

- b. William, b. Mar. 28, 1760; will dated Sept. 4, 1782, proved Jan. 21, 1783; married Elsey \_\_\_\_\_. No children mentioned in will.
- c. Prudence, b. Dec. 18, 1761; married \_\_\_\_\_ Runyon. Possibly this was a John Runyon, as John was a witness of her brother's will in 1782, and she was then married to Runyon.

41. JOSEPH<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (14), born 1703 or 1704 at Woodbridge; died there 1740-1; administration dated Jan. 22, 1741 [28]; married at Woodbridge in 1731 [14], ELIZABETH KINSEY, b. Woodbridge, 1707, d. there Nov. 4, 1738 [14], dau. of John Kinsey and Grace (Hull) Fitz Randolph (see No. 13).

Joseph Fitz Randolph might have married second, his cousin MARY<sup>4</sup> (FITZ RANDOLPH) THORN (No. 46), and had children by her; but this has not been proven.

Children, born at Woodbridge, N. J. [14]:

- i. JOHN KINSEY,<sup>5</sup> b. Mar. 22, 1733. No further record.
- ii. FRANCIS, b. Sept. 10, 1736; d. Woodbridge, Sept. 15, 1737.
- iii. JOSEPH, b. Sept. 4, 1737; d. Woodbridge, Sept. 15, 1737.
- iv. FRANCIS (a daughter, but spelled that way), b. Oct. 26, 1738; d. July 6, 1796, aged 58 years; int. Woodbridge; mar. (lic.) Jan. 17, 1759, JAMES CROWELL. He died Nov. 28, 1805, aged 67 yrs., int. Woodbridge. He married second, Jane \_\_\_\_\_. His will, dated Jan. 20, 1801, pro. Dec. 12, 1805, mentions sons Joseph Randolph and John.
- v. ELIZABETH, twin, b. Oct. 26, 1738. No further record.

42. JACOB<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (14), born Woodbridge, Mar. 23, 1708; died at Blazing Star, N. J., 1779/1782; will dated May 12, 1779, proved Apr. 27, 1782. He probably had two wives. The first is unknown, but the second was almost certainly his much-married cousin, MARY<sup>4</sup> (FITZ RANDOLPH - THORNE - FITZ RANDOLPH - HORSEMAN) JACKSON, No. 46.

In his will Jacob speaks of his daughter, Mary Coddington. This has been universally accepted as the Mary Fitz Randolph who married first, lic. Oct. 16, 1756, Samuel Coddington, who died before July 29, 1757; and who married second, lic. Dec. 20, 1760, Gabriel Compton. But as Jacob's will was made in 1779, nineteen years after Mary had married Gabriel Compton, it is inconceivable that he should have called her Mary Coddington. And as Edward<sup>3</sup> Fitz Randolph, No. 16, speaks of his grand-daughter Mary Coddington in his will of 1759, it seems certain that she was the one who married Gabriel Compton in 1760.

Children: 2nd, 3rd and 5th born at Blazing Star, N. J.:

- i. SAMUEL<sup>5</sup>. Probably the eldest son. It seems almost sure that he was the Samuel who married, license Oct. 20, 1750, MARTHA GACH.
- 101. ii. ISAAC, b. 1730/1.
- 102. iii. REUBEN, b. Feb. 3, 1733.
- iv. JOTHAM, Died about 1782, when administration was granted to Mary Fitz Randolph, probably his widow.
- 103. v. JACOB, b. 1737.
- 104. vi. JOSEPH.
- vii. MARY. She married first, CALEB JONES, son of Edward Jones of Woodbridge whose will, proved Apr. 1, 1762, names wife Mary and seven children under age, Edward, Jacob, Caleb, Catherine, Mary, Abigail, and Tabitha. This Tabitha Jones is mentioned in the will of her grandfather Jacob Fitz Randolph (No. 42), and also in the will of her uncle Joseph, No. 104. Mary (Fitz Randolph) Jones married second, \_\_\_\_\_ CODDINGTON [113].
- viii. JOHANNAH. Married at Woodbridge, license dated Dec. 30, 1769 [29], JACOB THORNE, JR. son of Jacob & Susanna (Shotwell) Thorne.
- ix. ELIZABETH. Married SAMUEL MOORE.

