

THE HEATH CONNECTION:  
ENGLISH ORIGINS OF ISAAC AND WILLIAM HEATH  
OF ROXBURY, MASSACHUSETTS,  
JOHN JOHNSON, EDWARD MORRIS, AND  
ELIZABETH (MORRIS) CARTWRIGHT

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American genealogists have been aware for some time that the immigrant, John Johnson (ca. 1590-1659) of Salem and Roxbury, Massachusetts, was related in some way to Elder Isaac and William Heath of Roxbury, and that the Heaths were also kin somehow to the immigrant, Edward Morris, and to Morris's sister, Elizabeth (Morris) Cartwright. Such kinship is proved by a series of Johnson, Heath, and Morris wills, reviewed by Ray G. Hurlburt in "Capt. John Johnson and his wife, Margery of Roxbury – Who were They?" in *The American Genealogist*, 22 (1945-46): 47-49.

John Johnson in his will proved in 1659 called Elder Isaac Heath "my loving brother," and named him overseer of the will. Elder Isaac Heath's will dated 19 January 1660/1 referred to three kinfolk: cousin Martha Brand (whose maiden name was known to be Heath), kinswoman Mary Mory (John Johnson's daughter), and kinsman Edward Morris. Isaac Heath's widow Elizabeth, in her will proved in 1664, named "my cousin Capt. Johnson." Finally, Elizabeth (Morris) Cartwright in her will dated 26 September 1673, named her cousin Isaac Johnson, cousin Pepper, cousin Bowen, cousin Bartholomew, and cousin Nathaniel Johnson's wife. All of these relatives can be identified as children and grandchildren of the immigrant John Johnson.

Although Mr. Hurlburt himself took no position on how the Johnsons, Heaths, and Morrisses might be inter-related, a close examination of the evidence cited in his article convinced the present writer that John Johnson was married to a sister of Elder Isaac and William Heath, and that Edward Morris and his sister Elizabeth were doubtless the nephew and niece of Johnson's wife and of the Heath brothers.

In 1978 Peter Walne, County Archivist of Hertfordshire, published evidence which proved that the immigrant Heath brothers had their origins in the adjacent parishes of Ware and Great Amwell (*Register*, 132[1978]:20-21). He made no mention, however, of the Johnson or Morris connection.

The present writer has used Family History Library (hereinafter FHL) microfilm of the parish registers of Ware and Great Amwell to make a full search of all entries pertaining to the Johnson, Heath, and Morris families in those parishes. The results of this search confirm what was long

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suspected: John Johnson's wife was a Heath, as was the mother of Edward Morris and his sister, Elizabeth Cartwright. It is clear that the immigrant Heath brothers were uncles to the immigrant, Edward Morris, and his sister Elizabeth, wife of Edward Cartwright. Likewise, it can be shown that the Heath brothers were first cousins to Martha Heath, wife of George Brand of Roxbury.

#### I. THE HEATHS OF WARE AND GREAT AMWELL, HERTFORDSHIRE

In 1945 Walter Goodwin Davis proved that prior to migration William Heath lived in the parish of Nazeing, Essex (W. G. Davis, *The Ancestry of Annis Spear 1775-1858, of Litchfield, Maine* [Portland, 1945], 29-34). The parson at Nazeing was Rev. John Eliot, who later became famous in America as "the Apostle to the Indians." William Heath had three children baptized at Nazeing in the period 1625-1629, although it was not his home parish. Davis documented that William's wife, Mary, was the daughter of Thomas Cramphorne of nearby Sawbridgeworth, Hertfordshire. Davis did not, however, further pursue these tantalizing clues.

In 1978, as noted above, further evidence came to light when Peter Walne, County Archivist for Hertfordshire, presented proof that William Heath resided in the parish of Great Amwell, Hertfordshire, prior to living at Nazeing, Essex (*Register*, 132:20-21). The Great Amwell parish registers show that William Heath married his first wife, Mary Cramphorne [*sic*], there in 1617. Walne also proved that prior to migration, Elder Isaac Heath had resided in the adjacent parish of Ware, Hertfordshire, where in 1629 he married Elizabeth Miller. Although no firm conclusions were drawn, Elder Isaac Heath was identified as possibly being the the Isaac Heath baptized at Ware on 13 February 1585/6.

Recent research undertaken by the present author has confirmed the earlier findings of Davis and Walne, and has established that the Heath brothers and their kinfolk all originated in the adjoining parishes of Ware and Great Amwell, Hertfordshire.

An abstract of all pertinent Heath entries from the Ware and Great Amwell parish registers is provided below.

Ware, Hertfordshire (FHL microfilm 991,326)

##### Baptisms:

|                 |                                |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| 9 March 1560/1  | James Heath                    |
| 9 July 1565     | Elen Heath daughter of Edwarde |
| 20 Aug. 1568    | Richard Heath; Katherine Heath |
| 7 March 1573/4  | Susan Heath                    |
| 6 Aug. 1581     | John Heath                     |
| 22 Dec. 1583    | Alice Heath                    |
| 13 Feb. 1585/6  | Isahac Heath                   |
| 4 Aug. 1588     | George Heath                   |
| 25 July 1591    | John Heath                     |
| 24 March 1593/4 | Mary Heath                     |
| 6 Nov. 1597     | Prudence Heath                 |

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|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| 1 Oct. 1603     | Thomas Heath                                  |
| 30 Sept. 1604   | Thomas Heath sonne of Willyam Heath           |
| 20 July 1605    | Dorothie Heath daughter of Thomas             |
| 12 June 1608    | Joane Heath daughter of Thomas                |
| 18 Aug. 1611    | Mary Heath daughter of Thomas                 |
| 26 Sept. 1613   | Elizabeth Heath daughter of Thomas            |
| 7 Jan. 1615/6   | Thomas Heath son of Thomas                    |
| 14 Feb. 1626/7  | Agnesse Heath daughter of William & Susan     |
| 29 Aug. 1628    | Isack Heath son of Thomas & Elizabeth         |
| 22 Feb. 1628/9  | Julian Heath daughter of William & Susan      |
| 7 Feb. 1629/30  | Elizabeth Heath daughter of Isaac & Elizabeth |
| 3 Feb. 1630/1   | John Heath son of William & Susan             |
| 13 May 1632     | Isaac Heath son of Isaac & Elizabeth          |
| [16?] June 1633 | William Heath son of William & Susan          |
| 18 Sept. 1640   | Thomas Heath son of Thomas & Joane            |
| 28 Aug. 1642    | Joan Heath daughter of Thomas & Anne          |
| 30 June 1647    | John Heath son of Thomas & Mary               |
| 21 Feb. 1649/50 | William Heath son of Thomas                   |
| 4 Feb. 1651/2   | Mary Heath daughter of Thomas & Mary          |
| 1 May 1653      | Isaac Heath son of Thomas & Mary              |

