against which he had always struggled forced him to abandon professional work. He therefore retired in 1840 to Danvers, Massachusetts. He died in Beverly, Massachusetts, whither he had removed in 1844.

Archelaus Putnam was an excellent man and physician. He was very tall, had blue eyes and brown hair.

More About ARCHELAUS FULLER PUTNAM:

Burial: Nichols Street

Occupation: physician

Schooling: 1819, Dartmouth College

Title: Doctor

532. v. SAMUEL PUTNAM, b. June 14, 1794, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 20, 1859, Brooklyn, New York.



vi. MARY PUTNAM, b. November 13, 1801, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. December 19, 1802.

Notes for MARY PUTNAM:  
Blue eyes and brown hair.

More About MARY PUTNAM:

Burial: Nichols Street

Child of ELEAZER PUTNAM and SALLY HOLTEN is:

vii. MARY ANN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. August 05, 1805; d. November 15, 1844; m. (1) JOHN TAYLOR, WFT Est. 1818-1826; m. (2) SYLVANUS B. SWAN, 1836.

Notes for MARY ANN PUTNAM:  
Blue eyes and brown hair.

More About MARY ANN PUTNAM:

Burial: Nichols Street

Notes for SYLVANUS B. SWAN:

By his first wife he had three daughters, one died in infancy; others in 1857.

**218.** HANNAH<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*SAMUEL<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 01, 1762 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died August 23, 1796. She married ELIJAH FLINT December 11, 1783, son of SAMUEL FLINT and EDE UPTON.

More About HANNAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 28, 1762, Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About ELIJAH FLINT:

Title: Major

Children of HANNAH PUTNAM and ELIJAH FLINT are:

- i. BETSEY<sup>25</sup> FLINT, b. October 21, 1784, Peabody (then S. Danvers), Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1785-1878.
- ii. SAMUEL FLINT, b. January 08, 1787, Peabody (then S. Danvers), Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1804-1877; m. SARAH CARTER, WFT Est. 1804-1837.
- iii. ELIJAH FLINT, b. April 23, 1789, Peabody (then S. Danvers), Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1806-1879; m. (1) MARY TEWKSBURY, WFT Est. 1806-1839; m. (2) ESTHER NEWTON CLAY, WFT Est. 1806-1839.
- iv. PERLEY FLINT, b. August 04, 1791, Peabody (then S. Danvers), Massachusetts; d. July 06, 1833.

Notes for PERLEY FLINT:  
Died unmarried.

v. TARRANT PUTNAM FLINT, b. March 21, 1795, Peabody (then S. Danvers), Massachusetts; d. October 08, 1822, Belmont, Ohio; m. EUNICE HEALY, WFT Est. 1811-1821.

**219.** HENRY<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*HENRY<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1737 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1773-1828 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married SARAH PUTNAM March 08, 1762, daughter of JONATHAN PUTNAM and SARAH PERLEY.

Notes for HENRY PUTNAM:

Henry Putnam was born 1737 (a curious error the record dates his birth as 1747).

More About HENRY PUTNAM:

Baptism: December 02, 1753, Salem Village, Massachusetts

More About SARAH PUTNAM:

Baptism: Salem Village, Massachusetts

Children of HENRY PUTNAM and SARAH PUTNAM are:

533.
  - i. FREDERICK<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1753-1776, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1796-1860, Salem, Massachusetts.
  - ii. MARY CHEEVER PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1757-1784, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1762-1866.
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  - iii. ALLEN PUTNAM, b. October 25, 1762, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1807, Marietta, Ohio.
  - iv. ALICE PUTNAM, b. Abt. 1763, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1764-1857.

More About ALICE PUTNAM:  
Baptism: July 31, 1768, by Mr. Diman at North Parish, Danvers, Mass.

v. OLIVE PUTNAM, b. September 25, 1764, Danver, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1765-1858.

More About OLIVE PUTNAM:  
Baptism: July 31, 1768, by Mr. Diman at North Parish, Danvers, Mass

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  - vi. JONATHAN PUTNAM, b. September 13, 1766, Danver, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1798-1857.
  - vii. RHODA PUTNAM, b. Abt. October 1768, Danver, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1769-1862.

More About RHODA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: October 30, 1768

viii. LUCRETIA PUTNAM, b. Abt. November 1770, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1771-1864.

More About LUCRETIA PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 25, 1770

**220.** ELEAZER<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*HENRY<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 05, 1738 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died 1806. He married MARY CROSBY WFT Est. 1754-1786.

Notes for ELEAZER PUTNAM:

Eleazer Putnam was in Captain Issac Hull's company and recieved credit for five days' service on the Lexington Alarm, 19 April, 1775. Administration on his estate granted 14 March, 1806, "Eleazer Putnam of Medford, yeoman." His children are described in a document at the Middlesex Probate Court as "Samuel, victualler; Elijah, now out of this government."

More About ELEAZER PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 13, 1738

Children of ELEAZER PUTNAM and MARY CROSBY are:

- i. SAMUEL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1759-1787; d. WFT Est. 1765-1866.

Notes for SAMUEL PUTNAM:

Samuel Putnam died unmarried. According to family tradition (Putnams of Cortland, New York) Samuel went South; but in 1806 we find him quit-claiming land in Topsham, Maine, to William Putnam and styling himself "of Medford, victualler, gent." This William Putnam "yeoman" of Topsham, sells this same land or part of it, the same year. In 1809, William was of Turner, Maine (Register of Deeds, Wiscasset, Maine). This William had previously in 1803, joined with the heirs of Samuel Thompson, in deeding land in Topsham, to Samuel Putnam of Medford. The land where William Putnam lived (1890).

- ii. JOHN PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1759-1787; d. WFT Est. 1765-1866.
536. iii. HENRY PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1753-1769, Medford, Massachusetts; d. 1810, Savannah, Georgia.
- iv. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1759-1787; d. WFT Est. 1775-1869; m. EBEN THOMPSON, WFT Est. 1775-1820.
- v. RHODA PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1759-1787; d. WFT Est. 1775-1869; m. LOCKE, WFT Est. 1775-1820.
537. vi. ELIJAH PUTNAM, b. 1769, Medford, Massachusetts; d. January 1851, Madison, New York.

