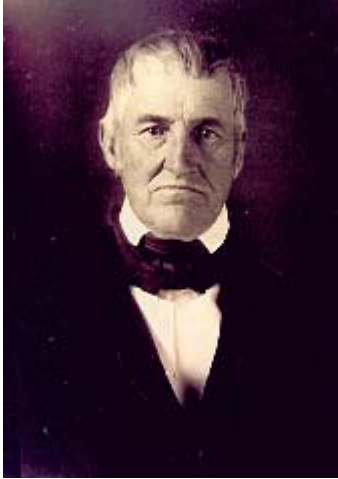

Descendants of Samuel Souther, Sr.

(Green Line)

Generation One



1. Samuel¹ **SOUTHER Sr.**; b. 17 Sep 1787 in Concord, New Hampshire;^{1,2,3} m. Mary **WEBSTER**, daughter of John **WEBSTER** and Mary **STERLING**, 1809 in Maine;^{4,5} d. 9 Jan 1856 in Fryeburg, Maine, at age 68.^{6,7}

Samuel carried on his trade as Hatter until he opened the "Temperance House," a large colonial house on Portland Street. On his death, his son, John Webster **SOUTHER** occupied it until the early 1870s when it was sold to George H. **ABBOTT**.

Samuel and his wife and children, Sarah and Thomas are buried in Pine Grove Cemetery, Section 2, Lot 102, Fryeburg, Maine.

Mary **WEBSTER** was born on 26 Aug 1789.^{8,9} She died on 12 Jul 1856 in Fryeburg, Maine, at age 66.^{10,11}

The six known children of Samuel¹ **SOUTHER Sr.** and Mary **WEBSTER** were as follows:

- i. Mary² **SOUTHER**; b. circa 1813. Mary died in infancy.
- 2 ii. John Webster **SOUTHER**, b. 28 Apr 1815 in Fryeburg, Maine; m. Kerenhappuck **CAMERON**.
- iii. Thomas **SOUTHER**; b. 12 Jul 1816 in Fryeburg, Maine;¹² d. 23 May 1856 in Fryeburg, Maine, at age 39.^{13,14} Thomas represented Fryeburg as a member of the Oxford County Agricultural Society. He was a graduate of Dartmouth.

¹George Howard Souther, *Memoranda Relating to Nathaniel Souther the First Secretary of Plymouth Colony and the Descendants of Joseph Souther of Boston*, ([indexed by Richard Dennis Souther in 1991] (Springfield, IL: H. W. Rokker, 1886), p. 34. Hereinafter cited as Memoranda.

²Matthew Adams Stickney, *Stickney Family: A Genealogical Memoir of the Descendants of William and Elizabeth Stickney, from 1637 to 1869*, (Salem, MA: Essex Institute Press, 1869), p. 455. Hereinafter cited as Stickney.

³World Wide Web, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>

⁴Souther, *Memoranda*, p. 34.

⁵Stickney, *Stickney*, p. 455.

⁶*Boston Transcript*, (Boston, MA), dated 28 Jan 1856 (Boston Athenaeum); New England Historic Genealogical Society Library. Hereinafter cited as BT.

⁷Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>.

⁸Manuscript of Mary Francis (Towle) Souther, p. 5, John Souther Hartford's Personal Library. Hereinafter cited as MF(T)S.

⁹Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>.

¹⁰MF(T)S, p. 5.

¹¹Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>.

¹²MF(T)S, p. 5.

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- 3 iv. Samuel L. **SOUTHER** Jr, b. 26 Feb 1819 in Fryeburg, Maine; m. Mary Francis **TOWLE**.
4 v. Georgianna **SOUTHER**, b. 26 Feb 1828 in Oxford, Grafton, New Hampshire; m. George
Bradley **BARROWS**.
vi. Sarah **SOUTHER**; b. May 1859;¹⁵ d. 27 Aug 1860 at age 1.¹⁶ (I'm not so positive this is a
child of Samuel and Mary - the birth is after the father has passed away).

Generation Two

2. John Webster² **SOUTHER** (*Samuel*¹); b. 28 Apr 1815 in Fryeburg, Maine;¹⁷ m. Kerenhappuck **CAMERON**, daughter of Judge **CAMERON**, 21 Jan 1843 in Fryeburg, Maine;¹⁸ d. 12 Nov 1878 at age 63.¹⁹ In a document found in the Maine Historical Society in Portland, Maine, describes John W. **SOUTHER** of Fryburg taking on a 14 year old pauper boy of Portland as an farmer apprentice. The document reads in part:

".....do put, place and bind out John **SMITH** chargable as a Pauper in Portland as an Apprentice to John W. **SOUTHER** of Fryburgh to learn the art, trade or mystery of a Farmer, the said John after the manner of an Apprentice, to dwell with and serve the said **SOUTHER** from the day of the date hereof, until the fourteenth day of May, which willbe in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight, at which time the said apprentice, if he be living, will be twenty one years of age.

And for the said **SOUTHER** on his part, doth hereby promise, covenant, and agree to teach and instruct the said apprentice, or cause him to be taught and instructed in the art, trade or calling of a Farmer by the best way or means he can; and also to teach and instruct the said apprentice, or cause him to be taught and instructed, to read and write and cypher if the said appentice be capable to learn; and shall well and faithfully find and provide for the said apprentice, good and sufficient meat, drink, clothing, lodging and other necessaries fit and convenient for such an apprentice, during the term aforesaid, and at tht expiration thereof, shall give unto the said apprentice, two suits of new wearing apparel, one suitable for Lord's days and the other for working days and fifty dollars in money.

In Testimony Whereof, the said parties have hereunto interchangeable set their hands and seals, the ninth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one....."

It can be assumed that this John **SMITH** was born on 14 May 1837.

John, his wife and children: Harriet, Lucius and Thomas are buried in Pine Grove Cemetery, Section 2, Lot 102, Fryeburg, Maine.

Kerenhappuck **CAMERON** was born on 28 Nov 1820.²⁰ She died on 8 Jan 1896 in Maine at age 75.²¹ She was also known as Kerenhaffauch **CAMERON**. She was also known as Katherine **CAMERON**.

The seven known children of John Webster² **SOUTHER** and Kerenhappuck **CAMERON** were as follows:

¹³Ibid.

¹⁴Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>.

¹⁵Ibid.

¹⁶Ibid.

¹⁷MF(T)S, p. 5.

¹⁸*International Genealogical Index*, (Salt Lake City, UT: Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints),1992, Maine, p. 22014. Hereinafter cited as IGI.

¹⁹Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>.

²⁰Ibid.

²¹Ibid.

