Berlin in the American Revolution

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Honor Roll

Berlin Soldiers who died

Lt Benjamin Beckley died Nov 12, 1777

Lt John Beckley died Feb 14, 1776 in Boston

Solomon Beckley died December 1776 in the army

Yebidee Beckley died Dec 4, 1776 in the army

Elijah Cole died Dec 25, 1779

Elisha Cole died March 9, 1778

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Daniel Gilbert died December 1776 in the army

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Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
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Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 50 - 1775 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17 and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct. 1775. 8th Company under Capt. Levi Wells of Colchester: Corporal John Allyn, May 10 – Dec 10, 1775
p 548 - July 5, 1779- New Haven Alarm –Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy: John Allyn
p 613 - Misc.: Capt. Matthew Cole has enlisted volunteers – Esq. John Allen was chosen as Captain. Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots, Vol.1 p. Serial: 11999; Volume: 8 – Christian Lane

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
First Clerk of the Berlin Cong. Church in 1775. Died at age 88 (Samuel Peck records give his age at death as 90). Revolutionary. War veteran, General Harte's (catalog card says Gen. Hunt’s) Regiment, 1779. Married in the Kensington Congregational Church, he was from Windsor, she was from Kensington. Early Conn. Marriages, p. 4 Berlin records, p. 211 Married Ruth Burnham on 12-18-1760.

Genealogy research:
Born 1740 in Windsor, son of Benjamin Allyn and Abigail Loomis. Married on May 28, 1770 in Kensington to Ruth Burnham (-1823) Children: John (1762-), Ruth (1764-), Anne (1766-), Chloe (1769-), Benjamin (1770-), Henry (1772-1774 in Christian Lane Cemetery), Henry (1775-1819 in West Lane Cemetery), Benjamin (1778-).
Served as ensign and rose in rank to Captain.

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves


Find a grave (Internet) photo
Andrews/Andrus, Josiah

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
  p 665 - list of applicants for pension for Revolutionary war pension on file 1819 in Berlin
  p. 659 - census 1840 of Berlin pensioners, Rhoda Andrews
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension file
  Private
  Col Sheldon
  6 years
  1777 enlisted under Capt. Benjamin Tallmidge, Light dragoons, Col. Sheriden
  in Battle of Brandywine and Germantown. discharged in Danbury

Genealogy research:
  Ecclesiastical History of Southington
  Genealogical History of John and Mary Andrews by Alfred Andrews, 1872
  Born Oct 24, 1752 in Southington, baptized May 5, 1754, eldest son of Thomas Andrews and Hannah
    Winston
  Taught school during several winters in East St district, Southington.
  Married on June 3, 1779 in Southington to Abigail Gridley
  Children: Infant (March 27, 1780), Marcus (1782-1851), Olive (1786-), Chauncey (1790-1853)
  Moved to Fabius NY in 1804 with wife and sons Marcus,
    Chauncey, and Oliver.
  Died December 1823, buried Oak Hill Cemetery, Southington

Hale Collection: Southington: Oak Hill Cemetery: Josiah Andrews died
  Dec 5, 1821 at age 69.

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Beckley, Benjamin - LT
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Beckley – grave not marked
Was in Lexington Alarm Co from Wethersfield
Lieut 8th Co – 6th Regt 1775

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the Revolution, 1889
p 25 - April 1775 – 6 days service – from Wethersfield under Capt. John Chester for the relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Card catalog notes: "During Revolution served on Town Committee to ship provisions to Boston."
Catharine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut, c1916 - p24 - died 1776 leaving 2 sons

Genealogy research
The Descendants of Richard Beckley, Wethersfield, CT by Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, c1948
Third generation (Benjamin2, Richard1).
Born Dec 16, 1696 in Wethersfield, son of Benjamin Beckley and Rebecca.
Married Mary Lee on March 4, 1730
Children: Rebecca (1732-), Benjamin (1738-), Theodore (1740-1740), Mary (1742-), Theodore (1774-).
died Nov. 12, 1777.

History of Ancient Wethersfield: Wethersfield Inscriptions: Beckley Cemetery: In Memory of Benjamin Beckley who departed this life Nov 12, 1777 in the 80th year of his age

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: Benjamin Beckley died Nov 12, 1777 at age 79

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Beckley, Elias - Captain**
Brother John also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Captain
Beckley (Cemetery) Feb 14, 1816

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Connecticut Rank: Captain
Birth: 2-27-1735  Wethersfield, CT  Death: 2-14-1816  Wethersfield, CT
Service Source: Hoadly, The Public Records of CT, Vol.3 p195, 527
Service Description: Lt, 8th Co, 6th Regiment militia

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Captain
Card catalog notes: "Members [with wife] of Berlin Cong. Church in 1775. An early blacksmith of Berlin, [he] learned how to make tools from father. Around 1785 made tinner's tools. Shop was foundation for a number of machine tool companies. Built own house and made all the iron works, nails, latches and hinges. During Revolution [he] served on Town Comm. to ship provisions to Boston. One of first of 3 town selectmen elected at 1st town meeting at Kens. Cong. Church, 13 June 1785 held for organizational purposes. Son of original settler Richard." Died at age 80. Married in the Kensington Congregational Church, he and his wife were both from Kensington. Berlin records, p. 208. Tinsmiths of Conn., p. 22, 162 Early Conn. Marriages

Genealogy research:
The Descendants of Richard Beckley of Wethersfield, CT by
Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, c1948
4th generation: Elias (John3, Benj2., Richard1)
born Feb 27, 1734/5 Wethersfield, son of John Beckley and Mary Woodruff
Married on Aug 4, 1757 in Kensington to Lois Parsons (1740-1815)
Children: Lois (1758-), Elias (1760-), Rowena (1763-), Olive (1765-), Selah (1767-), Sylvester (1771-), Lois (1773-), Child (1775)
Captain of 8th Co Mil Regt Rev War. On committee in Wethersfield to provide provisions to Town of Boston.
House 506 Wethersfield Road, built 1760 – Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Died Feb 14, 1816


History of Ancient Wethersfield: Wethersfield Inscriptions: In memory of Capt. Elias Beckley, who died Feb 14th 1816 in the 81st year of his age
Beckley, John - Lt
Brother Elijah also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Beck Memorial Library Local History Room
May have died in Boston
Died Feb 14, 1776
3rd Lieut in Lexington Alarm
Lieut in Cap Wills Co, 4th Regt before Boston
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 25 – Lt. – 3rd Company from Wethersfield – 6 days service in Capt. John Chester’s Company in
Lexington Alarm, 1775
p 381 – Jan-March 1776 – Col. Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks: 4th Company under Capt. Hezekiah Welles: Lt John
Beckley
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Service: Connecticut  Rank: First Lieutenant
Birth: 1732  Wethersfield  Death: 2-14-1776 (died) in Service
Service Description: 3LT at Lex Alarm Capt. John Chester
2) 1LT Capt. Hezekiah Wells Col. Wolcott
Berlin-Beck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Catalog card note: Lieutenant John Beckley. Married in the Kensington Congregational [Christian
Lane] Church; John and his wife, Ruth, were from Kensington. He and his wife had 5 daughters and 2
Early CT Marriages - p.3 Married Ruth Hubbard on June 11, 1758 – children John 1768, Sarah
1760, Asaph, Ruth
Catalog card notes: Lexington [?]; 177[?]; Lt., Company Wolares Reg. 1776. Died at age 49. Buried
in Beckley Cemetery. Did not find record of his burial in cemetery records available—no gravestone
Genealogical research
The Descendants of Richard Beckley of Wethersfield, CT by Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, c1948
Fourth generation - John (John, Benjamin, Richard)
Born Dec 22, 1732 in Wethersfield, son of John Beckley and Mary Woodruff
Married on June 11, 1775 to Ruth Hubbard (1732-1817)
Children: Lydia (1759-1862), Sarah (1760-1869), Ruth (1763-1830), John (1765-1765), Mary (1766-
1836), John (1768-1839), Asahel (1771-1830), Child (1774)
House was at 567 Wethersfield Road, but has been torn down.
WPA Census of old Buildings in CT Survey in the CT State Library Digital Collection photo
Died Feb 14, 1776

Map: #24 on map in Beckley Cemetery - Lexington alarm 1775 - Lt - Col

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: John Beckley died Feb 14, 1776 - no gravestone

probably buried in Boston
Beckley, John/Jonathan - LT

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Catalog card notes: Lexington [?]; 177[?]; Lt., Company Wolares Reg. 1776. Died at age 49. Buried in Beckley (Cemetery)

Genealogy research:
born about 1755, son of Daniel Beckley and Ruth Hart.
Married Mary Webster (1754-1811)
Children: Amos (1775-75), Ruth (1777-1849), Rev. Hosea (1779-1843), Roxy (1783-1865), Norman (1794-1836).
Died 1804 at age 49

Map: #24 on map in Beckley Cemetery - Lexington alarm
1775 - Lt - Col Wolcott’s Regt 1776 - Died June 30, 1804 age 49

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: John Beckley - Rev War, Lt John Beckley, Capt. Welles Co, Col Wolcott Regt, June 1804, age 48
Beckley, Richard

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Probably buried in Winsted
Enlisted Feb 26, 1778 Capt. Savage Co, transferred to Col Webb’s Regt 1780
Survivor’s pension application file

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
Spring 1777 at Peekskill. Oct 1777 crossed Hudson during time of the loss of Forts Clinton and Montgomery. Dec 10 at engagement of Long Island with many captured as prisoners. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 marched to Rhode Island battle of August 29, 1778. Wintered in Rhode Island and remained there. Fall 1779 marched to Morristown and wintered there. June 28, 1780 at battle of Springfield, NJ. Then served with main army on both sides of the Hudson.
March 6, 1777 - Richard Beckley in Capt. Abijah Savage’s Company Feb 26, 1778,
appointed Corporal on May 7, 1778,
transferred to Webb’s Regt
1780
Survivor’s pension application file
p. 633 – Private – 1818 list of pensioners
p. 664 – Norfolk – pensioner in 1840 census – age 80
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Service: Connecticut
Rank: Private
Birth: 1759-62 Wethersfield Death: 5-2-1841 Norfolk, CT
Pension Number: *S39188 Service Source: *S39188
Service Description: 1) Capt Abijah Savage, Wyly 2) Col Henry Sherbourne, Webb, Cont. Troop
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
Enlisted Feb 1775 – 3 years
In Abijah Savage’s Co, in Col Sherbourne’s Reg
In Morristown NJ and NY state
Discharged May 1780
Died May 2, 1841 at age 82 in Winchester, CT
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Susannah in May 1766
Genealogy research:
The Descendants of Richard Beckley of Wethersfield, CT by Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, c1948
Fifth generation – Richard (Abraham, Richard, John, Richard)
Military records show Richard as of Wethersfield, a private in Capt. Savage’s Co., Col. Sherburne’s Regt, enlisted Feb 26, 1778, transferred May 1, 1780 to S.B. Webb’s Regt, discharged Jan 1, 1781. He was granted a pension of $96.00 a year in Litchfield County. Served on the Hudson, on Long Island, on RI, and in NJ.
born Sept. 27, 1758, son of Abraham Beckley and Martha Hart.
Married in 1785 to Susannah Wilcox (1756-1828)
Died May 2, 1841 in Winchester, CT. Buried Old Burying Ground, Winsted, CT, no gravestone.

Hale Collection: Winsted - Central Cemetery: Richard Beckley died May 2, 1841, age 82 – no gravestone
Beckley, Silas
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Oct 1823 age 57
Overworked when a boy of 13 years in carrying water to the horses of a company
of Revolutionary soldiers who camped near his mother’s house in Beckley Quarter.
The mother killed a cow and cooked the meat for the hungry men – His back was
injured and he was never afterward well.
Marker placed May 1907
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Baptized in the Kensington Congregational Church. Catalog card note: "Silas died . . . after a
Born Sept 28, 1766 to David and Hepzibah – married Patience North on Nov 4, 1798. died October 1, 1823 and buried in Beckley

Genealogy Research
The Descendants of Richard Beckley of Wethersfield, CT by Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, c1948
Fifth generation – Silas (David4, Joseph3, Nathaniel2, Richard1)
Born Sept 28, 1766, son of David Wilcox and Hepzibah Wilcox
Married on Nov 4, 1798 to Patience North (1775-1836)
Children: Emma (1799-1847), Silas (1802-1882)
Died Oct 1, 1823, Beckley Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Wethersfield inscriptions: Silas Beckley died Oct. 1, 1823 age 57, after a
distressing sickness of 43 years.
Map: Beckley # 18 Died Oct 1, 1823 age 57

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: Silas Beckley died Oct. 1, 1823, age
57 yrs. (flag)

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Beckley Tavern was built in 1688 by John Beckley, a son of Richard Beckley, the first colonial settler in Berlin. The tavern stood on the Hartford/New Haven path near Wethersfield Road where the Stone Bridge condos are located. General Washington stopped in late June 1775 on his way to Boston to assume control of the Continental Army in Boston. A Hartford Courant article of July 3, 1775 states that Washington passed through Hartford “on Friday last”.

Catharine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut shares several stories about the tavern.

At the time of the Revolutionary War the tavern was owned by David Beckley and his wife Hepzibah Wilcox, parents of Silas. North shares that Abigail Pattison said that Hezebiah was renowned for her goodness and kindness of heart. North continues “One day in war time a company of soldiers, almost starved, came along and stopped at the Beckley tavern. Hephzibah had a cow killed as quickly as possible and gave them a hearty dinner. It was her son Silas Beckley who strained himself carrying water from a spring for the horses of a company of soldiers, so that he was an invalid for the rest of his life.” Silas’s tombstone says he died after a distressing illness for forty-three years, age 57 years. p 96

Another story from Catharine North: “There was great excitement when about the time of the Battle of Bunker Hill, General Washington, his aide Major Charles Lee, and his Staff put up at the Beckley House over night. It was said that Eunice Williams helped to set the table for their supper.” In reviewing The Papers of George Washington, Washington was in Cambridge, MA on April 4, 1776 and in New Haven, CT by April 11, so it is probable that during that time he spent a night in Berlin. North continues with a great story: “George Washington must have traveled with a large supply of elm tree switches, and we like to believe the story that the great elm tree directly in front of the house was planted by him at the time of this visit. The tree stands, but the house was torn down by Dick Beckley.” It is wonderful to think of Washington as a Johnny Appleseed character planting elm trees throughout the colonies.

Mary Meskill says that “George Washington returned to the Beckley Tavern in September 1780 and in the spring of 1781 where he enjoyed the hospitality of the Tavern. Eunice Williams Beckley often spoke of the pleasure she felt in preparing the table for the honored guest.”

2 New Britain Herald, October 31, 1968: Berlin’s First European Settler by Mary Meskill
**Beckley, Solomon**

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Beckley (Cemetery) – grave not marked

Responded to Lexington Alarm

From the records of the 2nd Cong Church Berlin: December 1776 Mr. Yebedee Beckley, Solomon Beckley and Mr. Daniel Gilbert died in the army.

Survivor Pension Application File

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 25 – April 1775 – 6 days service – from Wethersfield – under Capt. Chester for the relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm

p 85/ 87 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade.

3rd Company: Capt. Joel Clark of Farmington: Solomon Beckley

Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension

Enlisted 1776 in Capt. Hezekiah Welles’s Co, Lt Charles Churchill Regt

Fortify Roxbury and Dorchester Hill, - dismissed end of March

July 1776 – Lt Aaron Porter’s Co, Col Talcott’ Regt, to New Haven, then by boat to NY, retreat from Long Island, discharged

Genealogical reseach

Beckley Cemetery: Solomon Beckley died Dec 1776 in service – no gravestone
Beckley, Yebidee/ Zebedee
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
From the records of the 2nd Cong Church Berlin: December 1776 Mr. Yebedee Beckley, Solomon Beckley and Mr. Daniel Gilbert died in the army.

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Service: Connecticut  Rank: Private
Birth: 12-31-1763 Wethersfield  Death: 2-5-1851 Barre, VT
Pension N
Service Description: 1) LTS. Peck, Galpin, BeBee, Capt. Savage  2) Ensign, Griffin, Col.
Sherbourne,
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Revolutionary war
Owned covenant, Kensington Congregational Church, 1756-April 1757. Berlin records, p. 145.
Revolutionary War veteran. Brandegee, p. 31 Married to [2d wife?] Elizabeth Belden in the
Kensington Congregational Church, she was from Kensington, he from Worthington (Berlin.) His
name is spelled variously as Zebedee, Zebedy and Zebidee on different records.
Married Hannah.

Genealogy research:
The Descendants of Richard Beckley of Wethersfield, CT by Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, c1948
Fourth generation: Zebedee (Joseph3, Nathaniel2, Richard1)
Born March 8, 1734, son of Joseph Beckley and Mary Judd
Married in 1756 to Hannah Sage (1731-1810)
Children: Solomon (1756-1836), Hannah (1758-1781), Rhoda
(1759-1833), Anne (1762-1827), Zebedee (1763-1851),
Abigail (1769-1798), Josiah (1768-1861), Theodosia
(1772-1806)
Died Dec 4, 1776 in army

Hale Collection - probably buried with army

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Mountain View Cemetery, Canaan, CT:
Yebedee Beckley died Dec 4, 1776 at age 42 in service.
**Bishop, Samuel**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Maple (Cemetery)

Born 1765 – died 1856 – was 93
For service until last of the war
Record given in CMR page 562
Sea coast Defense 1780
In Capt. Woodford’s Co, Northington Parish (Avon), Farmington, Col Meade’s Regt
page 662

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
Under Gen. Spencer. At Boston camps, post at Roxbury, Siege of Boston
p 45 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served
during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17
and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct.
6th Company under Capt. Noahdiah Hooker: Samuel Bishop
p 502 – Apr 22- May 16, 1777 – Capt. Stoddard’s Co, Col Noahdiah Hooker’s Regt – Brig-General
Erastus Wolcott’s Brigade, Peekskill, NY
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready
Saml Bishop Apr 17-May 16 in Capt. James Stoddard
List of the names of men detached from the 6th Brigade in the State of Connecticut to serve in
the defense of the seacoast until March 1780: Saml Bishop in the 15th Regiment under
Colonel Noahdiah Hooker

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Died age 91 at Sept 27, 1856
Catharine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut, c1916

Genealogical research
Born 1765
Married Elizabeth (-1840)
House at 1801 Berlin Turnpike built 1810. Town of Berlin GIS Index
(Internet) photo
Died Sept 27, 1856

Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: Samuel Bishop died Sept 27, 1856 age 93
years

Samuel Bishop was the last Rev War patriot to die in Berlin

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Booth, David
cousin to Thomas

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
No grave found
Pensioner from Berlin

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 165 - July 1, 1780-Dec. 6, 1780 – Col. Charles Webb – 2nd Regt. Connecticut Line with the main army along the Hudson.
p 157 - 2nd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Charles Webb
April 1777 assembled in Danbury, marched to Peekskill. Nov 14, 1777 ordered to join Washington in Pennsylvania, engaged on Dec 8 at Whitemarsh. Wintered at Valley Forge.
On July 28, 1778 at Battle of Monmouth. Moved to White Plains and wintered at Redding. Served on east side of Hudson during 1779. Wintered at Morristown. In 1780 with the main army along the Hudson.
in Captain Mills Company: David Booth July 1, 1780-Dec. 6, 1780
p 632 - Berlin pensioner in 1818 – not continental army
p 665 - list of applicants for pension

Heritage Quest (Internet): pension – wife Betsy
Age 70 in 1829
Enlisted August 1782 in Company Capt. Simeon Nowell in New York

Genealogy research
The Genealogy of the Booth Family by Donald L. Jacobus, c1952
Fifth generation: David (Robert4, Robert3, Joseph2, Richard1)
Born Feb 23, 1759 in Farmington, son of Robert Booth and Ruth Kilborn
Married Hannah Mather (1764-1830)
Served in Revolution Aug 5, 1777 to Jan 1, 1778 under Capt. Judd of Farmington
Buried Feb 21, 1830 in Fairview Cemetery, New Britain

Find a grave (Internet) – New Britain: Fairview Cemetery: David Booth died Feb 21, 1830– no gravestone
Booth, Thomas
cousin to David

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room pension
Beckley (Cemetery) May 1836 age 80

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 168 - 3rd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Samuel Wyllys
Rendezvous in Middletown. Assisted in repelling the enemy during the Danbury attack of April 26-7, 1777. May 1777 ordered to Peekskill. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 camped with Washington’s main army at White Plains. Wintered at Redding. 1779 served east of the Hudson. Wintered in Morristown. 1780 with main army along Hudson.
Thomas Booth in Capt. Judd’s Company March 2, 1778-Dec 31, 1778 – 8 months
p 651 – 1832 – Berlin pensioner
Heritage Quest (Internet) - pension
Nov 1776 – Capt. Bray
Fall 1777 – Capt. Sloper – NY
March 1778
May 1779
Aug 1780
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Revolutionary War veteran, served as a captain in Captain Judd’s Co., 3rd regiment, 2nd CT, 1778 A flag marks his burial site. He was the second husband of Eunice Hurbert. He died at age 80 years. 1790 Census: 1 free white male of 16 years and up, including heads of families 2 free white females of 16 years and up, including heads of families Hale Cemetery Records - p.70
Married 1 Keziah Gilber – married 2 Eunice Hurlbert
Rev War 1778 – Captain – in 3rd Regt Connecticut
Died May 6, 1836 – buried in Beckley
Genealogy research
The Genealogy of the Booth Family by Donald L. Jacobus, c1952
Thomas (Elisha4, Robert3, Joseph2, Richard1)
Born Sept 6, 1757 in Farmington, son of Elisha Booth and Esther Holbrook
Served in 1778 under Capt. Judd of Farmington. Pension 1832
Married Eunice Hurlbert (1767-1851)
Children: Polly (1818-)
Died May 6, 1836 in Berlin at age 80

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Capt. Judd Co 3rd 1778 - Died May 6, 1836 age 80

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: Thomas Booth: Rev War, 3rd Regt., Conn Line, died May 6, 1836, age 80 yrs.
Brandegge, Elishama - Captain
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Captain
Maple Feb 26, 1832 age 78
Record of Service p 46
Born on Christian Lane
He entered May 1775 2nd Cong Regt Capt. Wylys was in Battle of Bunker Hill
(and) Assault on Quebec where he was taken prisoner

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p. 46 – Sept-Dec 1775 – 2nd Company under Capt. Samuel Wylys - marched to Boston camps, post at Roxbury, Siege of Boston, sent with Arnold on Quebec Expedition

p 45 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17 and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct. - 2nd Company under Capt. Samuel Wylys: Elishama Brandige

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A013754 Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 4-17-1754 Berlin, CT Death: 2-26-1832 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Capt. Wylys Col. Spencer 2) Capts Scott Hancheyy, Gen. Arnold

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
May 5, 1775 Conn troops, captured in assault of Quebec and taken prisoner

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
He was a captain in the Revolutionary War, served in General Spencer's Regiment, S. Wylys Company in 1775. He was the oldest of six children. He traded mostly in the West Indies and sailed his own vessels, one of which was the Minerva. He was part owner of this ship, and it was captured by French privateers after the war. He lived on Worthington Ridge and acquired considerable land on the opposite side of the street. He was a member of the Harmony Lodge [Masonic], in 1792. Died at age 78. A Rev. marker is at his burial place.