**221.** ROGER<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*HENRY<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 10, 1743 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died 1797.

Notes for ROGER PUTNAM:

"Eleazer Putnam, yeoman, appointed administrator on estate of Roger Putnam of Medford, yeoman, 4 October, 1797"; taxed at Charlestown, 1764

More About ROGER PUTNAM:

Baptism: October 16, 1748

Children of ROGER PUTNAM are:

- i. HENRY<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1764-1791; d. WFT Est. 1770-1871.

Notes for HENRY PUTNAM:

Family tradition states he was killed in the War of 1812.

More About HENRY PUTNAM:

Cause of Death: killed in the War of 1812

538. ii. BENJAMIN PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1764-1791, Medford, Massachusetts; d. Aft. 1836.
- iii. CHARLES PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1764-1791; d. WFT Est. 1770-1871.
539. iv. SALLY PUTNAM, b. 1774; d. 1858.
540. v. JOHN PUTNAM, b. April 1777, Massachusetts; d. June 16, 1826, Topsfield, Massachusetts.
541. vi. GILBERT PUTNAM, b. 1785; d. October 05, 1820, Malden, Massachusetts.
542. vii. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. Abt. 1786, Medford, Massachusetts; d. 1844, West Cambridge, Massachusetts.
543. viii. DAVID PUTNAM, b. April 20, 1791, Medford, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1843-1883.

**222.** BILLINGS<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*HENRY<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 11, 1749 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died January 28, 1814 in Newburyport, Massachusetts. He married (1) HANNAH WIER ALLEN April 19, 1775. He married (2) MARY HARRIS November 12, 1810.

Children of BILLINGS PUTNAM and HANNAH ALLEN are:

544. i. JOHN ALLEN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. November 27, 1775, Newburyport, Massachusetts; d. January 19, 1823, Newburyport, Massachusetts.
- ii. HENRY PUTNAM, b. March 30, 1777; d. February 16, 1794.

Notes for HENRY PUTNAM:

Henry Putnam died unmarried.

- iii. JOANNA PUTNAM, b. February 03, 1779; d. April 09, 1807.

Notes for JOANNA PUTNAM:

Joanna Putnam died unmarried.

- iv. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. June 14, 1781; d. July 24, 1831; m. JOHN HARDY, WFT Est. 1795-1821.
- v. APPHIA PUTNAM, b. June 12, 1783; d. October 20, 1783.
- vi. APPHIA PUTNAM, b. November 15, 1784; d. February 15, 1800.

Notes for APPHIA PUTNAM:

Apphia Putnam died unmarried.

- vii. JANE PUTNAM, b. April 22, 1786; d. November 22, 1813.

Notes for JANE PUTNAM:

Married, but no children.

545. viii. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. April 07, 1791, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. November 20, 1818.
- ix. BILLINGS PUTNAM, b. September 06, 1793; d. November 12, 1800.
546. x. JOSEPH B. PUTNAM, b. April 15, 1794, Newburyport, Massachusetts; d. June 16, 1873, Newburyport, Massachusetts.

**223.** BENJAMIN<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*HENRY<sup>23</sup>, ELEAZER<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 26, 1751 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died 1801 in Savannah, Georgia. He married ANN SOPHIA MALCOLM WFT Est. 1770-1798, daughter of ALEXANDER MALCOLM and BRUCE.

Notes for BENJAMIN PUTNAM:

Doctor Benjamin Putnam served as surgeon in the army during a portion of the Revolution and was married shortly after that war, when he removed to the South, and settled near Savannah.

More About BENJAMIN PUTNAM:

Baptism: September 15, 1751, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Title: Doctor

Children of BENJAMIN PUTNAM and ANN MALCOLM are:

- i. JOHN<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1772-1797; d. Bef. 1801.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:

John Putnam died at a very tender age.

- ii. HELEN PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1772-1797; d. Bef. 1801.

Notes for HELEN PUTNAM:

Helen Putnam died at a very tender age.

547. iii. AUGUSTUS PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1770-1796; d. 1818.

- iv. CAROLINE PUTNAM, b. WFT Est. 1772-1799; d. October 1839, New Jersey; m. PETER MITCHEL, 1816.

Notes for CAROLINE PUTNAM:

No issue.

Notes for PETER MITCHEL:

Peter Mitchel died on his way to Florida, in November, 1839. No issue.

548. v. JOHN GUSTAVUS PUTNAM, b. 1796, Savannah, Georgia; d. May 01, 1864, Madison, Florida.

- vi. CHARLES PUTNAM, b. 1797; d. WFT Est. 1798-1887.

Notes for CHARLES PUTNAM:

Charles Putnam died unmarried; minister at Darien, Ga., 1847.

More About CHARLES PUTNAM:

Occupation: Minister

549. vii. BENJAMIN ALEXANDER PUTNAM, b. Abt. 1800, Savanna, Georgia; d. January 25, 1869, Palatka, Florida.

**224.** MEHITABLE<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*CALEB<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 06, 1723 in Danvers, Massachusetts, and died WFT Est. 1762-1818. She married (1) ISRAEL HUTCHINSON WFT Est. 1738-1773, son of ELISHA HUTCHINSON and GENDER PORTER. She married (2) ARCHELAUS PUTNAM April 12, 1739, son of NATHANIEL PUTNAM and HANNAH ROBERTS.

More About MEHITABLE PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 10, 1723, Salem Village, Massachusetts

Notes for ISRAEL HUTCHINSON:

Colonel Hutchinson was a veteran of the French and Indian Wars, and the Revolution. For twenty-one years he represented Danvers in the General Court.

Colonel Hutchinson was the father of several children by his first wife, Anna Cue.