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- i. Lucius³ **SOUTHER**; b. Jan 1841;²² d. 23 Aug 1845 at age 4.²³
 - ii. Marianna **SOUTHER**; b. 20 Dec 1845 in Fryeburg, Maine;²⁴ m. John W. **ODLIN**, son of Woodbridge **ODLIN** and Abby P. **COMSTOCK**, Dec 1867 in Fryeburg, Maine;²⁵ d. 1871 in Concord, New Hampshire.²⁶ Mariana and John had a son who died in infancy.
 - iii. Susan Chase **SOUTHER**; b. 4 Dec 1847 in Fryeburg, Maine;²⁷ m. Caleb A. **PAGE**, son of Philip **PAGE** and Harriet **MOODY**, 18 Mar 1874 in York, Maine;^{28,29} d. 1885 in Fryeburg, Maine.^{30,31} Susan's husband, Caleb, was the Principal of Methuen High School in Methuen, Massachusetts. Susan is buried in Pine Grove Cemetery, Section 2, Lot 102 in Fryeburg, Maine.
 - 5 iv. John Cameron **SOUTHER**, b. 4 Aug 1850 in Fryeburg, Maine; m. Isabella M. **CRAWFORD**.
 - v. Harriet **SOUTHER**; b. 9 Jul 1852 in Fryeburg, Maine;³² d. 22 Aug 1852.³³ Harriet died in infancy.
 - 6 vi. William **SOUTHER**, b. 2 Feb 1854 in Fryeburg, Maine; m. Mabel Graham **MacINTOSH**.
 - vii. Thomas A. **SOUTHER**; b. 4 Jan 1856 in Fryeburg, Maine;³⁴ d. 1902 in Walla Walla, Washington.³⁵
3. Samuel L.² **SOUTHER** Jr. (*Samuel*); b. 26 Feb 1819 in Fryeburg, Maine;³⁶ m. Mary Francis **TOWLE**, daughter of Doctor Ira Clark **TOWLE** and Sarah **CLEMENT**, 29 Jun 1847 in Fryeburg, Maine;³⁷ d. 6 May 1864 in Wilderness, Spotsylvania, Virginia, at age 45.^{38,39}

²²Ibid.

²³Ibid.

²⁴*Mayflower Application for Arthur Fuller Souther, General #38,353 and State #1,556*, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**. Hereinafter cited as Mayflower-AFS.

²⁵Manuscript of David Latham Stevens, Author's Personal Library. Hereinafter cited as DLS.

²⁶Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

²⁷Ibid.

²⁸Mayflower-AFS.

²⁹Lynn M. Case and Page Sanderson, *Family of John Page of Haverhill, Massachusetts: A Comprehensive Genealogy From 1614 to 1977*, (Baltimore, MD: Gateway Press, Inc., 1978). Hereinafter cited as Page.

³⁰Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

³¹Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <<http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>>.

³²Ibid.

³³Ibid.

³⁴Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

³⁵Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <<http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>>.

³⁶Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

³⁷MF(T)S, p. 28.

³⁸Massachusetts Vital Records, MA Archives, Dorchester, MA, Deaths, Volume 176, p. 339, #773 (recorded in Worcester, MA), Massachusetts Archives. Hereinafter cited as MA-MA Archives-VR.

³⁹Adjutant General, *Massachusetts Soldiers, Sailors and Marines in the Civil War*, (Norwood, MA: Norwood Press, 1931), Volume IV, p. 829. Hereinafter cited as MA Soldiers/Sailors/Marines.

Samuel was a graduate of Dartmouth College and Bangor Theological Seminary and for a time was pastor of the Congregational Church at Belfast, Maine. Prior to his enlistment, he was a Chaplain of the Penal and Charitable Institutions of Worcester, MA. He also served in the General Court and was much respected and loved.



A centennial celebration of the settlement of Fryeburg and neighborhood took place 20 Aug 1863. Among the many speakers was Reverend Samuel **SOUTHER**, a native of Fryeburg, now living in Worcester. He delivered a historical address at that celebration.

Samuel can be found attending the funeral of a 17 month old child, who had died of cholera infantum; Henry A. **HILTON** at Belfast, Maine on 23 Aug 1848. He had been standing in for Reverend Edward F. **CUTTER**.

Samuel enlisted as a Private of the Civil War on 25 Nov 1863, mustered 4 Jan 1864. He was the Chaplain of the 57th Regiment of the Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry in the War of the Rebellion and was killed by a shell at the Battle of the Wilderness in Virginia on 6 May 1864. He was by then, a 1st Sergeant in Company B.

Samuel was a man of high personal character and a devoted Christian of strong religious convictions which he consistently maintained and he never allowed anything to interfere with his religious duties. He believed it to be his Christian duty to enlist in the army for the defense of his country and sealed his devotion to it by his blood. He was a noble, honorable and true-hearted man.

The following poem was written about Reverend Samuel SOUTHER, taken from *The Fifty-Seventh Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers in the War of the Rebellion, Army of the Potomac*, by Captain John Anderson, U.S. Army, (E. B. Stillings & Company, Printers, 55 Sudbury Street, Boston, Massachusetts, 1896), from the collection of the Bostonian Society, Boston, MA, p. 54.

In Memory of
REVEREND SAMUEL SOUTHER
Who Fell in the Battle of the Wilderness
May 6th, 1864.

He laid his civic honors down. And girded for the fight, Careless of place or high renown. But zealous for the right.	The Battle of the Wilderness, 'Twas there he, fighting, fell; And still is there his resting-place, But the spot there's none to tell.
He asked not sword or shoulder- knot His sacrifice to grace; He chose to the common soldier's lot. Within the ranks his place.	No sepulture by mortal hands Was his; no chiselled stone In honor of his memory stands. He sleeps with God Alone. Of all the throng of martyred ones,
One month of drill, then to the front. The peer of veterans there;	None purer fell than he; Ah, happy country, when thy sons Like Souther die for thee.
One month, and then the fiery brunt Of battle, his to bear.	

CHARLES E. STEVENS

<http://carver.holycross.edu/~bbatty/worcester/military/cw/mortalities.html>

Rev. Samuel Souther, a native of Fryeburg, Me., graduate of Dartmouth, 1842, and of the Bangor Theological Seminary, came to Worcester in 1857 and became city missionary and chaplain at the jail and insane asylum. He had previously been minister of the Congregational Church at Belfast, Me., and agent of the American Sunday School Union. In 1863-4, he was representative from this city. He was indefatigable in the work of enlisting men for the service, speaking at war meetings, before and after his own enlistment in the 57th, in which he served as sergeant. He was killed in the Wilderness and his body was never found.

Testament of Reverend Samuel Souther & family for support of John Brown

**It is the Second of December 1859.
The hour is quarter to Twelve, the time appointed for
The Execution of **John Brown**.**

For near two hours the tolling of the Bells has been speaking our sorrow, our horror at the deed.

This record is made to keep alive the memory of the count & to deeper in our hearts the loathing we feel towards that hateful system of oppression & iniquity American Slavery

And here we pledge to one another before our God who hath taught us to do justly and love mercy as well as to walk humbly before him, over undying sympathy for the oppressed. We will endeavor henceforth to remember these in bonds as bound with them and will do everything in our power to secure to them the rights which God confess upon every rational human being, the right to life, Liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

This we promise. God help us to perform it.