Genealogy research:
Born April 17, 1754 – parents Jacob Brandegge & Abigail Dunham.
Married on March 10, 1778 in Berlin to Lucy Plumb (1754-1832).
Children: Jacob (1779-1849), Lucy (1781-1855), Elishama (1786-1854), John (1786-1859), Sarah (1793-1809)
He was a sea captain and engaged in the West India trade and had a store at Berlin. He was a soldier in the revolution, enlisting in the Second Company, Second Regiment, under Captain Wylys. He was recruited in Middlesex County and took part in the Battle of Bunker Hill, after which he was detached and assigned to Captain Hanchett's Company, September 1, 1775, taking part in the Arnold Expedition against Canada. After the assault on Quebec he was taken prisoner. The Second Regiment was organized under Colonel Wylys as a continental regiment.

House at 840 Worthington Ridge, built 1830. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

**Carter, Ithiel**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room East/Ledge Cemetery Oct 1827 age 74

Rev war pension application: Private, $96 annual allowance, received $674.86, on roll Jan 21, 1821

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

- p 291 – March 9, 1777-78 – Sergeant from Southington in Capt. Sizer’s Company, Col Crane’s Artillery
- p 289 - Regiment of Artificers under Quartermaster General and consisted of artisans, carpenters, builders, tenet makers, etc. Present at Brandywine, Germantown, Monmouth, and other fields, Captain Sizer’s Company: Ithiel Carter March 9, 1777 for the war

- p 659 – 1840 census of pensioners – Berlin, Lois age 82
- p 633 – Sergeant - not continental pension 1818
- p 665 – list of applicants for pension 1818

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)

- Ancestor #: A019939  Service: Connecticut  Rank(s): Private, Artificer
- Birth: 8-1-1753 Berlin  Death: 10-8-1847 Berlin
- Pension Number: S*W17591
- Service Description: 1) Capts. Sizer & Meigs, Cols. Baldwin & Ward  2) Sergeant

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension

- born 1753 Southington
- enlisted July 3, 1776 into Capt. Meig’s Co., Col Ward’s Regt
- Battle of White Plains, Trenton
- Discharged May 14, 1777
- Enlisted Feb 5, 1778 into Capt. Sloper’s Col Baldwin’s Regt
- Discharged May 7, 1779
- Died Oct 8, 1827 Berlin
- Married Oct 7, 1779 Lois Deming (-1841)
- 15 children

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

- Revolutionary War veteran, served in 1778 in Capt. Sizer's Co.
- Married Lois. Children: Luca, Julis, Sally
- Died Oct 8, 1827 in Ledge Cemetery at age 74

Genealogy research:

- Ecclesiastical and Other Sketches of Southington, Connecticut
- born Aug 1, 1753 Southington, son of Jacob Carter and Mary Barnes.
- Married Lois Deming (Feb 1758-1841)
- Children: Gad (1779-1836), Lucy (1780-1834), Cyrus (1781-1782), Hermas (1782), Almira (1782-1847), Hermas (1784-1861), Julius (1786-1812), Lucas (1787-1815), Ezra (1789-1815), Marcia (1790-1816), Lois (1792-1828), Sally (1793-1796), Eunice (1795-1795), Sally (1796-1825), Cyrus (1797-1873), Orrin (1801-1876)

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

- Map: Capt. Sizer’s Co 1778 - died Oct 8, 1827 age 74

Chipman, Timothy

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
  p 320 - Jan 1, 1781-Dec 31, 1781 – Capt. John Buell – 1st Regt Conn Line
  p 666 - list pension applicants Berlin – private

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
  Private – enlisted February in Wyllys Regt until discharged in 1782

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
  Died at age 66, his name does not appear in Hale cemetery records. Sat in box 14, Kensington Congregational Church in 1815. Berlin records, p. 119 Samuel Peck records. Died 1828/04/15 at age 66. In 1820 census for Berlin

Genealogical research
  Born about 1762
  Married Hannah (-1828) Hannah was buried in Beckley Cemetery.
  1820 census, Berlin
  Died April 14, 1828, age 66

US Church Record Abstracts: Timothy Chipman died April 14, 1828 - no cemetery, no gravestone
Clark, Joseph

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 666 - list pension applicants Berlin

Heritage Quest (Internet)
Dec 1776 private in Capt. Brackett’s Co, Col Douglas
Feb 1777- noncommissioned officer and discharged 1783 – Capt. Ely Co., Col Webb’s Regiment –
battles of Harlem and White Plains – age 64 in 1820 – died July 11, 1823

Genealogical research
1810 census Berlin, 1820 census
Born 1762
Died July 11, 1823 at age 61

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Died June 14, 1823 Blue Hills Cemetery at age 66 by Samuel Peck records or age 66

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Joseph Clark, 1762-
July 11, 1823, at age 61

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Cole, Elijah
Brother Gideon Cole also served
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
Served July 8- Nov. 10, 1775
p 85 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade.
3rd Company: Private Elijah Cole

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Baptized 1780 at KCC on May 23, 1780
widow Sarah Cole
Member Harmony Lodge Masons in 1797: Elijah Cole:

Genealogical research
Born about 1749, son of John Cole and Elizabeth Henderson
Married in 1771 to Sarah Lawson (1752-)
Died Dec 25, 1779 – Blue Hills Cemetery

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Elijah Cole:
30 Co, 8th Cont’l Regt. - Died Dec. 25, 1779 at Ae 30 -
**Cole, Elisha**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room South (Blue Hills Cemetery)

Inscription: Elisha Cole, died Mar 9, 1778, aged 60

Rev Record on page 248 Conn Men in Rev

In Col Webb’s Regt, Continental Line 1777

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p. 248 – Private – from Hartford in Williams Company July 2, 1778 – transferred to invalid corp
April 5, 1781

p 247 - Colonel Samuel Blatchley Webb’s Regiment 1777-1781
Spring 1777 at Peekskill. Oct 1777 crossed Hudson during time of the loss of Forts Clinton and Montgomery. Dec 10 at engagement of Long Island with many captured as prisoners. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 marched to Rhode Island battle of August 29, 1778. Wintered in Rhode Island and remained there. Fall 1779 marched to Morristown and wintered there. June 28, 1780 at battle of Springfield, NJ. Then served with main army on both sides of the Hudson.

Elisha Cole in Capt. William’s Company July 12, 1778 for the war transferred to Invalid Corps on Apr 5, 1781

p 296 – April 6, 1781 – discharge Apr 23, 1783 corps of invalids 1777-1793 – served as guards and light duty

p 296 - Corps of Invalids – Garrisons and guards and light duty of men who could no longer do field service: Elisha Cole

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Married 1 Kesiah Judd (1730-1760) – died 1760, a few minutes after Nathan baptized

Married 2 on Dec 28, 1763 to Rebekah Beckwith

Died March 9, 1778 – Blue Hills cemetery at age 60

Genealogical research

Born 1718, son of Nathaniel Cole and Elizabeth Woodford

Married Keziah Judd (1730-1760)

Children: Selah (1755-1821), Hulda (1756-), Asaph (1757-1815), Thankful (1760-1760), Nathan (1760-)

Married 2 on Dec 28, 1763 to Rebekah Beckwith (1728-1802)

Children: Rachel (1766-1831), Thankful (1768-1821), James (1770-1828)

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: In memory of Mr. Elisha Cole who died March 9th 1778 in the 60th year of his age.

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Cole, Gideon**
Brother Elijah also served

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 85-86 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade. 3rd Company: Gideon Cole


p 168 - 3rd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Samuel Wyllys
Rendezvous in Middletown. Assisted in repelling the enemy during the Danbury attack of April 26-7, 1777. May 1777 ordered to Peekskill. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 camped with Washington’s main army at White Plains. Wintered at Redding. 1779 served east of the Hudson. Wintered in Morristown. 1780 with main army along Hudson. Gideon Cole in Capt. Champion’s Company Jan 20, 1777- 3 years – died June 1, 1779


Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary War Patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
served April 1, 1783 for 8 months regiment for defense of NY frontier, commander was Lt Col Marius Willett

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Rev war - ensign
Member Harmony Lodge 1791
NEGHR July 1884
Descendants of John Cole

Genealogical research
The Early Genealogies of the Cole Families in America by Frank T. Cole, c1887:
Gideon, son of (John6, John5, John4, John3, John2, James1).
Raised a large family of children, who became men and women of excellent and superior qualities of mind and heart and made very useful and influential citizens.
Born May 15, 1751, son of John Cole and Elizabeth Henderson
Married in 1777 to Chloe Beckley
Children: Anna (1778-1860), Henderson (1780-1851), Nancy (1781-1851), Betsey (1783-1807), Amanda (1784-1807), child (1787-1787), Emily (1788-1807) Almira (1791-1820), Horace (1792-1862), Rhoda(1795-1862), Hiram (1797-1847, Chloe (1800-1873), Harmon (1802-1825)
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census NY
commander of levies, defense of frontier in NY State 1783 - 3rd co, 8th regt.
Enlisted July 10, 1776. In Col Wyllys Reg, taken sick in Stamford Nov 1776, discharged Dec 18, 1776
Died Sept 1826 Plattsburg, NY

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Gideon Cole moved to the “Great Swamp” (Kensington). Gideon enlisted in the Revolutionary army on July 10, 1776 and served in Col Wyllys Regiment. Gideon was taken sick at Stamford, CT and discharged Nov 1776. He married Chloe Beckley in 1777 and had 14 children. The family
remained in Kensington then moved to Yates County, NY and then to Prattsburg, NY. He is buried in Prattsburg Pioneer Cemetery, although a stone was added to Blue Hills Cemetery in Kensington as a memorial by his CT relatives. Gideon Cole is listed as a veteran of the Revolutionary War on the veteran’s plaque at the village green in Plattsburgh, NY. Gideon is cousin to Matthew, Job & Solomon Cole

Died Sept 2, 1826 ae 75

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Pioneer Cemetery, Plattsburg, NY
May 15, 1751-Sept 2, 1826, age 75

Prattsburg NY South/Blue Hills Cemetery
**Cole, Job**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

Dunham Cemetery - Oct 15, 1825

Inscription:  Job Cole died Oct 15, 1825 aged 64

Marker placed May 1908

Reference found in supplement to Conn Men in Rev Ct Rev War Military lists:  Job Cole – 1782 4th Regt Col Butler – short term

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Revolutionary War veteran, his grave is marked by a flag. He was baptized and married in the Kensington Congregational Church. Married Ruth. Child: Lucy died 1815

Revolutionary war

Died Oct 15, 1825 in Dunham Cemetery

Genealogy research:

- Born 1760, son of Job Cole and Lydia Judd
- Married Ruth Hart (1767-1838)
- Children: Lucy (-1815)
- Died Oct 15, 1825 – Dunham Cemetery

Hale Collection: Dunham Cemetery: Job Cole: Rev. War, died Oct. 15, 1825, age 64 yrs.

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Cole, Mathew - Captain
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Captain
South (Blue Hills Cemetery) Aug 1807 age 78

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 613 - Jan 15, 1777 – Capt. Mathew Cole’s Company to serve under the command of George Washington.
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready Matthew Cole Apr 3-May 15 in Colonel Noahdiah Hooker’s Regiment, Capt. Asa Bray’s Company
p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy: Matthew Cole.

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A024201 Service: Connecticut Rank: Captain
Birth: 1733 Death: 8-28-1807 Kensington, CT
Service Description: Private in Conn. Regt. – Capt. at New Haven alarm

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
A veteran of the Revolutionary War, serving in the New Haven Alarm in 1779, Matthew Cole “had covenant” with the Christian Lane (Kensington Congregational) Church on September 25, 1756. He was married to his first and second wives in the church, he and his wives were from Kensington. His children were baptized in the church. He died at age 73. Berlin records: p. 94, 108, 109, 145, 157, 167, 170, 181, 183, 222 Early Conn. Marriages: p. 3, 8 Hale Cemetery Records - p.161
Married 1 Rhoda Smith on Dec 9, 1756 in Kensington
Children: Ruth (1757-1816), Mercy, (1757-) Matthew (1760-), Seth (1768-)
Married 2 Mary Norton on June 13, 1781 in Kensington
Child: Mary (1782-1874)
Rev War – Captain in New Haven alarm
Died Aug 23, 1807 – buried in South/Blue Hills Cemetery

Genealogy research:
Born Feb 4, 1733/4 Farmington, son of Mathew Cole and Ruth Hubbard
Married on Dec 9, 1756 in Kensington to Rhoda Smith (1738-1780)
Children: Marcy (1757-1796), Matthew (1760-1810), Rhoda (1766-1854), Seth (1768-1853)
Married 2 on June 13, 1781 in Kensington to Mary Norton (1754-1807).
Children: Mary (1782-1874), Ruth (1787-1816)
Died Aug. 28, 1807 – buried South (Blue Hills) Cemetery
Cousin to Gideon and Job & Solomon Cole

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: New Haven alarm 1779 - Died Aug 23, 1807 age 73

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Mathew Cole: Capt. Rev War., New Haven alarm 1779, died Aug. 23, 1807, age 73
Cole, Nathaniel
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Dunham (Cemetery)  
In Nathaniel Cole died Apr 14, 1841 aged 92 years  
Record for soldier of this name is on paged 524, 582, of the CMR  
In Capt. Chapman’s Co, Col Baldwin’s Regt 1777  
In Cap Canfield Regt Militia 1781 in a company which was made up in Durham  

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889  
P 581 - Colonel Samuel Canfield’s Regiment at West Point, NY Sept. 1781: Nathaniel Cole  

Genealogy Research  
Born: Dec 1749 son of Nathiel Cole and Sarah Steele  
Married to Elizabeth (1754-1819)  
Married 2nd in 1819 to Anner Elton (1787-1866)  
1790 census Berlin, 1840 census Berlin  
No children  
Died Apr 11, 1841 Dunham Cemetery  

Hale Collection: Dunham Cemetery: Nathaniel Cole died Apr. 11, 1841, age 92 yrs. Dunham Cemetery
Cole, Selah
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Blue Hills Cemetery)
Inscription: In Memory of Selah Cole who died July 31, 1821 aged 66
Record page 49 – In Capt. Noahdiah Hooker’s Conn Continental Regt. 1775
No verification in Cowles and Cole Genealogy

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 45 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served
during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17
and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct.
6th Company under Capt. Noahdiah Hooker: Selah Cole

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Rebecca Cole
Married 2nd Sarah Stricklin on March 5, 1810
Died July 3, 1821 Blue Hills
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1820 census

Genealogy Research
Born March 5, 1755 Farmington, son of Elisha Cole and Keziah Judd
Married to Rebekah Royce (1750-1790)
Children: Chloe (1778-), Mary (1780-1840), Anna (1781-), Charlotte (1782-1823), Rebecca (1784-
1866), Selah (1787-)
Died July 3, 1821 – Blue Hills Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Selah Cole, died July 31, 1821, age
66 yrs.
In memory of Selah Cole who died July 3, 1821 age 66

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Cole, Solomon
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 665 - list of applicants for pensions for rev services on file
CT Rev War Military List – 4th Regt Capt. Butler 1782 short term
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Born 1764
Died June 2, 1840 Ohio
Capt. Buel, Col Butler
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
Widow Lydia
Enlisted as a private for 1 year in March 1782 in Capt. David Starr’s Co., Col Zebulon Bulkley’s Regt
Died June 2, 1840 in Ohio

Abstract of graves of revolutionary patriots

Some information on Solomon and his brothers is from a 2009 Berlin, CT newspaper genealogy article.
Source is not proved. - Served in the Revolutionary War in 1782 in the 4th Connecticut Regiment
Levies. ("Short Term" Levies- enlistment: May 1782 - May 1783, with his brother Job Cole)
58th Report (Ohio records). Solomon's Revolutionary War pension records, including some
information on his family are available on the internet. Solomon lived in Berlin (or Kensington) after
the Revolutionary War and married Martha Wiard of Farmington. He applied for a pension in 1818
and it was approved ($98.00 per annum). In 1820, He noted his wife, age 40 (name not given), his
children, Alva, age 18, Orpha, age 11, Nathaniel, age 5, and Erbin, age 3. (correct spelling is Urbane).
In 1837, Solomon moved from CT to OH to live near his children, (almost all of them lived there).
Apparently, his second wife Lydia (Kilby) did not make the move but stayed back in Berlin, where
she applied for and received a widow's pension around 1855. Solomon noted in Sept. 1839 that his
son Erbin (correct spelling is Urbane) left for Lake Superior in May 1839 and had not been heard
from since. He also noted that he had a brother (not named) who served in the same regiment with
him (it was Job Cole, who is buried in a Kensington-Berlin cemetery).

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Parents Nathaniel and Anna Way
baptized Dec 15, 1765 at Kensington Congregational Church
married Martha Wiard on Nov 5, 1801 at Kensington Congregational Church
Married Lydia Kilby in 1822
children: Alvah (1802-), Emma (1805-), Orpha (1808-), Nathaniel (1815-), Urbane (1817-)

Genealogy research: brother to Job, cousin to Gideon and Matthew Cole
Born 1756, baptized March 9, 1766 Kensington, son of Nathaniel Cole and Anna Way
Married on Nov 5, 1801 to Martha Wiard (1781-1822)
Children: Alva (1802-1856), Orpha (1808-1898), Nathaniel (1815-1895), Urban (1817-)
Married 2nd on Nov 23, 1822 to Lydia Kirby (1791-)
Died 1840 in Ashtabula County, Ohio

Solomon Cole died 1840 in Ohio – no cemetery, no gravestone
Cowles, Asahel

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
  p 622 - A Return of the Names of the Men detached in the 15th Regiment by Lt-Col Mead until the
  first of March - from July 29, 1779: Capt. Cole’s Co
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
  Born July 18, 1728. Parents Samuel Cowles and Sarah Wadsworth
  Died July 18, 1795, Ledge cemetery
  Married Esther Hooker
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
  Born 1729
  Married Hannah Porter
  Married 2nd Rachel Bell in 1761 at Kensington Congregational Church
  Children: Ester (1762-), Sarah (1769-), Selina (1766-), Lydia (1773-)
  Died 1807 – Ledge Cemetery
  1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
Genealogical research
  Genealogy of the Cowles Families in America by Frank T. Cole, c1887
  Born July 18, 1728, son of Samuel Cowles and Sarah Wadsworth
  Married Oct 2, 1757 in Kensington to Esther Hooker (1731-1757)
  Children: Samuel (1752-1834), Jabez (1755-1846)
  Married Feb 5, 1761 to Rachel Bell (-before 1798)
  Children: Esther (1762-1793), Sarah (1769-), Selina (1766-), Lydia (1773-)
  Married 3 in 1798 to Hannah Porter (1740-1825)
  House at 18 Niles Court. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
  Died July 18, 1795 – Ledge Cemetery
Hale Collection: Ledge Cemetery: Asabel Cowles: born 1728, died 1807

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Cowles, Jabez - Captain
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
East (Ledge Cemetery) Sept 1846 age 78
Record of service in Conn p 383, 651, 659
Marker placed May 1905
He was a pensioner
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks
3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Jabez Cowles
p 651 - 1832 pensioner
p 659 - 1849 census pensions Berlin
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
Enlisted Jan 1775 Capt. Hart Co/ Col Wolcott Regt – 3 months - Boston
Enlisted July 1776 - Newport
Served Oct 1776 - New York White Plains – 3 months
Served 1778 – Jan – 2 months
Served New Haven alarm
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 11-13-1755 Berlin, CT Death: 9-20-1846 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Capt. Heart. Col. Wolcott
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Nov 13, 1755 Kensington, son of Asahel Cowles and Esther Hooker
Died Sept 20, 1846 in Kensington
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Served as a captain in the Revolutionary War in Capt. Heart’s Co., Col. Wolcott’s Regt. Married wife Betsey Scoville in the Kensington Congregational Church, both were from Kensington. Died at age 91. Berlin Records - p.225 Early Conn. Marriages, Fourth Book - p. 8 Hale Cemetery Records - p.116 Married 1 Betsey. a widow (Scoville, Pratt, Shaw) on March 6, 1786 in Kensington
Genealogical research
Genealogy of the Cowles Families in America by Frank T. Cole, c1887
Born Nov 13, 1755 Kensington, son of Asahel Cowles and Esther Hooker
Married on March 12, 1786 in Kensington to Betsey Pratt (1765-1834)
Children: Linus (1787-1868), Luman (1789-1823), Laura (1792-), Eliza (1795-1800), Betsey (1798-1808)
Hartford Courant obituary: Sept. 26, 1846: At Kensington, Jabez Cowles aged 91 years, a Revolutionary pensioner.
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Hearts Co 1776 - Col. Wolcott Reg - Died Sept 20, 1846 age 92

Cowles, Selah
Brother Zibe also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room South (cemetery)
Ins: In memory of Selah Cowles who died Dec 15th 1827 aged 74
Record page 383 – in Capt. Selah Hart’s Co., Col Wolcott’s Brigade

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks
3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Selah Cowles

Abstract of graves of Revolutionary patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor A026945 Connecticut Rank: Private
Died: 12-15-1827 Kensington, CT
Service Description: Capt. Selah Hart, Col. Wolcott

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Lucy Smith in 1790 Kensington
Married 2nd Zeruhah Cowles June 1811 Kensington
Died Dec 15, 1827 Blue Hills (South) Cemetery
Box 9 at KCC in 1815
1790 census Berlin, 1820 census

Genealogy research
Born 1753/4, son of Daniel Cowles and Martha Powell
Married in 1778 to Zerviah Riley (1756-1790)
Children: Joseph (1780-), Eunice (1781-1856), Richard (1785-1858), Lorena (1784-1821
Married 2nd in Aug 1790 to Lucy Smith (-1810)
Children: Lowly (1792-), child (1785)
Married 3rd in June 1811 to Cynthia (1766-1850)
Died Dec 15, 1827 in Blue Hills cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Selah Cowles died Dec. 15, 1827, age 74 yrs.