More About ISRAEL HUTCHINSON:

Baptism: November 12, 1727

Title: Colonel

Notes for ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:

In the spring of 1754, Deacon Archelaus Putnam moved a building which had been used as a shop, from his father's farm, now known as the "Judge Putnam farm" on Meeting House Lane, down Crane river, by floating it from the upper mill pond near his father's house, to the bank of the river, at which is now Danversport. The building was landed near where the depot now stands and taken to a spot south of what is now Warren's store. This was converted into a dwelling and here his daughter Sarah was born. (Fowler Gen.)

This settlement at New Mills was, in 1772, incorporated into a separate Highway District, there having been much feeling, provoked by the action of the settlers at the Port in building roads and bridges. The thickets were so dense formerly at the Port that once Mrs. Putnam became lost in making her way from the mill to the house.

Here were established grist and chocolate mills by Archelaus Putnam, and by Archelaus Putnam and others, a saw mill.

Archelaus Putnam was chosen Deacon of the First Church 26 January, 1756.

Administration on his estate granted to widow Mehetable, 25 October, 1756 (elsewhere it is stated that he died in 1759).

More About ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:

Title: Deacon

Child of MEHITABLE PUTNAM and ISRAEL HUTCHINSON is:

550. i. ISRAEL<sup>25</sup> HUTCHINSON, b. September 27, 1760, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1807-1852.

Children of MEHITABLE PUTNAM and ARCHELAUS PUTNAM are:

- ii. "DAU"<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. October 25, 1739, Danvers, Massachusetts<sup>19</sup>; d. WFT Est. 1740-1833.

Notes for "DAU" PUTNAM:

Family bible states a daughter was born.

434. iii. ARCHELAUS PUTNAM, JR., b. November 06, 1740, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. April 14, 1800, Danvers, Massachusetts.

- iv. MEHITABLE PUTNAM, b. November 11, 1742, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1743-1836.

More About MEHITABLE PUTNAM:

Baptism: November 14, 1742  
Christened: November 14, 1742

- 435. v. EPHRAIM PUTNAM, b. September 14, 1744, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 11, 1821, Lyndeborough, New Hampshire.
- 436. vi. NATHANIEL PUTNAM, b. May 17, 1746, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. November 05, 1800.
- vii. MARY PUTNAM, b. March 13, 1747/48, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1842.
- viii. JACOB PUTNAM, b. November 21, 1749, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.

Notes for JACOB PUTNAM:  
Guardianship to Edmond Putnam, 2 January, 1769.

More About JACOB PUTNAM:  
Baptism: November 26, 1749

- ix. SAIAL PUTNAM, b. November 21, 1749, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1750-1839.
- x. PHEBE PUTNAM, b. November 27, 1751, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1752-1845.

More About PHEBE PUTNAM:  
Baptism: December 01, 1751

- xi. CALEB PUTNAM, b. Abt. July 1753, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1754-1843.

More About CALEB PUTNAM:  
Baptism: July 22, 1753

- 437. xii. SARAH PUTNAM, b. September 14, 1755, Danversport, Massachusetts; d. November 19, 1847.

**225.** CALEB<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*CALEB<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 10, 1724/25 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died April 17, 1751 in Danvers, Massachusetts. He married ELIZABETH NURSE WFT Est. 1738-1750.

Notes for CALEB PUTNAM:  
Caleb Putnam was styled "yeoman."

More About CALEB PUTNAM:  
Baptism: February 13, 1724/25, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Will dated: August 03, 1746

Notes for ELIZABETH NURSE:  
Settled about 1761 in Maitland, Nova Scoti.

In 1759, Richard Upham, with wife Elizabeth, deeded land. In 1758, Richard Upham was of Boston (see Vol. 23, N.E.H. Gen. Reg.).

It is probable that Richard Upham and family remove to Nova Scotia and settled in Onslow township in 1761. Haliburton says, in his history of Nova Scotia, "The first British settlers came from the Province of Massachusetts and were of various origin. They landed in Onslow in the summer of 1761, to the number of thirty families, . . . they were compelled to undergo the most severe privations . . . During the second year the government supplied them with Indian corn . . . On their arrival they found the country laid waste to prevent the return of the Acadians, but 570 acres of marsh land were still under dyke, and about 40 acres of upland round the ruins of the houses cleared . . . Remains of the French roads . . . are still visible, as also parts of their bridges,. . . the settlers encountered great difficulty in procuring their grant and it was different from what they had been led to expect." This grant was registered on 23 February, 1769. The Acadians, or French neutrals, had been forcibly and cruelly removed from these lands by the British government in the fall of 1755.

The present family of Putnam in Nova Scotia, settled principally in Truro, are descended from American Loyalists, which only shows how superficial evidence can distort genealogy and history.

In 1773, Elizabeth (Nurse) (Putnam), wife of Richard Upham, of Onslow, Nova Scotia, was heir with her sons William and Caleb Putnam, (her children by her first husband Caleb Putnam), to a Putnam estate in Danvers, Essex County, (see Essex Deeds).

More About ELIZABETH NURSE:  
Admitted Church: August 03, 1746

Children of CALEB PUTNAM and ELIZABETH NURSE are:

- 551. i. WILLIAM<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. Abt. August 1746, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. 1832.
- ii. MOSES PUTNAM, b. Abt. May 1748; d. Bef. 1773, Nova Scotia.

Notes for MOSES PUTNAM:  
Moses Putnam, mother Elizabeth Upham and his brother Moses Putnam, were, in 1773, heirs to an estate in Danvers.

Moses Putnam drowned while crossing one of the bays of Nova Scotia; died s.p.

More About MOSES PUTNAM:  
Baptism: May 15, 1748, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts  
Cause of Death: drowning

- 552. iii. CALEB PUTNAM, b. Abt. June 1750, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. September 1838.

**226.** PETER<sup>24</sup> PUTNAM (*CALEB<sup>23</sup>, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 02, 1735 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died 1773. He married (1) LYDIA ENDICOTT July 27, 1756 in Danvers, Massachusetts, daughter of SAMUEL ENDICOTT and MARGARET PRATT. He married (2) REBECCA PUTNAM May 27, 1771 in Hampton, New Hampshire, daughter of JETHRO PUTNAM and ANNE PUTNAM.