Samuel Souther	Anna B. Souther
	Willie T. Souther
Mary F. T. Souther	Sam Adams Souther

Mary Francis **TOWLE** was born on 9 Aug 1825 in Fryeburg, Maine.^{40,41} She died on 28 Feb 1926 in Cleveland, Cuyahuga, Ohio, at age 100.^{42,43} Mary can be found as member #79508 of the Daughters of the American Revolution in lineage book Volume 80, p. 184 as being the great grand-daughter of Private Simeon **TOWLE** who served in Captain Henry **ELKIN**'s company, 1775, stationed at Pierce's Island. He signed the Association Text, 1776, in Hampton, NH where he was born.

Willis K. **HEATH**, a 23 year old Clerk at a Wire Mill, born in Maine; Richard W. **GREEN**, an 18 year old student born in Maine and a 23 year old servant, Margaret **McPATTLAND**, born in Ireland were recorded as living with Mary and three of her children when the 1880 Federal Census for Massachusetts was enumerated.

In an undated (what appears to be from a Cleveland newspaper) is a clipping of an obituary:

"MARY FRANCES (TOWLE) SOUTHER

Mary Frances (Towle) **SOUTHER**, daughter of Dr. Ira and Mrs. **TOWLE** of Fryeburg and wife of the late Samuel **SOUTHER** of Worcester, Mass., died in Cleveland, Ohio, February 28, after a long period of infirmity from pneumonia. The funeral and burial was in Lake View Cemetery Cleveland, Tuesday March 1.

Mrs. **SOUTHER**, though a native of Fryeburg, and for sometime after her marriage to Rev. Samuel **SOUTHER**, a resident of Fryeburg Village, will be known to few persons of the present in that locality as the greater part of her

⁴⁰MF(T)S, p. 27.

⁴¹Ruth Bridges Ayers, *Early Families of Newfield, Maine*, (Camden, ME: Penobscot Press, 1995), p. 691. Hereinafter cited as Newfield, ME.

⁴²Telephone Conversation, , with John Souther HARTFORD, Sr. - 1 Aug 1997 Hereinafter cited as TC.

⁴³*Obituary*, unidentified of March 1926 (Worcester Historical Society); Author's Personal Library.

life was spent in Worcester, Mass. Three sons and three daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. **SOUTHER** and only the oldest daughter, Mrs. Annie B. S. **CHANDLER**, survives, now living in Pomfret Centre with her son. A number of grandchildren are living in different places.

Rev. Samuel **SOUTHER**, son of Samuel and Mary (**WEBSTER**) **SOUTHER** of Fryeburg, a graduate of Dartmouth College, '42 and of Bangor Theological Seminary, went from Worcester into the United States Volunteers in 1863, and was lost in the Battle of the Wilderness, May 6, 1864. Mrs. **SOUTHER** continued to live in Worcester and brought up her children to useful service and prosperous lives. Her declining years were spent in Cleveland with her son, John I. **SOUTHER**, and her daughter, Mrs. Abbie C. F. S. **FULLER**, during their lives. Since their deaths Mrs. **SOUTHER** has been an invalid, but retained her mental powers to a remarkable degree of ability. A thorough student and a wide an intelligent reader, Mrs. **SOUTHER** early inspired her children with the importance of education, and she lived to see them all fortunate in the possession. Mrs. **SOUTHER** was always interested in current affairs, but found time during the later years of her life to engage in literary work for her own information and amusement, writing a *History of England*, among other works of a literary nature.

Mrs. **SOUTHER** was always a loyal daughter of Fryeburg and visited the ancestral home and near relatives almost every summer during the youth of her children; visiting her brother Dr. William C. **TOWLE**; her sister, Mrs. Abby **WARRINER**; and her husband's brother and sister, John W. **SOUTHER**, and Mrs. Georgianna S. **BARROWS**.

In Fryeburg she was often joined by her younger sister, Mrs. A. S. **BRADLEY** of Chicago, who survives her, now living with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. **ATWOOD** of Worcester. Mrs. **SOUTHER** always enjoyed the reunions with her sister Abby and her sister-in-law Georgianna, and they being of near ages and of active minds and bodies, were known among themselves, and so recognized by the members of their families as "The Southers Three." Mrs. **SOUTHER** was the last survivor of this trio for many years. Passing away at the advanced age of 101 years and several months, her last annivaersary being August 9, 1926. She had out-lived all her associates and will be remembered by only a few of the generations since.

The nine known children of Samuel L.² **SOUTHER** Jr. and Mary Francis **TOWLE** were as follows:

- 7 i. Anna Blanchard³ **SOUTHER**, b. 9 Apr 1848 in Belfast, Waldo, Maine; m. David Wilson **POND**; m. William Erasmus **CHANDLER**.
- 8 ii. William Towle **SOUTHER**, b. 7 Mar 1850 in Belfast, Waldo, Maine; m. Elizabeth E. **NEWLAND**.
- iii. Samuel Adams **SOUTHER**; b. 29 Feb 1852 in Belfast, Waldo, Maine;^{44,45} m. Clara R. **BAILEY** 28 May 1883;^{46,47} d. 5 May 1898 at age 46.⁴⁸ When the 1880 Federal Census for Arizona was enumerated, Samuel was residing with many other people in Miami, Pinal County, Arizona and occupation listed as a Machinist. He was of Bay Shore, Long Island, NY.
- 9 iv. Abigail Clement **SOUTHER**, b. 12 Aug 1854 in Fryeburg, Maine; m. Willard **FULLER**.
- 10 v. Mariana **SOUTHER**, b. 19 May 1857 in Worcester, Massachusetts; m. Charles Raynes **WHITTIER**.
- vi. Mary S. **SOUTHER**; b. circa 1858 in Belfast, Waldo, Maine.⁴⁹ Mary died in infancy.
- vii. Sarah **SOUTHER**; b. 11 Jun 1859 in Worcester, Massachusetts;⁵⁰ d. 27 Aug 1860 in Fryeburg, Maine, at age 1.⁵¹

⁴⁴Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER** &.

⁴⁵MF(T)S, p. 6.

⁴⁶Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER** &.

⁴⁷MF(T)S, p. 6.

⁴⁸Ibid., p. 28.

⁴⁹Souther, *Memoranda*.

⁵⁰MA-MA Archives-VR, Births, Volume 125, p. 266, #519.

⁵¹MF(T)S, p. 81.

- 11 viii. John Ira **SOUTHER**, b. 25 Feb 1861 in Worcester, Massachusetts; m. Kate Amelia **FULLER**.
ix. Mary F. **SOUTHER**; b. circa 1864 in Belfast, Waldo, Maine.⁵² Mary died in infancy.

4. Georgianna² **SOUTHER** (*Samuel*); b. 26 Feb 1828 in Oxford, Grafton, New Hampshire;⁵³ m. George Bradley **BARROWS**, son of John Stuart **BARROWS** Esq., 12 Jun 1855 in Fryeburg, Maine;^{54,55} d. 8 Feb 1914 in Fryeburg, Maine, at age 85.⁵⁶ Georgianna and George's marriage was recorded in Boston, Massachusetts.