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Cowles, Zibe
Brother Selah also served
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
   p 622 - Farmington, Kensington Parish with Ichabod Frisbee in Cap Cole’s Company

   A Return of the Names of the Men detached in the 15th Regiment by Lt-Col Mead until the first of
   March – from July 29, 1779: Zibe Cowles of the Kensington Parish, Farmington in Capt. Cole’s
   Company

SARS: (Sons of American Revolution)
   Son of Daniel Cowles, married Mary Bainbridge
   Descendant: Harry

Genealogical research
   Name spelt Zebe, Zibe, Ziba
   Census 1790 Berlin
   Born: Aug 9, 1761 in Kensington, son of Daniel Cowles and Martha Powell
   Married on Jan 21, 1782 in Wallingford to Mabel Bainbridge Leete (1757-1792)
   Children: Clarissa (1783-1814), Harry (1789-1831), Harvey (1792-1879), Amaryllis (1795-1886),
   Adelia (1795-1834), Julia (1798-1880)
   Died Sept 20, 1814 in Brutus, NY

Zibe Cowles died Sept 20, 1814 in Brutus, NY – no cemetery, no gravestone
Couch, Ebenezer

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
   p 666 - list of pension applicants Berlin
   p 633 - pensioner 1818 – private

Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
   Jan 1776 – private – one year – Capt. Pettebone’s Co – Col Wyllys Regt
   Wife Asemath
   Served Jan 1776 to Jan 1777 - Pettebone’s Co., Wyllys Regt
   Nov 1777 – 1 year
   Private
   Later lived in Simsbury

Genealogical research
   1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1820 census
   Born May 21, 1747
   Married Asemath
   Died July 5, 1826

Hale Collection: Fairview Cemetery, New Britain: Ebenezer Couch died July 5, 1826 age 79
   no gravestone
**Crofoot, Ephraim**  
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room  
Pensioner  
Wilcox (Cemetery) Oct 1827  
Rev service p 633-665  
Marker placed Oct 1906  
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889  
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776  
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks  
3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Ephraim Crofoot  
p 633 - 1818 list pensioners  
p 665 - pensioner 1840 census Berlin  
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension  
Married Lois in Nov 25, 1779  
Private  
Died Oct 13, 1827  
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index  
Soldier in the Revolutionary War, died at age 71. He subscribed $10 for building church (St. Mark's Episcopal Church, New Britain) Hale Cemetery Records - p.82 Shepard. History of St. Mark's Church . . . et al. : p. 224  
Genealogical research  
Born: 1757, son of Ephraim Crofoot and Mary Hilliard  
Married on Nov 25, 1779 to Lois Robinson (1757-1846)  
Children: Fanny (1793-1853), Ephraim  
Died Oct. 13, 1827 – buried in Wilcox Cemetery  

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves  

Map: Capt. Eels Co - Col Sage Reg 1776 - Died Oct 13, 1776  


Find a grave (Internet) photo
Curtis, Giles - Major
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Major
Pensioner
Maple Cemetery Jan 1842 age 87
Marker placed May 1905
Record of service p 24, 373, 409, 659
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 205 - 6th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel William Douglas
Rendezvous in New Haven. Summer of 1777 at Peekskill. Aug-Oct
on the Hudson. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 camped
with main army at White Plains under Washington. Wintered in
Redding. 1779 on east side of Hudson. Wintered at Morristown. 1780 on both sides of the
Hudson. Lt. Giles Curtis of Northbury began as ensign on Jan 1, 1777, promoted Lt May 10,
1780, continued in 1781
p 337 - 4th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Zebulon Butler: Adjutant Giles Curtis
for the war
p 659 - 1840 census pensioners Berlin
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
Wife Lucy
Adjutant 2 years
LT.
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Revolutionary War veteran, rank of Adj. Colonel and Major. Lived at 1044 Worthington Ridge in
Berlin (house torn down), moved to Meriden for a period of time, may have returned to Berlin. Died
at age 87 (some records list age 89).
Married Mary. Children: Maria, Sylvester (-1800), Philip
Rev war – Adj Co/Maj in Butler’s Regt
Died Jan 11, 1842 – buried in Maple
Catharine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut, c1916
Genealogical research
Born: Oct 28, 1754, son of Jotham Curtis and Mary Yale
Married in 1786 to Mary Fuller (17614-1823)
Children: Laura (1787-1809), Maria (1790-1793), Philip (1793-1801), Sylvester
(1796-1800)
Married 2nd Sept 1, 1824 to Lucy Brandegee (1781-1855)
The silver on the hilt of his sword must have been very solid from the number of spoons made from
it.
Died: Jan 10, 1842 Maple Cemetery
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery Gile Curtiss: Rev. War, Adj. Col. Z. Butler’s
Regt., died Jan, 19, 1842, age 87 yrs. (Flag)
Find a grave (Internet) photo
Painting found at Debra Branard internet family tree
**Deming, Seth - Captain**

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Captain
(Buried) opposite Christian Lane (Cemetery) March 1827 age 79 - Marker placed April 1907
Rev service p 480, 549, 622

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 442 - State Regiment of Light Horse - 5th State Regiment under Major Elisha Sheldon: Seth Deming
p 475 - Major Sheldon’s Regiment Light Horse – accompanied Washington on his retreat through New Jersey Dec 1776 - Lt Seth Deming Oct 26-Dec 28, 1776 in Capt. Daniel Sloper’s Co
p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy: Solomon Sage in Colonel Comfort Sage’s Company: Seth Deming

p 652 - pensioner

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
- Connecticut: Rank: Captain
- Birth: 1749 Berlin, CT
- Death: 3-11-1827 Berlin, CT
- Service Description: 1) 5TH Regt. Light Horse, Horse calvary

SAR (Sons of the American War)
- Served with distinction as Lt and later Captain of 5th Light Horse Calvary
- Died May 25, 1827, married Hannah Gilbert

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

He was a Revolutionary War veteran and served in Captain Sloper's Regiment. He was promoted from the rank of Lieutenant to Captain in the 5th Regiment of the Light Horse Calvary. He and his wife, Hannah Gilbert, joined the Berlin Congregational Church between 1780-1795. He was a Charter Member of Harmony Lodge #20 in 1791. He was Town Clerk in 1803. He lived at 145 Seymour Rd., Kensington; built late 18th century. The town purchased the house & property, and it became a Town Farm or Alms House. (House has been torn down). He died at age 79. BPLH Room Card Catalog Hale Cemetery Records record Deming Cemetery. Brandegee - p.31 North, Catherine. History of Berlin - p. 133-135

Genealogical research

Genealogy of the descendants of John Deming of Wethersfield, CT by Judson Keith Deming c1904
Served with distinction in the Revolution as Lt and later Capt. of the 5th Regt Light Horse Calvary.
He was also called out in the New Haven alarm in 1779, serving as Capt. under Lt. Col. Sabin Born: May 21, 1748 in Berlin, son of Moses Deming and Sarah Norton
In Capt. Sloper’s Regt - In Light horse calvary – 5th Regt as Lt and Captain.
Married on June 11, 1777 at Berlin Congregational Church to Hannah Gilbert (1758-1838)
Children: Hannah (1778-1860), Seth (1781-1845), Fenn (1783-1832), Jacob (1785-1791), Demas (1787-1865), Timothy (1789-1790), Sophia (1793-1820)
He and his wife were prominent members of the church. The town meeting reports for 1804 were signed by Seth Deming, Town Clerk.
Died March 11, 1827 Kensington at age 79 - They were buried opposite the Christian Lane cemetery on a plot on the Deming farm. The graves were enclosed by a high brick wall, which was afterward replaced by Demas Deming with an iron fence. Catharine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut c1916 - p.135-139.

Map: Capt. Michaels Co 1776 - Major Sheldon’s Reg - Died March 11, 1828 age 79

In memory of Capt. Seth Deming who died March 11, 1827 age 79

Hale Collection: Deming Cemetery: Seth Deming: Revolutionary War, Flag & marker, Capt. Sloper's Regt., died Mar. 11, 1827, age 79 yrs. Buried in Deming Cemetery, opposite of Christian Lane, but when road was widened the gravestones and dirt were moved to Christian Lane Cemetery. The 3 stones of Deming Cemetery were for Seth Deming, wife Hannah & daughter Sophia- all 3 stones and dirt moved.
Dickinson, David
brother to Nathaniel

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pensioner
Beckley (Cemetery) March 25, 1826 age 70
Marker placed May 1908
Rev service p 569, 634

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 568 - General David Waterbury’s State Brigade 1781 – raised for the defense of the Post at Horseneck and places adjacent and all the guards raised for the defense of the seacoasts from Horseneck to New Haven: David Dickinson June 6
p 634 - pensioner 1818
p 659 - Lucy Dickinson - census pension 1840 Berlin

Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension from Lucy
Born Jan 22, 1756
In Regt. commanded by Col Huntington of the Conn Line for 1 year
Married Sibbel, Children: Leonard b 1784, Eleanor b 1786, Esther b 1788, Giny b 1798
died March 25, 1826

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Revolutionary War Patriot Index. Resident New Britain CT. Children: Leonard, Jiry & 2 dts, poss. a son David, m 1806, Susannah Hubbard.
service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 1-22-1754 Berlin, CT - Death: 3-25-1826 Berlin, CT
Pension Number: S*W17725 - Service Description: 1) Capt. Bisset, Col. Huntington
Pension File Abstract: S17725, CT Line, sol appl 28 Sep 1818 at Middletown CT aged 62 a res of Berlin CT, sol d 25 Mar 1826, wid appl 30 Aug 1838 Hartford Cty CT aged 82 a res of Berlin CT, sol m Lucy Andrews in the fall of 1783 (both sol & wid were b at Berlin CT), one Lucy Dickinson of Berlin CT was aged 68 in 1838 & stated, she was b in Berlin & had herself m in 1786 & had always known wid & sol but her relationship to sol not stated, family records, sol was b 22 Jan 1756 & his wife Sybil or Sibbel was b 30 May 1756, children were; Leonard b 8 Jan 1784 & d 2 Dec 1824, Eleanor b 4 May 1786, Esther b 12 Oct 1788, Jiry or Jiriah b 5 Feb 1798 & d 22 Mar 1830.

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Died March 1826 and buried Beckley Cemetery
Sources: Descendants of Nathaniel Dickinson, 1978, p 161.

Genealogy research
Born Feb 1, 1756 Berlin, son of Nathaniel Dickinson and Thankful Beckley
Married Sybil Andrews (1756-1867)
Children: Eleanor (1786-1867), Esther (1788-)
Died March 25, 1826

Map: Capt. M. Smith Co 1781 - Died March 25, 1826 age 70

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: David Dickinson: Rev War., Capt. Smith’s Co. Gen Waterbury’s Regt - died March 25, 1846, Ae 70
Dickinson, Nathaniel - Lt
Brother to David
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Kelsey Corner Newington - March 30, 1837
Inscription: in memory of Nathaniel Dickinson who died Mar 30, 1837 aged 78
Marker placed May 1909
Rev service p 496
Pensioner from Hartford 1832 – p 651
Widow Lucy – pensioner
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
P 72 - 6th Regiment – Colonel Samuel Holden Parsons – Marched to Boston and posted at Roxbury under General Spencer’s Brigade for the Siege of Boston. 1st Company under Colonel Samuel Holden Parsons: Nathaniel Dickinson
p 651 - 1832 pensioner
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
Born in Wethersfield
Wife Lucy Gilbert on May 10, 1786
Under Lt Aaron Porter in Col Talcott’s Regt July 1776 to New Haven, by water to NY, retreat in night with Washington, discharge Sept 1776
March 1777 – May – Capt. Welles - Peekskill NY
Sept 1777 - Capt. Aaron Porter’s Co – surrender of Burgoyne in NY – 6 weeks
1778 – Capt. Pitkins – 2 months
July 1779 – Capt. Aaron Porter – Tryon’s Invasion of New Haven – 3 weeks
Died March 30, 1837
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A034305 Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 10-6-1760 Wethersfield, CT Death: 3-30-1837
Berlin, CT
Pension Number:*S Service Description: LT. Aaron Porter, Capts Wells, Pitkin
2) Cols. Talcott & Smith, Gen McDougal

Genealogical research
Born Oct 6, 1760, Wethersfield, son of Nathaniel Dickinson and Thankful Beckley
Married on May 10, 1786 to Lucy Gilbert (1770-1853)
Children: Lina (1788-1858), Jabez (1790-1877), Ashbel (1793-1879), Ralph (1795-1839)
Census 1790 Berlin, 1830
Died March 30, 1837 Berlin – buried in Newington, CT

Hale Collection: Newington, CT: Church Street Cemetery: Nathaniel Dickinson: died March 30, 1837 age 78, In Memory of Lieut Nathaniel Dickinson
Find a grave (Internet) photo
Dudley, Levi
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
East Berlin
Ins Levi Dudley died dec 25, 1779 aged 34
Rec in CMR page 481
Private Capt. Eli Butler’s Co., Maj Sheldon’s Regt. Light Horse
Other Berlin names are in this Company
The Dudley genealogy gives the name of an older Levi Dudley on its list of Rev Soldiers
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 475 - Major Sheldon’s Regiment Light Horse – accompanied Washington on his retreat through
New Jersey Dec 1776: Levi Dudley in Capt. Eli Butler’s Company
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Levi 2nd Dudley – son of Asahel and Elizabeth – died 1779 Wilcox age 34
Feb 25 – card – Hale Dec 25, 1779
(brother) Levi, age 2 , died in 1746, son of Asahel and Elizabeth – Wilcox
Genealogical Research
Born March 30, 1746 Middletown, son of Asahel Dudley and Elizabeth Hatch
Married Elizabeth Atkins (1756-1820)
Children: Levi (1780-1861), born a few months after Levi died
Died: Dec 25, 1779 Berlin
Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Levi Dudley died Dec 25, 1779 age 33
**Dunham, Solomon**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Bridge (Cemetery) Jan 22, 1811 age 78
Rev record p 180, supplement p 191
Stiles History of Wethersfield list of Rev soldiers
Inscription: in memory of Solomon Dunham who died Jan 22, 1811 in the 78th year of his age - My hundred and one friends …. Dear when you my grave stand by remember you must follow me into eternity.

Roll of Lieut Aaron Porter’s Co in ye 6th Regt ordered to New Haven July 5, 1779
Solomon Dunham born 1761 - From Conn men of Rev page 191
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
July 1, 1780-Dec 14, 1780
Conn Rev War military lists 1775-83
Landsman on ship Oliver Cromwell under Commander Parker payroll 1778-Aug 1779 - Deserted?

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
During Revolution served on a town committee to ship provisions to Berlin.
Selectman 1788 -89’. Variant spelling of surname is "Dunnm". Married at Kensington Congregational Church; he was from Kensington and his wife, Elizabeth, from Wallingford. They joined Kensington Congregational Church on 03 JUN 1759. During 1775, he and wife, Elizabeth, were both members of Berlin Congregational Church. Solomon was an original member of Berlin Congregational Church. 1790 Census 2 free white males, 16 yrs. and upward, including heads of families 3 " " females---- " " 1 " " male under 16 1 other free person BPLH Room Card Notes record "He was probably a tinsmith of Berlin. He was Co-executor with Elizabeth Pattison. Solomon died at age 77 or 78 years. Berlin Records - p.102, 209 Early CT Marriages - p.3 Berlin Congregational Church Records - p.29 Tinsmiths of CT - p.167 Hale Cemetery Records - p.54 Tinsmith and town selectman
Married Elizabeth Ives on March 2, 1758 in Kensington
Children: Warner (1765-), Elishama (1760-), Elizabeth (1758-), Solomon (1762-), Lucy (1766-)
Rev War 1780 in 3rd Regt - Died Jan 22, 1811, buried in Bridge Cemetery

Genealogical Research
Born Sept 20, 1732 in Berlin, son of Solomon Dunham and Mary Warner
Married on March 2, 1758 in Kensington to Elizabeth Ives (17354-1792).
Children: Elizabeth (1758-1784), Warner (1759-), Solomon (1761-1786), Elishama (1764-), Lucy (1766), Mary (1768-1815), Reuben (1773-1829)
Died Jan 22, 1811 Berlin - Bridge Cemetery
On Wethersfield Committee to provide provisions for Town of Boston.
Lived just north of the Worthington Meeting house.
Joined army at Lexington Alarm.
tinsmith
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: 3rd reg 1780 - Died Jan 22, 1811 age 77

Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery: Solomon Dunham: died Jan 22, 1811, at age 75

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Edwards, Josiah - Drummer
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Maple (Cemetery)
Inscription: In Memory of Josiah Edwards who died Jan 18, 1824, aged 84
Record in Conn Men in the Revolution
Drummer in Col. Mosely’s Regt
Private Capt. Bains Co., Gen Wooster’s Regt
No verification in Edwards Genealogy
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 41 – 5th Co – Benedict Arnold at Siege of Boston
  May 6 – Dec 20, 1775 – 1st Regt Gen Wooster
p 279 – Private – March 5, 1780 – 5th troop – Col Sheriden’s light dragoons
p 539 - drummer Josiah Edwards in Capt. David Olmsted’s Co 1778 in Col Moseley’s Regt on the Hudson
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
  wife Mary Foster
  child: Eliza baptized 1773
  died Jan 18, 1824 (Maple Cemetery)
  Catharine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut
Genealogical research
  Born Dec 21, 1739 in Berlin, son of Jonathan Edwards and Elizabeth Norton
  Married March 16, 1768 to Mary Foster (1741-1799)
  Children: Elisha (1773-1854), Josiah (1774-1846), Amos
  1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1820 census
  Died Jan 18, 1824, Maple Cemetery

Hale collection: Maple Cemetery – Josiah Edwards died Jan 18, 1824, aged 84 years

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Elton, Bradley
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin- Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Dunham (Cemetery) April 1804 age 74
Pensioners from Berlin 1840 – Conn Men in Rev: Grace Elton

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 659 – census of 1840 pensioners – Berlin - Grace Elton, age 83
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
Widow Grace – married 1778
Tailor making cloth for the Light Horse
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Service: Connecticut Rank(s): Private, Patriotic Service
Birth: 1741 Middletown, CT Death: 1-3-1830 Berlin, CT
Pension Number:*W
Service Description: 1) Capts. Churchill * Butler, Maj Hart 2) Col. Sage, also Tailor
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Born 1742 Middletown – Died Jan 3, 1830 Berlin
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Rev. War; Capt. Churchill’s Co, Col Sage’s Regt
Dunham Cemetery: Jan 4, 1830
Genealogical research
Born April 1742 in Middletown
Married on March 16, 1768 in Berlin to Mary Foster (1741-1799)
Children: Elisha (1773-1854), Josiah (1774-1846), Amos
Died Jan 4, 1830 age 88 – Dunham Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Capt. Churchill Co - Col Sage Reg 1776 - Died Jan 1, 1830 age 88

Fenn, Nathan - Reverend
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Maple (Cemetery)
Ins: Rev Nathan Fenn died Apr. 21, 1799 in the 19th year of his ministry and the 50th year of his life. Service – Obituary notice of John Deming in the Salem Daily News, Ohio – Jan 13, 1894 states that John Deming was the son of Wm Riley Deming and Eunice Strong Fenn Deming of Berlin, Conn. She was the daughter of the Rev. Nathan Fenn of Milford, Conn “who was a Chaplain in the revolutionary Army” wrote Mr. Deming, Salem, Ohio & J Fenn, Meriden, Dennis Fenn Derby Rd, Milford but neither could tell anything more than that it was understood in the family that the Rev. Nathan Fenn had been a chaplain as above stated.

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Name Index
Rev
First Minister of Berlin Congregational Church at new Meeting House. He was ordained on 03 MAY 1780. Graduated from Yale in 1795. Lived at 883 Worthington Ridge, Berlin circa 1780 -built at time of his ordination. After he died it was sold to Jesse Eddy in 1799. 1790 census 2 free white males of 16 yrs. and upward including heads of families 4 " " females ---" " " "d. in middle of usefulness" at age 49 or 50. 1855 Atlas 1869 Atlas Brandegee, Emily. Historical Papers Berlin, CT - p.28-30 Hale Cemetery Records - p.42
Married Emma Strong
Children: Nathan d 1791, Eunice, Eunice 1786, infant 1788
Died April 21, 1799 buried at South

Genealogical research
Born: April 21, 1799 in Orange, CT, son of Benjamin Fenn and Mary Peck
Yale College 1775
Ordained in 1780 at Worthington Congregational Church (Later Berlin Congregational)
Married Eunice Strong (1752-1807)
Children: Nathan (1781-1781), Mary (1784-), Eunice (-1783), Eunice (1786-1862), Sarah (1791 -)
1790 census Berlin
Families of Early Milford House at 883 Worthington Ridge built 1780. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: Rev Nathan Fenn, died Apr. 21, 1799, age 49 yrs.

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Flagg, Solomon

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

Bridge (Cemetery)

Ins: In Memory of Solomon Flagg who died Sept 2, 1793 in the 35th year of his age
Record in CMR Soldier in Capt. Heart’s Co., Col Wolcott’s Brigade
This Co was made up when Flagg was 18 years old
No verification in Flagg Genealogy

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks
3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Solomon Flagg

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A040433  Service: Connecticut  Rank: Private
Birth: 1758  Bristol, CT  Death: 9-9-1793  Berlin, CT

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Lived on street leading from Hart St. to Church. He and Caroline Heart joined Berlin Congregational Church between 1780 and 1795. 1790 Census 2 free white males 16 yrs. and upward including heads of families 3 " " " under 16 4 " " females----------------------------- " " " Solomon died at age 34 years.


Born in 1758 in Bristol, son of Abijah Flagg and Sarah Clark
Married 1 Olive Hart  Married 2 Caroline Heart
Died Sept 12, 1793 – buried at Bridge Cemetery

Genealogical research

Born in 1758, son of Abijah Flagg and Sarah Clark
Member Berlin Congregational
Married Olive Hart
Children: Joseph (1783-1853), Sarah (1786-1861), Boxy, Abijah (1790-1842)
Married Caroline Heart
Died Sept 12, 1793 – Bridge Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery – Solomon Flagg died Sept. 12, 1793, age 34 yrs.