## Marriages

|                |                                 |
|----------------|---------------------------------|
| 3 Dec. 1582    | John Kynge & Elizabeth Heath    |
| 22 Feb. 1592/3 | John Davyson & Mabel Heath      |
| 28 April 1595  | Lawrence Wheatley & Susan Heath |
| 29 Nov. 1599   | Thomas Heath & Agnes Woodburne  |
| 29 March 1608  | Richard Archer & Helene Heath   |
| 21 Sept. 1613  | John Johnson & Mary Heath       |
| 12 Jan. 1622/3 | Edward Heath & Susan Brown      |
| 8 May 1623     | Edward Chapman & Anne Heath     |
| 14 Jan. 1628/9 | Isaack Heath & Elizabeth Miller |
| 8 Oct. 1643    | Thomas Heath & Mary Scarborrowe |
| 25 Nov. 1640   | Robert Powel & Elizabeth Heath  |
| 22 April 1647  | Henry Heath & Elizabeth Dearmer |

## Burials

|                |                                             |
|----------------|---------------------------------------------|
| 21 Sept. 1562  | James Heath                                 |
| 6 July 1565    | Roger Heath                                 |
| 21 April 1579  | Humphrey Heath                              |
| 6 July 1588    | George Heath                                |
| 8 March 1592/3 | Edward Heath                                |
| 24 Dec. 1593   | Alice Heath                                 |
| 20 Jan. 1594/5 | John Heath                                  |
| 15 Nov. 1602   | Avis Heathe                                 |
| 5 Oct. 1603    | Thomas Heath                                |
| 16 May 1604    | Elinour Heath                               |
| 21 Sept. 1612  | Mary Heath                                  |
| 9 March 1612/3 | Joane Heath                                 |
| 4 Aug. 1615    | Elizabeth Heath                             |
| 25 Sept. 1615  | Jone Heath                                  |
| 19 Oct. 1616   | Thomas Heath                                |
| 18 Oct. 1623   | A woman child of Edward Heathes unbaptized  |
| 27 Nov. 1623   | A woman child still borne of William Heaths |
| 7 Jan. 1624/5  | William Heath                               |
| 10 July 1626   | Hellen Heath                                |
| 21 June 1632   | Isaac Heath son of Isaac                    |
| 3 June 1646    | Anne Heath daughter of William & Susan      |
| 8 June 1646    | An unbaptized female child of Thomas Heath  |

|                |                                                  |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| 17 May 1648    | A stillborne daughter of Henry & Elizabeth Heath |
| 29 Oct. 1648   | Susan Heath wife of William                      |
| 4 Feb. 1651/2  | An unbaptized daughter of Thomas & Mary Heath    |
| 5 March 1651/2 | Mary Heath daughter of Thomas & Mary Heath       |

Great Amwell, Hertfordshire (FHL microfilm 991,303; see also *The Parish Register and Tithing Book of Thomas Hassall of Amwell*, Stephen G. Doree, ed., Hertfordshire Record Society Publications, 4 [Cambridge, 1989], which includes a printed copy of the Great Amwell registers for the period 1600-1657)

## Baptisms:

|                  |                                                      |
|------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| 28 Feb. 156[3]/4 | John Heathe                                          |
| 14 Dec. 1600     | Thomas Heath the sonne of Thomas Heath               |
| 12 Dec. 1602     | Martha Heath the daughter of Thomas Heath            |
| 10 May 1618      | Marye the daughter of William Heath of Ware          |
| 21 May 1620      | Isaacke the sonne of William Heathe of Ware end      |
| 28 Dec. 1641     | Edward sonne of Edward Heath & of Elizabeth his wife |
| 8 Nov. 1644      | Thomas sonne of Edward Heath and Elizabeth his wife  |

## Marriages:

|                  |                                     |
|------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 20 Aug. 1593     | Henry Tilston and Agnes Heathe      |
| 19 Sept. 1614    | Nathaniell Larke and Alice Heath    |
| 10 Feb. 161[6]/7 | William Heathe and Marye Cramphorne |
| 9 April 1627     | Thomas Heathe and Elizab: Mumford   |
| 4 Nov. 1639      | Thomas Heathe and Joane Bennet      |
| 19 Oct. 1647     | John Rolfe and Margaret Heath       |

## Burials:

|                  |                                                                                                                                         |
|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 7 June 1571      | Alice Heathe                                                                                                                            |
| 20 Jan. 160[1]/2 | Thomas the sonne of Thomas Heath                                                                                                        |
| 6 Oct. 1603      | Robert Heath dwelling with Thomas Heath at Ware End                                                                                     |
| 24 Nov. 1621     | Mary the wife of Will. Heathe of Ware end                                                                                               |
| 19 Sept. 1627    | The wife of Thomas Heathe of Ware end being before her tyme delivered of two male children still borne they were bothe buried together. |
| 22 Jan. 1646/7   | Edward Heath of Hoddsden                                                                                                                |

1. EDWARD<sup>B</sup> HEATH, the earliest proven Heath ancestor in England, was born say 1525. He lived at Little Amwell, a hamlet in the parish of Ware, Hertfordshire, where he was buried 8 March 1592/3. He was a col-larmaker. He married say 1550, ALICE \_\_\_\_\_, who was buried at Ware 24 December 1593.

