

Plymouth, by the side of the Pilgrim fathers, and her gravestone bears the following inscription: "In Memory of Mrs. Katurah Hovey wife of Capt. Samuel Hovey who died Feb. 14, 1790 in ye 37 year of her age. Also in Memory of Rachel, their Daughter who died Octr. 1790 aged 8 months & 5 days." He married, second, Cath ———.

Mr. Hovey was called of Wells, Me., in 1806.

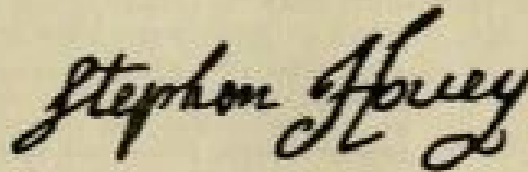
Children:—

- 549—I. OLIVE<sup>d</sup>, born May 26, 1779.  
 550—II. MARY<sup>d</sup>, born Nov. 25, 1780; married Jesse, son of Sylvanus and Martha (Waite) Bartlett May 28, 1809. He was born in 1772; and married, first, Betsey Drew. The children of Jesse and Mary (Hovey) Bartlett were born as follows:  
 1. Sylvanus<sup>d</sup>, married Sarah Loring. 2. William D.<sup>d</sup> 3. Catherine<sup>d</sup>.  
 551—III. JANE<sup>d</sup>, born Nov. 17, 1782, in Plymouth; married Jacob, son of Isaac and Sarah (Doten) Howland in 1798. Child: 1. Pamela<sup>d</sup>, born Nov. 22, 1805, in Plymouth; married Thomas, son of Ichabod and Jerusha (Doten) Bearce of Plymouth April 6, 1825. He was born in Plymouth March 3, 1806; was an iron worker and farmer; and lived at Chiltonville, in Plymouth. She died in Plymouth May 14, 1876; and he died there April 16, 1883. They had nine children.  
 552—IV. CATHERINE<sup>d</sup>, born June 2, 1785; married Isaac Jackson Lucas in 1819.  
 553—V. SAMUEL<sup>d</sup>, born Oct. 7, 1787.  
 554—VI. RACHEL<sup>d</sup>, born Feb. —, 1790; died Oct. —, 1790, aged eight months and five days.  
 555—VII. SYLVANUS JOURDAINE<sup>d</sup>, born July 28, 1791.

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STEPHEN HOVEY<sup>d</sup>, born in Topsfield, Mass., Feb. 24, 1741-2. He was a yeoman, and lived in Topsfield until about 1768, when he settled at Mangerville, on the St. John river, in New Brunswick. For one hundred and twenty-one pounds, he conveyed sixty acres and one hundred and thirty rods of land in Topsfield May 3, 1765.\* For eight pounds, he conveyed to Allen Pearly of Ipswich, yeoman, two acres of meadow in Topsfield, on Pie brook, April 10, 1767.†

The following is a copy of Mr. Hovey's signature on a bond given in the course of settlement of the estate of his father in 1765:



Mr. Hovey married Abigail, daughter of Nathaniel and Abigail (Potter) Hood of Topsfield (published July 18, 1761). She was baptized in Topsfield May 24, 1741. She was his wife

\* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 115, leaf 223.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 158, leaf 76.

in 1767. The dates of their deaths have not come to the knowledge of the writer; he was dead in 1793, however.

Their children were born as follows:—

- 556—I. AARON<sup>a</sup>, baptized March 14, 1762, in Topsfield. *See family numbered "556."*
- 557—II. MARY<sup>a</sup>, baptized March 4, 1764, in Topsfield.
- 558—III. ABIGAIL<sup>a</sup>, baptized Sept. 29, 1765, in Topsfield.
- 559—IV. SARAH<sup>a</sup>, married Malachi Orcutt of Penobscot, Me., yeoman, and she probably died, childless, before 1793. Mr. Orcutt, for six pounds, conveyed to John Tibbits of Bangor, Me., yeoman, the estate "coming to me or my wife Sarah Orcutt by heirship out of my father Stephen Hovey's estate, late of Topsfield, deceased, he being heir to his father Aaron Hovey's estate, of Topsfield, deceased," July 24, 1793.\* For seven pounds and three shillings, Mr. Tibbits conveyed to Ivory Hovey of Topsfield, yeoman, Timothy Emerson, yeoman, and Joseph Hood, yeoman, both of Hollis, N. H. all the estate of Stephen Hovey, late of Majorville, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, yeoman, and also said Sarah's interest in the estate of Aaron Hovey of Topsfield, deceased, Sept. 10, 1793.†

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LT. DANIEL HOVEY<sup>a</sup>, born Dec. 20, 1741, in Oxford, Mass. He lived in Oxford, having his father's farm; and was one of the selectmen and constables, and also served in other capacities. He was a lieutenant in Captain Town's company, and marched on the Lexington alarm. With Ebenezer Shumway he purchased sixteen acres of land in Oxford, with the brickyard and clay pits, for thirty pounds, Jan. 25, 1773;‡ and they carried on the brickyard as long as Mr. Hovey lived. It was located northward of Town's pond.

Mr. Hovey married Content Ramsdell of Abington Dec. 31, 1759, in Abington; and died in 1776, his widow, Content Hovey, being appointed administratrix of his estate Feb. 6, 1777. The inventory of his estate amounted to £528, 16s., 4d., of which £382 was real estate, and the balance, £146, 16s., 4d., personal.

Mrs. Hovey married, secondly, Charles Cudworth of Free-town (published May 6, 1782).

Mr. Hovey's children were born in Oxford, as follows:—

- 560—I. SARAH<sup>a</sup>, born Dec. 23, 1760; married Moses Nelson of Sutton, husbandman, Aug. 19, 1779; and they were living there Feb. 21, 1784, when they, for twenty-eight pounds, released to her brother Gideon Hovey one-half of their father's homestead.§
- 561—II. GIDEON<sup>a</sup>, born Nov. 22, 1762. *See family numbered "561."*
- 562—III. LYDIA<sup>a</sup>, born April 6, 1765; living at Putney, Vt., unmarried, in 1792.

\* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 157, leaf 55.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 157, leaf 56.

‡ Worcester Registry of Deeds, book 68, page 488.

§ Worcester Registry of Deeds, book 91, page 524.