She was an instructor at the Freehold Young Ladies' Seminary, Freehold, New Jersey. She is listed in the school catalogs as Georgianna **SOUTHER**, an English teacher for the years 1845 to 1847, and for 1852 to 1853. Her brother, Thomas was principal of the Freehold Academy in 1848.

Georgianna, her husband and their children are all buried in Pine Grove Cemetery, Section 2, Lot 118 in Fryeburg, Maine.

George Bradley **BARROWS** was born on 22 Dec 1822.⁵⁷ He died on 29 Jan 1904 at age 81.⁵⁸

The four known children of Georgianna² **SOUTHER** and George Bradley **BARROWS** were as follows:

- i. Grace³ **BARROWS**; b. 22 Apr 1856;⁵⁹ d. 16 Dec 1861 at age 5.⁶⁰
- ii. Anna **BARROWS**; b. 24 May 1861;⁶¹ d. 11 Feb 1948 at age 86.⁶²
- iii. John Stuart **BARROWS**; b. 31 Mar 1865;⁶³ d. 14 Nov 1943 at age 78.⁶⁴ John was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, Member #8943 as great grandson of John **SOUTHER** and Mary **STICKNEY** and great grandson of Colonel Thomas **STICKNEY** of the Eleventh New Hampshire Regiment.
- iv. Mary **BARROWS**; b. 22 Nov 1869;⁶⁵ d. 2 Nov 1956 at age 86.⁶⁶

⁵²Souther, *Memoranda*, p. 35.

⁵³Ibid., p. 34 & IGI.

⁵⁴Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

⁵⁵Donald L. McAllister and Lucille E. Naas, *Marriage Returns of Oxford County, Maine Prior to 1892*, (Camden, ME: Picton Press, 1993), p. 106. Hereinafter cited as Oxford Marriages.

⁵⁶Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <<http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>>.

⁵⁷Ibid.

⁵⁸Ibid.

⁵⁹Ibid.

⁶⁰Ibid.

⁶¹Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

⁶²Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <<http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>>.

⁶³Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

⁶⁴Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <<http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>>.

⁶⁵Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

⁶⁶Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <<http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>>.

Generation Three

5. John Cameron³ **SOUTHER** (*John Webster², Samuel¹*); b. 4 Aug 1850 in Fryeburg, Maine;⁶⁷ m. Isabella M. **CRAWFORD**, daughter of Mariah **WEST**, 16 May 1876 in Cambridge, Massachusetts.⁶⁸

Isabella M. **CRAWFORD** was born in Aug 1856 in Halifax, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada.^{69,70} She died on 26 Sep 1938 in Boston, Massachusetts, at age 82.⁷¹ In 1900, Isabella was residing at 151 West Canton Street, in Boston with Lodger, Susan W. **ADAMS**. Isabella was a Non-Resident.

The informant for Isabella's death was Edw. A. **RICHARDSON**, a cousin.

The only known child of John Cameron³ **SOUTHER** and Isabella M. **CRAWFORD** was:

- i. William Stewart^r **SOUTHER**; b. 18 Jun 1877 in Cambridge, Massachusetts;⁷² d. 16 May 1879 in Boston, Massachusetts, at age 1.⁷³ William died of acute meningitis at his parents residence at 7 Temple Street.

6. William³ **SOUTHER** (*John Webster², Samuel¹*); b. 2 Feb 1854 in Fryeburg, Maine;⁷⁴ m. Mabel Graham **MacINTOSH**, daughter of Charles **MacINTOSH**, 1892.

William **Souther**, one of the best known of the old settlers of western Nebraska, is a business man of more than ordinary capacity. He has conducted numerous large enterprises during his career and is possessed of wide experience and a character of the highest integrity. He has done a great deal toward making the town of Crawford what it is today, aiding in every manner possible in promoting its commercial development and is one of the solid and substantial citizens of Dawes county.

Mr. **Souther** was born in Fryeburg, Maine, in 1854 of old American stock, his father having been John W. **Souther**, a lumberman of that country and his mother Miss Katherine **Cameron** from Vermont. Our subject grew up in his native state as a young man attending Bowdoin College for some time at Brunswick, Maine and is an alumnus of the different literary societies there. After completing his education he went into the lumber woods of Maine where he spent ten years, also did farming and for a year was in the Wisconsin lumber districts. In the spring of 1883 he went west to Oregon and Washington, where he engaged in the sheep business and spent three years in that region. In the spring of 1886 he became superintendent for the New Hampshire Cattle Company and ranched with them up to 1893, this being all cattle business. He next became interested in the mercantile business in Crawford and also in Lusk, Wyoming and while at the latter place was in Partnership with John H. **Barron**, the two building a syndicate block in Crawford and for three years were extensively engaged in the mercantile work. In 1891 they were burned out at Crawford and lost a large amount of money, then for a time Mr. **Souther** was associated with the firm of *Pratt & Ferris*, a large cattle concern with headquarters at Big Red, Wyoming and at the same time was interested in the sheep business in that state. Mr. **Souther** has made Crawford his home town more or less ever since coming west and that city claims him as one of their leading men. He has a large ranch near Crawford, one thousand three

⁶⁷Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

⁶⁸MA-MA Archives-VR, Marriages, Volume 281, p. 53.

⁶⁹1900 Federal Census for Massachusetts, T1051, #264, Volume 71, E.D. 1327, Sheet 5, Line 61, National Archives & Federal Records Center, New England Branch. Hereinafter cited as 1900-MA.

⁷⁰MA-MA Archives-VR, Marriages, Volume 281, p. 53.

⁷¹*Massachusetts Vital Records, Department of Health, Boston, MA*, Deaths, Volume 19, p. 562, #7977. Hereinafter cited as MA-DOH-VR.

⁷²MA-MA Archives-VR, Births, Volume 288, p. 228, #45.

⁷³*Ibid.*, Deaths, Volume 312, p. 111, #2842.

⁷⁴Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

hundred and forty acres with nearly five hundred of it under irrigation and on this place he feeds a large number of cattle each year. Besides his different enterprises in the west, including a wheat farm in North Dakota, Mr. **Souther** has large lumbering interests in Maine which net him considerable property.

In 1892, Mr. **Souther** was married to Miss Mabel Graham **MacIntosh** of Ypsilanti, Michigan. Mrs. **Souther** is a daughter of Charles **MacIntosh**, a carriage maker there. To Mr. and Mrs. **Souther** have been born the following children: John Barron, Susan Page, Grace and Mabel.