In his will, dated 6 March 1592/3 and proved 23 March 1592/3, witnessed by Wilm Nycoll and George Bearstolke (Essex Record Office, Chelmsford [hereinafter ERO], D/ABW 19/222), Edward Heath of Ware ... "Collermaker sycke in bodie," asked to be buried in the churchyard of Ware and made bequests as follows:

... unto Alyce my wyff xl s a yere duryng her lyff, And her dwellyng in my howse, that ys to saye the chamber that she nowe useth to lie yn wthall moveables of houshold stuff nowe thereyn, the kytchen & the Buttrye, wth ffree egresse ingresse & regresse into the same & easyaments in the basksyde duryng her naturall lyff / And A table with a ffourme in the hall/ Provided, al-ways and my wyll ys that two of my daughters Elen & Kateryn shall have all the aforeseid houshold Stuff after my wyffs decease equallie to be devidid

betwene them by the Discrecon of my sonn Willm / ... to my said two daughters Elen & Kateryn xx s a pece to be payd them At the daye of their Maryage / ... to Johan my daughter vj s viij d to be payd to her wthin one yere after my decease / ... to my daughter Johan her sonn xij s viij d to be payd At his age of xv yeres ... to Elizabeth my daughter vj s viij d within one yere after my decease ... to eyther of her children John & Margaret vj s viij d a pece At their Age of xv yeres ... to Thomas my sonn xl s whereof xx s to be payd wthin one yere after my decease And the other xx s wthin the next yere then next ffolowyng ... to my sonn John xx s to be payd hym wthin one yere next after my decease ... to my daughter Margaretts children now Alyve v s a pece to be payd At their Age of xv yeres after my decease ... to my sonn Willm All that my nowe dwelling house wthall the edifice yards gardens wthall the Appurtenances therunto belongyng scituat in lytle Amwell in the countie of Hertf to hym & his heyres for ever, And all the residue of my goods & moveables unbequeathed ... to my sonne Wilm his children nowe Alyve vj s viij d A pece At their Age of xvij yeres / All wch severall somes of money to be payd by my sonn Willm whom I do ordeyne & make my sole Executor of this my last Wyll & Testament. *[The following bequest is written on the left margin, evidently intended to be part of the main body of the will:]* Itm I geve unto my sonn Robt xl s wherof xx s wthin one yere after my decease and the other xx s wthin the yere then ffolowyng And all my apparell/ Itm I geve unto everie of my sonn Robert his children v s A pece to be payd to them at the Age of xv Age/ Md that Robt his gyft was entred before the ensealyng herof.

Children, birth order uncertain; surname *Heath*:

- i. MARGARET, m. and had children. She may be the Margaret Heth who m. in the adjacent parish of All Saints and St. John, Hertford, Herts., 26 Nov. 1571, John Norris. She d. probably before 6 March 1592/3 when her father in his will left a bequest to her (unnamed) children.
2. ii. WILLIAM<sup>A</sup>, probably the eldest son, b. say 1550-1555.
- iii. ROBERT, living 6 March 1592/3 when his father made his will. He may be the Robert Heath "dwelling with Thomas Heath at Ware end" who was buried at Great Amwell, Herts., 6 Oct. 1603. He evidently had children, who are mentioned but not named in his father's will.
- iv. JOAN, living 6 March 1592/3 when she was named in her father's will; m. and had children. No further information.
- v. ELIZABETH, living 6 March 1592/3 when she was named in her father's will; m. at Ware, 3 Dec. 1582, JOHN KING, possibly the man of that name buried there 17 May 1593.  
Children, bp. at Great Amwell; named in grandfather's will; surname *King*: 1. Margaret, bp. 18 Sept. 1583; m. at Great Amwell, 29 Dec. 1607, William Curtice. 2. John, bp. 24 July 1586.
- vi. THOMAS, probably the Thomas Heath buried at Ware 19 Oct. 1616; m. there, 29 Nov. 1599, AGNES WOODBURNE. He was named in his father's will 6 March 1592/3, apparently not yet married.  
Children, first two bp. at Great Amwell, last five at Ware; surname *Heath*:  
1. Thomas, bp. 14 Dec. 1600; buried at Great Amwell 20 Jan. 1601/2.  
2. Martha<sup>1</sup>, bp. 12 Dec. 1602; d. at Roxbury, Mass., 1 Aug. 1686; m. at Roxbury, 24 July 1643, George Brand, a baker, who d. in 1669. She immigrated to New England with her cousin, Elder Isaac Heath, in 1635. No issue.  
3. Dorothy, bp. 20 July 1605.

4. *Joan*, bp. 12 June 1608; probably either the Joane Heath bur. at Ware 9 March 1612/13, or the Jone Heath bur. there 25 Sept. 1615.
5. *Mary*, bp. 18 Aug. 1611; perhaps the Mary Heath buried at Ware 21 Sept. 1612.
6. *Elizabeth*, bp. 26 Sept. 1613; perhaps the Elizabeth Heath buried at Ware 4 Aug. 1615.
7. *Thomas*, bp. 7 Jan. 1615/6; prob. m. (1) at Great Amwell, 4 Nov. 1639, Joane Bennet; perhaps m. (2) Anne \_\_\_\_; m. (3?) at Ware, 8 Oct. 1643, Mary Scarborough. He had six children bp. at Ware between 1640 and 1653: Thomas, Joan, John, William, Mary, and Isaac, and two other unnamed infants buried there in that period, as noted in the above listing.
- vii. *JAMES*, bp. at Ware 9 March 1560/1; buried there 21 Sept. 1562.
- viii. *JOHN*, bp. at Great Amwell 28 Feb. 1563/4; living 6 March 1592/3 when he was named in his father's will. No further information.
- ix. *ELLEN*, bp. at Ware 9 July 1565; living, unmarried, 6 March 1592/3 when her father named her in his will. She may be the Elinour Heath buried at Ware 16 May 1604, or the Hellen Heath buried there 10 July 1626; it is less likely that she was the Helene Heath who m. there, 29 March 1608, Richard Archer.
- x. *KATHERINE* (twin), bp. at Ware 20 Aug. 1568; living, unmarried, 6 March 1592/3 when she was named in her father's will.
- xi. *RICHARD* (twin), bp. at Ware 20 Aug. 1568; d. evidently before 6 March 1592/3 when he was not named in his father's will.
- ?xii. *ALICE*, buried at Great Amwell 7 June 1571 (parentage not stated).