[Image of a Revolutionary War gravestone with an American flag]
Frances, Elijah Jr

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready
1st Lt Elijah Francis Apr 3-May 15 in Colonel Noahdiah Hooker’s Regiment, Capt. Asa Bray’s Company
p 562 - List of the names of men detached from the 6th Brigade in the State of Connecticut to serve in the defense of the seacoast until March 1780: Eli Francis Jr in the 15th Regiment under Colonel Noahdiah Hooker
p 622 - A Return of the Names of the Men detached in the 15th Regiment by Lt-Col Mead until the first of March - from July 29, 1779: Elijah Francis Jr of the New Britain Parish, Farmington in Capt. J. Lankton’s Company
p 651 - 1832 pensioner
p 659 – census pensioners 1840 Berlin – age 80

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots

Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
born Jan 1740
served Jan 1776 – private Noahdiah Hooker’s
May 1777 – William Judd
June 1779 – John Allyn
Widow Jane

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name index
Elijah Jr – 1790 census, 1830 census,
Berlin Selectman 1803, 1805, 1807
Born about 1760

Genealogical research
Born Jan 6, 1760 in Farmington, son of Elijah Frances and Hannah Buck.
Married in Dec 21, 1785 in Farmington to Jane Clark (1764-1849)
Died Oct 30, 1845 – Fairview Cemetery, New Britain

Hale Collection: New Britain: Fairview Cemetery: Elijah Frances Jr died Oct 30, 1846, age 87

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Frances, James - Captain**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

South (Cemetery) April 8, 1831, age 75

Francis Genealogy gives some record of service

Capt. also Corporal 1st troop – light dragoons

Col Sheldon’ Regt

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

P 23 first troops – James Francis – private- Jan 15, 1777- Corp May 21, 1778- Wethersfield- joiner-5 ft 9 in, light complexion, black eyes, brown hair, disch Nov 8, 1780 for a substitute

Part of Col Elisha Sheldon’s light dragons 1777-1783 -2nd CT Regiment –generally east side of Hudson along Westchester front

P 634 – pensioner – 1818 list

Heritage Quest (Internet) - pensioner 1832 age 75

Drafted 1777 under Capt. John Allyn – served Danbury alarm- New Haven alarm, Fairfield alarm – drafted 1778 Capt. Seth Deming -

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Revolutionary War veteran; listed as Captain in Samuel Peck Records and as Corporal in Hale Cemetery Records. He died at age 75 years. Hale Cemetery Records - p.156

In Col. Sheldon’s Regt as Captain-Corporal

Died April 8, 1831 – buried in South/Blue Hills Cemetery

Genealogical Research

Born Dec 4, 1755 in Wethersfield, son of Josiah Francis and Millicent Stoddard

1790 census Berlin, 1830 census

Married in 1778 to Sarah Coe (1762-1814)

Children: George (1781-1850), Mile (1782-), Julius (1785-1858), James (1787-1871), Sarah (1790-1857), Thomas (1792-1794), William (1796-1880), Thomas (1797-), William (1806-1860)

Map: Conn 1st troops - Col Sheldon’s Reg 1777-1780 - Died April 8, 1831, age 75

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: James Frances- Corp.

Rev War., Col. Sheldon’s Regt., died April 8, 1831, age 75 yrs.

Rev war flag, stone, marker
Frisbie, Ichabod C

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 622 - A Return of the Names of the Men detached in the 15th Regiment by Lt-Col Mead until the first of March - from July 29, 1779: Ichabod Frisbie of the Kensington Parish, Farmington in Capt. Cole’s Company

Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension - discharged Dec 25, 1776

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Service: Connecticut  Rank: Private
Born Aug. 1, 1760 Branford  Died Nov 22, 1845 Southington
In Capt. Bunnell’s Co

Genealogical research
Memorial History of Hartford County
Ecclesiastical History of Southington
Frisbee Genealogy
Born in Branford on Aug 1760, son of Samuel Elton and Rachel Bartholomew
Named Ichabod because the day he was born his mother heard of his father’s death of smallpox while a prisoner of war in French and Indian war
A man of high standing and excellent influence- justice of the peace
Rev war – 1779-80 under Col. Mead defense of seacoast
Married in 1785 to Thankful Moss (1759-1816)
Children: Sylvester (1788-), Amon (1790-), Sarah (1792-), child (1794), Lucy (1795-), Philla (1797-), Samuel (1800-), Martin (1803-)
Married 2nd on Feb 18, 1817 to Anna Bartholomew (1780-1831)
1800 census Southington
Died Nov 1845 in Southington

Hale Collection: Southington, CT: Oak Hill Cemetery: Ichabod Frisbie died Nov 22, 1845 age 85

Find a grave (Internet) photo – Oak Hill Cemetery, Southington
Galpin, Daniel
Brothers Joseph and Samuel also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pensioner
Bridge (Cemetery) July 1844 age 88
Marker placed April 1907
Rev services 655-659
Pensioners from Berlin 1840
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 271 - Colonel Elisha Sheldon’s Light Dragoons 1777-1783
Generally positioned on east side of Hudson along the
Westchester front. Spring 1777 two troops fought at
Germantown Oct 4, 1778. Usually wintered in
Connecticut: Daniel Galpin March 2, 1780 Corporal
for about 6 weeks. 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Daniel Galpen
p 655 - List applicants pension Berlin
p 659 - Census pensioner 1840 Berlin
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
May 3, 1777 to June 12, 1783 Capt. Ephraim Bull in Continental army and
Capt. Hurlbert Light Dragoons Conn Line
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name index
Rev war – Capt. Hart’s Co, Col Wolcott Reg
Died Nov 17, 1802 at age 45 – buried in Bridge Cemetery
Baptized Jan 2, 1757 in Kensington
Married Mehitable Dorr
Revolution – 4th Col Sheridan’s light dragoons
Genealogical research
born Dec 30, 1756 Middletown, son of Samuel Galpin and Abigail Newell
married on Dec 7, 1797 to Mehitable Dorr (1766-1842)
children: Hetty (1779-1786), Eliza (1798-1823), Daniel (1803-1823), Sally (1805-1815), Mary (1809-1836)
Deacon Daniel Galpin was a soldier
House at 914 Worthington Ridge was moved in 1850 to build Berlin
Congregational Church. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
died July 9, 1844 Akron, Ohio, buried Bridge Cemetery, Berlin

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Capt. Hearts Co 1776 - Col Wolcott Reg - Died Nov 17, 1802 age 45

Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery: Daniel Galpin: Rev War., Capt. Heart’s
Co, Col. Wolcott’s Regt., died July 9, 1844, age 88 yrs.
**Col. Galpin, Joseph**
Brothers Daniel and Samuel also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Colonial
Maple (Cemetery) Dec 1840 age 86
Marker placed May 1907
Rev service p 62

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 59 - 4th Regiment - Colonel Benjamin Hinman – marched to secure Crown Point in New York. The regiment arrived in June to Ticonderoga. Many men were sick and mustered out in Oct-Nov.:
Joseph Galpin

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A043388 Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 1754 Berlin, CT Death: 12-26-1840 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Col. Herman

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Rev War – rank Col – in Col. Hinman's Regt. 1775
Married Katherine Parsons
Children: Joseph (1779-1820), George (1781-1870), Sophia (1783-1876), Seth (1886-1850), Albert (1789-1790), Katherine (1791-1791)
Married Nov 1792 in Berlin to Rhoda Guernsay
Children: Catherine (1793-1879),
Died Dec 26, 1840, age 86 – buried in Maple Cemetery

Genealogical research
born Sept 6, 1754 Middletown, son of Samuel Galpin and Abigail Newell
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1830 census, 1840 census
married on April 16,1778 in Berlin to Catherine Parsons (1757-1791)
Children: Joseph (1779-1820), George (1781-1870), Sophia (1783-1876), Seth (1886-1850), Albert (1789-1790), Katherine (1791-1791)
married on Nov 17, 1792 in Berlin to Rhoda Guernsey (1766-1850)
children of Joseph and Rhoda: Catherine (1793-1879), Abigail (1797-)
died Dec 26, 1840 Berlin – Maple Cemetery

Galpin, Peat
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Bridge (Cemetery) Oct 24, 1824 age 90
3rd Reg
Died Oct 1821 aged 90 - record verified and marker placed
Ruth Galpin says he is known to have been a soldier
Name found in list of soldiers from Middletown
Conn Historical Records Vol XII page 7
Peace to thy ashes may thy name be ever cherished ever claim the tribute of each grateful soul while twice his earliest years shall roll

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A204399 Service: Connecticut Rank(s): Patriotic Service, Soldier
Birth: 10-3-1731 Middletown, CT Death: 10-24-1821 Berlin, CT
Service Source: CTS DAR - Non-military service in the rev. 1774-1784, Vol 2, p 22
Service Description: 1) Connecticut Troops, 1775; Took oath of fidelity, 1777

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Rev War
Title of Deacon first appears with name in North History and later in North title Col. is used.
Married Lois Beckley on Oct 15, 1753 in Berlin
Children: Lois 1758, Oril, Jehiel, Caroline 1765, Caleb 1772, Caleb 1761
Died Oct 24, 1821 –buried in Bridge

Genealogical Research
The Descendants of Richard Beckley, Wethersfield, CT by Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, c1948
Born Oct 5, 1731 Middletown, son of Caleb Galpin and Elizabeth Baldwin
Married on Nov 15, in 1753 to Lois Beckley (1730-1793)
Children of Peat and Lois: David (1754-1806), Jehiel (1756-1793), Lois (1758-1843), Caleb (1761-1764), Goodrich (1763-1818), Caroline (1764-1765), Orrel (1767-1828), son (1769-1769), Caleb (1771-1863)
Married on Feb 19, 1795 to Esther Abbott Bishop (1736-1821)
Died Oct 24, 1821, Berlin – Bridge Cemetery

Map: Died Oct 24, 1821 age 90

Cemetery stone: Peat Galpin died Oct 24, 1821 age 90 - Peace to thy ashes may thy name be ever cherished ever claim the tribute of each grateful soul while twice his earliest years shall roll
**Galpin, Samuel**
Brothers Daniel and Joseph also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
- Pensioner
  - Wilcox (Cemetery) born 1758 - died 1842
  - Marker placed May 1908
  - Rev service p 654
  - Conn historical collection vol xiii p8

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
- p 654 – list of pensioners 1840

Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
- 1777 for 2 years 3 months Under Capt. Hudson and Capt. Barnard

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
- Card notes say that he was a Revolutionary War Veteran, Private CT Troops
- Died at age 84 years. Title Deacon appears on BPLH card notes, but not on cemetery records. Hale Cemetery Records - p.89
- Married Abigail Savage
- Children: Mary died 1859, Sally died 1859.
- Died Sept 21, 1842 – buried in Wilcox

Genealogical Research
- son of Samuel5, Samuel4, Samuel3, Philip2, John1
- Born Oct 23, 1758 Middletown, son of Samuel Galpin and Abigail Newell
- Revolution war army military induction 1777 - Served two years and three months
- Married on Nov 27, 1783 to Abigail Savage (1763-1834)
- Children: Samuel (1785-), Silas (1786-), Sally (1788-), Cyprian (1791-), Horace (1793-), Mary (1796-), Elisha (1799-), Selah (1801-), Edmund (1805-)
- Married 2nd to Amanda (1844)
- Died Sept 21, 1842, buried Wilcox Cemetery

Map: Private Conn troops - Died Sept 21, 1842 age 89
Rev War - Samuel Galpin - Conn Troops died Sept 21, 1842 ae 84 yrs.

Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Samuel Galpin: Revolutionary War Conn. Troops died Sept. 18, 1842 ae 84

Find a grave photo (left)
Galpin, Thomas
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Bridge (Cemetery) Nov 17, 1802
Inscription in memory of Thomas Galpin who died Nov 17, 1802 aged 45
Private in Cap Stanley’s Co – Col Guys Regt
State troops – 1776- Conn Men in Rev p 396
In this co: Saul Lee, Edward Patterson, Asa Upson, Seth Stanley, Nathaniel Shepard, Elijah Stanley

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 392 - General James Wadsworth Brigade 1776 – based in New York and present at Battle of Long
Island Aug 27, retreat from New York Aug 29-30, retreat from NY City Sept. 15, Battle of
White Plains Oct 28 – time expire Dec 25, 1776
1st Battalion under Colonel Fisher Gay - Lt-Colonel Selah Hart – June 26, 1776, taken
prisoner while retreating on Sept. 15, 1776: Thos Galpin under Capt. Gad Stanley

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A043392 Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 2-6-1757 Middletown, CT Death: 11-17-1802 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Capt. Gad Stanley, Gen Wadsworth

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Feb 6, 1757, in Berlin – parents Amos and Anna Patterson
Married Ruth Goodrich on April 3, 1783
Died at age 45 years. Built the Bosworth homestead. He and Ruth were parents of five children
Died Nov 17, 1802 – buried at Bridge

Genealogical Research
Private in Capt. Stanley’s Company
Builder and owner of the Bosworth mansion
Born Feb 6, 1757, son of Amos Galpin and Anna Patterson
Married on April 3, 1783 to Ruth Goodrich (1761-1843)
Children: Jenny (1784-), Samuel (1790-), Norris (1794-), Huldah (1797-), Percy (1787-)
Sixth Generation: Thomas son of (Amos5, Caleb 4, Samuel3, Philp2, John1)

Map: Capt. Stanley Co 1776 - Col . Reg - Died July 9, 1844 - Age 88
Cemetary stone: In memory of Thomas Galpin who died Nov. 17, 1802 age 45

**Gilbert, Daniel**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
From the records of the 2nd Cong Church Berlin: December 1776 Mr. Yebedee Beckley, Solomon Beckley and Mr. Daniel Gilbert died in the army.

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade.
3rd Company: Danl Gilbert

p 650 - pensioner 1832

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Name Index
Married Thankful Dickinson in 1771
Children: Esther b 1775, Jerusha b 1776

Genealogical Research
The Gilbert Family: Descendants of Thomas Gilbert by Homer Worthington Brainard, c1953
Fifth generation: (Jonathan4, Enenezer3, Jonathan2, Thomas1)
Born: Nov 18, 1749 Kensington, son of Jonathan Gilbert and Keziah Smith
Cousin to Hooker Gilbert
Married on Aug 4, 1771 to Thankful Dickinson (1750-1829)
Children: Jerusha (1776-)
Enlisted July 11, 1775 in 3rd Co, Capt. Joel Clark, Col. Jedediah Huntington’s 8th Reg. discharged Dec 18, 1775
In Capt. Ebenezer Fitch Bissell’s Co, Col. Huntington’s Regt in New York killed May 15, 1776

Daniel Gilbert died: Dec 1776 in the army – in service

No cemetery, no gravestone
Gilbert, Hooker

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at- Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room 1776-1779

Christian Lane (Cemetery) Dec 5, 1840 - Marker placed May 1908

Born June 5, 1751 – died Dec 5, 1840 age 89

Record of service as given by pension bureau, Washington, dc

Enlisted June 1776 -4 mos.- Cap Gad Stanley/ Capt. Matthew Cole/ Col Fisher Gay

Enlisted summer 1777 – 3 mos.- Capt. John Langton / Col Noahdia Hooker

Enlisted July 1779 – 3 weeks- Capt. Matthew Cole / Col John Langton

Engaged in New Haven

Applied for pension Feb 8, 1838

Name found on list of Berlin pensioners p 88 of Rev pensioners in 1840 Ct State Library

Also, his service in Conn men in Rev but his name is not indexed and could not be found

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 659 – census pensioners of 1840 in Berlin – age 88

Heritage Quest (Internet) - pension

Enlisted June 1776 and served 4 months as a private in Capt. Gad Stanley’s Co and was at the Battle of Harlem Heights. He enlisted summer 1777 and served 3 months as a private in Capt. Langton’s Co, Col Hooker’s Conn. Regiment. He enlisted July 1779 and served 10 days as a private in Capt. Mathew Cole’s Co., Col Heart’s Conn Regiment and was at the Battle of New Haven.

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)

Ancestor #: A045110 - Connecticut Rank: Private

Birth: 6-5-1754 Kensington, CT Death: 12-6-1840 Berlin, CT

Service Description: 1) Capts. Stanley, Cole & Lankton 2) Cols Gay & Hart

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Born 1754 in Berlin – parents Moses Gilbert and Elizabeth Hooker

Married 1 Candace Sage in 1796

Married 2 Sarah Hooker on June 30, 1807 in Kensington - Child Moses b 1798

Rev War Ct troops

Died Dec 6, 1840 – buried Christian Lane

Was on Revolutionary War pension list for 1840. Joined Berlin Congregational Church with wife Candace between 1780 and 1795. Married first Candace . Married second Sarah at Kensington Congregational Church. Sarah and Hooker both from Berlin. Sat in Box 6, Kensington Congregational Church in 1815. Died at age 89 years. Buried Row 6 #6., flag and marker. There is a Gilbert who is listed as a farmer in 1790 census. Kensington Congregational Church Records - p244 Brandegee - p20 North - p13 170 census

Genealogical research

The Gilbert Family: Descendants of Thomas Gilbert by Homer Worthington Brainard, c1953

Fifth generation: (Moses4, Ebenezer3, Jonathan2, Thomas1)

Lived upon ancient Gilbert farm on Christian Lane built by Ebenezer Gilbert in 1709. He built house upon the old foundation using bricks made on the farm. House was sold to City of New Britain in 1906, made into a tenement housing, and later torn down.

Born June 5, 1751 in Kensington, son of Moses Gilbert and Elizabeth Hooker

Cousin to Daniel Gilbert

Married on Nov 1, 1776 to Candace Sage (1752-1805)

Children: Bathsheba (1785-1807), David (1787-1864), Samuel (1787-1868), Candace (1791-1835), Moses (1793-1882), Chloe (1796-1867)

Married 2nd on June 30, 1807 to Sarah Hooker (1763-1840)

Hale Collection: Christian Lane Cemetery: Gilbert Hooker: Rev. War. Conn troops, died Dec. 6, 1840, age 89 yrs.
Gladding, Jedediah
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Dunham
Grave has no stone – died Apr 12, 1826
Pension commenced Apr 14, 1828
service in Conn Line

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 205 - 6th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel William Douglas
Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 camped with main army at White Plains under
1780 on both sides of the Hudson. Jedediah Gladding in Capt. Ely’s Company Feb 1, 1777 to
discharge Feb 1, 1780 – 3 years
p 581 - Colonel Samuel Canfield’s Regiment at West Point, NY Sept. 1781: Jedediah Gladding
p 634 - 1818 list pensioner
p 666 - applications pension Berlin

Heritage Quest (Internet): Pension – widow Elizabeth
In 1820 applied for pension at age 65
Enlisted Feb 1, 1777 into Capt. Ely’s Co in the Conn Line. At skirmish at Rye NY, discharged Jan 1,
1780.

Genealogical research
1810 census Berlin
Died April 12, 1826, buried Dunham Cemetery – no gravestone

Dunham Cemetery: Jedediah Gladding died on April 12, 1826 - no gravestone
**Goodrich, John**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

Christian Lane (Cemetery)
- Ins In memory of John Goodrich who died Apr 26, 1815 age 79
- Rev Rec Lexington Alarm from Wethersfield
- In Capt. Johnathan Heart’s Co., Farmington p 316
- In Cap Wells Co p 383
- In Lieut Smith’s Co page 497

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 25 – Wethersfield Lexington alarm
p 312 - 1st Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel John Durkee: John Goodrich Jan 1, 1781 to March 14, 1781 in Capt. Jonathan Heart’s Company
p 383 - Cpt Wells company
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: John Goodrich in Lt David Smith’s Company

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
- Ancestor #: A045592 Service: Conn Rank: Private
- Birth: 3-26-1734 Wethersfield, CT Death: 4-27-1816 Berlin, CT
- Service Source: Johnston, CT Men in the Rev p 316
- Service Description: 1) Lt Charles Miller, Capt. Jonathan Heart

S.R. Durand:

"John Goodrich was born March 26, 1734, so was twenty-three years old at the time of his marriage. This was at a time of Indian troubles. They lived a little way in front and north of the fort in Berlin, Connecticut. The outside doors of their home were double and were fastened at the top and again at the bottom. A loaded gun always hung on the wall near the doors. The logs for the great fireplace were attached to a chain and pulley arrangement and dragged into the house by oxen. The old Goodrich home had been built in the early 1700's by John Goodrich's father, Allyn Goodrich. The house was set well back from the road and had only one window in front, with great lilac bushes on each side of the front door." He lived north of the fort

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Admitted to KCC (Kensington Congregational Church) on Aug 8, 1768. During 1775 joined BCC (Berlin Congregational)
- Indian wigwam in pasture where they made baskets and sold them in Hartford for rum
- He manufactured tinware
- Born March 28, 1737, son of Allyn Goodrich and Hannah Seymour
- Married Hannah Dewey on April 7, 1757, Kensington
- Died April 26, 1816 - Christian Lane Cemetery

Genealogical research
- Son of Allyn5, John4, William3, John2, William1
- Born March 26, 1734, son of Alan Goodrich and Hannah Seymour
- Married on April 7, 1757 Kensington to Hannah Dewey (1739-1812)
- Children: Salmon (1757-1842), Seth 1760-1822, Zenas (1763-1818), William (1770), Hannah (1770-18470, Leonard (1773-1837), John (1776-1858), Rebecca (1783-1857)

Hale Collection: Christian Lane Cemetery: John Goodrich died April 26, 1816, ae 79 years
Gridley, Amos - Doctor
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Doctor
East (Ledge Cemetery)
Inscribed to the memory of Amos Gridley who departed this life Jan 1, 1807 ae 70 years
Rev Record page 562 CMR
defense of the Seacoast 1780 – detached from Capt. Allyn’s Co Col Hooker’s Regt 15th to
Lieut Col Mead’s Regt Farmington, Kensington Parish

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 562 - List of the names of men detached from the 6th Brigade in the State of Connecticut to serve in
the defense of the seacoast until March 1780: Amos Gridley in the 15th Regiment under
Colonel Noahdiah Hooker
p 622 - A Return of the Names of the Men detached in the 15th Regiment by Lt-Col Mead until the
first of March - from July 29, 1779: Amos Gridley of the Kensington Parish, Farmington in in
Capt. Allen’s Company
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name index
Moved to Whitestown on 30 MAR 1783. Chosen to act as a church committee man on 05 OCT 1787.
Berlin Records - p.36, 45, 100, 109, 156, 161, 166, 169 Hale - p.115
Married Azubah
Children: Amos, Uriah, Amos, Lydia
Died Jan 1, 1797 and buried in Ledge

Genealogical research
Born April 19, 1726, baptized May 10, 1767 Kensington, son of John Gridley and Dorothy Benton
Married Azubah Orvis (1725-1815)
Children: Abuzah (1751-1803), Theodosia (1754-1822), Lydia (1754-),
Uriel (1762-1820), Amos (1767-1835)
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
Died Jan 1, 1797 at age 70

Historical discourse delivered by citizens of Farmington Nov 4, 1840
On list of physicians in Berlin: James Hurlburt, Josiah Hubbard,
…Winchell, Ammos Gridley, Joseph Wells, Sylvester Wells, James
Percival, Josiah Ward, Caleb Austin, Henry Hart and Mile Francis

Hale Collection: Ledge Cemetery: Dr Amos died Jan 1, 1797 age 70
Find a grave (Internet) photo
Hart, Hezekiah - Major
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pensioner
Dunham (Cemetery) Sept 24, 1840 age 82
Marker placed May 1908
Rev service p 198, 652, 659
Major
Pensioners from Berlin 1840
Hezekiah Hart
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 193 - 5th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Philip Burr Bradley
p 652 - list pensioners 1832 Hartford County
p 659 - census pensioners age 82 1840 Berlin
Heritage Quest (Internet) - pension
Private under Capt. Bradley, for 11 months and 4 days in the Conn Line
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Rev War – Wright’s Co – Ct Line – Captain
Died Sept 24, 1840 – buried in Dunham

Genealogical research
Genealogical History of Deacon Stephen Hart & his descendants by Alfred Andrews, 1847
Born May 25, 1758 in Kensington, son of Hezekiah Hart and Abigail Adkins
Baptized Kensington Congregational Church Aug 6, 1758
Never married
1790 census – Berlin, 1800 census, 1840 census
Father served in the Revolutionary War
Died Sept 24, 1840, Dunham Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Capt. Wright Co 1777-1780 - Died Sept 21, 1840 age 82

Hart, Hezekiah
Brother Zachariah and son Hezekiah also served

Genealogical research
    Born Jan 7, 1730 in Kensington, son of Hezekiah Hart and Martha Beckley
    Married Jan 10, 1757 in Kensington to Abigail Adkins (-1820)
    Children: Hezekiah (1759-1840), Lucy (1760-1791), Abigail (1761-1785), Daniel (1763-), Hannah
              (1764-1854), Jabez (1765-1800), Ruth (1767-1838), Rebecca (1770-1843), Reuben (1774-1781)
    1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
    Died April 14, 1804 – Dunham Cemetery

Map: Lt Capt. Welles Co, 1777, died Nov 17, 1804 age 75

Hale Collection: Dunham Cemetery: Hezekiah Hart: died April 14, 1804, age 75

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Heart/Hart, Jonathan - Major

Brother Thomas also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

A native of Kensington, joined the army at the beginning of the war, continued in service till after the close of the war. He and the greater part of his command were slain attempting to cover the retreat of the shattered remains of the army when Gen St Clair was defeated on the banks of the Wabash. Nov 4, 1791. - From W W Woodsworth History of Berlin in the Memorial History of Hartford, Conn.