Notes for PETER PUTNAM:  
Peter Putnam mentions his second wife in his will. In this will he names "brother-in-law Enoch Putnam" to be executor. In 4 January, 1774, Jeremiah Page is appointed guardian of Peter, Hannah, John, Mary, and Caleb.

More About PETER PUTNAM:  
Baptism: July 06, 1735, Salem Village, Massachusetts  
Will dated: November 21, 1773  
Will proved: December 07, 1773

Notes for REBECCA PUTNAM:  
Mention in Peter Putnam's will.

More About REBECCA PUTNAM:  
Baptism: September 05, 1736

Children of PETER PUTNAM and LYDIA ENDICOTT are:

- i. ANNA<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. July 04, 1756, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1757-1850.
- ii. PETER PUTNAM, b. January 15, 1758, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1759-1848.

Notes for PETER PUTNAM:

There are two Peter Putnams of Danvers, on the Lexington Alarm lists.

Peter Putnam (Sr.) mentions his second wife in his will. In this will he names "brother-in-law Enough Putnam" to be executor. In 4 January, 1774, Jeremiah Page is appointed guardian of Peter Putnam (Jr.).

- iii. CALEB PUTNAM, b. January 20, 1759, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 07, 1764.
- iv. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. March 13, 1761, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. January 1854, Danvers, Massachusetts.

Notes for HANNAH PUTNAM:

Hannah Putnam's father, Peter Putnam mentions his second wife in his will. In this will he names "brother-in-law Enough Putnam" to be executor. In 4 January, 1774, Jeremiah Page is appointed guardian of Hannah.

- v. JOHN PUTNAM, b. September 20, 1762, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1763-1852.

Notes for JOHN PUTNAM:

John Putnam's father, Peter Putnam mentions his second wife in his will. In this will he names "brother-in-law Enough Putnam" to be executor. In 4 January, 1774, Jeremiah Page is appointed guardian of John.

- vi. MARY PUTNAM, b. September 07, 1764, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1765-1858.

Notes for MARY PUTNAM:

Mary Putnam's father, Peter Putnam mentions his second wife in his will. In this will he names "brother-in-law Enough Putnam" to be executor. In 4 January, 1774, Jeremiah Page is appointed guardian of Mary.

553. vii. CALEB PUTNAM, b. July 03, 1766, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. May 24, 1819, Rome, New York.
- viii. LOIS PUTNAM, b. Abt. March 1768, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1769-1862.

More About LOIS PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 06, 1768

554. ix. LYDIA PUTNAM, b. Abt. July 1769, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. August 15, 1806.
- x. REBECCA PUTNAM, b. Abt. April 1772, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1773-1866.

More About REBECCA PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 26, 1772

227. HANNAH<sup>24</sup> POPE (*MEHITABLE<sup>23</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1721 in Salem Village, Massachusetts, and died September 06, 1765 in Brooklyn, Connecticut. She married ISRAEL PUTNAM July 19, 1739 in Salem Village, son of JOSEPH PUTNAM and ELIZABETH PORTER.

More About HANNAH POPE:  
Baptism: September 03, 1721

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

General Israel Putnam was born in a house which is still standing on its original site, near the eastern base of Hathorne or Asylum hill, in Danvers, Massachusetts. It has several times been enlarged and is still in an excellent state of preservation. Its first proprietor was his grandfather Thomas, who left it to his youngest son Joseph.

The ancestry of the future soldier patriot, in various lines, is thus seen to have been of Essex County stock. His later boyhood was probably spent in Boxford, Massachusetts, at the home of his step-father, Captain Thomas Perley, while yet he would be a frequent visitor at the Putnam house in Danvers. His early education was defective, partly because school advantages were then very meagre in the rural district in which he passed his youth, and partly, no doubt, because his strong natural inclinations were for farming and active out-of-door life, rather than for books and sedentary occupations. Robust and full of energy, he was as a boy given to sports, and to feats of strength and daring; and numerous trustworthy traditions of his courageous exploits in those days have been handed down in the old home from then until now, somewhat prophetic of his more extraordinary prowess and achievements in maturer years.

Having attained an age when he would care for a share of his father's farm, he returned to Danvers and settled upon the portion set off to him, and here built a small house, the cellar of which yet remains. The spot is still pointed out, not far from that of his nativity, where stood the humble habitation in which for a brief period the young couple dwelt, and in which their first child, Israel, was born. Shortly afterward, they removed to Pomfret, Connecticut, borne on by the continued tide of emigration that had already carried a large number of settlers into the eastern part of that state from towns about Massachusetts bay. There at length he was the head of a numerous family of children, some of whom removed to other parts of New England or to the west, their descendants being now widely scattered abroad through the country.

In 1739, Israel, and his brother-in-law, John Pope, bought of Gov. Jonathan Belcher, a tract of land of about five hundred acres, of which he became sole owner in 1741. It was part of a large district known as the "Mortlake Manor," which, while it had special privileges of its own, was included in the territory that in 1786 was detached from Pomfret and erected into a separate and distinct township under the name of Brooklyn. Certain foundation stones, and a well and pear tree, have long marked the place where our brave pioneer built for himself his first house in Connecticut. Here was the family home, until larger accommodations were required, when he built the plain, but more commodious and comfortable house to which the domestic scene was transferred and in which many years afterward the old hero died. This, with its narrow chamber in which he breathed his last, is still standing and is an object of great interest with patriot-pilgrims who year after year visit it from afar. From the outset, his fondness for agriculture and horticultural pursuits was conspicuously shown in the vigorous way in which he subdued and cultivated his land, and introduced into pomfret and its neighborhood all its best varieties of fruit trees, while it is chiefly due to his taste, sagacity, and enterprising spirit that were planted the long lines of ornamental trees which have graced the streets and added so much to the beauty of Brooklyn. Although at first the exemptions which the owner of Mortlake Manor enjoyed created a jealousy among the inhabitants of Pomfret and rather estranged him from participation in their affairs, yet his sterling worth was early recognized and his public spirit became more and more manifest. He was among the foremost in establishing good schools in the town and did not fail to ensure to his sons and daughters a higher education than he had received himself. Before he entered upon his military career, he joined other leading settlers in a library association which had a marked effect in developing a love of reading among the people and in elevating their general character. He was not only a thrifty and highly prosperous farmer, but, from first to last, he was also an earnest and helpful friend of all the best interests of the little, but growing colony.