2. **WILLIAM<sup>A</sup> HEATH**, born say 1550-1555, and probably the eldest son in the family, was buried at Ware 7 January 1624/5. The name of his wife has not been learned.\*

That William, and not either of his brothers Robert or John, was the father of the next generation of Heaths in Ware is strongly suggested by the fact that he inherited his father's house there, to the exclusion of his brothers. He was probably well established there already. Although the Ware parish registers do not include the name of the father of children baptized there in the period 1581-1604, the spacing of the baptisms strongly implies that there was only one Heath family having children in the parish in the 1580s and 1590s. Beginning in 1604, the baptismal registers include the father's name, and that year William's son Thomas was baptized there. Chronology suggests that this was William Heath's last child. Significantly, no further children for this William appear in the registers of either Ware or Great Amwell.

\* A William Heath, merchant taylor, m. at St. Botolph, Bishopsgate, London, 28 Feb. 158[4]/5, Ellen (\_\_\_\_) Swanton, widow of Thomas Swanton of the parish of Whitechapel; an Ellen Heath m. there 17 Jan. 1593/4, Stephen Wylde (*Allegations for Marriage Licences Issued by the Bishop of London 1520 to 1610*, Publications of the Harleian Society, 25 [London, 1887], 137); *Hallen's London City Church Registers*, III. St. Botolph, Bishopsgate [London, 1895], 19, 26, 115). This William, however, had a son Robert bp. at St. Botolph 4 Dec. 1586, which appears to be inconsistent with the baptism of Isaac Heath, the New England immigrant, at Ware 13 Feb. 1586/7.

Probable children; surname *Heath*:

- i. JOHN, bp. at Ware 5 Aug. 1581; d. probably young, before 25 July 1591 when another son was named John.
- ii. ALICE, bp. at Ware 22 Dec. 1583; buried at Great Amwell 10 Oct. 1640; probably the Alice Heath who m. there 19 Sept. 1614, as his first wife, NATHANIEL LARKE of Amwell Street, Great Amwell, who was buried there 24 Feb. 1648/9, having survived his second wife, Annis \_\_\_\_\_, by only a few days. He was one of the overseers of the will of Thomas Johnson of Ware, dated 13 Aug. 1639, proved 9 Feb. 1640 (ERO, D/ABW 57/46).

Children bp. and bur. at Great Amwell; surname *Larke*: 1. Elizabeth, bp. 23 July 1615; bur. 9 Aug. 1615. 2. Mary, bp. Sept. 1616; bur. 8 Oct. 1616. 3. John, bp. 2 Nov. 1617. 4. Mary, bp. 7 Feb. 1618/9; bur. 4 June 1619. 5. Elizabeth (twin), bp. 2 April 1620. 6. Mary (twin), bp. 2 April 1620. 7. Nathaniel, bp. 3 June 1621; bur. 12 Oct. 1622. 8. Joseph (twin), bp. 20 Oct. 1623. 9. Benjamin (twin), bp. 20 Oct. 1623; bur. 6 March 1645/6. 10. Susan, bp. 1 June 1625; bur. 12 April 1626. 11. Nathaniel, bp. 15 Sept. 1626; bur. in Sept. 1626. (By his second wife, Annis, Nathaniel Larke had: *Susanna*, bp. 21 Oct. 1642 and *Rebecca*, bp. 23 Feb. 1643/4.)

- iii. ISAAC<sup>1</sup>, bp. at Ware 13 Feb. 1586/7; d. at Roxbury, Mass., 21 Jan. 1660/1 aged about 75 years; m. at Ware, Herts., 14 Jan. 1628/9, ELIZABETH MILLER, bp. at Bishop's Stortford, Herts., 3 March 1593/4, bur. at Roxbury 14 Jan. 1664/5 aged about 70 years, daughter of Thomas Miller, gentleman, and his wife Agnes. (For information about the Miller family, see Spencer Miller, "The Millers of Bishop's Stortford," in *New York Genealogical and Biographical Record* [hereinafter NYGBR], 70[1939]:148.) Elizabeth was sister of the immigrants Agnes, wife of Robert Burnap, and Margaret, wife of Thomas Waterman. On 22 Dec. 1630, Isaac Heath witnessed the will of Agnes Porter, widow, of Ware (ERO, D/ABW 50/101), whose stepson, Edward Porter, and stepdaughter, Elizabeth Porter (later wife of Heath's nephew, Isaac Johnson of Roxbury, Mass.), immigrated to New England.

Isaac Heath came to New England in 1635 on the ship *Hopewell*, with his wife Elizabeth, one child, and a cousin, Martha Heath. Upon landing, he proceeded to Roxbury where William Heath was already settled; he represented the town in the General Court in 1637 and 1638. In 1637 he was chosen Ruling Elder of the Roxbury church, and held that position until his death. He was one of the founders of the Roxbury free school in 1645. (For more information, see Davis, *Ancestry of Annis Spear*, 29-31.)

Children, bp. at Ware, Herts.; surname *Heath*:

- 1. Elizabeth, bp. 7 Feb. 1629/30; d. at Roxbury, Mass., 6 July 1655 aged 25; m. there 2 April 1649, as his second wife, John Bowles of Roxbury. Their four children included John Bowles, Jr. (1653-1691), who became Speaker of the Massachusetts General Court.
- 2. Isaac, bp. 13 May 1632; buried at Ware 21 June 1632.
- iv. GEORGE, bp. at Ware 4 Aug. 1588, apparently named for his uncle, George Heath, who died the previous month. No further record.
- v. WILLIAM<sup>1</sup>, baptism not found at Ware, Herts.; bur. at Roxbury, Mass., 30 May 1652. Peter Walne, County Archivist for Hertfordshire, suggests that William may have been born at Great Amwell during the pe-

riod, Oct. 1586 to May 1590, when there is a gap in the records (*Register*, 122:21). If so, his birth would necessarily be in early to mid-1590, in order to fit his birth between his brothers George and John; such spacing is consistent with the date of his first marriage and the birthdate of his first wife. He m. (1) at Great Amwell, 10 Feb. 1616/7, MARY CRAMPHORNE [sic], bp. at Sawbridgeworth, Herts., 16 Jan. 1592, bur. at Great Amwell 24 Nov. 1621, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Lyndesell) Cramphorne. He m. (2) at Gilston, Herts., 22 Jan. 1622/3, MARY PERRY, bp. at Sawbridgeworth 27 June 1602, bur. at Roxbury, Mass., 15 Dec. 1659, daughter of John and Annes (Peerce) Perry.