43. JOSEPH<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (15), born in Woodbridge, probably about 1704; died 1741; will dated July 9, 1741, proved Aug. 24, 1741 [28]; married, date and place not known, ABIGAIL BIRD, born at Elizabethtown, N. J., dau. of Jeremiah and Abigail (Jones) Bird. She married second, July 21, 1742, RICHARD CARMAN [29].

Joseph was a boat captain.

Children, born at Woodbridge:

- 105. i. JEREMIAH,<sup>5</sup> b. 1728/9 [45].
- 106. ii. NATHANIEL, b. 1730.
- iii. ASHER. No further record.
- iv. JOSEPH: administration on his estate granted June 8, 1771: no record of marriage or children.

- 107a. v. MARGARET, married, license dated Dec. 26, 1743, JAMES CLARKSON (No. 23:ii).  
vi. SARAH. No further record.

43a. MARGARET<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (15), born in 1710 in Woodbridge, N. J.; died in Woodbridge before July 21, 1750, when her widower took out a license to marry his second wife; married in 1726, THOMAS HADDEN. Thomas Hadden married second, license dated July 21, 1750, Margaret (Van Galen-Foster) Bloomfield, daughter of Laurens Van Galen and his wife Tryntje Elias Vreelandt (probably the dau. called "Merytje," b. Feb. 4, bp. Apr. 1, 1706 at Bergen), and widow, first of Stephen Foster, upon whose estate she administered Feb. 21, 1731, (NJA 30:184), and by whom she had a son Ebenezer Foster, the Loyalist; and widow secondly of Ezekiel Bloomfield (son of Ezekiel Bloomfield and his wife Hester Rolph, widow of Jonathan Dunham), whom she had mar. by lic. dated Oct. 18, 1744, and who died in Jan. or Feb., 1748/9. She had no other children by either Bloomfield or Hadden. She died Feb. 9, 1767, as sworn to by her son (NJHS Proc. N. S. 11:295/6). She was buried in Woodbridge; stone gives death date as Feb. 8, 1767, age 60. Thomas Hadden married third, by New York State license, Nov. 16, 1767, Catherine Stillwell. His will was dated Apr. 15, 1780, and was proved July 5, 1784 [113, 115].

Children (Hadden) [113, 115]:

- i. Elizabeth, b. Mar. 16, 1728, married William Smith, son of Shubal Smith and Prudence<sup>4</sup> Fitz Randolph (No. 40:a).
- ii. Mary, m. 1, lic. Apr. 4, 1754, Thomas Browne, by whom she had two children, James and William; m. 2, John Dobbs.
- iii. Nathaniel, mentioned in the will of his grandmother, Isabel (Laing) Fitz Randolph (see No. 15), dated Aug. 31, 1744. No further record.
- iv. Joseph. Mentioned in grandmother's will in 1744. No further record.
- v. Thomas; m. lic. Nov. 15, 1758, Annabel Crowell, dau. of Edward and Christian Crowell. Had at least one son, Thomas.
- vi. Margaret, b. 1737; d. Dec. 16, 1770, in 34th year; m. lic. Nov. 11, 1757, to John Heard, by whom she had four children, Nathaniel, Agnes, Maria and William.
- vii. Martha; mentioned in grandmother's will in 1744. No further record.
- viii. Isabel; m. Oct. 18, 1767, Nathaniel Loofburrow, also a Loyalist, son of John Loofburrow Jr. and Catherine Van Galen, sister of Margaret above.

44. RICHARD<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (16), born at Woodbridge June 16, 1705; died at Perth Amboy, Nov. 20, 1754 [14]; will dated Nov. 20, 1754, proved Nov. 25, 1754 [22]; married at Shrewsbury, N. J. [12, 19], Sept. 25, 1735, ELIZABETH CORLIES, b. Shrewsbury, Aug. 20, 1716 [12], dau. of John and Naomi (Edwards) Corlies.