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 168 - Adjutant Conn Line Com Jan 1, 1777, promoted May 1, 1780

p 359 - 1st Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Zebulon Butler

Captain Jonathan Heart of Berlin served to December with last regiment


Captain Jonathan Heart of Berlin

p 312 - 1st Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel John Durkee

Jonathan Heart of Berlin became Capt. in the 1st Regiment & appointed Brig-Gen- Jan 2, 1781

p 168 - 3rd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Samuel Wyllys

Rendezvous in Middletown. Assisted in repelling the enemy during the Danbury attack of April 26-7, 1777. May 1777 ordered to Peekskill. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 camped with Washington’s main army at White Plains. Wintered at Redding. 1779 served east of the Hudson. Wintered in Morristown. 1780 with main army along Hudson.

Adjutant is Jonathan Heart Jan 1, 1777, promoted May 1, 1780 to Captain.

The sketch made by Major Jonathan Hart in 1791 of Fort Washington, Ohio where he was stationed.

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index: Major

Born Kensington – son of Deacon Ebenezer & Elizabeth Lawrence –

second son

Married Abigail Riley in 1775

Child Alcæs. Died Nov 4, 1791

Genealogical research

Genealogical History of Deacon Stephen Hart & his descendants by Alfred Andrews, 1847.

Born Mar 22, 1746, son of Ebenezer Hart and Elizabeth Lawrence

Graduated Yale with honors in 1768

In Lexington alarm - 1780 Captain - 1781 Brigade - Major

Married in 1775 to Abigail Riley (1748-1815)

Children: Alcæs (1782-)

Died Nov 4, 1791: slain by Indians in Ohio at defeat of St Clair

buried Fort Recovery Monument Park, Ohio

Find a grave (Internet) photo – Jonathan Hart died Nov 4, 1791- Killed at Battle of the Wabash.

Major Jonathan Hart, Kensington CT, 2nd son of Deacon Ebenezer Hart, and his wife Elizabeth Lawrence. He graduated at Yale College in 1768. He went to New Jersey and taught school for several years. He returned to Kensington and entered into trade with the minister of the place, with whom he had a serious quarrel and was thrown into jail, where he remained until the revolution. He joined the army, from 1775-1791, and was slain by the Indians at St. Clair’s defeat, in the autumn of 1791, at which time he held the military rank of major. He married in 1777 Abigail Riley, who, after her husband’s decease, married second Rev Cyprian Strong of Chatham (East Hampton), CT August 3rd, 1797. Major Hart left one child only, who married Charlotte Overton, and died childless. He was a gallant and distinguished officer.
Hart, Samuel - Sgt

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
   p 547 – Samuel Harte in New Haven alarm 1779 - Tryon’s invasion of Connecticut 1779 –father and son served
   p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy: Samuel Harte
   p 620 - Capt. Asa Bray’s Company under Colonel Enos for 3 months July 1778: Samuel Hart
   p 652 - pensioner 1832 Hartford County

Heritage quest (Internet) pension
   Private under Capt. Bray’ Co, for 8 months
   Near Fort Edward when under attack Oct 1777
   May 1778 under Capt. Bray of the Conn Line for 1 year
   Wounded at Battle of Saratoga Sept 9, 1777

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
   Ancestor #: A051701 - Service: Connecticut  Rank: Sergeant
   Birth: 12-2-1721 Farmington, CT  Death: 2-2-1801 Farmington, CT
   Service Description: 1) also PVT, Col Enos, Gen. Waterbury

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
   son of Stephen Hart and Eunice Munson
   died Feb 2, 1801

Genealogical research
   Genealogical History of Deacon Stephen Hart & his descendants by Alfred Andrews, c1847
   born Dec 2, 1721 in Farmington, eldest son of Stephen Hart and Eunice Munson
   married August 1745 to Lydia Gridley (1723-1797)
   Children: Lydia (1746-1810), Susannah (1748-1777), Munson (1750/1-1832), Esther (1757-), Lent (1760-1837), James (1763-1825)
   in Col Enos Regiment, Gen Waterbury’s brigade – Sgt
   resided in Northington (Avon), CT
   1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
   died February 2d, 1801, aged 80 years

Samuel Hart died February 2, 1801, no cemetery, no gravestone
Hart, Samuel - Captain
Son Samuel also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Captain
Maple (Cemetery) 1813 age 78
Marker placed May 1905
Father of Emma Hart Willard
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy: Samuel Harte
p 513 – under Gen Gates 1777- - Lt Samuel Hart - At Saratoga in Gen Wolcott’s detachment
p 631 – Lt Sam Hart in Cook’s Regt Saratoga
p 657 - Lt Samuel Hart - wounded Saratoga Sept 19, 1777
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Captain Birth: 1-21-1738 Berlin, CT Death: 8-21-1813 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Militia; New Haven alarm, 1779
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
He was wounded at Saratoga - Capt. of company of CT militia organized in Berlin which turned out at the New Haven alarm in 1779 to repel Tryon’s invasion
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Revolutionary War, New Haven Alarm 1779
Married first Rebecca, 2nd Lydia. Lived at 445 Southington Rd., Kensington. Circa 1764. Captain in local militia. Known as great reader. First Clerk and treasurer of Berlin Congregational Church. Withdrew from 2nd Congregational Church in 1807 after a religious dispute. During 1775 member of Berlin Congregational Church - last name spelled Heart. He died at age 75 years. BPLH Card Notes give place of burial as Beckley Cemetery. North - p. 60 Hale - p.38 Berlin Records - p.175
Genealogical research
Captain – Rev War
Became a Universalist in his religious views. A great thinker but could not speak in public without having his ideas written out.
Born Jan 21, 1738 in Berlin, youngest child of Samuel Hart and Mary Hooker
Married on May 11, 1739 to Rebecca Norton (1739-1769)
Children: Rebecca (1760-1823), Samuel (1761-1835), Charlotte (1762-1810), Asahel (1764-1821), Anna (1766-1784), Jesse (1768-1827), James (1769-1771)
Married 2nd on Oct 4, 1770 to Lydia Hinsdale (1747-1831)
Children: Mary (1771-), John (773-1816), Theodore (1776-1815), Lydia (1778-1792), Betsy (1781-1792), Huldah (1783-1784), Nancy (1785-), Emma (1787-1870), Almira (1793-1884)
First clerk & treasurer of Berlin Congregational Church in 1775
House at 445 Southington Road. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo. Later he lived on Hart Street (house torn down) but the well he used was renown until it was capped about 2010.
Father of Emma Hart Willard
Died Aug 21, 1813 – Maple Cemetery
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: Capt. Samuel Hart: New Haven Alarm 1779
Died Aug 21, 1813 ae 75
Find a grave (Internet) photo
Fifer Hart, Samuel
Father Samuel also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library
Honorable
Pensioner
South Burying Ground (Blue Hills) Cemetery March 27, 1835 age 73
Marker placed May 1905
Son of Capt. Saml Hart and half-brother of Emma Hart Willard
Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A051699 - Service: Connecticut  Rank: Fifer
Birth: 5-17-1761  Kensington, CT  Death: 3-27-1835  Kensington, CT
Genealogy research
Born May 27, 1761, son of Capt. Samuel Hart and Rebecca Norton
Married on April 8,1791 to Mary Wilcox (1772-1850)
Children: Cyrus (1794-1854), Anna (1796-1816), Samuel (1802-1876)
Died March 27, 1835 – South/Blue Hills Cemetery

Connecticut Courant Mon April 15, 1835: Hon. Capt. Samuel Hart was born in 1761 and died in 1835. He was quite a prominent man in his day and was State Senator from the 1st district and was a soldier in the Rev War for a short time. In 1800 he repaired and enlarged his home in which he now lives. It probably is 200 years old – one of the oldest in the Town of Berlin. He married Mary Wilcox who was born in 1774 and died in 1850 being laid to rest beside her husband in the South Burying Grounds.

Map: New Haven Alarm 1779 – died March 27, 1835, age 73

Hart, Selah - General
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at- Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
General 1776 pension

- East (Ledge Cemetery) 1806 age 74
  Inscription on monument: an officer of the revolution. Died June 1806 age 74
  record rev service – his commission is in the possession of his descendants, the family of H. Bauer,
  His second wife Ruth was a pensioner and died in 1844 aged 101 years
  Selah Hart was appointed by the general court as one of a committee “to provide stores of
  lead, as they shall judge necessary for the use of the colony, to contract and take lead on that
  shall be raised out of the mine of Matthew Hart of Farmington and to dig and raise one in said mine if
  profitable and necessary for use of the colony.”

  Col Selah Hart commanded a regiment in 1776, and when Washington evacuated New York, he was
  cut off and captured by the British, held a prisoner for two years, during most of the time his wife did
  not know whether he was alive or not. He was afterward promoted to the command of a brigade,
  which he held till the close of the war. From sketch of the town of Berlin written by Rev WW
  Woodworth.

  A revolutionary grave marker furnished by the Sons of the American Revolution was placed his grave
  May 1905.

  Pensioners from Berlin 1840 – Conn Men in Rev: Ruth Hart

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 168 - 3rd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Samuel Wyllys
  Rendezvous in Middletown. Assisted in repelling the enemy during the Danbury attack of
  April 26-7, 1777. May 1777 ordered to Peekskill. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778
  camped with Washington’s main army at White Plains. Wintered at Redding. 1779 served
  east of the Hudson. Wintered in Morristown. 1780 with main army along Hudson:
  Selah Hart in Capt. Judd’s Company Apr 21, 1778 – Dec 31, 1778 – 8 months

p 330 - 3rd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Samuel Webb: Selah Hart March 5, 1781 to Dec 31, 1781 in Capt. Samuel Williams’ Company

p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776 Winter 1776 – guarded Boston
  for about 6 weeks: 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart

p 392 - General James Wadsworth Brigade 1776 – based in New York and present at Battle of Long
  Island Aug 27, retreat from New York Aug 29-30, retreat from NY City Sept. 15, Battle of
  White Plains Oct 28 – time expire Dec 25, 1776: Lt-Colonel Selah Hart – June 26, 1776,
  taken prisoner while retreating on Sept. 15, 1776

p 428 - Selah Hart, Colonel of 15th State Regiment, appointed Brig-Gen 6th Brigade on May 1779,
  served through the war

p 445 - State Infantry Brigades: 6th Brigade – Brig-Gen Selah Heart

p 553 - Brigadier General Selah Hart was present with the militia during the New Haven Alarm.

p 653 - 1832 pension Hartford County

p 659 – census of pensioners 1840 – Berlin – Ruth Hart aged 98

Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension

Feb 2, 1776 captain. June 1776 taken prisoner 1776 and exchanged May 1778 - New Haven alarm

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Born May 23, 1732 in Kensington, son of Nathaniel Hart and Abigail Hooker
Married 1 on March 14, 1756 to Mary Cole (1731-1763)
Married 2 on Dec 22, 1763 to Ruth Cole (1742-1844). Ruth was a cousin to Mary Cole
Rev war continental army – General. Died June 10, 1806 – buried Ledge
Married 1st Mary Cole and 2nd Ruth Cole. He had one child by his first wife that died young. Selah
and Ruth married at Kensington Congregational Church. He was from Kensington and Ruth from “Blew
Hills” (Blue Hills section of Kensington). He became a member of Kensington Congregational Church on 27
MAR 1763. General Selah was the only Revolutionary War General that Berlin produced. He was captured
and kept prisoner for more than a year, while protecting Washington's rear-guard. Selah was Chairman of the Committee for building Kensington Congregational Church and also served as Treasurer and Moderator. In 1775, he was appointed to a committee to provide such stores of lead as they judged necessary for use by the Colony. He served as Deacon of Kensington Congregational Church from before 1775 to 10 JUN 1806. He resided at 200 Four Rod Road. His homestead was a small house, built in 1785. It burned down during the 1930's. He sold ground corn and feed in the Old Belcher Mill to William Risley. He died at age 74 years. His widow, Ruth, gave Kensington Congregational Church a bell in his memory. Genealogical History of Deacon Stephen Hart & His Descendants, comp. Alfred Andrews - p.47, 57-61 Berlin Records - p.323, 34, 37, 104, 213, 427 Early CT Marriages - p.4 Hale -p.115 Brandegee - p.25,26 CT Magazine; 1900 - p.409

Genealogical Research

Genealogical History of Deacon Stephen Hart & his descendants by Alfred Andrews, c1847

Born May 5, 1761, 2nd son of Nathaniel Hart and Abigail Hooker
Married on March 4, 1754 to Mary Cole (1742-1763 ).
Children: They had one child Mary (1756-) who died young
Married on Dec 22, 1763 to Ruth Cole (1743-1844)
He was a magistrate. Held many positions of honor and usefulness.
Joined Kensington Congregational Church in 1763. Deacon.
Moderator of 1st town meeting June 13, 1785. Represented town in General Assembly.
Home at 200 Four Rod Road, burned 1936, rebuilt. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Died June 1838 – Ledge Cemetery

From Silas Hart family by William Lincoln Hat, c1942

General Selah Hart served the country in the capacity of a general during the War of the Revolution. In 1776 he commanded a regiment and when Washington evacuated New York he was cut off and captured by a body of the enemy’s forces which had ascended the Hudson River and landed above him. The cruelties and miseries which American prisoners suffered in those days were suffered by Col Hart for nearly two years during the most of which time his wife did not know whether he was living or dead. Subsequently he made Brigadier General and serviced in the capacity until the close of the war.

He took a very young colored child to bring up, named Jack, who was legally a slave, but Jack's living, clothing, and education were better than the average of the white lads in the vicinity enjoyed, and when the lad became twenty-one years of age, the master said to him: "The law would give me four years more of your service, but I think you have the right to be free, and you are at liberty to go away, or stay with me and receive wages." Gen. Hart was singularly thoughtful and active for the public weal.

Selah Hart of Kensington allowed his slave Pharoah to enlist in the army for three years on the condition that if he paid Hart a portion of his wages he would be free at the end of his tour of duty. Pharoah fought in the Battle of Germantown. In 1777 and at Monmouth, NJ in 1778. At the end of his three years he went south to service in the American army there. Hart claimed the money that was due Pharoah should be aid to him and it was. Thirty-five years later both men received pension from the federal government. Pharoah was living in New Jersey in 1818.

Thomas Jefferson wrote in the Declaration of Independence that “all men are equal”. Hart freed his slaves. In the 1790 census he did not own any slaves.

The Hartford Courant notes that Gen. Hart was on the Roll of Representatives from Berlin, CT in May 1789.

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Map:  Capt. 1st Co Col Wolcotts Reg 1776 - Died Jun 10, 1806 age 74

Hale Collection: Ledge Cemetery: General Selah Hart: Rev War Col. Wolcott’s Regt. Died June 10, 1806, age 74 yrs. “Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.”
The Lead Mine

During the Revolutionary War, lead was an important metal.

Lead or galena, a sulfide, has been mined at a number of locations in Connecticut. The largest working mine was in nearby Middletown, on the east bank of the Connecticut River near River Road about a half-mile east of Silver Street. Another source of lead was in Kensington on the Mill River.

In 1775, General Selah Hart was appointed by the General Court as one of a committee to “provide stories of lead as they shall judge necessary for the use of the colony, to contract for and take lead ore that shall be raised out of the mine of Matthew Hart of Farmington, and to dig and raise ore in said mine if profitable and necessary for the use of the colony.”

In a report the Kensington mine was identified as “another one of those old lead-diggings which was explored during and prior to the revolutionary-war and where unsuccessful attempts to find a body of ore were also made about thirty years ago (1807).”

Selah Hart’s cousin, Matthew Hart owned the mine in Kensington. Matthew lived at 121 Glen Street. Today, it is a private home. Picture from 1934 WPA Census of Old Buildings in Connecticut Survey at the Connecticut State Library Digital Collection.

Photos by Jay Robbins

James Gates Percival, a Kensington native and the first state geologist, was very familiar with the Kensington mine. It was co-owned by his father Dr Percival and located about a half-mile from his childhood home. In a letter he wrote: “there are two distinct openings, probably along the vein line. There seemed to be ore, he wrote, I found it there, but it needs to be tested. He found that the ore is entirely similar to that of the Middletown mine, in strings parallel to the walls. It has always been found that the ore obtained in the old working was found to contain a portion of silver, the poorly grained ore is predominant. The mine is thin, like the Middletown mine. At some point the small veins contain galena starting at right angles from the vein in the overlaying shale. The rock being in

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3 Memorial History of Hartford County, Volume 2, 1886 by J. Hammond Trumbull, page 23
4 Connecticut’s minor metals and her minerals, part 2, by Charles Rufus Harte, 60th annual meeting of the Connecticut Society of Civil Engineers, 1944
the water I can not speak more particularly. The blend in the main vein is subordinate and more generally occurs in connection with the coarser grained ore”.

Percival drew a sketch with suggestions of where to open the ground and test the vein. The mine was on the east side of the stream.

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5 James Gates Percival letter found at the Connecticut Historical Society, Hartford, CT
President George Washington has breakfast in Berlin - Fall 1789

In Nathaniel Philbrick’s book: Travels with George, c2021, he details Washington’s trip to New England. Washington had been elected President of the United States. The colonists first thought of themselves as members of their colony, ex. Connecticutians, or Virginians, not Americans. He wanted to foster national pride. Second Washington wanted to thank the soldiers. Third he wanted to look at noteworthy agricultural and building techniques. He wanted specially to talk with the farmers, mill owners, and leaders of a town. He stayed in public taverns, Philbrick tells us that Washington “resorted to a bit of political theater. Before entering a town, he’d step out of his carriage dressed in his general’s uniform, mount his gleaming white horse, and ride down the main thoroughfare to thunderous acclaim.” (p xvi) There was always a parade for his entrance to a town. Today it doesn’t hurt that a president looks good on camera, back then it was how you looked on a horse that made the difference. (p26)

In Connecticut he traveled the Upper post road and returned via the Middle post road. He would start bright and early, even before dawn. He’d travel about 10 miles before stopping for breakfast at a tavern. There would be two more stops to water and feed the horses and then a final push for nightfall.

Fuller Tavern, built 1769, 1055 Worthington Ridge

Fuller Tavern was a regular stagecoach stop where horses were freshened, news was exchanged, slept and dined. Catharine North tells us that Washington on his return by stage from Bunker Hill to New York was escorted by Major Jackson and Mr. Lear and had breakfast at the house of Fuller. An oft-told story of this visit shows the excitement the residents felt about Washington. In Doris Meyer’s book she shares a letter from John Marr who remembers: “Word had been sent by courier the evening before, to Landlord Fuller that his Excellency, General Washington, would take breakfast with him at precisely seven o’clock the following morning. The little village was in commotion, and the night and early morning was spent in making preparations for the coming event. A rude arch was erected beyond the tavern, and was festooned with flags and appropriate mottoes. Under the arch and upon one side of the narrow roadway were two tables. Upon one stood decanters of old Jamaica, Santa Cruz rum and Holland gin, upon the other table stood bottles of old port sherry and Madeira wine, and a pitcher of cold water (sometimes drank in those days). It was expected the General would dismount, take a ‘nip’ and while standing under the arch, the fife and drums would play and the orator – an old soldier who had served under Washington, would deliver the address of ‘Welcome to Worthington.’ Seven o’clock came, then eight o’clock. At half past eight the weary watchers and waiters were told that Washington had gone by the Middletown pike. It took several drinks of old Jamaica to sustain the orator and old soldier. The crowd was about to disperse when Washington and his staff was seen approaching the outskirts of the little village. The orator

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was propped up against the arch, and when the General stood with head uncovered under the old flags, the orator stood with bowed and arms folded across his stomach, and said “General, I am too full for utterance!”  