The familiar story of his entering the wolf-den, together with the accounts of his many other bold adventures in his earlier manhood, needs not to be repeated in this brief sketch of his life. The late Honorable Samuel Putnam, a native of Danvers and Judge of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, wrote, in a letter to Colonel Perley Putnam of Salem, Massachusetts, July 16, 1834 :- "I was once in his house in Brooklyn where he treated me with great hospitality. He showed me the place where he followed a wolf into a cave and shot it, and he gave me a great many anecdotes of the war in which he had been engaged before the Revolution, tracing the remarkable events upon a map."

In 1755, there was a call upon the New England colonies and New York for a large military force for the relief of Crown Point and the regions about Lake George, where the French had gained a strong foothold. The quota from Connecticut was to consist of a thousand soldiers. Though it would require him to leave behind a large property and a numerous family, Putnam was prompt and quick to respond to the summons. Brave, energetic and popular, he was at once appointed to the command of a company, which he soon succeeded in recruiting for Lyman's regiment, under the supreme command of General William Johnson of New York. He received his "first baptism of fire and blood" in the unsuccessful encounter of Col. Ephraim Williams and his twelve hundred men with the enemy under Baron Dieskau, in the forests between Fort Edward and Lake George. This defeat of the provincials was soon followed by a brilliant victory, in honor of which Johnson built a fort, named William Henry, on the spot where it was won. The autumn of 1755 was spent in constructing defences and in opening means of communication between

different parts of the immediate country. As winter approached, most of the men returned to their homes, but enough remained to garrison the fortresses. Putnam's regiment was disbanded with the rest, and he himself returned to Pomfret to spend the season with his family. The next year witnessed a renewal of the campaign, the entire forces being under the command of General Abercrombie. Putnam was reappointed as captain, to serve as before in Lyman's regiment. During the service which he rendered in all this war against the French and their Canadian and Indian allies, he acquired a great reputation as a soldier and hero, by his dauntless spirit and marvellous deeds. These, taken in connection with his many perilous exposures, severe hardships, and hairbreadth escapes, gained for him swift and repeated honors from the Legislature of his adopted state, and made him immensely popular with all classes of his countrymen. The accounts of them, as given more or less fully by his biographers, Humphreys, Peabody, Cutter Hill and various others, are no doubt exaggerated in some particulars. General Rufus Putnam, who was a soldier in the Massachusetts contingent, kept a diary which has been printed and which corroborates Humphreys' narrative. But enough is true to warrant the fame and distinction that were then and subsequently accorded to him in abundant measure. In 1757, he was promoted to be major. He had previously connected himself with the famous band of rangers, whose chief was the notorious Major Robert Rogers. Near the time of the outbreak of the revolution, this remarkable hunter, scout and roving adventurer, notwithstanding all his ardent promises and professions of loyalty and devotion to the cause of the colonies, went over to the British and received from them an appointment as colonel. His volume of "Journals" makes but very few and slight allusions to Putnam, who on one occasion had saved his life and who had borne so conspicuous a part with in their hard and hazardous campaigning; and this circumstance, together with the fact that some of his friends and apologists grew to be virulent defamers of his gallant comrade, makes it quite evident that no very strong tie of trust or affection united the two. Putnam could hardly have had much confidence in such a strange and lawless man as Rogers, and Rogers must have found little that was congenial to him in such a true-hearted and straight-forward man as Putnam, whatever they may have had in common as free and fearless rangers. Here, in this capacity, they were still, as Colonel Humphreys says, "associated in traversing the wilderness, reconnoitering the enemy's lines, gaining intelligence and taking straggling prisoners, as well as in beating up the quarters and surprising the advanced pickets of their army."

On the 3rd of August, 1757, Montcalm, the French commander, arriving with a large force from Ticonderoga, laid siege to Fort William Henry, whose surrender after six days was followed by a dreadful massacre of the garrison. Putnam had vainly endeavored to procure magazine of Fort Edward, amidst the terrible conflagration that visited it, was one of the numerous daring deeds which he accomplished. His descent of the falls of the Hudson, at Fort Miller, and his happy escape from a strong party of Indians who fired at him incessantly as he skilfully steered his bateau down the dangerous rapids, was another of his characteristic achievements, which made his savage foes think that he was under the special protection and smile of the Great Spirit. Yet he was not so successful in escaping their barbarities, when once he was in their power. For it was about the same time, in 1758, that, in one of the forest expeditions in which he and Rogers and five hundred men were engaged, they took him prisoner and subjected him to the most brutal treatment. Judge Putnam's letter, which we have already quoted, states that they tied him to a tree to be put to death according to their custom under such circumstances, and then goes on to say: "They threw their tomahawks into the tree by the side of his head, and after amusing themselves in this way for some time, they lighted up the fire, and danced and yelled around him. When they were thus engaged, one of the tribe, a chief, who had been once a prisoner of Putnam and treated kindly by him, arrived on the spot, and, recognizing his friend in their intended victim, immediately released him from impending slaughter. General Putnam said that their gestures in the dance were so inexpressibly ridiculous that he could not forbear laughing. I expressed some surprise that he mildly replied that his composure had no merit, that it was constitutional; and said that he had never felt bodily fear. I can as easily credit that assertion as that one Gouverneur Morris made of himself, viz.: that he never felt embarrassed by the presence of any one whomsoever, in his life; and I am inclined to think that both of them spoke the truth concerning their own sensations." The wounds which these cowardly savages inflicted upon the fearless but helpless sufferer left scars which he long afterward carried with him to the grave. The almost incredible outrages and tortures which they perpetrated upon him were not brought to an end by the cutting of the cord that bound him to the tree, but were still continued, in other forms, all the while they marched him through a rugged country to Ticonderoga and thence to Montreal. There Colonel Peter Schuyler, who had been held a prisoner in that city, hearing of his miserable condition, hastened to his rescue, supplied him with clothing and other necessities, and managed to procure his release. Putnam's tenth and last child was born afterward and he named it in grateful honor of this noble friend and benefactor. Nor was this the only kindness which the generous man rendered at this juncture. Among those whom the Indians had made captives was a Mrs. Howe, whose first and second husbands the redman had murdered and the story of whose wretched lot under her inhuman masters is familiar to American readers. Schuyler paid the price of her ransom and entrusted her to the care of Putnam, who, on his return, safely conducted her beyond the reach of her persecutors.