Richard was a carpenter of Perth Amboy.

Children, first born at Shrewsbury, others at Perth Amboy, N. J.:

- i. RICHARD,<sup>5</sup> b. July 8, 1736 [14], d. Aug. 10, 1743 at Perth Amboy.
108. ii. GEORGE, b. Apr. 14, 1738 [14].
109. iii. THOMAS, b. Dec. 21, 1740.
110. iv. CATHERINE, b. Feb. 24, 1742.
- v. RICHARD, b. May 1, 1746; d. a young man, unmarried.
- vi. ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 16, 1748.
- vii. MARY, b. Apr. 25, 1751; mar. lic. Apr. 12, 1783, Capt. ELISHA BROWN; d. at Wilmington, Del.
111. viii. EDWARD, b. Feb. 20, 1754.

45. EDWARD<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (16), born Sept. 5, 1706 at Woodbridge; died at Old Vail Farm, N. J., May 26, 1750 [34]; will dated May 7, 1750, proved June 16, 1750; married at Flushing, N. Y. Oct. 3, 1734 [26, 36], PHEBE JACKSON, born at Flushing May 3, 1712 [26], died at Plainfield, N. J., Sept. 11, 1777 [34, 36], dau. of James and Rebecca (Hallett) [36] Jackson. She was one of 19 children.

Children, first five said to have been born at the Old Vail Farm, last two at Plainfield, N. J.:

112. i. JAMES,<sup>5</sup> b. Aug. 16, 1735 [34].
- 112a. ii. REBECCA, b. Feb. 2, 1736/7, Woodbridge [34].
- iii. CATHERINE, b. Nov. 20, 1739; mar. Apr. 23, 1760, JOHN VAIL [34, 38].
- iv. MERCY, b. Apr. 12, 1742 [38]; mar. ROBERT<sup>5</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH, No. 117.
- v. MARY, b. July 15, 1744 [34]; mar. Feb. 27, 1765 [34, 35], JOHN HEDGER (or EDGAR).
- vi. MARGARET, b. Nov. 21, 1746 [38]; mar. Aug. 28, 1766 [14], "Red" ABRAHAM VAIL.
113. vii. EDWARD, b. Apr. 23, 1749.

46. MARY<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (16), born May 24, 1710 at Woodbridge, N. J.; married first in 1728/9, WILLIAM THORNE, born 5 mo. 15, 1706 at Flushing, N. Y., son of Joseph and Martha Johanna (Bowne)

Thorne. The first intentions were published in the Rahway and Plainfield Meeting in 12 mo. 1728/9; and the second intentions 1 mo. 20, 1728/9. William Thorne died in 1735, and administration on his estate was granted to Mary and her eldest brother, Richard<sup>4</sup> Fitz Randolph (No. 44) on May 20, 1735. Soon after she seems to have married second, a cousin whose surname was Fitz Randolph, but it has not been determined whom she married. This might have been JOSEPH<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (No. 41). On March 16, 1744, Mary, listed as "Mary Fitzpatrick, Spinster," married for her third husband, MARMADUKE HORSEMAN, who must have been in his eighties. His will, dated Feb. 25, 1748/9, mentions his wife Mary. As Mary Horseman, Mary married for her fourth husband, license dated May 26, 1749, JAMES JACKSON, b. June 4, 1704. Administration on his estate was granted to his widow Mary on Nov. 6, 1750. It seems most probable that Mary married for a fifth time, and again to a cousin, JACOB<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (No. 42), as on 7 mo. 18, 1764, "Mary Fitz Randolph is disowned for marriage to her first cousin." In his will, dated May 12, 1779, Jacob mentions his wife Mary.