Mr. **Souther** is a strong Republican, active in party politics.⁷⁵

Mabel Graham **MacINTOSH** was born in Aug 1864 in Michigan.⁷⁶

The four known children of William³ **SOUTHER** and Mabel Graham **MacINTOSH** were as follows:

- i. John Barrow⁴ **SOUTHER**; b. 9 Sep 1894 in Nebraska,⁷⁷ d. 23 Mar 1964 in Bexar County, Texas, at age 69.^{78,79} He was also known as John Barron **SOUTHER**. He was a widow at the time of his death.
- ii. Susan Page **SOUTHER**; b. Aug 1896 in Nebraska.^{80,81} Dr. Susan Page **SOUTHER** graduated from the John Hopkins University, School of Medicine at Baltimore, MD in 1923.⁸²
- iii. Grace **SOUTHER**; b. circa 1901.
- iv. Mabel **SOUTHER**; b. circa 1902.

7. Anna Blanchard³ **SOUTHER** (*Samuel L.², Samuel¹*); b. 9 Apr 1848 in Belfast, Waldo, Maine;^{83,84,85} m. David Wilson **POND**, son of Lucius W. **POND** and Adelia L., 30 Nov 1871 in Worcester, Massachusetts;⁸⁶ m. William Erasmus **CHANDLER** 5 Oct 1904 in New York;⁸⁷ d. 4 Jun 1941 at age 93.⁸⁸ Anna was found as member #72,945 of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

⁷⁵*Compendium of History Reminiscence and Biography of Western Nebraska containing a History of the State of Nebraska*, (Chicago, IL: Allen Publishing Company, 1909),p. 425. Hereinafter cited as Nebraska.

⁷⁶1900 Federal Census for the State of Nebraska (Soundex), T1057, #87, Volume 10, E.D. 81, Sheet 2, Line 49, National Archives & Federal Records Center, New England Branch, Hereinafter cited as 1900-NE.

⁷⁷Ibid.

⁷⁸Social Security Death Index, unknown detail. Hereinafter cited as SSDI.

⁷⁹Web Page, Texas Vital Records On-Line.

⁸⁰Manuscript of Daniel Souther Peterson, Author's Personal Library. Hereinafter cited as DSP.

⁸¹1900-NE, Volume 10, E.D. 81, Sheet 2, Line 49.

⁸²DSP.

⁸³Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William T. SOUTHER.

⁸⁴Historian General, *Lineage Book: National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution*, (Washington, D.C.: National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, n.d.),Volume 73, p. 338. Hereinafter cited as NSDAR.

⁸⁵Charles Allen Converse, *Some of the Ancestors and Descendants of Samuel Converse, Jr. of Thompson Prish, Killingly, Conn.; Major James Convers of Woburn, Mass.; Hon. Herman Allen, M.C. of Milton and Burlington, Vermont; Captain Jonathan Bixby, Sr. of Killingly, Conn.*, (Boston, MA: Eben Putnam, Publisher, 1905),Volume II, p. 899. Hereinafter cited as Converse.

⁸⁶MA-MA Archives-VR, Marriages, Volume 237, p. 366, #503.

⁸⁷Converse, *Converse*, Volume II, p. 899.

⁸⁸Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <<http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>>.

She is buried in Pine Grove Cemetery, Section 2, Lot 102 at Fryeburg, Maine.^{89,90}

David Wilson **POND** was born on 22 Jan 1848 in Worcester, Massachusetts.⁹¹ He died in 1897.⁹² David was a Manufacturer.

The two known children of Anna Blanchard³ **SOUTHER** and David Wilson **POND** were as follows:

- i. William Souther⁴ **POND**; b. 20 Jul 1879;^{93,94} d. Jun 1904 at age 24.⁹⁵ He was also known as William Towle **POND**.
- ii. David Stirling **POND**; b. 13 Nov 1881;^{96,97} d. Mar 1955 at age 73.⁹⁸

There were no known children of Anna Blanchard³ **SOUTHER** and William Erasmus **CHANDLER**.



8. William Towle² **SOUTHER** (*Samuel L.², Samuel¹*); b. 7 Mar 1850 in Belfast, Waldo, Maine;^{99,100} m. Elizabeth E. **NEWLAND**, daughter of William A. **NEWLAND** and Emma J. **DICKINSON**, 5 Oct 1887 in Worcester, Massachusetts;^{101,102} d. 21 Feb 1922 in Worcester, Massachusetts, at age 71.¹⁰³ He was also known as William Clement **SOUTHER**.¹⁰⁴ William was a 1st Sergeant, Company B, 57th Massachusetts.

In 1901, William was editor and publisher of the Yale Alumni Songs. William was the President of the Towle Music Company, a member of the Odd Fellows and Masonic Lodge. He last resided at 29 Main Street in Worcester. His own manuscript found in the Society of Mayflower Descendants at Plymouth, MA says he married 6 Apr 1887.

The following is William's obituary from a Worcester, MA newspaper on the day of his death:

"DR. **SOUTHER** DIES FROM PNEUMONIA: One of Worcester's Prominent Physicians Expires After Short Illness, Aged 71.

⁸⁹Historian General, *NSDAR*, Volume 73, p. 338.

⁹⁰Web Page, Fryeburg Historical Society - Cemeteries, <<http://www.conway.lib.nh.us/cemetery/fryeburgcem.htm>>.

⁹¹MA-MA Archives-VR, Births, Volume 29, p. 265, #177.

⁹²Converse, *Converse*, Volume II, p. 899.

⁹³Mayflower-AFS.

⁹⁴Converse, *Converse*, Volume II, p. 899.

⁹⁵Ibid.

⁹⁶Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

⁹⁷Converse, *Converse*, Volume II, p. 899.

⁹⁸Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

⁹⁹MA-MA Archives-VR, Marriages, Volume 381, p. 466, #563.

¹⁰⁰Ayers, *Newfield, ME*, p. 691.

¹⁰¹MA-MA Archives-VR, Marriages, Volume 381, p. 466, #563.

¹⁰²Web Page, <newenglandancestors.org>, "Records of First Unitarian Church of Worcester, 1785-1919".

¹⁰³Town Clerks, *MA-DOH-VR*, Deaths, Volume 90, p. 468, #463.

¹⁰⁴Ayers, *Newfield, ME*, p. 691.

Dr. William Towle **SOUTHER** aged 71 years, 11 months and 14 days, a prominent physician and surgeon in Worcester for years died at 7 a.m. today in his home, 22 Auburn Street. Death was due to pneumonia. He had been confined to his bed since Saturday.

He was born in Belfast, ME, March 7, 1850, the son of Reverend Samuel T. **SOUTHER** and Mary Francis **TOWLE**.

The latter is still living in Cleveland, OH at the advanced age of 96 years.

The **SOUTHER** family came to Worcester when Dr. **SOUTHER** was only seven years of age. He graduated from Classical High School and then entered Yale University. He graduated with the degree of A.B. in 1873. After acting as Principal at the Grafton High School for one year he went to Harvard Medical School where he graduated in 1877. He spent a year in the Boston City Hospital.

Dr. **SOUTHER** began to practice of medicine in Worcester in March 1878, his first office being located in the Old Salisbury Mansion at Lincoln Square. He first began to make his calls about the city on horseback.