William Heath immigrated in 1632 on the ship *Lyon*, with his wife, Mary, and five children. He became a prominent figure in Roxbury, representing the town in the colony's first General Court on 14 May 1634 and in the courts of 1637, 1639, and 1640 through 1642. (For additional information, see Davis, *Ancestry of Annis Spear*, 32-34.)

Children; surname *Heath*,

by first wife, Mary Cramphorne:

1. *Mary*, bp. at Great Amwell 10 May 1618; living, unm. in 1652, probably an invalid or incompetent.
  2. *Isaac*, bp. at Great Amwell 21 May 1620; d. at Roxbury, Mass., 29 Dec. 1694; m. there 16 Dec. 1650, Mary Davis.
  3. *Daughter*, stillborn, bur. at Ware 27 Nov. 1623.
- by second wife, Mary Perry, bp. at Nazeing, Essex:
4. *Peleg*, bp. 30 Jan. 1624/5; d. at Roxbury, Mass., 18 Nov. 1671; m. Susanna (prob. Barker).
  5. *Mary*, bp. 2 Sept. 1627; d. at Braintree, Mass., 7 Dec. 1674; m. ca. 1643 George Spear. (See Verne Raymond Spear, *The Descendants of George Spear who settled at Braintree, Massachusetts 1642 - 1988* [West Hawley, Mass., 1988], 17-18.)
  6. *Hannah*, bp. 5 Nov. 1629; m. Isaac Jones of Dorchester, Mass.
- vi. *JOHN*, bp. at Ware 25 July 1591; prob. the John Heath bur. there 20 Jan. 1594/5.
  - vii. *MARY*, bp. at Ware 24 March 1593/4; bur. there 15 May 1629; m. there, 21 Sept. 1613, as his first wife, JOHN JOHNSON. He immigrated in 1630 to New England, where he settled in Roxbury, Mass. See Part Two below.
  - viii. *PRUDENCE*, bp. at Ware 6 Nov. 1597; m. at St. Mary Mounthaw, London, 25 Oct. 1622, EDWARD MORRISON of Ware and Great Amwell. See Part Three below.
  - ix. *THOMAS*, bp. at Ware 1 Oct. 1603; prob. the Thomas Heath bur. there 5 Oct. 1603.
  - x. *THOMAS*, bp. at Ware 30 Sept. 1604, "son of William Heath"; m. at Great Amwell, 9 April 1627, ELIZABETH MUMFORD. They lived at Great Amwell, Ware, and Watton at Stone, Herts.

Children; surname *Heath*: 1. and 2. *Twin Sons*, bur. at Great Amwell 19 Sept. 1627. 3. *Isaac*, bp. at Ware 29 Aug. 1628. 4. *Elizabeth*, bp. at Watton at Stone 14 Jan. 1630/1. 5. *John*, bp. at Watton at Stone 1 May 1633.

## UNPLACED HEATHS

AGNES HEATH, bp. not found; m. at Great Amwell, Herts., 20 Aug. 1593, HENRY TILSTON. It was probably their dau. Elizabeth Tilston who was bp. there 16 Nov. 1595, parents not stated. No further information.

ANNE HEATH, bp. not found; bur. at Ware 11 April 1634; m. there, 8 May 1623, EDWARD CHAPMAN. They were presumably the Edmond [sic] and Anne Chapman who had dau. Anne bp. at Ware 13 June 1627, bur. there 2 Dec. 1627.

AVIS HEATH, bp. not found; bur. at Ware 12 Nov. 1602. She had an illegitimate son, THOMAS, bp. there 18 June 1598 who could be the man of that name who m. ELIZABETH MUMFORD, but chronology suggests that he was more likely the son of William Heath (see above).

GEORGE HEATH, buried at Ware 6 July 1588. He made a nuncupative will dated 4 July 1588 and proved 15 July 1588 by the witnesses William Picke, Agnes Barton wife of John Barton of Ware, and George Bearstowe and Agnes Glover of Amwell, in which he "gave all his goods unto Elizabeth his wyfe and made her his sole executrix" (PCC, 47 Rutland, on FHL microfilm 91,974).

MABEL HEATH, bp. not found; bur. at Ware 19 Nov. 1620; m. there, 22 Feb. 1592/3, JOHN DAVISON, probably the same bp. there 14 Nov. 1575, parents not stated. Either he or his son, John, Jr., was bur. there 7 June 1618. They had children, bp. at Ware; surname *Davison*: 1. *George*, bp. 2 Dec. 1593. 2. *Elizabeth*, bp. 1 Nov. 1596. 3. *Richard*, bp. 25 Nov. 1599. 4. *Launcelot*, bp. 28 March 1602; bur. at Ware 4 June 1603. 5. *William*, bp. 12 Jan. 1605/6; prob. the same bur. at Ware 31 Jan. 1615/6. 6. *John*, bp. 26 March 1609; either he or his father bur. at Ware 7 June 1618. 7. *Elizabeth*, bp. 10 May 1612.

RICHARD HEATH, placement not certain, but quite possibly a brother of Edward Heath (d. 1593) of Ware. Richard was a painter and lived at Sawbridgeworth, Herts. In his will dated 3 Dec. 1593, proved in 1594 (ERO, D/ABW 19/239), he named his wife KATHERINE ("Catarne"), eldest son George, son William and his two children, and daughter Ellen. Similarity of given names with those used in the Ware family (Edward Heath had twins named Richard and Katherine, baptized in 1568) suggests close kinship between the two. Significantly, Richard Heath's will was witnessed by Thomas Cramphorne whose daughter, Mary, later became the first wife of the immigrant, William Heath. Richard Heath's widow, Katherine, in her will dated 20 Jan. 1593/4 and proved 28 March 1594, named her daughter Ellen (*ibid.*, 19/243).

SUSAN HEATH, bp. at Ware 7 March 1573/4, parents not stated; bur. there 23 April 1604; m. there 28 April 1595, LAWRENCE WHEATLEY, who was bur. there 10 Oct. 1622. Children, bp. at Ware; surname *Wheatley*: 1. *Robert*, bp. 12 Oct. 1595. 2. *George*, bp. 30 July 1598; bur. at Ware 16 May 1610. 3. *William*, bp. 28 June 1601; bur. at Ware 19 Feb. 1630/1; m. there 24 Nov. 1628, Joane Hitchings. 4. *Susan*, bp. 18 April 1604; bur. at Ware 9 Feb. 1610/11.