In pursuance of a plan of 1759, to expel the French from their American possessions, General Wolfe was to lead an expedition against Quebec, General Prideaux one against Fort Niagara, and General Amherst another against Ticonderoga and Crown Point. Putnam, who who now had been raised to the rank of lieutenant colonel, was with Amherst and assisted him in the reduction of both the objects or places of his meditated attack, being subsequently employed at Crown Point in strengthening its defences. In 1760, the British having captured Quebec, Amherst projected another expedition against Montreal, in which Putnam again accompanied him and rendered important service. The city, without resistance, capitulated at the formidable approach, and Canada was soon lost forever to the French. In 1762, the conquerors turned their attention to the French and Spanish possessions in the West Indies, France and Spain having entered into a coalition with each other. Martinique and the Caribbees were taken, and a naval force of ten thousand men arrived, half of the number being a regiment from Connecticut under the command of General Lyman. Putnam was with him as on previous occasions, and was ere long placed at the head of the regiment from his own state, Lyman being appointed to take charge of the whole body of these provincial troops. The former had been cool and courageous during a fearful gale which had been encountered at sea, and on reaching shore he was busy and efficient in constructing accommodations for the soldiers. In due time the British Commander, Albemarle, besieged one of the strong fortresses of Havana and stormed the city, which finally surrendered, and with it a large part of Cuba

General Putnam's Cane

Contributed by Miss Annie E. Tucker

Smewhere about the year 1762 General Putnam was strolling through the streets of Havana when he came upon a Spanish planter unmercifully beating a slave with a stout East Indian bamboo cane. The Putnam blood boiled at the Castilian's brutality, and not pausing to consider that he was alone in the streets of a foreign city and perfectly defenceless, the general (although of course this was long before he received his commission) strode up to the Spaniard and seized the cane from his hands. In an instant a mob of infuriated Cubans attacked Putnam, and he, finding safety lay in flight, took to his heels and succeeded in reaching his ship before the mob could harm him. He kept the cane, and, what was more, the Spaniard's slave as well, for the poor creature followed him and begged so hard to be taken aboard the ship and be allowed to serve his preserver, that Putnam told him to come along and promised that all the Spaniards in Cuba should not molest him. He took the slave and cane home to Salem with him and thence to his house in Pomfret where the man served him faithfully as a body servant until 1790 when the old general died. Mention is made of the cane in the old general's diary, 3 October, 1789. "Walked out today supported by my Havana cane, which is a necessity in my present infirmity, and which I never carry without a remembrance of that day when I seized it."

The cane was bequeathed to the old slave at his master's death, and he used to stump proudly about the town as long as he lived leaning upon "Massa Putnam's cane." It afterward became the property of the general's great grandson, and then was presented to a member of the Norwich Morning Bulletin Editorial staff, I understood.

More About ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Baptism: February 02, 1717/18, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

Burial: June 01, 1790

Cause of Death: inflammatory disease

Title: Major-General

Children of HANNAH POPE and ISRAEL PUTNAM are:

- i. ISRAEL<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. January 28, 1739/40, Danvers, Massachusetts; d. March 07, 1812, Belpre, Ohio; m. SARAH WALDO, 1764.

Notes for ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Colonel Israel Putnam spent his boyhood, as most boys of his time, on the farm, only receiving such education as the country schools afforded, but of which he made good use.

When his father hastened to Cambridge in 1775, Israel raised a company of volunteers and joined the army shortly after, where he remained under his father's orders until the arrival of Washington.

Upon the appointment of Colonel Israel Putnam as Major-General, Captain Israel Putnam was appointed an aide (22 July). In this capacity he served on the Hudson, but after three years' service he retired to his farm. During the time he was in the Army he acquitted himself with distinction.

When the Ohio company was formed, Colonel Israel Putnam joined the company, and, with two of his sons, crossed the mountains with a wagon load of farming utensils. Mrs. Putnam remained on the farm at Pomfret. At the formation of the settlement at Belfre, Colonel Putnam settled there, devoted himself to clearing a farm, and in 1790 he returned to Connecticut to bring out his family. During his absence from Ohio the Indian War broke out, which delayed his return for five years.

At Belpre, he took a leading part in the affairs of the community, and his wealth which, though not great, was greatly in excess of that of most of his neighbors, enabled him to introduce many improvements. In church affairs he was prominent, being an earnest Episcopalian, and often read the services for the church.

As a farmer he was constantly on the lookout for means to improve his stock and was the means of introducing in Ohio a fine breed of cattle by crossing with imported stock, obtained during the Revolution.

"Colonel Putnam was a man of sound, vigorous mind, and remarkable for his plain common sense; abrupt and homely in his manner and address, but perfectly honest and upright in his intercourse with mankind."

More About ISRAEL PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: Episcopalian

Baptism: June 08, 1740, Danvers, Massachusetts

Occupation: farmer  
Title: Colonel

- ii. DAVID PUTNAM, b. March 10, 1741/42, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1743-1832.

Notes for DAVID PUTNAM:  
David Putnam died young.

- iii. HANNAH PUTNAM, b. August 25, 1744, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. April 03, 1821; m. JOHN WINCHESTER DANA, October 26, 1764.