Dr. **SOUTHER** was particularly interested in educational matters. He was a Republican and was elected as a member of the school committee, ward 1, in 1884. He served faithfully for years on the school committee, being the chairman of the committee at the dedication of the English high school building which is known as the Classical High.

Dr. **SOUTHER** retired from active practice about 15 years ago. He was a great reader, being a devotee of **SCOTT** and **DICKENS** and was also fond of music, having been connected with the Worcester Festival chorus for many years.

He became a fellow of the Massachusetts Medical Society in 1877 and was active in the Hancock club in Worcester before the club was disbanded.

He was a member of the Central Congregational church; Athelstan Lodge, A.F. & A.M.; Regulus Lodge, Knights of Pythias; Redgley Lodge, International Order of Odd Fellows.

Dr. **SOUTHER** was united in marriage, October 5, 1887 to Elizabeth **NEWLAND** of Worcester who survives. Other survivors are three daughters; Mrs. Frederick W. **HASKELL**. Elizabeth and Gertrude **SOUTHER**; three grandchildren, Frederick, Mary and Anne **HASKELL** all of Worcester. Two sisters; Mrs. William E. **CHANDLER** of Prince Bay, NY and Mrs. Gail S. **FULLER** of Cleveland, OH."

William and Elizabeth and their three daughters and son-in-law, Frederick W. **HASKELL** are all buried in the Rural Cemetery, Worcester, MA. In the same Lot are members of the **DICKINSON** and **NEWLAND** family.

Elizabeth E. **NEWLAND** was born on 6 Apr 1864 in Worcester, Massachusetts.¹⁰⁵ She died on 9 Jun 1929 in Shrewsbury, Worcester, Massachusetts, at age 65.¹⁰⁶ Elizabeth was buried in Worcester on 11 Jun 1929. The informant for her death was her daughter, Mrs. Christine **HASKELL**.

The three known children of William Towle^s **SOUTHER** and Elizabeth E. **NEWLAND** all b. in Worcester, Massachusetts, were as follows:

- i. Elizabeth^s **SOUTHER**; b. 3 Dec 1889;¹⁰⁷ d. 11 Nov 1944 in Worcester, Massachusetts, at age 54.¹⁰⁸ Elizabeth was listed on her death record as being a housekeeper. She died at Worcester

¹⁰⁵MA-MA Archives-VR, Marriages, Volume 381, p. 466, #563 & calculated from death Gote.

¹⁰⁶Town Clerks, *MA-DOH-VR*, Deaths, Volume 68, p. 47, #44.

¹⁰⁷MA-MA Archives-VR, Births, Volume 396, p. 508, #289.

¹⁰⁸Town Clerks, *MA-DOH-VR*, Deaths, Volume 98, p. 43, #2501.

State Hospital after being there for a term of 6 years, 11 months and 28 days. She was buried in "Rural Cemetery" in Worcester, MA.

- ii. Gertrude **SOUTHER**; b. 26 Nov 1891;¹⁰⁹ d. 6 May 1927 at age 35.^{110,111} An unidentified news clipping found in the Worcester Historical Society honors Gertrude.

MEMORY OF MISS SOUTHER HONORED

Memorial exercises in honor of Miss Gertrude **SOUTHER**, a former member of the faculty, were conducted yesterday morning in the presence of the entire study body of Classical High School in the school auditorium. Miss **SOUTHER** taught at Classical for 11 years. In recent years she has spent the winter in the South, and it was while returning to Worcester recently that she passed away.

The school orchestra presented a program and Miss Sarah **SIGEL**, class pianist, gave several selections. Miss Maude **DODGE** spoke on her connections with Miss **SOUTHER**, both in private and school life. Perry S. **HOWE**, another member of the faculty, told of Miss **SOUTHER**'s connections with the school. A two-minute period of silence was observed at the close of the session.

- 12 iii. Christine **SOUTHER**, b. 9 Jun 1894; m. Frederick White **HASKELL**.

9. Abigail Clement^s **SOUTHER** (*Samuel L.², Samuel¹*); b. 12 Aug 1854 in Fryeburg, Maine;^{112,113} m. Willard **FULLER**, son of Samuel Augustus **FULLER** and Julia Elizabeth **CLARK**, 9 Sep 1885 in Worcester, Massachusetts.¹¹⁴ Abigail can be found as member #103916 of the Daughters of the American Revolution in lineage book, Volume 104, p. 280 as descendant of Colonel Thomas **STICKNEY**. She worked as a School Teacher.

Willard **FULLER** was born on 2 Jan 1861 in Detroit, Michigan.¹¹⁵ He died on 4 Oct 1936 in Chagrin Falls, Cuyahoga, Ohio, at age 75.¹¹⁶ Willard was a Chemist. He and his children are direct descendents of Edward **FULLER** of the Mayflower.

The six known children of Abigail Clement^s **SOUTHER** and Willard **FULLER** were as follows:

- i. Margaret^r **FULLER**; b. 14 Jul 1886.¹¹⁷
- ii. Gladys **FULLER**; b. 8 Aug 1887;¹¹⁸ d. 29 Aug 1887.¹¹⁹
- iii. Willard **FULLER**; b. 10 Jul 1889;¹²⁰ d. 7 Aug 1889.¹²¹

¹⁰⁹MF(T)S, p. 28.

¹¹⁰Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

¹¹¹Cemetery Records, of Rural Cemetery, Worcester, MA Hereinafter cited as CR.

¹¹²Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

¹¹³Ayers, *Newfield, ME*, p. 691.

¹¹⁴MA-MA Archives-VR, Marriages, Volume 363, p. 397, #141.

¹¹⁵Mayflower-AFS, Statement of Louise (FULLER) PHETTEPLACE.

¹¹⁶Ibid.

¹¹⁷Ibid., Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

¹¹⁸Ibid.

¹¹⁹Ibid.

¹²⁰Ibid.

¹²¹Ibid.

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- iv. Doris C. **FULLER**; b. 1 Oct 1890.¹²²
 - v. Samuel Augustus **FULLER**; b. 27 Oct 1893.¹²³
 - vi. Mary Louise **FULLER**; b. 18 Jan 1895 in Cleveland, Cuyahuga, Ohio;¹²⁴ d. after 1975.

10. Mariana³ **SOUTHER** (*Samuel L.², Samuel¹*); b. 19 May 1857 in Worcester, Massachusetts;¹²⁵ m. Charles Raynes **WHITTIER**, son of Robert Raynes **WHITTIER** and Hannah Winchell Davis **WADLEIGH**, 29 Jun 1882 in Worcester, Massachusetts;¹²⁶ d. 23 Sep 1905 in Spring Lake, New Jersey, at age 48.^{127,128} Mariana was listed as a Music Teacher in the 1880 Federal Census for Massachusetts.

Charles Raynes **WHITTIER** was born on 5 Mar 1857 in Lawrence, Massachusetts.¹²⁹ He was also known as Charles Robert **WHITTIER**.