WILLIAM HEATH, bp. not found; m. at Widford, Herts., 18 Sept. 1624, Susan Crosse, who was bur. at Ware 29 Oct. 1648. He was a witness to the will of John Wise, cordwainer, of Ware, dated 9 Oct. 1629, proved 28 Oct. 1629 (PCC, 90 Ridley, on FHL microfilm 92,118). Children, bp. and bur. at Ware; surname *Heath*: 1. *Agnes*, bp. 14 Feb. 1626/7. 2. *Julian* (dau.), bp. 22 Feb. 1628/9. 3. *John*, bp. 3 Feb. 1630/1. 4. *William*, bp. [16?] June 1633. 5. *Anne*, bur. at Ware 3 June 1646.

## II. JOHN JOHNSON OF ROXBURY

The only Johnson-Heath marriage found in the Ware registers was that of a Mary Heath on 21 September 1613, to John Johnson. The subsequent baptisms of children to this couple made it clear that here was the immigrant John Johnson and his first wife.

That she was named *Mary* came as something of a surprise, for Johnson's first known wife in New England records was named *Margery*. Further searching in the Ware registers explained the discrepancy. John Johnson's wife, Mary, was buried there 15 May 1629, the year before he emigrated. Thus it appears that he married his second wife, Margery, sometime after arriving in New England – a situation which is further suggested by the undated church membership list of Rev. Eliot of Roxbury, in which the name of John Johnson is among the first members in about 1630, with the name of his wife Margery appearing much further down the list among those who came about 1633.

John Johnson and his first wife, Mary Heath, had ten children born between 1614 and 1628, recorded at Ware or Great Amwell. Of these ten, four apparently died in England, and five of the remaining six were still living at the date of John Johnson's will probated in 1659. Of these five, four have been conclusively identified in New England records. Significantly, the names and approximate birth dates of these four dovetail perfectly with the records of John Johnson's children found in England.

Judging from the date of his marriage, John Johnson was born probably about 1590. A thorough search of the registers of Ware and Great Amwell failed, however, to locate his baptismal record. Because the Great Amwell registers contain a gap from October 1586 to May 1590, it is not clear whether he was born there or elsewhere. An examination of the one Johnson probate available for the two parishes shed no light whatsoever on the matter.\* Thus, the question of John Johnson's parentage and place of birth remains unanswered.

In the hope that an answer might yet be found, an abstract of all Johnson entries from the Ware and Great Amwell registers is provided be-

\* Thomas Johnson of Ware, yeoman, in his will dated 13 Aug. 1639 and proved in 1641, witnessed by Samuel Story and Richard Luptaine [his mark], named his wife Alice; left to his eldest son Thomas a house in Hodsdon in the parish of Great Amwell, land in Broxburne parish, Dole-mead-gappe, and Chalder-mead; to second son Jonathan three houses in Hodsdon in Broxburne parish and two houses in Ware; to eldest daughter Sarah Johnson personal property; to younger daughter Mary Johnson a house in Hodsdon in Broxburne; to Joane Deane, wife of Richard Deane of Hartford, husbandman; Elizabeth, wife of Samuel Walton of London, glover; and Anne, wife of William Boreham of Hodsdon, husbandman, sums of money. If all four children died without issue, the testator's lands to descend to the heirs of his uncle Richard Lyfe of Ryegate, Surrey. Wife Alice to be executrix; good friends Nathaniel Larke of Amwell, yeoman, and Samuel Walton of London, glover, overseers. Friends Thomas Hassall, vicar of Great Amwell, Nathaniel Larke, William Moore, and Thomas Dowell, all of Great Amwell, "feoffees in trust to execute" the will.

low, followed by a short pedigree of the family of the immigrant, John Johnson.

Ware, Hertfordshire (FHL Microfilm 991,326)

#### Baptisms

|                  |                                                                |
|------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| 13 Jan. 1559/60  | Margaret Johnson                                               |
| 24 Aug. 1561     | John Johnson                                                   |
| 24 March 1565/6  | Ellyn Jonson                                                   |
| 6 Feb. 1568/9    | Andrew Johnson                                                 |
| 10 Feb. 1571/2   | Roberte Johnson                                                |
| 13 March 1585/6  | Margaret Jonson                                                |
| 28 Oct. 1599     | Elizabeth Johnson                                              |
| 29 March 1601    | Agnes Johnson                                                  |
| 6 March 1602/3   | Robert Johnson                                                 |
| 24 March 1604/5  | Thomas Johnson sonne of John                                   |
| 29 March 1607    | Richarde Johnson sonne of John                                 |
| 6 Sept. 1607     | Katherine Johnson daughter of John                             |
| 27 Nov. 1608     | Nicholas Johnson sonne of John                                 |
| 18 Oct. 1609     | Rose Johnson daughter of John                                  |
| 11 Feb. 1609/10  | John Johnson sonne of John Johnson housrider                   |
| 11 March 1609/10 | Thomas Johnson sonne of Thomas                                 |
| 22 Dec. 1611     | Susan Johnson daughter of John Johnson weaver                  |
| 19 April 1612    | Thomas Johnson sonne of Thomas                                 |
| 24 May 1612      | Alice Johnson daughter of John Johnson housrider               |
| 9 Aug. 1612      | Elizabeth Johnson daughter of Thomas                           |
| 31 July 1614     | Mary Johnson daughter of John                                  |
| 13 Nov. 1614     | Susan Johnson daughter of Thomas                               |
| 19 Nov. 1615     | Nicholas Johnson son of Thomas                                 |
| 14 April 1616    | Frauncis daughter of John Johnson                              |
| 15 Sept. 1616    | Joane Johnson daughter of Lawrence                             |
| 12 Dec. 1618     | John Johnson son of Thomas and Katherine                       |
| 14 Feb. 1618/9   | Robert and Susan Johnson, son and daughter of Thomas and Susan |
| 11 Aug. 1620     | Agnes Johnson daughter of Lawrence and Dorcas                  |
| 24 Dec. 1620     | Alice Johnson daughter of John and Francis                     |
| 31 Dec. 1620     | John Johnson son of Thomas and Susan                           |
| 30 June 1622     | [ ]topher Johnson son of Lawrence and Dorcas                   |
| 11 Jan. 1623/4   | Mary Johnson daughter of William and Marie                     |
| 12 Nov. 1624     | Sara Johnson daughter of John and Mary                         |
| 16 Jan. 1624/5   | Mary Johnson daughter of Thomas and Susan                      |
| 29 Jan. 1625/6   | Josuah Johnson son of George and Anne                          |
| 7 Sept. 1626     | Henry Johnson son of Larence and Dorcas                        |
| 28 Jan. 1626/7   | Grace Johnson daughter of William and Marie                    |
| 6 March 1626/7   | Joseph Johnson son of John and Marie                           |
| 10 June 1627     | Fraunces Johnson daughter of Robt. and Joane                   |
| 8 July 1627      | Marie Johnson daughter of George and Anne                      |
| 23 March 1627/8  | Hannah Johnson daughter of John and Mary                       |
| 26 May 1629      | Richard son of Rose Johnson bastard                            |
| 12 July 1629     | Vergerice Johnson son of Larrence and Dorcas                   |
| 7 Feb. 1629/30   | Mary Johnson daughter of William and Joane                     |
| 9 Feb. 1629/30   | Rebecca Johnson daughter of William and Mary                   |
| 15 Apr. 1632     | Robert Johnson son of Robert and Jone                          |
| 3 June 1632      | Elizabeth Johnson daughter of Thomas and Susan                 |
| 19 May 1633      | Mary Johnson daughter of Richard and Joyce                     |
| 29 May 1633      | Martha Johnson daughter of Wm. and Mary                        |
| 10 April 1636    | William Johnson son of William                                 |
| 3 July 1636      | John Johnson son of John                                       |