Perhaps, we should let George Washington have the final words. In his diary, Washington wrote for Tuesday, November 10th, 1789: “Left Hartford about 7 O’clock & took the Middle Road (instead of the one through Middleton which I went). Breakfasted at Worthington in the Township of Berlin, at the House of one Fuller. Bated at Smiths on the plains of Wallingford 13 Miles from Fullers, which is the distance Fullers is from Hartford – and got into New Haven which is 13 Miles more, about half an hour before Sun-down.” 

The old soldier and orator was none other than Selah Hart.

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7 Berlin, Other Times, Other Voices, by Doris Vroom Meyers, Berlin Free Library, 1986
8 The Diaries of George Washington, Volume 5 edited by Donald Jackson and Dorothy Twohig, University Press of Virginia, 1979
Hart, Thomas
Brother Jonathan also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Bridge (Cemetery)
Ins Thomas Hart died Sept 21, 1832 aged 78
Rev Record
In Capt. Stoddard’s Co - Col Noahdia Hooker’s Regt of Militia 1777 – marched May 30, 1777 - discharged May 16, 1778
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Thoms Hart – March 30-May 15 in Capt. James Stoddard’s Company
p 560 - Lt Samuel Lee’s Company for the defense of the State and stationed as a Guard for the Town of Guilford 1780: Thomas Hart, Jun May 24 with 147 days in service
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Dec 6, 1754, the son of Ebenezer Hart and Elizabeth Lawrence
Died Sept 18, 1832 age 79
In Catharine North: A History of Berlin, Connecticut, c1916
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
Genealogical research
Genealogical History of Deacon Stephen Hart & his descendants by Alfred Andrews, c1847
Born Dec 6, 1754, 5th son of Ebenezer Hart and Elizabeth Lawrence
Never married
Died Sept 18, 1832
Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery: Thomas Hart: Sept 24, 1753-Sept 26, 1832, age 79

Find a grave (Internet) photo: The youngest brother of John, Elihi, Jonathan, and Ebenezer, sons of Ebenezer Hart who died 1795, son of Ebenezer Hart who died 1773, son of Thomas Hart who died 1771, son of Thomas Hart, son of Stephen Hart who arrived in America and settled in Farmington, CT
Hart, Zachariah

Brother Hezekiah also served

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 659 - Sarah Hart - census of pensioners of 1840 – Berlin – age 71

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Variant spellings of Given name are "Zachariah", "Zeechariah", and "Zec". He married 1st Abigail at the Christian Lane [i.e. Kensington Congregational] Church; he and Abigail both from Kensington. He married 2nd Sarah at Kensington Congregational Church; Sarah also from Kensington. Sarah and Zachariah were members of Berlin Congregational Church in 1775. Selectman 1790-1791. He died Dec 26, 1811 age 77. Early Conn. Marriages, p. 3 Berlin records, p.161, 209. Hale - p.54 Berlin Records - p.209, 215 Brandegee - p.29 North - p.67 Genealogical History of Dea. Stephen Hart & His Descendants; comp. Alfred Andrews -p382

Genealogy research

Genealogical History of Deacon Stephen Hart & His Descendants by Alfred Andrews, c1847

Born Jan 5, 1733/4 in Kensington, the 5th son of Hezekiah Hart and Martha Beckley
married 1 on March 23, 1758 to Abigail Beckley (1737-1765)
Children with Abigail Beckley: Olive (1759-1833), Joseph (1760-1760), Zachariah (1761-1762), Caroline (1762-1841), Zachariah (1764-1764)
made 2 on June 1766 to Sarah Parsons (-1813)
Children with Sarah Parsons: Abigail (1768-1845), Sarah (1770-1846), Martha (1772-1844), Zenas (1774-1775), Submit (1776-1810)
1800 census Berlin
French and Indian War: 6th Reg under Capt. Josiah Lee – raised an alarm for the relief of Fort William Henry

Home at 534 Lower Lane built 1767. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Died: Dec 26, 1811 at age 77

Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery: Zachariah Hart: died Dec 20, 1811 age 78
**Hobby, Joseph - Captain**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Bridge (Cemetery)

Born 1741 – died Nov. 26, 1808

Ins: Mr. Joseph Hobby died Nov 26, 1808

Record found on page 491 – Conn Men in Rev

Application for grave marker was returned (not approved) by Judge Hotchkiss, Registrar of S.A.R. as the record of service referred to a soldier from Greenwich – a deed is on record showing that land was conveyed by member of Hobby family in Greenwich to the Hobby Family in Berlin

Married into the Lardner Deming family

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 484 - 9th Regiment 1776 - after Battle of White Plains, additional troops were raised to march to Westchester, NY under General Wooster. Capt. Joseph Hobby Nov 11, 1776 - Jan 11, 1777

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)

Ancestor A055994 Service Connecticut Rank Captain

Birth July 10, 1741 Death 1787

Service description: 9th Regt militia

SARS (Sons of the American Revolution)

Capt. Hobby – company of householders of Greenwich in Capt. Mead’s Co, Nov 11, 1776 to Jan 11, 1777

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Died Nov 1808 – Bridge cemetery

Genealogical Research

Born July 10, 1741 Greenwich, son of Joseph Hobby and Sarah Knapp

Married in 1760 to Eunice Knapp (1743-1799)

Children: Abraham (1761-1803), Tammy (1763-1814), Bethia (1766-1829), Eunice (1768-1813), Jemima (1768-1785), Elizabeth (1770-1806), Orpha (1772-1859), Sarah (1774-1777), Sarah (1777-1821), Joseph (1779-1803), Mills (1781-1798), Jonathan (1782-), Francis (1783-1861), Annis (1786-1863), Charlotte (1788-1836)

Captain Nov 11, 1776 - 8th Reg militia Conn State

Died Nov 26, 1808 Berlin – Bridge Cemetery

Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery: Joseph Hobby died Nov 26, 1808, age 67

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Hollister, Abel**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Maple (Cemetery)
Wife’s name Caroline Hart
Ins In memory of Abel Hollister who died Mar 25, 1807 aged 48
Rev Record page 198 In Capt. Wright’s Co., from Farmington 5th Conn Line
Too young- no help from genealogy

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 193 - 5th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Philip Burr Bradley

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born 1761 – baptized Feb 15, 1761 Kensington, Son of Ephraim Hollister and Anna Beckley
Married Caroline Hart 1762-1841
Died May 25, 1809 – age 48 - south/ maple
Catherine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut, c1916 - p 221 on committee to sell brick school house in 1802

Genealogical Research
Born Feb 10, 1761, son of Ephraim Hollister and Anna Hart
Married Caroline Hart (1762-1841)
Children: Salmon (1788-), William (1788-1817), Anna (1801-1854)
Died May 25, 1809 - Maple Cemetery

Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: Abel Hollister: In memory of Abel Hollister who died May 25th 1809 ae 48

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Hooker, Samuel
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Christian Lane (Cemetery)
Ins Samuel Hooker died Mar 27, 1807 aged 81 years
Record on page 524 CMR
In Capt. Chapman’s Co, Col Mead’s Regt of drafted men

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A057686 Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: Farmington, CT
Service Description: 1) Capt. Chapman, Col Mead

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Jr died March 27, 1807 – Christian Lane age 81, row 8, # 11
Married Sarah Norton who died 1809
Children: Sarah (1763-1840), Ester baptized 1759, Ann (-1802 or 1809), Lydia (1764-1774)

Genealogical Research
The Descendants of Rev Thomas Hooker, Hartford, Connecticut by Edward Hooker, c1909
Samuel, son of Samuel4, Samuel3, Samuel2, Thomas1
Born Sept 2, 1762 in Kensington, son of Samuel Hooker and Mercy Leete
Married on Sept 23, 1756 to Sarah Norton (1732-1809)
Children: Ann (1756-), Esther (1759-1848), Sarah (1763-1840), Lydia (1764-1774), Samuel (1758-)
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1820 census
Died March 27, 1807 age 81 in Kensington

Connecticut Courant, Wed Apr 1, 1807: died at Berlin on the 27th of March, Mr. Samuel Hooker, in the 81st year of his age
Hale Collection: Christian Lane Cemetery: Samuel Hooker: died March 27, 1807, age 81

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Hooker, William - Sgt

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin- Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Captain
West Lane (Cemetery) Feb 1826 age 69
Marker placed Oct 1905
Rev service p 331 – 235 – 635

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 635 - list pensioner 1818
p 659 – census of pensioners 1840- Berlin, Hannah Hooker age 78, 79 – listed twice?

Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension
Wife Hannah, Married Feb 3, 1779
Died Feb 4, 1829
April 21, 1777 for 3 years as a private in Capt. Caleb Buell in Samuel Webb’s Regt
May 16, 1780 for 8 months as a Serg
August 1, 1908
file 21349 - Rev. War
Madam:
In reply to your request of 25th, received 27th for a statement of the military history of William Hooker a soldier of the Revolutionary War, you will find below the desired information as contained in his (his widow's) application for pension on file in this bureau.
April 21, 1777 - 3 years – Private - Caleb Bull (Captain) - Samuel B. Webb (Colonel)
May 16, 1780 - 8 mos. – Sergt. - Caleb Bull (Captain) - Samuel B. Webb (Colonel)
Battles engaged in, not stated
Residence of soldier at enlistment, not stated, Enlisted at Hartford, Conn.
Date of application for pension, Nov. 4, 1818, His claim was allowed.
Residence at date of application, Berlin, Hartford Co., Conn.
Remarks: Soldier married at Hartford, Conn. Feb 3, 1779, Hannah (Jones) she was allowed pension on an application executed Oct 8, 1836. While a resident of Berlin, Conn., aged about 76 years. Children referred to, Seth the only name mentioned. Very respectfully - Mrs. L, G. Heely

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor # A057709 Service: Connecticut Rank: Sergeant
Sept 15, 1756 - 3rd Regiment
Birth: Sept 15, 1756 Death: Feb 4, 1826 Kensington
Spouse: Hannah Jones

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Sept 15, 1756 Berlin – Feb 4, 1826 Kensington
Married Hannah Jones

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
He was a pensioned sergeant of the Revolutionary War; he served in Col. Webb’s Regiment and Captain Bulkley’s Company
He died at age 69 years. Berlin Records- p.148
Born Sept 15, 1756 in Kensington, Baptized Oct 10, 1756 at Kensington Congregational
Parents Seth Hooker and Sarah Baldwin
Married on July 19, 1758 to Hannah Jones
Rev – 3rd Regt Conn.Line – sergeant
Died Feb 4, 1826 – buried in West Lane

Genealogical research
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1820 census
Born Sept 15, 1756 in Kensington, Baptized Oct 10,
1756 at Kensington Congregational, son of Seth
Hooker and Sarah Burnham Hooker Dix
Married on July 19, 1758 to Hannah Jones
Children: William (1781-2), Sally (1786-1862),
Betsey (1785-1873), Seth (1796-1878),
Charles (1799-1863), Levi (1802-1808)
Home at 148 High Road, built 1771. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Died Feb 4, 1826 – buried in West Lane Cemetery

Connecticut Courant Feb 14, 1826: died at Berlin, Mr. William Hooker, 70. In the revolutionary war Mr.
Hooker was associated with a band of music, consisting of eight individuals, which was raised in
Hartford in 1777, and attached to the regiment commanded by Col Webb. It is believed that he is the
first numbered with the dead (From this band)

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Capt. Webb Reg 1781 - Died Feb 4, 1826 age 69

Hale Collection: West Lane Cemetery: William Hooker - Rev
War, Sergt., Capt. Bulkley’s Co., Col. Webb’s Regt., died Feb 4,
1826, age 69 yrs.
**Hosford, Amos - Captain**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

Captain

Maple (Cemetery) Nov 1822

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p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776 - Winter 1776 – guarded Boston

for about 6 weeks: 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Lt Amos Hosford

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)

Ancestor #: A058742 – A057709 - Service: Connecticut  Rank: Lieutenant

Birth: circa Sept 15, 1756  Death: Nov 13, 1822 Berlin, CT

Service Description: 1) Capt. Heart, 3RD Co State Regt

Spouse: Hannah Jones

Genealogical research

Born in 1737 in Worthington, son of Benjamin Hosford and Experience Deming Smith

Married Chloe (1737-1784)

Children: Mary (1754-1831)

Married on Jan 5, 1786 to Esther Bull (1754-1786)

Children: Hetty (1786-1856)

Married on Apr 26, 1787 to Jerusha (-1827)

Died Nov 13, 1822 Maple Cemetery

Hale Collection: West Lane Cemetery: Amos Hosford: Rev War, 3rd Co., Col. Wolcott’s Regt., died Nov. 13, 1822, age 84

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Hotchkiss, Ladwick**

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

- p 548 - Ladk Hotchkiss on Lt Col Stanley’s Co New Haven alarm 1779
- p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy: Ladk Hotchkiss in Lt Col Stanley’s Co
- p 569 - Serg Ladwick Hotchkiss of Farmington March 26 in Capt. Matthew Smith’s Co, In Gen Waterbury’s state brigade 1781
- p 568 - General David Waterbury’s State Brigade 1781 – raised for the defense of the Post at Horseneck and places adjacent and all the guards raised for the defense of the seacoasts from Horseneck to New Haven: Ludwick Hotchkiss Serg

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension

- Day laborer
  - 1776 - 1-year private Capt. Perrell in Jedediah Huntington’s Regt
  - 1777 - 3 years private Henry Champion in Samuel Wyllys Regt
  - Sept 24, 1780-May 1781 ensign Smith’s Co as a shipman
  - Engaged in Battle of White Plains, Brunswick
  - Living in Otisco, Oneida, NY
  - Died Dec 1, 1823

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)

- Ancestor: A058909  Ensign in CT
- Born May 25, 1752 in Farmington  Died Dec 1, 1823 in Berlin
- Pensioner
  - Served Capt. Chapman, served Col Jedediah Huntington and Samuel Wyllys

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)

- Spouse: Martha Lee
- Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
  - Died Dec 1, 1823 age 73
  - Blacksmith
  - Son Josiah baptized 1757

Genealogical research

- 1790 census Berlin
  - Rev war veteran enlisted Jan 1, 1777 as corporal in Lt Col Grosvenor 3rd Ct Regt, discharged 1/11/1780
  - Born May 25, 1752, son of Ladwick Hotchkiss and Molly North
  - Married on May 17, 1773 to Martha Lee (1754-1813)
  - Children: Ladwick (1773-1858), Seth (1775-1806), Orren (1778-1846), Jessie (1780-1855), Sarah (1782-1857), Abi (1784-1812), Alvin (1788-1863), Mehitable (1791-1859), Daniel (1794-1821)
  - Died Dec 1, 1823 in Fairfield Cemetery New Britain

Hale Collection – New Britain: Fairview Cemetery: Ladwick Hotchkiss died Dec 1, 1823, age 73

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Hubbard, Abijah - Sgt
Brother Samuel also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
East Berlin
Wife Achsch

In Memory of Abijah Hubbard who died Feb 19, 1814 in the 73rd year of his age
Rev Record on page 427 CMR
A second man: Sergeant from Middletown 1780/ A pensioner of this name died in 1823

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 642 - CT pensioners 1818 – Sergeant Abijah Hubbard

Heritage Quest (Internet) - pension
Served March 1777 under Capt Tallmadge, Col Sheldon to May 1782
Awarded badge of merit for 6 years faithful service

SARS (Sons of American Revolution)
Born: Oct 4, 1742 Berlin, son of Samuel Hubbard and Joanna Judd
died Feb 19, 1814 Berlin - Wilcox Cemetery
Farmer in Middletown
Enlisted March 18, 1777 – made corporal Jan 1778, made Sergeant Nov 1, 1780
In Col Elisha Sheldon’s 2nd Regt Light Dragoons,
Married on Dec 10, 1764 to Achsah Beckley (1741-)
Children: Abijah (1764-1789), John (1768-1845), James (1769-1850), Sarah (1780-1867), Harvey (1782-1863), Polly (1785-1808)

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Achsah Beckley on Dec 20, 1764 in Kensington
Died Feb 19, 1814 – Wilcox cemetery
Married in the Christian Lane [i.e. Kensington Congregational] Church; Abijah and wife Achsah both from Kensington. Variant spellings of wife's given name are "Asaph", "Acsaph", and "Achsah". They owned Covenant JUL 1765 at Kensington Congregational Church since 1756. 1790 Census: 1 free white male of 16 years and upward including heads of families 2 " " under 16 3 " females Abijah died at age 72 years. Berlin records - p. 146, 166, 214 Early CT Marriages - p.5 Hale - p. 92

Genealogical research
One thousand years of Hubbard history 866-1895
Census 1790 Berlin, 1800 census, 1820 census
Born Oct 4, 1742, son of Samuel Hubbard and Joanna Judd
Married on Dec 20, 1764 to Achsah/Axs Beckley (1741-1812)
Children: Abijah (1764-1789), John (1768-1845), James (1769-1850), Sarah (1780-1867), Harvey (1782-1863), Polly (1785-1808)
Died Feb 19, 1814, Wilcox Cemetery

Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Abijah Hubbard died Feb 19, 1814, age 72

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Hubbard, Johnathan - Lt**  
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room  
East Berlin  
Ins Johnathan Hubbard died March 20, 1813 aged 70  
Rev Rec page 239 CMR Private 4th Conn Line  
Hubbard genealogy gives following service: Commissioned Lieut in 1777 Col Burr’s Regt, also  
private Col Batters (sp?) Regt  
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889  
p 193 - 5th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Philip Burr Bradley  
  Rendezvous in Danbury. Spring 1777 to Peekskill. In Sept ordered to Pennsylvania and  
  engaged at Battle of Germantown (Oct. 4, 1777). Wintered at Valley Forge. One June 28,  
  1778 present at Battle of Monmouth. Camped with main army at White Plains. Wintered at  
  Redding. Summer 1779 on east side of Hudson. Wintered at Morristown. Summer 1780  
  along both sides of the Hudson: Lt. Jonathan Hubbard Jan 1, 1777- Jan. 2, 1778 resigned  
p 337 - 4th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Zebulon Butler: Jonathan Hubbard Jan 1,  
  1781 to Dec 31, 1781  
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)  
Ancestor: A059307  
  Born Oct 25, 1742 Middletown     Died March 20, 1813 in Berlin  
5th Conn Line  
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Historical Name Index  
  Member Christian Lane Church in 1756  
  1st selectman 1787  
  died 1818 age 71  
  wife died 1815 Wilcox Cemetery  
Genealogical research  
Lt  
  Born Oct 25, 1742, son of Richard Hubbard and Elizabeth Lee  
  Joined Kensington Church in 1756  
  Married on Feb 3, 1763 to Katherine Robert (1744-1813)  
  Children: Sarah (1763-1779), Katherine (1765-1826), Jonathan (1767-1784 When he drowned age  
  14), Richard (1770-1811), Benjamin (1772-1776), Benjamin (1776-1814), Lemuel (1778-1822),  
  Jonathan (1784-1788 at age 4)  
Census 1790 Berlin, 1810 census  
  Died March 20, 1813 – Wilcox Cemetery  
Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Johnathan Hubbard died March  
  20, 1813 at age 71  
Find a grave (Internet) photo
Hubbard, Samuel
Brother Abijah also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
   East Berlin
   Wife Jane
   Ins In Memory of Samuel Hubbard who died Aug 23, 1813 aged 84
   Rev Record page CMR
   In New Haven Alarm – Col Stanley – Capt. 7th Militia Regt, Col Hooker
   Genealogy gives same record
   Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
   p 157 - 2nd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Charles Webb - April 1777 assembled in
   Danbury, marched to Peekskill. Nov 14, 1777 ordered to join Washington in Pennsylvania,
   engaged on Dec 8 at Whitemarsh. Wintered at Valley Forge. On July 28, 1778 at Battle of
   Monmouth. Moved to White Plains and wintered at Redding. Served on east side of Hudson
   during 1779. Wintered at Morristown. In 1780 with the main army along the Hudson.
   in Captain Mills Company: Samuel Hubbard Aug 29, 1779-Jan 15, 1780
   p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the
   enemy: Sam Hubbard
   Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name index
   Died Aug 23, 1813 age 77 Wilcox Cemetery
   Jr
   Married Jane Higby who died 1812
   Members Berlin Congregational Church 1775
   Genealogical research
   Born Nov 18, 1736, son of Samuel Hubbard and Joanna Judd
   Married on May 23, 1765 to Jane Higbee/Higby (1741-1812)
   Children: Susannah (1765-1766), Samuel (1772-1830), Isaac (1775-1837), Rhoda (1780-1834),
   Sylvester (1783-1864)
   1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
   Died: Aug 23, 1813 Wilcox Cemetery

Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Samuel Hubbard died Aug 23, 1813, age 77

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Johnson, Samuel**  
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room  
East Berlin  
Wife Anna  
Ins Mr. Samuel Johnson died Feby 22, 1804 age 67  
Rev Rec Lieut in Cap Cooke’s Co Wallingford  
Col Wooster’s Regt CMR page 42  
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889  
  
Genealogical research  
  
Born Dec 26, 1737, son of Henry Johnson and Abigail Hubbard  
Married on March 13, 1765 in Berlin to Ann Hopkins (1742-1816)  
Children: Samuel (1765-1781), Phineas (1768-1840), Simeone (1770-1807), Alma (1772-1854), Bethuel(1774-1775), Henry (1776-1824), Abigail (1783-1862)  
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census  
Died Feb 22, 1804 East Berlin  

Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Samuel Johnson died Feb 22, 1804 age 67  

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Judd, James**

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889  
- p 659 – census of pensioners 1840- Esther Judd widow - Berlin age 82  
Heritage Quest (Internet) – pension – widow Esther  
  Died Nov 10, 1822  
  Served 7 months 15 days July 1776 under in Capt. Gad Stanley and Col Fisher Gay’s Regt  
  April 1777 – 2 weeks in Danbury under Capt. John Langdon  
  Aug 1777 – 2 months in NY under Capt. John Langdon  
  July 1779 – 5-6 weeks in Capt. Asa Bray’s Co  
  Married June 20, 1778 in New Britain  
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)  
  Ancestor: A063376  
  Born Jan 27, 1757 Kensington Died Nov 10, 1822 in Berlin  
  Capt. Stanley, Capt. Langdon, Capt. Bray  
SARS (Sons of the American Revolution)  
  Jan 27, 1757 Farmington- Nov 10, 1822 Berlin  
  Married Esther Allen  
Genealogical Research  
  Born Jan 27, 1757, son of James Judd and Hannah Andrews  
  Married in 1779 to Esther Allen (1759-1847)  
  Children: Anna (1781-1823), Esther (1782-1846), James (1785-1860), Asahel (1787-1857), Samuel (1789-1852), Azmi (1791-1863), Hannah (1792-1835), Allen (1795-1868), Ethen (1798-1870), Henry (1801-1873)  
  1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1820 census  
  Died Nov 10, 1822 in Berlin  
Hale Collection: New Britain: Fairview Cemtery: James Judd died 1822, age 66 in Berlin  
Find a grave (Internet) photo: Fairview Cemetery, New Britain
Kelsey, Ezekiel
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
  Maple (Cemetery) March 4, 1825 age 77
  Inscription in memory of Ezekiel Kelsey who died March 4, 1825 ae 77
  Marker placed May 1908
  Rev service p 531
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
  p 530 - Colonel Chapman’s Regiment August 1778 was engaged in the attempt to dislodge the British
  at Newport, RI at the Battle of Rhode Island Aug 29, 1778: Ezekiel Kelsey August 3 to Sept.
  18 in Capt. Nathaniel Pomeroy’s Company
Berliner-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
  Rev war – Capt. Pomeroy Co, Chapmman’s Regt
  South/ Maple
  Married Esther Hubbard
  Revolutionary War veteran. He and his wife, Esther, were members of Berlin Congregational Church
  in 1775. He died at age 77 years. 1790 Census: 1 free white male of 16 yrs. and upward including
  heads of families 1 " " male under 16 5 " " females Berlin Cong. Ch. Records - p.41 Hale - Updated
  Sep 30, 2009 with corrections and additions as follows. Ezekiel was the father of Samuel
  Kelsey[ID#1066]. Sources: Minnie Jemima Kelsey, Berlin, CT Dr. John Levi Cramb, Denver, CO
  Henry Evelyn Kelsey, Hilo, HA Claypool, Edward A. and Clizbee, Azalea and concluded by Kelsey,
  Earl Leland. Genealogy of the Descendants of William Kelsey
Genealogical research
  Born Dec 25, 1747 Wethersfield, son of Ezekiel Kelsey and Sarah Allis
  Married in 1770 in Berlin to Esther Hubbard (1744-1821)
  Children: Eunice (1771-1818), Samuel (1773-1774), Lois (1775-
  1840), Samuel (1777-1816), Esther (1780-1872), Lydia
  (1783-)
  1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
  Home at 429 Beckley Road, built 1750. Town of Berlin GIS
  Home at 429 Beckley Road, built 1750. Town of Berlin GIS
  Index (Internet) photo
  Died March 4, 1825 Berlin, age 77 -- Maple Cemetery

died March 4, 1825, age 77 yrs.