The two known children of Mariana³ **SOUTHER** and Charles Raynes **WHITTIER** were as follows:

- i. Richard Clement⁴ **WHITTIER**; b. 25 Jul 1883 in Worcester, Massachusetts;^{130,131} d. 26 Oct 1913 at age 30.
- ii. Edith **WHITTIER**; b. 18 Dec 1885 in Yonkers, Westchester, New York.^{132,133} Edith married Walter B. **FURST**.¹³⁴

11. John Ira³ **SOUTHER** (*Samuel L.², Samuel¹*); b. 25 Feb 1861 in Worcester, Massachusetts;¹³⁵ m. Kate Amelia **FULLER**, daughter of Samuel Augustus **FULLER** and Julia Elizabeth **CLARK**, 1 Jan 1889 in Cleveland, Cuyahuga, Ohio;¹³⁶ d. 1918 in Richmond, Richmond City, Virginia.¹³⁷ On 2 Jan 1894 John could be found living at 7248 Euclid Avenue in Chicago, Cook, IL.

He can also be found listed in the *Catalogue of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity: Biographical and Statistical*, (Council Publishing Company, NY, 1890), in custody of the New England Historic Genealogical Society, p. 140.

¹²²Ibid.

¹²³Ibid.

¹²⁴Ibid.

¹²⁵MA-MA Archives-VR, Births, Volume 107, p. 299, #345.

¹²⁶Ibid., Marriages, Volume 336, p. 390, #245.

¹²⁷MF(T)S, p. 29.

¹²⁸Charles Collyer Whittier, *Descendants of Thomas Whittier and Ruth Green of Salisbury & Haverhill, Massachusetts; edited and supplemented by Earle O. Whittier*, (Rutland, VT: Tuttle Publishing Company, Inc., 1937), p. 311. Hereinafter cited as Whittier.

¹²⁹MA-MA Archives-VR, Births, Volume 105, p. 260, #89.

¹³⁰MF(T)S, p. 29.

¹³¹Whittier, *Whittier*, p. 311.

¹³²MF(T)S, p. 29.

¹³³Whittier, *Whittier*, p. 311.

¹³⁴Ibid.

¹³⁵MA-MA Archives-VR, Births, Volume 143, p. 312, #811.

¹³⁶Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

¹³⁷Mayflower-AFS.

"**JOHN IRA SOUTHER**, Assayer, Hurley, Wis., 2d Soph. Math. Prize, 1st Term; id., 2d Term. Phi, Beta, Kappa, A.B., B.S., Worcester County Free Inst. of Industrial Sci. Member, Searle & Souther, Assayers, Hurley, Wisl, Feb., 1887-."

An undated and unidentified notice of death found in the Worcester Historical Society reads:

JOHN I. SOUTHER DEAD

Formerly Teacher in the Worcester High School. John I. Souther, aged 55 years, a native of Worcester, the son of Reverend Samuel **SOUTHER** and formerly a teacher in the Worcester High School, died Sunday in Hallsboro, VA.

He received his education at the Thomas Street Grammar School, graduated with the class of 1878 from the Classical High School, studied for three years at Worcester Polytechnic Institute and received the degree of Bachelor of Arts in 1884 at Yale College.

After teaching mathematics at the high school he became a chemist and was an expert analyzer for the Illinois Steel Company at Hurley, WI. He was assistant superintendent of the Chicago plant and was later superintendent of the Cambria Steel Company, Johnstown, PA.

He leaves his mother in Cleveland; three children, Mrs. Helen **HARTFORD**, Cleveland; Hugh S. **SOUTHER**, Hallsboro and Arthur **SOUTHER**, a student at Yale; two sisters Mrs. Willard **FULLER**, Cleveland and Mrs. William E. **CHANDLER**, New York and a brother, Dr. William T. **SOUTHER**, Worcester.

Kate Amelia **FULLER** was born on 19 Nov 1859 in Detroit, Michigan.¹³⁸ She died on 4 Jul 1952 in Sagamore at age 92.¹³⁹

The four known children of John Ira³ **SOUTHER** and Kate Amelia **FULLER** were as follows:

- 13 i. Helen Fuller⁴ **SOUTHER**, b. 30 Nov 1889 in Hurley, Iron, Wisconsin; m. Newton Keith **HARTFORD** Sr.
- ii. Julia Fuller **SOUTHER**; b. 18 Sep 1891.¹⁴⁰ Julia died in infancy.
- 14 iii. Hugh Stirling **SOUTHER**, b. 14 Jul 1893 in Chicago, Illinois; m. Dorothy Deane **JUSTIS**.
- iv. Arthur Fuller **SOUTHER** I; b. 13 Jan 1896 in Cleveland, Cuyahuga, Ohio;¹⁴¹ d. 1918.¹⁴² Arthur attended Yale University.

Generation Four

12. Christine⁴ **SOUTHER** (*William Towle³, Samuel L.², Samuel¹*); b. 9 Jun 1894 in Worcester, Massachusetts;¹⁴³ m. Frederick White **HASKELL**, son of Henry **HASKELL** and Abby M. **ABORN**, 5 Oct 1914 in Worcester, Massachusetts;¹⁴⁴ d. 17 Apr 1980 at age 85.¹⁴⁵ Christine and her husband Fred's cremated remains share grave 7, Lot 704 of the Rural Cemetery in Worcester, MA.

¹³⁸Ibid.

¹³⁹Ibid.

¹⁴⁰Ibid., Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

¹⁴¹Ibid., Statement of Helen (SOUTHER) **HARTFORD**.

¹⁴²Ibid., Manuscript of William Towle **SOUTHER**.

¹⁴³MA-MA Archives-VR, Births, Volume 5, p. 765, #1.

¹⁴⁴Town Clerks, *MA-DOH-VR*, Marriages, Volume 627, p. 641, #1274.

¹⁴⁵CR, of Rural Cemetery, Worcester, MA.

Frederick White **HASKELL** was born in 1878 in Wakefield, Middlesex, Massachusetts.¹⁴⁶

The three known children of Christine⁴ **SOUTHER** and Frederick White **HASKELL** all b. in Worcester, Massachusetts, are as follows:

- i. Frederick⁵ **HASKELL** is still living.
- ii. Mary **HASKELL** is still living.
- iii. Anne **HASKELL** is still living.

13. Helen Fuller⁴ **SOUTHER** (*John Ira³, Samuel L.², Samuel¹*); b. 30 Nov 1889 in Hurley, Iron, Wisconsin;¹⁴⁷ m. Newton Keith **HARTFORD** Sr. 14 Apr 1914 in Cleveland, Cuyahuga, Ohio;¹⁴⁸ d. 1986.¹⁴⁹

Newton Keith **HARTFORD** Sr was born on 7 Feb 1887 in Watertown, Middlesex, Massachusetts.¹⁵⁰

The four known children of Helen Fuller⁴ **SOUTHER** and Newton Keith **HARTFORD** Sr. all b. in Cleveland, Cuyahuga, Ohio, were as follows:

- i. Newton Keith⁵ **HARTFORD** Jr; b. 27 Feb 1915;¹⁵¹ d. 8 Aug 1968 in Pocasset, Massachusetts, at age 53.¹⁵²
- ii. Barbara **HARTFORD** is still living.
- 15 iii. John Souther **HARTFORD** Sr. is still living.
- iv. Elliot Howard **HARTFORD** is still living.