18 Feb. 1637/8 Henry Johnson son of John and Alice  
3 Feb. 1638/9 Francis Johnson daughter of Richard and Joyce

Marriages

10 Nov. 1583 Thomas Gonson and Elizabeth Gwin  
28 May 1599 John Johnson and Frances Skyngle  
13 May 1602 Henry Johnson and Sara Archer  
5 June 1608 Thomas Johnson and Sara Shawe  
15 Jan. 1608/9 John Kitney and Joane Johnson  
3 June 1610 Thomas Johnson and Susan Comes  
21 Sept. 1613 John Johnson and Mary Heath  
16 Feb. 1613/4 Lawrence Johnson and Dorcas Nele  
22 July 1621 George Woode and Elizabeth Johnson  
26 Oct. 1625 George Johnson and Anne Downes  
7 Nov. 1625 Robert Johnson and Joane Wattes  
22 Aug. 1629 Richard Barker and Rose Johnson  
23 Jan. 1631/2 Richard Johnson and Joyce Cooper  
8 Nov. 1635 William Johnson and Cicely Bawm[an?]  
20 Oct. 1639 Alexander Whiskard and Sarah Johnson  
14 Oct. 1643 Richard Johnson and Elizabeth Delloe  
14 Feb. 1640/1 Richard Bonis and Francis Johnson  
30 Jan. 1649/50 John Johnson and Mary Clark

Burials

25 Sept. 1559 Thomas Jonson  
17 Jan. 1559/60 Margaret Jonson  
13 April 1562 Willyam Jonson  
25 Dec. 1574 Willyam Jhonson  
19 Nov. 1577 John Johnson  
21 June 1578 Agnes Johnson  
16 Sept. 1587 Helen Johnson  
11 May 1590 Thomas Johnson  
8 Sept. 1607 Katherine Johnson  
2 Dec. 1608 Nicholas Johnson  
1 Jan. 1611/12 Henry Johnson  
13 March 1611/12 Joane Johnson  
23 Aug. 1612 John Johnson  
25 Aug. 1613 Sarah Johnson  
19 Nov. 1613 Thomas Johnson  
6 March 1614/5 A woman child unbaptized daughter of John Johnson  
29 Aug. 1615 Susan Johnson  
17 Oct 1616 Susan Johnson  
20 Jan. 1617/8 Clare Johnson  
12 March 1617/8 Ralph Johnson  
5 June 1619 Thomas Johnson  
14 Aug. 1620 Agnesse Johnson  
28 Jan. 1622/3 A woman child stilborne of William Johnsons  
2 Feb. 1622/3 Mary Johnson  
30 March 1627 Joseph Johnson  
6 July 1627 John Johnson  
15 May 1629 Mary the wife of John Johnson  
3 Aug. 1629 Richard the child of Rose Johnson bastard  
16 Aug. 1629 Susan Johnson daughter of John  
28 Aug. 1634 Alice Johnson daughter of John  
28 Aug. 1634 Alice Johnson daughter of John  
24 Nov. 1634 Anne Johnson wife of George  
25 Feb. 1634/5 Robert Johnson sonne of Robert  
15 Nov. 1635 John Johnson

|                |                                               |
|----------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| 14 May 1637    | Mary Johnson daughter of Richard              |
| 16 Dec. 1637   | Sisley Johnson wif of William                 |
| 18 Feb. 1638/9 | Anne Johnson daughter of Richard and Joyce    |
| 22 Aug. 1640   | Wyddow Johnson late wife of John              |
| 17 Oct. 1640   | Thomas Johnson an old man                     |
| 28 May 1641    | Mary Johnson daughter of John and Anne        |
| 16 June 1641   | Isabel Johnson daughter of Thomas and Martha  |
| 12 July 1641   | Francis Johnson daughter of Richard and Joyce |
| 27 Nov. 1644   | Will. Johnson bricklayer                      |
| 19 Dec. 1644   | Will. Johnson of the Widdow                   |
| 14 Jan. 1644/5 | Anne Johnson son [sic] of John                |
| 16 July 1646   | Mary Johnson a nurse child at Ant. Crossies   |
| 18 July 1646   | An unbaptized son of William Johnson          |
| 25 Feb. 1646/7 | Elizabeth Johnson daughter of Richard         |
| 24 Aug. 1648   | William Johnson son of Thomas and Martha      |
| 22 Sept. 1648  | Mary Johnson daughter of John                 |
| 21 Aug. 1649   | Mary Johnson daughter of Robert               |
| 1 Sept. 1649   | Francis Johnson daughter of Robert            |
| 30 Aug. 1650   | Elizabeth Johnson daughter of John            |

Great Amwell, Hertfordshire (FHL Microfilm 991,303; see also *The Parish Register and Tithing Book of Thomas Hassall of Amwell*, Stephen G. Doree, ed., Hertfordshire Record Society Publications, 4 [Cambridge, 1989], which includes a printed copy of the Great Amwell registers for the period 1600-1657)