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Kelsey, John - Sgt
Brother William also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Corporal
Roll of Lieut Aaron Porter’s Co in ye 6th Regt ordered to New Haven July 5, 1779: Corporal John
Kelsey - From Conn men of Rev page 191

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
P 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776 - Winter 1776 – guarded Boston
for about 6 weeks - 4th Company under Capt. Hezekiah Welles Company: Sergt John Kelsey

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor: A064381
Service: Connecticut Rank: Sergeant
Birth: 11-30-1746 Berlin, CT
Death: 3-4-1832 Litchfield, NY

Genealogical research
Genealogy of the descendants of William Kelsey
John son of (Enoch4, John3, Stephen2, William1)
Much respected for moral worth, Christian observances, and public ability.
Corporal in Capt. Haskell’s Co, April 19, 1775. Serg in Capt. Longley’s Co
Selectman 1786. Town Clerk 1784-86
tinsmith
1790 census Berlin
Born Nov 2, 1746, Wethersfield, oldest son of Enoch Kelsey and Mary Bidwell
Married on May 9, 1770 to Agnes Bowles (1742-1786)
Children: John (1772-1775), James (1773-1864), John (1775-1856), Joseph (1777-), Mary (1780-
1822), Thomas (1782-1862), Sylvester (1784-1848), David (1786-1874)
Married 2 in Feb 1788 to Hannah Treat (1755-1818)
Children: Sarah (1789-), William (1791-)
Married 3 on July 9, 1823 in NY to Nancy Green (1778-1857)
Died March 4, 1832 New York, Old Baptist Cemetery

History of Ancient Wethersfield: Wethersfield Inscriptions: Sgt John Kelsey in Capt. Hez Welles Company,
Col Wolcott’s Regt before Boston Jan-March 1776

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Old Baptist Cemetery, Winfield, NY, Died in the 86th year of his age –
Revolutionary Soldier - No gravestone
Kelsey, William
Brother John also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Roll of Lieut Aaron Porter’s Co in ye 6th Regt ordered to New Haven July 5, 1779
Lieu Aaron Porter
Ensign Solomon Dunham born 1733
Corporal John Kelsey
Samuel North
Fifer Abijah Porter
William Kelsey
Solomon Dunham born 1761
From Conn men of Rev page 191

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 25 – Lexington alarm from Wethersfield 6 days
The first call was “for the Relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm of April 19, 1775. Approximately … men from Connecticut responded. Several men served from Wethersfield under Captain John Chester including: William Kelsey

Genealogical research
Born Feb 21, 1747, Wethersfield, son of Enoch Kelsey and Mary Bidwell
Married in 1777 in Glastonbury to Dorothy Goodrich
Children born in Berlin: Daniel, (1777-1811), Sarah (1779-1847), Samuel (1782-1861), Abigail (1784-1785), William (1788-1855), Abigail (1791-1871), Rachel (1793-1863), John (1796-1886)
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
Home at 40 Farmington Avenue. Town of Berlin GIS Index (internet) photo
Died: Dec 2, 1827 Candor, New York

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Candor, NY Maple Grove Cemetery:
William Kelsey died Dec 2, 1827
Kirby, John

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Maple (Cemetery) - born 1756 - died June 11, 1786, age 25/27
Marker placed May 1908
Rev service p 481

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 475 - Major Sheldon’s Regiment Light Horse – accompanied Washington on his retreat through
New Jersey Dec 1776: John Kirby in Capt Eli Butler’s Company

Berlin-Peck Memorial library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Revolutionary War Veteran, Capt. Butler Co., Major Sheldon's Reg., 1776. He died at age 24 years.
Hale - p.38
Died June 11, 1786 in South/Maple – at 24 years of age
Baptized at Kensington Congregational Church. According to Hale cemetery record he died at age
24 years; BPLH Card Notes record age 25 years. Berlin Records - p.153 Hale - p.38
South/Maple Cemetery 1758-1783

Genealogical research
Born Nov 18, 1758 in Middletown, son of John Kirby and Lucia Norton
Never married
June 11, 1783 at age 24 - Maple Cemetery

Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: John Kirby: Rev War Sheldon’s Regt. died June 11, 1783, age 24
Find a grave (Internet) photo (right)
Lee, Isaac - Col
Father and son Isaac both served
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 437 - Col Isaac Lee of Farmington 15th State regiment March 1775 to 1776
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A068568 Service: Connecticut Rank(s): Civil Service, Colonel
Birth: 1-17-1716 Farmington, CT Death: 12-13-1802 Berlin, CT
Service Source: Johnston, CT Men in the Rev p 437, Camp, Hist of New Britain p 408
Service Description: 1) 15TH Regt, CT militia 2) Justice of the Peace
SARS – (Sons of American Revolution)
Jan 7, 1717 – 1802
Parents Dr Isaac Lee and Mary Hubbard
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
a Colonel in the Revolutionary War
Grandson of Capt. Stephen Lee. Was on Committee to appear before General Assembly in 1753. He
had a home on East Street, New Britain; farm extended from East Street to Main Street. Is believed
that he named New Britain. According to BPLH Card Notes, he "scrupulously" kept Society meeting
notes. He was a member of Harmony Lodge #20 during 1798 and a Colonel in the Revolutionary
2nd Elizabeth Grant; mar. 3rd Mrs. Mary Hall (widow of Amos Hall). Berlin Records - p.402 Beers -
p.933 Hollister, G.H. - The History of CT from the First Settlement of the Colony to the Adoption of
the Present Constitution - p.611 Tryon - The Story of New Britain, pub. DAR (Daughters of the
American Revolution) 1925 - p.26
Farmer and magistrate
M1 Tabitha Norton 1718-1770 – on July 10, 1740
M2 Elizabeth Grant – died 1782
M3 Mary Hall Amos on Oct 9, 1783
Genealogical Research
Photo of Col. Isaac Lee from New Britain Public Library
Genealogy John Lee of Farmington, and his descendants by Sarah Marsh Lee, c1878 p 68-69
Born Jan 17, 1716 or 1717 in Farmington, son of Dr. Isaac Lee and Mary Hubbard - 2nd child of 9
married 1 in 1740 to Tabitha Norton (1718-1770) on July 10, 1740 in Kensington – heroine of Bride-
Stealing – a poem by Emma Hart Willard
children: Theodore (1741-1742), Theodore (1743-), Chloe (1746),
        Isaac (1749-1749), Isaac (1752-), Asahel (1757-1786)
m 2 in 1772 to Elizabeth Grant (-1782)
m 3 in 1783 to Mary Johnson Hall (-1810), widow of Amos Hall
appointed Col in 1775 – resigned 1776 when elected CT Gen
Assembly and served 12 sessions. involved in town, church and state
affairs - prominent man - named “New Britain “ member 1754 New
Britain church - buried Fairview Cemetery in New Britain
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Hale Collection: New Britain: Fairview Cemetery: Isaac Lee died Jan 13, 1802

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Lee, Isaac Jr
Father Isaac and son both served

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
   Ancestor #: A068567    Service: Connecticut    Rank: Soldier
   Birth: 3-29-1752    Kensington, CT    Death: 4-11-1828    New Britain, CT
SARS (Sons of the American Revolution)
   1752-1828
   Son of Isaac Lee and Tabitha Norton
   Spouse Abigail Goodrich

Genealogical research
   Genealogy John Lee of Farmington, and his descendants by Sarah Marsh Lee, c1878 p 68-69
   Born 1752 in Kensington, the son of Dr Isaac Lee and Tabitha Norton
   Married in May 1773 to Abigail Goodrich
   Children: Helen, Isaac (1775-1818), Thomas (1776-1840), Almira (1780-1815), Josiah (1786-1788),
             Abigail (1788-1867), Lorenzo (1795-1798)
   Married 2 to Betsy Curtis Lusk
   Farmer. Inherited from father the Old Lee House. Man of piety. Greatly interested in welfare of
   society as well as the Church.
   Died April 10, 1728 in Berlin. Buried Fairview Cemetery, New Britain

   Isaac Lee 1752-1828
   Find a grave (Internet) photo – Fairview Cemetery, New Britain
Lee, John
Father and son both served in the War
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Bridge (Cemetery)
There are two of this name in Bridge Cemetery
Ins In Memory of John Lee who died Jan 21st 1796 ae 60
Ins 2nd In memory of John Lee who died Aug 18, 1844 aged 78 years
Rev Record
Lee genealogy does not help
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 53 - 3rd Regiment – Colonel Israel Putnam – Marched in May to Boston camps and stationed in Cambridge. Some men were at the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17 and some joined Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct.: 3rd Company under Capt. John Durkee: John Lee
p 72 - 6th Regiment – Colonel Samuel Holden Parsons – Marched to Boston and posted at Roxbury under General Spencer’s Brigade for the Siege of Boston: 1st Company under Colonel Samuel Holden Parsons: John Lee
p 337 - 4th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Zebulon Butler: John Lee Apr 8, 1781 to Dec 31, 1781
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Deacon
Born 1725, the son of Jonathan Lee and Mary Root. His 5 siblings were all girls and he was the only son. He and his wife were early members of Kensington Congregational Church. In 1775 they were members of Berlin Congregational Church. John died at age 70. Berlin Records p 97. Berlin Congregational Church p 28. Catharine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut, c1916, c1916 p 129
Genealogical research
son of Jonathan5, John4, John3, Richard2, Col Richard Lee1
born 1725, son of Jonathan Lee and Mary Root
married on May 1, 1752 to Sarah Cole (1730-1800)
Children: Jonathan (1753-), Samuel (1757-1803), John (1763-), Sarah (1767-), Orin (1769-1841
father Jonathan Lee home on Christian Lane, removed to Great Swamp, farmer
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
Died Jan 21, 1796 – Bridge Cemetery
Hale Collection : Bridge Cemetery: John Lee: Deacon, age 70, 1726 - Jan 22, 1796
Find a grave (Internet) photo
Lee, Samuel / Lemuel
Father and son both served in the War

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Cemetery) died 1803 age 46
Private in Capt. Heart’s co – rev service p 383
Lee genealogy has same rev record

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776 - Winter 1776 – guarded Boston
for about 6 weeks: 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Samuel Lee
p 499 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Samuel Lee Apr 3-
May 15 in Colonel Noahdiah Hooker’s Regiment, Capt. Asa Bray’s Company

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A068723   Service: Connecticut   Rank: Private
Birth: 10-2-1757   Berlin, CT
Death: 3-31-1803   Berlin, CT
Service Description: Capt. Hart

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Rev War – Capt. Bray’s Co, Col Hooker’s Regt
BPLH Card Notes record given name as ”Lemuel” ; Hale records ”Samuel”. Baptized at Kensington
Congregational Church and married there also. Married 1st Sybil Stanley; Sybil from Kensington and
Stanley from Worthington [Berlin]. Married 2nd Sally Burnett; Sally and Samuel both from
Kensington. He was taken prisoner during the Revolutionary War; confined on a prison ship in New
York harbor. Samuel died at age 46 years. Hale - p.152 Berlin Records - p.150, 224, 230 Early CT
Marriages - p.8
Baptized Oct 9, 1757 in Kensington – parents John Lee and Sarah Cole
Married 1 Sybil Stanley on Nov 17, 1784
Married 2 Sally Burnet on Oct 30, 1794
Died March 31, 1803 - South

Genealogical research
Born: Oct 2, 1757, son of John Lee and Sara Cole
He was taken prisoner and held on one of the infamous British prison ships in New York harbor
where he almost starved. When fortunate enough to catch a rat, he claimed that ”It was the sweetest
meat he ever tasted”.
Lived in the Kensington area and was one of the earliest manufacturers of tinware in the country.
He has a Revolutionary grave marker and a US flag at his gravesite
Married on Oct 17, 1757 to Sybil Stanley (1765-1799)
Married 2 in 1794 to Sarah Burnett (1774-1830)
Children: Laura (1796-1856), Rev Samuel (1803-1881)
Died March 31, 1803 Kensington - Blue Hills (South) Cemetery
John Lee of Farmington, Hartford County, Connecticut, and his
Descendants
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census
Map: Capt. Brays co 1775 - Col Harris’s Reg - Died March 31, 1803 age 45

Lewis, Nathaniel - Captain
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Wolcott Mountain Cemetery

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Ensign Nath Lewis
April 3-May 15 in Colonel Noahdiah Hooker’s Regiment, Capt. Asa Bray’s Company

Heritage Quest (Internet) - pension
Feb 1776 member of 9th Co, Battle of New York City under Capt. Bray
1778 served
Discharged Oct 1779

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A070084 Service: Connecticut Rank: Lieutenant
Birth: 12-1747 Farmington, CT Death: 2-24-1839 Wolcott, CT
Pension Number: *S17540
Service Source: *S17540; Johnston, CT Men in the Rev p 498
Service Description: 1) 9TH CO, 15TH Regt, Militia
2) also Ens: Capts Asa Bray, Samuel Upson, Col Noahdiah Hooker

SARS (Sons of the American Revolution)
Dec 1747 Southington – Feb 24, 1839 Wolcott
Spouse Sarah Gridley

Genealogical Research
Captain
Born: Dec 1747 in Southington, the son of Nathan Lewis and Mary Gridley
Lived on the mountain in SE part of Wolcott, CT. He was very active in town and church affairs
Married on Feb 15, 1769 to Sarah Gridley
Children: Silvia (1770-1857), Reuben (1772-1836), Appleton (1774-1820), Addin (1776-), Addin
(1780-1842), Roxanna (1781-1820), Salome (1785-), Nathaniel (1787-1855)
Married in 1809 to Lidia Frisbie (1785-)
Died: Feb 24, 1839 Wolcott

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves - Wolcott

Hale Collection: Wolcott: South East Burying Ground: Capt. Nathaniel Lewis died
Feb 24, 1837, age 90
He was one of the first settlers of this town
He was an honest man

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Loveland, Elijah - Corporal**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Maple (Cemetery) July 27, 1826 age 81
Marker placed May 1908
Rev service p 481

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)

Ancestor #: A071898 Service: Connecticut Rank: Corporal
Birth: 5-31-1745 Glastonbury, CT Death: 5-27-1826 Berlin, CT
Service Source: Johnston, CT Men in the Rev p 481
Service Description: 1) Capt. Butler, Maj Sheldon’s Regt of Light horse

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Was in Revolutionary War. Elijah married 1st Lois who died in 1773. He married 2nd Anne/Anna Deming; he and Ann were both from Worthington [Berlin]. Elijah and Ann were members of Berlin Congregational Church in 1775. 1790 Census 3 free white males of 16 years and upward 2 " " " under 16 yrs. 3 " " females Elijah was a tinsmith with his son, George; they made footstoves. He had a Tavern at 944 Worthington Ridge c.1797; 19th building at north end of Worthington Ridge. He received a license in 1797 to operate a tavern in the building. Elijah retired in 1812. It went to sons, George, and grandson, Henry. Elijah died at age 81 years. Berlin Records - p.220 Early CT Marriages - p.7 Hale - p.42 Brandegee - p.36 Tinsmiths of CT - p.174 North - p.197 Berlin Congregational Church Records - p.31
Rev War 1776 Corporal in Maj Sheldon’s Regt, Capt. Butler’s Co
Married 1 Lois – died 1804 –
Married 2 Ann Deming (died 1804) on Dec 27, 1774 in Kensington
Children: George, Elijah (died 1826)
Died July 27, 1826 in South/Maple

Genealogical research
Born: May 31, 1745 Glastonbury, son of John Loveland and Comfort Talcott
Married in 1772 to Lois Sage (1752-1775)
Married in 1775 to Anne Deming (1755-1804)
Children: George (1775-1842), Louise (1777-), Elijah (1779-1816), Sally (1781-)

Elijah was a corporal in the Connecticut Army during the Revolutionary War
1810 census Berlin, 1820 census
He was a farmer, ran a good hotel, manufactured tin foot stoves which were sold by wagonload
Home at 944 Worthington Ridge, built 1797. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Died July 27, 1826 age 81


Find a grave (Internet) photo
Meigs, John - Lt

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
   p 659 – census pensioners of 1840- Berlin, age 84 – Elizabeth Muggs (Meigs), widow

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
   Nov 21, 1753 Middletown – Nov 24, 1826 New Hartford
   Married Elizabeth Henshaw
   Lt in Conn Line

Genealogical research
   Born Nov 21, 1753 in Middletown, the son of Return Meigs and Elizabeth Hamlin
   Married to Elizabeth Henshaw (1755-1847 New Britain, buried Middletown Riverside Cemetery
   Children: Return (1782-1851), Benjamin (1784-1818), Elizabeth (1785-1792), Richard (1787-1884),
   Sally (1789-1865), Esther (1791-1865), Joseph (1793-1880), George (1796-1857)
   Died: Nov 24, 1826 New Hartford, buried Pine Meadow Cemetery, New Hartford

   24, 1826 ae 73 yrs. and 3 d’s.