14. Hugh Stirling⁴ **SOUTHER** (*John Ira³, Samuel L.², Samuel¹*); b. 14 Jul 1893 in Chicago, Illinois;¹⁵³ m. Dorothy Deane **JUSTIS**, daughter of William Marshall **JUSTIS** Jr. and Mary Howard **TILMAN**, 17 Nov 1917 in Midlothian, Chesterfield, Virginia;¹⁵⁴ d. 13 Dec 1945 in Washington, D.C, at age 52.¹⁵⁵ Hugh was an Ensign with the United States Naval Reserve. He served as a Naval Aviator. In 1928 he was a Lieutenant and appointed as Airways Extension Superintendent with the Airways Division of the Department of Commerce. In 1929 he was issued a license at a Transport Pilot of civil aircraft of the United States.

Dorothy Deane **JUSTIS** was born on 30 Oct 1895 in Powhatan County, Virginia.¹⁵⁶ She died after 1975 in Fairfax County, Virginia.¹⁵⁷

The three known children of Hugh Stirling⁴ **SOUTHER** and Dorothy Deane **JUSTIS** were as follows:

- 16 i. Arthur Fuller⁵ **SOUTHER** II, b. 2 Sep 1918 in Richmond, Richmond City, Virginia; m. Grace Mildred **KIRBY**; m. Mildred Louise **LUTTRELL**; m. Mary Eileen **HAGGERTY**.

¹⁴⁶Town Clerks, *MA-DOH-VR*, Marriages, Volume 627, p. 641, #1274.

¹⁴⁷Mayflower-AFS, Statement of Helen (SOUTHER) HARTFORD.

¹⁴⁸Ibid.

¹⁴⁹TC, with Barbara (---) [SOUTHER] RUMSEY - 30 Jun 1997.

¹⁵⁰Mayflower-AFS, Statement of Helen (SOUTHER) HARTFORD.

¹⁵¹Ibid.

¹⁵²TC, with John Souther HARTFORD, Sr. - 1 Aug 1997.

¹⁵³Mayflower-AFS, Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

¹⁵⁴Ibid., Statement of Dorothy Dean JUSTIS.

¹⁵⁵Ibid., Manuscript of William Towle SOUTHER.

¹⁵⁶Ibid., Statement of Dorothy Dean JUSTIS.

¹⁵⁷Ibid.

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- ii. Richard Sterling **SOUTHER**; b. 29 May 1920 in Cleveland, Cuyahuga, Ohio;¹⁵⁸ m. Mary Louise **STUBBS** 1947;¹⁵⁹ d. 21 Jun 1991 in Fredericksburg, Spotsylvania, Virginia, at age 71.¹⁶⁰
- 17 iii. Caroline Frances **SOUTHER** is still living.

Generation Five

15. John Souther^s **HARTFORD** Sr. (*Helen Fuller^sSOUTHER, John Ira^s, Samuel L.^s, Samuel^t*) is still living.

The four known children of John Souther^s **HARTFORD** Sr. and Elizabeth Lee **BARRON** were as follows:

- i. Kathryn^o **HARTFORD** is still living.
- ii. Paula Chapin **HARTFORD** is still living.
- iii. Ruth **HARTFORD**; b. 1945. Ruth was a victim of murder.
- iv. Cory Ellis **HARTFORD** is still living.

Barbara S. **RUMSEY** is still living.

The two known children of John Souther^s **HARTFORD** Sr. and Barbara S. **RUMSEY** both b. in Boothbay, Lincoln, Maine, are as follows:

- i. Newton Keith^o **HARTFORD** III is still living.
- ii. John Souther **HARTFORD** Jr is still living.

16. Arthur Fuller^s **SOUTHER** II (*Hugh Stirling^t, John Ira^s, Samuel L.^s, Samuel^t*); b. 2 Sep 1918 in Richmond, Richmond City, Virginia;¹⁶¹ m. Grace Mildred **KIRBY**, daughter of Horace W. **KIRBY**, 1943 in Washington, D. C.;¹⁶² m. Mildred Louise **LUTTRELL** 1953 in Manassas, Manassas, Virginia;¹⁶³ m. Mary Eileen **HAGGERTY** 1959 in Reno, Nevada;¹⁶⁴ d. 15 Aug 1993 in Falls Church, Virginia, at age 74. Arthur was an Attorney at Law. His Mayflower Society application, General #38,353 and State, Washington, D.C. #1556, in custody of the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants, Plymouth, MA provided many details about his family. He is a direct descendent of Edward **FULLER** of the Mayflower. Arthur also submitted a supplementary application for Mayflower passenger, Stephen **HOPKINS**.

Grace Mildred **KIRBY** is still living.

The two known children of Arthur Fuller^s **SOUTHER** II and Grace Mildred **KIRBY** both b. in Washington, D.C, are as follows:

- i. Gail Kathryn^o **SOUTHER** is still living.
- ii. Arthur Fuller **SOUTHER** III is still living.

Mildred Louise **LUTTRELL** is still living.

The only known child of Arthur Fuller^s **SOUTHER** II and Mildred Louise **LUTTRELL** is:

- i. Richard Lygon^o **SOUTHER** is still living.

Mary Eileen **HAGGERTY** is still living.

¹⁵⁸Ibid.

¹⁵⁹Ibid.

¹⁶⁰TC, with Mary Louise (STUBBS) SOUTHER - 2 Jun 1995.

¹⁶¹Mayflower-AFS, Statement of Dorothy Dean JUSTIS.

¹⁶²Ibid.

¹⁶³Ibid.

¹⁶⁴Ibid.

The only known child of Arthur Fuller⁵ **SOUTHER** II and Mary Eileen **HAGGERTY** is:

- i. Hugh Beauchamp⁶ **SOUTHER** is still living.

17. Caroline Frances⁵ **SOUTHER** (*Hugh Stirling⁴, John Ira³, Samuel L.², Samuel¹*) is still living.

Thomas Leake **PARSONS** was born on 15 Nov 1909 in of Greensboro, South Carolina.¹⁶⁵ He died in Jan 1961 at age 51.¹⁶⁶ He was also known as Major Thomas Leake **PARSONS**.

The only known child of Caroline Frances⁵ **SOUTHER** and Thomas Leake **PARSONS** is:

- i. Linda Kathryn⁶ **PARSONS** is still living.

Photographs

Samuel Souther, Sr. photograph - from the collection of Randall Scott New

Samuel L. Souther, Jr. photograph - from the collection of The Bostonian Society

William Towle Souther photograph - from the collection of The Bostonian Society

¹⁶⁵Ibid.

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