Notes for JOHN WINCHESTER DANA:

John Wichester Dana removed, in 1773, to the grant which Governor Wentworth had made to his father in the New Hampshire Grants in 1761. The new town was called Pomfret. Here he became prominent in the affairs of town and state. Representative in the legislature in 1878, '80, '81, '92, and a member of constitutional convention of 1777.

- iv. ELIZABETH PUTNAM, b. March 20, 1746/47, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1748-1841.

Notes for ELIZABETH PUTNAM:  
Elizabeth Putnam died young.

- v. MEHITABLE PUTNAM, b. October 21, 1749, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. November 28, 1789; m. DANIEL TYLER, 1771.

Notes for MEHITABLE PUTNAM:

Mehitable Putnam married, 1771, Captain Daniel Tyler, of Brooklyn, Connecticut, an aide-de-camp of General Israel Putnam (her father) at Bunker Hill. Captain Tyler was born 1750, died 29 April, 1832.

Captain Tyler was son of Daniel Tyler who was born at Groton, 22 February, 1701 ; died 20 February, 1802, aged 100 years 11 months 26 days.

Children:

667 Mary b. d. 12 June, 1832

668 Pascal Paola b. 15 May, 1774 m. Betsey Baker

Children:

Caroline E. m. Hulings Cowperthwait of Philadelphia

Daniel Putnam m. Emily C. Tyler, his cousin lawyer in Brooklyn, formerly Secretary of State

Mary B. m. James Holbrook of Brooklyn, Conn.

669 Daniel P. b. d. 18 Jan., 1798 @ 21 Years

669a Septimus b. d. 26 May, 1782 @ 2 Yrs. 8 mos.

670 William P. b. 7 Oct., 1781 d. 2 Dec., 1859 m. 1 Jan., 1809, Waty, dau. of Nathan and Hannah (Putnam) #976 Williams of Canterbury, Conn. They lived a few years at Warner, Vt., but returned to Brooklyn.

Children:

Hannah Putnam b. 15 Mar., d. 30 Jan., 1892 m. 14 July, 1840, David Gilmur of Elizabeth, N.J.

Elizabeth b. 19 Oct., 1809 d. 29 Apr., 1839 unmarried

Maria Cordelia b. 3 Sept., 1811 d. 1 Mar., 1882 m. 11 Sept., 1832, John Gallup, 3d, of Brooklyn, at one time general manager of Lake Shore R.R.

Emily Cecilia b. 3 Sept., 1811 d. 13 Feb., 1869 m. Daniel P. Tyler (above) #669 she was Maria Cordelia twin

Waty Williams b. 27 Aug., 1814 m. 30 May, 1842, Rev. Benjamin Howe b. 3 Nov., 1807 of Ipswich, d. Hudson, N.H.

Children:

Homer b. 16 Aug., 1848, Wells, Me. of Hudson N.H.

Cecil Putnam b. 8 Nov., 1857 d. 13 Feb., 1866

William P. b. 7 July, 1815 d. 10 Sept., 1816

William Williams b. 30 July, d. 27 Jan., 1865 m. 22 Jan., 1855, Joanna Farrington

671 Betsy b. 18 June, 1784 m. \_\_\_\_\_ Eldredge of Warren, Vt.

Children:

Betsey

Frederick

Daniel

Lucretia

Edward

Lucy

672 Septimus d. 17 Sept., 1817 @ 27 Years on passage home from St. Domingo, on board the frigate Congress. He was commercial agent of U.S. at the Island of St. Domingo

Captain Daniel, married second, Sarah, widow of Deacon Benjamin Chaplin. She was a granddaughter of President Jonathan Edwards and a sister of Aaron Burr's wife.

Children:

Sally b. 29 May, 1791 d. Nov., 1857 m. Rev. Sam'l P. Williams of Newburyport, Mass.

Frederic b. 5 July, 1795 d. at Hartford, Conn. @ 85

m. Sarah Sharp of Abington, Conn. and was father of Gen. Robert O. Tyler, U.S.A.

Edwin b. 5 Jan., 1794 d. 4 Aug., 1838 m. 1st, Alla Mary Edwards d. 22 Sept., 1833 @ 34

m. 2nd

Gen. Daniel P., was of the late war

He married thrice and had 21 children ; at the time of his death there were living 6 children, 50 grandchildren and 120 great- grandchildren.

Three of the sons of Captain Tyler graduated at West Point ; Septimus, Edwin and Daniel.

Notes for DANIEL TYLER:

Captain Daniel Tyler was an aid-de-camp of General Israel Putnam at Bunker Hill.

More About DANIEL TYLER:

Title: Captain

- vi. MARY PUTNAM, b. May 10, 1753, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1798-1848; m. SAMUEL WALDO, WFT Est. 1766-1794.

Notes for SAMUEL WALDO:

Samuel Waldo was a descendant of Deacon Cornelius Waldo, of Chelmsford, Massachusetts.

- vii. EUNICE PUTNAM, b. January 10, 1756, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. June 27, 1799; m. (1) LEMUEL GROSVENOR, WFT Est. 1771-1792; m. (2) ELISHA AVERY, WFT Est. 1768-1792.

Notes for LEMUEL GROSVENOR:

Two more children were born, however died in infancy.

More About LEMUEL GROSVENOR:

Title: Brigider General

- viii. DANIEL PUTNAM, b. November 18, 1759, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. April 30, 1831, Pomfret, Connecticut; m. CATHERINE HUTCHINSON, September 02, 1782, Boston, Massachusetts.

Notes for DANIEL PUTNAM:

Daniel Putnam was a farmer on a very large scale in Brooklyn, Connecticut. He was an earnest supporter of the Protestant Episcopal church.

More About DANIEL PUTNAM:

Admitted Church: Protestant Episcopal Church

Occupation: farmer

More About CATHERINE HUTCHINSON:

Title: Brooklyn, Connecticut

- ix. DAVID PUTNAM, b. October 14, 1761, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. WFT Est. 1762-1851.  
x. PETER SCHUYLER PUTNAM, b. December 31, 1764, Pomfret, Connecticut; d. September 1827; m. LUCY FRINK, July 1785.