Mary is mentioned several times in wills. Her brother Hugh<sup>4</sup> Fitz Randolph (No. 16:ix) mentioned her in his will of 4 mo. 23, 1748, her portion to go to her children. In the will of her brother Edward (No. 45) is mentioned his "nephew, Edward Thorne, son of my sister Mary Jackson." And the will of her father, Edward<sup>2</sup> Fitz Randolph (No. 16), dated Sept. 4, 1759, mentions his daughter Mary Jackson and her eight children.

Children, all born in Woodbridge. By her first husband, Thorne:

- i. Edward, b. 11 mo. 3, 1729.
- ii. Thomas, b. 1 mo. 28, 1731.
- iii. William, b. 9 mo. 19, 1732; m. Margaret Smith, dau. of Shubal Smith and Prudence<sup>4</sup> Fitz Randolph (No. 40a).
- iv. Katherine, b. 7 mo. 4, 1734.
- v. Joseph (posthumous), b. 10 mo. 23, 1735.

By her second husband (Fitz Randolph):

- vi. MARY,\* married first, license Oct. 16, 1756, SAMUEL CODDINGTON, b. Apr. 21, 1731, died at Woodbridge before July 29, 1757, son of John<sup>5</sup> and Agnes (Clarkson) Coddington; married 2nd, license Dec. 20, 1760, GABRIEL COMPTON, son of David and Sarah Compton. Letters of adm. to Mary and son William May 9, 1782 (NJA: 35:87).
- vii. Unknown, but mentioned in grandfather's will.
- viii. Unknown, but mentioned in grandfather's will.

47. ROBERT<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (16), born Woodbridge July 19, 1712; died in 1804 [34] at Greenbrook, N. J.; married at Woodbridge 12 mo. 30-1737, his first cousin, CATHERINE TAYLOR, dau. of John and Sarah (Hartshorne) Taylor. He was disowned by the Woodbridge Meeting for having married his first cousin [14].

Children, born at Woodbridge [14]:

- i. SARAH,<sup>5</sup> b. Mar. 15, 1739/40; mar. Woodbridge, Jan. 26, 1764, MOOTREY KINSEY [14, 39].
114. ii. ROBERT, b. Dec. 14, 1741.
- iii. MARGARET, b. May 1, 1744; mar. in Woodbridge 28 of 8 mo., 1766, "Black" ABRAHAM VAIL, b. Mar. 12, 1744, son of Stephen Vail, Jr. & Esther Smith [14].
- iv. EDWARD, b. July 12, 1746; d. Feb. 26, 1749 at Woodbridge [14].
115. v. MARY, b. Apr. 16, 1749.
- vi. CATHERINE, b. Feb. 2, 1751; mar. Plainfield, N. J., May 29, 1778 [34], ROBERT MILLER.
- vii. HOPE (Hopestill), b. Aug. 7, 1754; d. Woodbridge, Jan. 1, 1789 [34].
116. viii. TAYLOR, b. Aug. 21, 1756 [34].
- ix. MERCY, b. Jan. 2, 1758; d. Woodbridge, Aug. 23, 1758 [14].

48. NATHANIEL<sup>4</sup> FITZ RANDOLPH (16), blacksmith, b. May 21, 1714 at Woodbridge; died May 24, 1773 [14]; administration granted June 15, 1773; mar. 1st at Woodbridge, 1735, MARY BROOKS, who died at

\*The Mary Fitz Randolph who married Samuel Coddington in 1756 has usually been considered a daughter of Jacob Fitz Randolph (No. 42), who speaks of his daughter Mary Coddington in his will of 1779. But Mary had been married to Gabriel Compton then for nineteen years, and it is inconceivable that Jacob should have called his daughter Mary Coddington under those circumstances. Besides this, Edward Fitz Randolph (No. 16), in his will dated Sept. 4, 1759, speaks of his grand-daughter (misprinted "daughter" in the wills of the New Jersey Archives) Mary Coddington. Edward had no other granddaughter Mary who could have married in 1756, as they were all too young (See 44:vii; 45:v; 47:v; 48:iv; & 50:iv). So Mary, No. 46, is the only possible child of Edward who could have had a daughter Mary born early enough to have married Coddington in 1756. Editor.