#### Baptisms

|                 |                                                                                                    |
|-----------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 Sept. 1581    | Thomas Jonson [no parentage given; see bur. of this child under the date, 2 Sept. 1581]            |
| 3 March 1583/4] | Thomas Johnson [no parentage given]                                                                |
| 11 Feb. 1615/6  | Isaack the sonne of John Johnson of ware end                                                       |
| 5 April 1618    | John the sonne of John Johnson of ware end and Mary his wife                                       |
| 22 Aug. 1619    | Elizabeth the daughter of John Johnson of Ware End                                                 |
| 5 Nov. 1620     | Humphrey the sonne of John Johnson of Ware end and Marye his wife                                  |
| 18 March 1620/1 | Sarah daughter of Thomas Johnson of Hodsdon end and Alice his wife                                 |
| 20 April 1622   | Joseph the sonne of John Johnson of Ware end and of Mary his wife                                  |
| 24 Nov. 1622    | Susan ye daughter of Thomas Johnson of Ware end and of Katherine his wife                          |
| 16 July 1623    | Susan the daughter of John Johnson of Ware end and of Mary his wife                                |
| 16 Apr. 1626    | Jonathan the sonne of Thomas Johnsons of Hodsdon and of Alice his wife                             |
| 10 July 1629    | Marye the daughter of Thomas Johnson of Hodsdon and of Alice his wife baptized at Hodsdon chappell |

#### Marriages

|                |                                                     |
|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| 27 June 1580   | Thomas Johnson and Allice Briggs                    |
| 7 April 1591   | William Archer and Alice Johnson                    |
| 24 June 1604   | John the sonne of Willfred Johnson of Hodsdon End   |
| 25 April 1607  | Thomas the sonne of Willfrid Johnson of Hodsdon End |
| 20 May 1616    | Francis Johnson and Margaret Gardner                |
| 30 May 1622    | William Johnson and Mary Clerks                     |
| 13 Nov. 1636   | Hester daughter of William Johnson & Sisly his wife |
| 3 Feb. 1639/40 | John Johnson and Anne Gillford                      |

#### Burials

|              |                                                                     |
|--------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2 Sept. 1581 | Thomas Jonson [see bapt. of this child under the date 1 Sept. 1581] |
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|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 27 Janl 1593/4 | John Johnson                                                                            |
| 15 Oct. 1595   | Mother Johnson of Whithunde                                                             |
| 9 April 1613   | Susan the base daughter of Dorothy Johnson of Hodsdon end                               |
| 1 Jan 1618/9   | Joane the wife of Thomas Johnson of Hodsdon end                                         |
| [?] May 1622   | Joseph the sonne of John Johnson of ware end and of Marye his wife                      |
| 29 Dec. 1624   | Annis Johnson, Goodale, Foxe, a hagge of the almshouses in Hodsdon                      |
| 18 Sept. 1628  | John Josonne of Richard Hale of Haly a hopefull yonge man dyinge of<br>the smalle pocks |
| 13 Nov. 1638   | William Johnson of London                                                               |
| 24 Sept. 1655  | Mary Johnson (incerti parentis) from the widowe Hancock's at Ware<br>End                |

1. JOHN<sup>1</sup> JOHNSON was born say 1590, and he died at Roxbury, Massachusetts 30 September 1659. He married, first, at Ware, Hertfordshire, 21 September 1613, MARY HEATH, who was baptized there 24 March 1593/4 and was buried there 15 May 1629 (see Part One, above). He married, second, probably in New England, date unknown, MARGERY \_\_\_\_\_, who died at Roxbury, Massachusetts, 4 November 1655. He married, third, between the date of Margery's death and 4 November 1655 and October 1656, GRACE (NEGUS) FAWER, who was born in England, perhaps baptized at Shelton, co. Bedford, 5 January 1603/4, and died at Roxbury 21/29 December 1671, the widow of Barnabus Fawer and the sister of Jonathan and Benjamin Negus (*The Genealogist*, 6 [1985]:196-7).

John Johnson was constable of Roxbury, 1630, admitted freeman 1631, and deputy to the General Court, 1634-38, 1642-42, 1645-53, 1656-59, thirty sessions distributed throughout twenty years. He was Clerk of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company 1638-40, surveyor general of arms, 1641-59, and received a colonial grant of 300 acres for his services — "a man of estate and distinction, says Savage" (Clarence W. Bowen, *The History of Woodstock, Connecticut*, 7 [1943], 147-48; see also Mary Lovering Holman, *Ancestry of Col. John Harrington Stevens and his wife, Frances Helen Miller*, 1 [1948], 318-22). *The Ancestors of Emily Jane Angell*, by Dean C. Smith and Melinde Lutz Sanborn (forthcoming, late 1992), will include extensive information about John Johnson.

Children, all by first wife, Mary Heath; surname *Johnson*:

- i. MARY<sup>2</sup>, bp. at Ware 31 July 1614; bur. at Rehoboth, Mass., 29 Jan. 1678/9; m. (1) date uncertain, ROGER MOREY [MOWRY] of Salem, Mass., and Providence, R.I., who d. 5 Jan. 1668; m. (2) 16 March 1674 JOHN KINGSLEY, who was bur. at Rehoboth 6 Jan. 1678.
- ii. ISAAC, bp. at Great Amwell 11 Feb. 1615/6; killed in service, King Philip's War, 19 Dec. 1675. He m. at Roxbury, 20 Jan. 1636/7, ELIZABETH PORTER, bp. at Ware, Herts., 10 Feb. 1610/11, d. at Roxbury between 10 Feb. 1675 and 4 Oct. 1683, dau. of Adrian and Elizabeth (Allott) Porter. An article on Elizabeth Porter's ancestry by the present author is in preparation. Among Isaac and Elizabeth Johnson's descendants was Franklin Pierce, 14th president of the U.S. (G. B. Roberts, *Ancestors of American Presidents* [hereinafter *Anc. Amer. Pres.*], preliminary ed., rev. [Santa Clarita, Calif., 1989], 23-26, 249). Six children.
- iii. JOHN, bp. at Great Amwell 5 April 1618; d.y., possibly the John Johnson bur. at Ware 6 July 1627.