Notes for PETER SCHUYLER PUTNAM:

Peter Schuyler Putnam was landlord of the Mansion House at Williamstown. It was at his home in Pomfret, Connecticut, that General Israel Putnam lived during the last years of his life and died.

**228.** RUTH<sup>24</sup> FLINT (*RUTH<sup>23</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>22</sup>, JOHN<sup>21</sup>, JOHN<sup>20</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>19</sup>, JOHN<sup>18</sup>, RICHARD<sup>17</sup> PUTNAM, JOHN<sup>16</sup> PUTTENHAM, JOHN<sup>15</sup>, RICHARD<sup>14</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, ROGER<sup>13</sup>, ROGER<sup>12</sup>, JOHN<sup>11</sup>, JOHN FITZ WALE<sup>10</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS<sup>8</sup> WALE, SIR, RICHARD FITZ<sup>7</sup>, HENRY FITZ<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD FITZ<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> DE PUTTENHAM, GEOFFREY<sup>3</sup> DE TURVILLE, ROGER<sup>2</sup>, ANSCHITIL<sup>1</sup>*) was born January 14, 1723/24, and died WFT Est. 1755-1818. She married ARCHELAUS PUTNAM December 04, 1740, son of JAMES PUTNAM and RUTH HATHORNE.

Notes for RUTH FLINT:

Daughter of Captain Samuel and Ruth (Putnam) Flint.

Notes for ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:

Archelaus Putnam was ensign in 1760 and lieutenant in 1770. He was one of the selectman of Danvers at the outbreak of the Revolution and was often chosen to fill such minor offices as surveyor of highways, etc.; he was frequently chosen moderator of the town meetings and presided with great dignity and impartiality.

The period from 1760 to 1775, was one of constant agitation, on the one hand for a more liberal government of the colonies, and on the other a determined effort by the merchants and government of England to force the American trade into such channels as they willed. The gentry of the colony were uniformly loyal to the crown as well as patriotic.

That men of wealth and position did not join in the popular hue and cry, is not to be wondered at, whether their sympathies were with or against the popular party. Nearly all true-spirited colonists desired to be treated fairly but men of education perceived the great power of Great Britain and did not believe that violent measures would be successful, and therefore held aloof from the popular demonstrations.

Governor Hutchinson upon his departure for England was presented with addresses from the principal people of the colony, for although accused of subserviency to the home government and of attempting to overthrow the liberty of his countrymen, yet those who enjoyed his confidence knew how false such statements were. As a token of esteem and as an act of courtesy, these addresses were signed by the principal merchants and gentlemen of Boston, Salem, and elsewhere. Among the signers were the brothers Ebenezer, Archelaus and James Putnam. The signers were later stigmatized as Hutchinson "Addresses" and all manner of vile calumnies thrown at them by the people and press of that period. In deed, so hot became the popular feeling that in many places it became necessary for those who had innocently signed, to withdraw their signatures publicly. This was done by the following Salem gentlemen on 30th of May, 1775, John Nutting, N. Goodale, Ebenezer Putnam, Francis Cabot, N. Sparhawk, Andrew Dalglish, E.A. Holyoke, William Pynchon, Thomas Barnard (the patriotic minister who so widely advised Leslie at the North bridge, that bloodshed was averted), Nathaniel Dabney, William Pickman, C. Gayton Pickman (lived opposite Dr. Putnam). These gentlemen declared that in affixing their signatures to the address given below, they did so with the best intentions, and they state "that we were so far from designing by that action, to show our acquiescence in those acts of Parliament so universally and justly odious to all America, that on the contrary, he hoped we might in that way contribute to their repeal . . . and our serious determination is to promote to the utmost of our power, the liberty, the welfare, and happiness of our country."

That this statement was made on the 30th May, 1775, almost one year later than the date of the address, June 11, 1774, is in itself significant. In 1774, the feeling of a personal loyalty to the Crown was nearly universal and this deep respect for King George did not disappear till after blood had been shed. In 1775, the feelings of a great many of the signers had changed, for the effect of the battle of Lexington was like that caused by the fall of Sumpter. The addresses which were presented to the departing Governor were very like in their phraseology, merely expressing regret at the difficulties under which he left the country, wishes for his future welfare, and prayer that he would attempt, in some measure, to relieve the colonies of the troubles then prevalent. These moderate expressions of courtesy so inflamed the passions of the people that mills were burnt, property of all kinds destroyed, if belonging to the hated "Tories," themselves tarred and feathered, "smoked" out of house and home and finally in many cases driven to Boston for protection. Thus the colony in its need lost its best brain and blood, for probably not one in ten of the refugees was so from choice. Some few remained at home and after the first outburst of mob fury were left alone.

Will made 18 June, 1784, proved 2 August, 1785, son Archelaus executor; to grandchildren, Fanny Perley, Nancy Perley, Francis Perley and Ebenezer Putnam Perley.

More About ARCHELAUS PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 14, 1721, North Parish, Danvers, Massachusetts

Will dated: June 18, 1784

Will proved: August 02, 1785

Children of RUTH FLINT and ARCHELAUS PUTNAM are:

- i. EBENEZER<sup>25</sup> PUTNAM, b. Abt. April 1742, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1743-1832.

More About EBENEZER PUTNAM:

Baptism: May 02, 1742

506. ii. ARCHELAUS PUTNAM, b. Abt. November 1744, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. 1800, Danvers, Massachusetts.  
iii. JAMES PUTNAM, b. Abt. August 1747, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1748-1837.

More About JAMES PUTNAM:

Baptism: August 09, 1747

- iv. MARY PUTNAM, b. Abt. March 1747/48, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1749-1842.

More About MARY PUTNAM:

Baptism: March 20, 1747/48

- v. EBENEZER PUTNAM, b. Abt. April 1750, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. WFT Est. 1751-1840.

More About EBENEZER PUTNAM:

Baptism: April 08, 1750

507. vi. RUTH PUTNAM, b. Abt. January 1751/52, Salem Village, Massachusetts; d. Abt. January 1784.