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Morse, David

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 666 – census of pensioners 1840- Sarah Morse widow - Berlin, age 81

Heritage Quest (Internet) - pension
   CT/NY
   1775 - 10 and a half months Sergeant under T Percival in Col Huntington’s Regt
   children: Charlotte, Mary, Hannah
   first wife died Dec 31, 1803
   Rufus was their son
   Widow is Sarah

Genealogical research
   Born Feb 21,1756 Preston, CT, son of Nathaniel Morse and Mary Morgan
   Married on Feb 25, 1777 in Preston, CT to Esther Lambert (1756-1803)
   Children: Nathaniel (1777-1778), Asa (1780-1864), Anna (1782-1783), Amy (1782-1863), Absalom (1784-1868), Silas (1788-1789), Sanford (1794-1797), Lucy (1796-1797), Olive (1799-1824)
   Married 2 on Feb 4, 1804 in Sharon, VT to Sarah Lathrop Adams (1765-1857 Burke, NY)
   Children: Charlotte (1805-), Sally (1805-1890), Mary (1807-1900), Hannah (1809-)
   Albany Argus Newspaper: In the village of Johnston on the morning of the 9th, David Morse, a patriot of the revolution, aged 87 years
   Died: July 9, 1840 Johnston, NY

David Morse died in Johnston, NY on July 9, 1840. No cemetery, no gravestone
North, Elijah

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Was a pensioner from Berlin
No grave found

Genealogical Research
Born 1766 in Farmington, son of Eli North and Eunice Hart
Married on June 9, 1791 in Farmington to Mercy Hosford (1768-1813)
Children: Reuben (1791-1798), Amon (1793-1798), Amon (1798-1862), Almira (1796-1862), Naomi (1798-1852), Reuben (1800-1802), Elijah (1804-1838), Truman (1805-)
Died May 29, 1808, Avon – Greenwood Cemetery
American Mercury newspaper: May 29, 1808 Farmington, age 41
1800 census Farmington, 1820 census Berlin

Hale Collection: Greenwood Cemetery, Avon, CT: Elijah North died
May 29, 1808, age 41

Find a grave (Internet) photo
North, Isaac Jr - L.T
Brothers Samuel and Seth and sons Joseph and Selah served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
  Beckley (Cemetery) Nov 1804 age 75
  Marker placed May 1905
  Rev service p 497
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
  p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready
  2nd Lt Isaac North Apr 10- Apr 22 – in Capt. Chester Well’s Company
Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
  Ancestor #: A084531 Service: Connecticut Rank: Lieutenant
  Birth: 9-14-1729 Berlin, CT Death: 11-17-1804 Berlin, CT
  Service Source: Johnston, CT Men in the Revolution, p 497
  Service Description: 1) Second Lieutenant in Capt. Chester Wells, Col Belden’s Regt
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
  Aug 2, 1729 – Nov 17, 1804, married Hepzibah Hart
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
  Rev War – Lt in Col Belden’s Regt, Capt. Well’s Co
  Born Aug 4, 1729 in Berlin – parents Deacon Isaac and Mary Woodford
  Married Hepzibah Hart (1732-1792) on Jan 18, 1753
  Children: Selah (1753-1786), Joseph (1756-1819), Hepzibah (1757-1819), Abel (1761-1839), Lydia
  (1764-1832), Salmon (1767-1817), Isaac (1771-1823)
  Died Nov 17, 1804 - Beckley Cemetery
  Desc of Richard Beckley gives birthdate 4 Sep 1729
NEHGS Jan 1866, Records of Wethersfield CT p 14

Genealogical research
  John North of Farmington, CT by Dexter North c1921
  Born Sept 14, 1729 Berlin, son of Deacon Isaac North and Mary Woodford
  Residence: Berlin- in a large brown house
  Military: Ensign in the 18th Company or train band in the 6th regiment in this Colony. Revolution:
  2nd Lt. in Capt. Wells' Company, Brig. Gen Wolcott's Brigade, CT Militia, Apr 10-22, 1777
  Census 1790 Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
  Married on April 16, 1732 to Hepzibah Hart (April 16, 1732)
  Children: Selah (1753-1786), Joseph (1756-1819), Hepzibah
  (1757-1810), Abel (1761-1839), Lydia (1764), Salmon
  (1767-1817), Isaac (1771-1823)
  Died Nov 17, 1804 Berlin

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

In memory Deacon Isaac North Who departed this day

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North, Joseph - Fifer
Father Isaac and brothers Isaac and Selah served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Beckley or Bridge (Cemetery)
Wife name Rhoda
Ins In memory of Mr. Joseph North who died June 3, 1818 aged 63 years
Rev Record
Fifer in Cap Joel Clark’s Co, Farmington, Continental Regt, Col Huntington’s Regt.
In same Co was Isaac Wilcox

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 85 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the
Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was
ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade.
3rd Company: Fifer Joseph North

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A084540 Service: Connecticut Rank: Fifer
Birth: 4-2-1730 Farmington, CT Death: 11-28-1775 Lake George, NY
Service Description: 1) Capt. Joel Clark, Col Jedediah Huntington

Genealogical Research
John North of Farmington, CT by Dexter North c1921
Born Apr 15, 1756 Berlin, son of Isaac North and Hepzibah Hart
Married on June 1, 1777 to Rhonda Blinn
Children: James (1777-1836), Rhoda (1779-1835), Erastus (1781-1835), Allen (1783-1860), Chauncey (1786-1868), Mary (1788-1819), Sally (1791-1818), Erastus (1793-1845), Joseph (1795-1862), Harriet (1799-1880)
Joined Presbyterian Church
Died Apr 18, 1819 Beckley Cemetery

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: Joseph North died 1775 - 1819 age 63
**North, Levi**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library

Pensioner

Wilcox (Cemetery)  Oct 2, 1846  age 86  - Marker placed May 1905
Rev service p 402, 652, 659

Pensioners from Berlin 1840 – Conn Men in Rev: Levi North

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889


p 652 - 1832 list pensioners Hartford County
p 659 – census of pensioners 1840 in Berlin – age 80

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension file

1776 – 6 months Col Eel’s
1777 – 8 months – Col Sherbourne’s Regt
1778 – 2 months – Col Mead’s

enlisted from Wethersfield

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Enlisted in the Revolutionary Army at 16. Served in Capt. Eell's Co., Col. Sage's Regt. Levi was captured by British; lived on rice and repaired tools and weapons. Submitted a $1,200 bill at end of war and British paid. He used the money to build his home.

2nd son of Jedediah and Sarah [Wilcox] North. Baptized at Kensington Congregational [Christian Lane] Church. He and wife, Rachel, became members of Berlin Congregational Church in 1795. Levi had a tavern at 256 Main Street, East Berlin circa 1786. Owned property at 147 Main Street, East Berlin which was sold to Edwin Paddock in 1875. Levi sold 10 acres to Mary O'Bunce, who lived at 161 Main Street, East Berlin with husband, Thomas. Levi probably lived at 256 Main Street, East Berlin house circa 1786. He made scythes by hand - noted for excellence. BPLH Room Card Catalog Notes record that a child of his died on 17 Nov 1842 at age 2 years.

1790 Census: 2 free white males over 16 years 1 " " " under 16 yrs. 2 free white females

John North of Farmington CT and his Descendants - p.44, 78

Berlin Records - p.156 Brandegee - p.31 Tercentenary list Berlin Congregational Church Records

Genealogical research

John North of Farmington, CT by Dexter North c1921

born April 16, 1760, baptized April 20, 1760 in Kensington, son of Jedediah North & Sarah Wilcox

married on Oct 24, 1762 in Berlin to Rachel White (1762-1839)

Children Jedediah 1789, Edmund 1797, Levi 1809

Rev War – Capt. Eell’s Co

The night before he went to war, his mother and girlfriend Rachel White spent the night making woolen stockings for him. At age 16, he endured great suffering on a prison ship. A descendant, Dr North, said when he was a boy there were two reasons why the men of Berlin went to church: to listen to the sermon and the other to hear Levi North’s stories of the revolution.

Home at 256 Main Street, East Berlin. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo

Died Oct 2, 1846 – Wilcox Cemetery

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Map: Cap Eels co - Col Sage Reg 1776 - Died Oct 2, 1846 age 86

North, Samuel
brothers Isaac and Seth also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Roll of Lieut Aaron Porter’s Co in ye 6th Regt ordered to New Haven July 5, 1779: Samuel North
From Conn men of Rev page 191

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born: Sept 19, 1742 Berlin, son of Deacon Isaac North and Mary Woodford
3rd son
married Lois Woodford on June 28, 1764
children: Caroline 1767, Elisha, Rhoda 1765, Samuel 1769, Lois 1771, Rhoda 1773, Caroline 1775,
Chloe 1778, Elijah 1781
Samuel and Lois joined Christian Lane church 1765, charter member Berlin Cong 1775
corporal enlisted Lt Porter’s Co, 6th Regiment

Genealogical research
Born Sept 19, 1742, 3rd son of Deacon Isaac North and Mary Woodford
Married on June 28, 1764 to Lois Woodford (1771-1786)
children: Rhoda (1765-1766), Samuel (1769-), Lois (1771-1786), Rhoda (1773-), Caroline (1775-
1857), Chloe (178-), Elijah (1781-), Elisha
1790 census, Berlin, 1800 census
Died July 19, 1814

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: Samuel North died July 19, 1814 at ae 72

Find a grave (Internet) photo
North, Selah - Sgt
Father Isaac and brothers Isaac and Joseph served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Beckley (Cemetery)
Ins In memory of Mr. Selah North who departed this life Sept 6, 1786 in the 33rd year of his life
Rev Record page 539 CMR
Sergeant in Capt. Wright Co., Militia Regt 1778, Col Enos Regt
Lexington Alarm Lieut from Wethersfield p 25
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 25 - The first call was “for the Relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm of April 19, 1775. Approximately … men from Connecticut responded. Several men served from Wethersfield under Captain John Chester including: Selah North
p 539 - Colonel Roger Enos’ Regiment on the Hudson 1778: Sergeant Selah North in Capt. Elijah Wright’s Company
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
1775 served 6 weeks
Afterwards served 2 months at Irish Point
Feb 1776 for 1 year
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Oct 22, 1753 in Berlin, parents Lt Isaac and Hepzibah Hart
Rev War – Ct militia – Sergeant in Capt. Wright’ Co., Col Enos’ Regt
Died Sept 6, 1786 – buried in Beckley
His wife's name was Mary-------. They had no children. Marched in Lexington Alarm 1775.
Revolutionary War Veteran. In 1778 was sergeant of Capt. Wright's Co., Col. Enos’ Regt.,
Connecticut Militia. His death year is recorded as 1786-7; died at age 32.
John North of Farmington CT and his Descendants - p.43 Hale - p.63
Genealogical Research
John North of Farmington, CT by Dexter North c1921
Marched from Wethersfield for the relief of Boston in the Lexington alarm, 1775 and served 6 days.
In 1778 was Sgt. of Capt. Wright's Co, Col. Enos' Regt, CT Militia on the Hudson River
Born Oct 22, 1753 in Berlin, son of Isaac North and Hepzibah Hart
Married to Mary (1753-)
Died Sept 6, 1786, age 33
Map: Lexington alarm 1775 - reg 1778 - Died Sept 6, 1786 age 32
North, Seth
brothers Isaac and Samuel also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Beckley (Cemetery)
Died Feb 29, 1820 in 71st year
Sent for pension abstract of Seth North which gave him as coming from Litchfield. Record in CMR also appeared to be for a Litchfield man
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 512 - Militia at Saratoga, NY – summer 1777
Two Regiments were ordered to reinforce Gen. Gates at Saratoga during the summer if 1777. They were assigned to Poor’s Continental Brigade in Arnold’s Division and fought in battle on Sept 19 and Oct 9, 1777. After the surrender of Burgoyne, they were dismissed. Gen Gates spoke of them as the “two excellent militia regiments from Connecticut” General Oliver Wolcott’s detachment at Saratoga, NY in summer 1777: Private Seth North
p 635 - list of rev pensioners 1818 – private Seth North
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A084570 Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 4-6-1752 Farmington, CT Death: 5-15-1822 Farmington, CT
Pension Number: *S36197 Service Description: 1) Capt. Rezin, Gridley, Maj John Canfield
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Name Index
May 4, 1749 Berlin
married Eunice Woodford Nov 26, 1770
died Feb 29, 1820 - Beckley cemetery
children: Eunice 1775, Silas 1774, Seth 1777, Rosetta 1778, Sarah 1782, Almira 1784, Esther 1786, Alijah 1792
son of Deacon Isaac North and Mary Woodford
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
Genealogical research
Born Feb 29, 1820 in Berlin, Baptized May 4, 1749, son of Deacon Isaac North and Mary Woodford
Married on Nov 26, 1772 to Eunice Woodford (1750-)
Children: Eunice (1773-1826), Silas (1774-1839), Seth (1777-1851), Rosetta (1778-1863), Sarah (1782-1822), Almira (1784-1874), Esther (1786-1860), Alijah (1792-1864)
died May 4, 1744 in Berlin

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: Seth North died Feb 29, 1820 age 70 – no gravestone
North, Solomon - Corporal

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Corporal

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
married Esther Dunham
child Mary baptized 1768

Genealogical research
John North of Farmington, CT and his descendant
born 1754 Farmington, son of Samuel North and Lois Porter
Married Esther Dunham
Children: Mary (baptized 1768)
Genealogy says they had no children
No death information

No cemetery, no gravestone
Norton, Jonathan

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Maple (Cemetery)

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 509 - Militia at Saratoga, NY – summer 1777
Two Regiments were ordered to reinforce Gen. Gates at Saratoga during the summer if 1777. They
were assigned to Poor’s Continental Brigade in Arnold’s Division and fought in battle on Sept 19 and
Oct 9, 1777. After the surrender of Burgoyne, they were dismissed. Gen Gates spoke of them as the
“two excellent militia regiments from Connecticut”.
   Skinner’s Company

Possible match – buried in Southington, not Maple Cemetery in Berlin
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
    1778-Nov 2, 1844, son of Azias/Ozias Norton and Maria Frisbie
    Married Polly Smith

Genealogical research
    1810 census Southington, 1820 census, 1830 census
    Born 1778, son of Ozias Norton and Maria Frisbie
    Married Polly Smith
    Died Nov 2, 1844

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Oak Hill Cemetery Southington: Jonathan
Norton died Nov 2, 1844, age 71
Norton, Roger - Sgt
Son Roger also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Blue Hills Cemetery) Sept 14, 1805
Norton, Roger Sr
son also served
Marker placed April 1907
Rev service p 498
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Segt Roger Norton
April 3-May 13 in Colonel Noahdiah Hooker’s Regiment, Capt. Asa Bray’s Company
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Married Mary
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Mary Pratt
Rev War – Capt Bray’s Co., Col Hooker’s Regt
Died Sept 14, 1805 in South (Blue Hills Cemetery)
early member of Christian Lane church
died 82 yrs – Rev war veteran
Genealogical research
Born on March 15, 1722 in Farmington, son of John Norton and Anna Thompson
Married on Jan 5, 1746/7 to Mary Pratt (1725-1806)
Children: Roger (1749-1825), Isaac (1752-1774)
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Capt. Brays Co - Col Hooker’s Reg 1777 - Died Sept 14, 1805 age 82
Col. Hooker’s Regt., died Sept. 14, 1805, age 82 yrs.
Roger Norton, Jun
father also served

 Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Cemetery)
Inscription: In Memory of Roger Norton Esq who died Jan 25, 1825 ae 75
Record in Conn Men in Rev page 498
Sergeant in Capt. Bray’s Co., Col Hooker’s Regt, Wolcott’s Brigade
Roger Norton Sen and Roger Norton Jun were father and son. It is known by their descendants that the son at times took his father’s place in the army thus giving the senior opportunity to attend to his affairs at home. A practice not unusual in Revolutionary Days.
Judge Hotchkiss declined to issue marker to both.

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution - 1889
p 498 - Sergt Roger Norton Apr 3-May 15, 1777 Capt. Noahdiah Bray’s Co, Brig-Gen Erastus Wolcott’s Brigade – served at Peekskill, NY

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Norton, Roger Jr Ancestor #: A084864 Service: Connecticut Rank: Lieutenant
Birth: 1-20-1750 Death: Farmington, CT
Service Description: 1) Also Sgt

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Parents Roger Norton and Mary
Married Hannah

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Roger died 1825
married to Hannah Norton
died Jan 24 1825 South age 75

Genealogical research
Born Jan 25, 1749/50, son of Roger Norton and Mary Pratt
Married on Dec 7, 1775 to Hannah Rice/Royce (1755-1833)
Children: Mary (1778-1865), Betsey (1779-), Edward (1781-1855), Isaac (1783-1836), Albert (1789-1875)
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1820 census
Died Jan 25, 1825

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Roger Norton Jr died Jan 25, 1825, age 75 yrs., Esquire, Rev War

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Norton, Samuel
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library
Pensioner
Maple (Cemetery) Oct 1832 age 86 - Marker placed May 1905
Rev service p 402, 652, 659
Pensioners from Berlin 1840 – Conn Men in Rev: Phebe Norton
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 49 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served
during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17
and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct.
6th Company under Capt. Noahdiah Hooker: Samuel Norton
p 247 - Colonel Samuel Blatchley Webb’s Regiment 1777-1781
Spring 1777 at Peekskill. Oct 1777 crossed Hudson during time of the loss of Forts Clinton
and Montgomery. Dec 10 at engagement of Long Island with many captured as prisoners.
Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 marched to Rhode Island battle of August 29, 1778.
Wintered in Rhode Island and remained there. Fall 1779 marched to Morristown and
wintered there. June 28, 1780 at battle of Springfield, NJ. Then served with main army on
both sides of the Hudson. Samuel Norton in Capt. Wyllys’ Company Apr 11, 1777 for 3
years prisoner Dec 10, 1777, returned and rejoined Sept, discharge April 11, 1789
p 652 - Pensioner 1832 Hartford County
p 659– Phebe Norton- census of pensioners – 1840- Berlin, age 71
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension file
1775 - 1 year 1 month – Col Huntington’s Regt
1777 – under Capt. Sage, Capt. Cole
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A084866 - Service: Connecticut  Rank: Private
Birth: 9-30-1759 Farmington, CT Death: 10-27-1833 Berlin, CT
Pension Number: S*W26582  Service Source: S*W26582
Service Description: 1) Capts Ozius Bissell, Solomon, Sage  2) Matthew Cole, Col Huntington
Berlin- Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Sept 30, 1758
Married Phebe (1770-1854)
Rev War – Capt. Wyllys Co  - Capt. Wyllys Co 1777-79
Died Oct 27, 1832 – buried South/Maple  age 73
Genealogical research
Born Sept 30, 1759 in Berlin, son of Jedediah Norton and Achesah
Galpin
Married on Jan 22, 1789 in Berlin to Phebe Edwards (1770-1854)
Children: Edward (1790-1868), Betsey (1791-1820), Nancy 1793-
1880), Harriet (1796-1863), Hiram (1798-1826), Philip
(1801-1880), Henry (1803-1885), Samuel (1806-1826),
George (1810-1829), William (1812-1877)
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Wyllys’ Co., died Oct. 27, 1832, age 73 yrs.
(Marjorie Moore’s Grandfather)
Norton, Stephen - Corporal
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Captain
East (Ledge Cemetery) Sept 1815 age 76
Marker placed Oct 1906
Rev service p 501
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready
Corporal Stephen Norton Apr 29 for 1 month, 22 days – in Capt. Samuel Camp’s Company
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A084888 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Captain
Birth: 1739 Death: 9-23-1815
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Lydia Cole (died 1814)
Children: Sarah 1776, Stephen 1774-1777, Ansan 1782-1785, Gideon 1770, Rufus 1785
Rev war – Capt. Camp’s Co., Col Hooker’s Regt
Died Sept 23, 1815 – Ledge Cemetery
Genealogical Research
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
Born Aug 4, 1740 Farmington, son of Gideon Norton and Martha Thompson
Married on Nov 26, 1766 to Lydia Cole (1748-1814)
Children: Sarah (1768-), Gideon (1770-1850), Stephen (1779-1831), Anson (1780-1785), Rufus (1785-1785)
Died Sept 23, 1815 in Berlin of drowning

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Map: Capt. Camps Reg 1777 - Col Hookers Reg - Died Sept 25, 1815 age 75

Palmer, Isaac - Sgt

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889  
  p 659 – 1840 census of pensioners – Hannah widow, age 78 – Berlin

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension - widow Hannah  
  Sgt Isaac – 3rd Conn – disabled with epileptic fits by reason of excessive fatigue and hardships 1780  
  Resided Wethersfield  
  Enlisted Jan 21, 1777 – invalid April 1, 1781  
  Died April 21, 1818

Genealogical research  
  Born Nov 25, 1760 in Greenwich, son of Dr. Nehemiah Palmer and Elizabeth Lattimore  
  Married on Feb 22, 1781 in Wethersfield to Hannah Flint  
  Children: Nehemiah (1781-1790), Abigail (1783-1847), Platt (1785-1805), Isaac (1787-1821), George (1789-1834), Sarah (1791-1792), Nehemiah (1794-1803), Sarah (1797-1798), Mary (1800-1873)  
  Died Apr 27, 1820 in Hartford

Hale Collection: Hartford: Isaac Palmer died April 1820, age 60 – no cemetery or gravestone listed
Parsons, John
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room South (Blue Hills Cemetery)
Wife’s name Mary
Ins John Parsons died Nov 27, 1812 aged 89
Rev Rec Capt. Barnes Co., Col Hooker’s Regt 1777 CMR page 502
In Col Sage’s Regt, Cap Parsons Co
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: John Parsons Apr 14-May 20 in Capt. Amos Barns’ Company
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
John died March 10, 1811 age 80 South (Blue Hills Cemetery)
married Marcy who died 1795
children: Lent died 1779, Olive
Genealogical research
Born 1731 in Berlin, son of Aaron Parsons and Sarah Carrington
Married on Oct 27, 1757 in Farmington to Mary/Mercy Hills (1736-1785)
Children: Olive (1759-1824), Sally (1781-), Aaron (1762-1815), John (1763-), Harvey (1769-1808)
1800 census Berlin
Died March 10, 1811 in Berlin

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: John Parsons died March 10, 1811 age 80

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Patterson, Edward**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library

Bridge or Maple (Cemetery)

Ins Bridge Cemetery – In memory of Edward Pattison who died on the 12th of May 1809 in the 51st year of his age

Ins Maple Cemetery – Mr. Edward Pattison died Dec 22, 1787 in 37th year of his age

Rev Rec CMR page 383 – Private in Capt. Heart’s Co., Col Wolcott’s Brigade 1775-1776

Nothing found in Pattison Genealogy

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776

Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks: Edward Patterson


p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Edward Patterson in Capt. Jared Shepherd’s Company

Genealogical research

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Born 1759 in Berlin, son of Edward Patterson and Elizabeth Hills

Married on May 30, 1787 in Berlin to Charlotte Hollister (1766-1793)

Children: Luther (1788-1831)

Died May 12, 1809 in Berlin, Bridge Cemetery

Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery: Edward Pattison died

May 12, 1809 at age 51 – in memory of … who died May 12, 1809 in his 51st age

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Peck, Amos - Captain
brother Lemuel also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Captain
South (Blue Hills Cemetery) April 1826 age 88
Rev service p 84-498
Marker placed May 1905
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 84 - 7th Regiment – Colonel Charles Webb stationed at various points around the Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14. when on request from Washington the regiment was ordered to the Boston camps and assigned to Gen. Sullivan’s Brigade on Winter Hill at the left of the besiege line: 10th Company under Capt. Eli Leavenworth: Amos Peck
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Fifer Amos Peck Apr 3-May 15 in Colonel Noahdiah Hooker’s Regiment, Capt. Asa Company
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Peck, Amos Jr Ancestor #: A087428 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Fifer
Birth: 1-25-1754 Farmington, CT Death: 3-18-1826 Kensington, CT
Service Source: Johnstone, CT Men in the Rev p 84, 498
Service Description: 1) Capt. Bray, Col Hooker & Webb
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Jan 25, 1754-March 18, 1826
Parents Amos Peck and Mary
Married Anne Scoville
Buried at South/ Blue Hills Cemetery
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Rev War – Captain – Capt. Bray’s Co, Col Hooker’s Regt – 1777
Born Jan 25, 1754 Berlin – parents Amos and Mary Hart
Married Anne Scoville on Dec 4, 1781
Children: Mary/Polly (1782-1853), Capt. Norman (1791-1861),
Died March 18, 1826 South (Blue Hills Cemetery)
Genealogical research
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
Born Jan 15, 1754 in Kensington, son of Amos Peck and Mary Hart
Married on Dec 4, 1781 in Kensington to Anna Scoville (1764-1801)
Children: Mary (1782-1853), Nancy (1784-1853), Desire (1786-1863), Noah (1788-1826), Norman (1791-1861), Mathew (1793-1834), Norris (1795-1869), Lucy (1798-1832)
Home at 1827 Chamberlain Highway. SCaliandi family tree photo
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution) cemetery marker newspaper
Map: Capt. Bray’s Co 1777 - Col Hookers Reg - Died March 18, 1826 age 72
Peck, Isaac

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
   p 666 - list pension applications Berlin - widow Elizabeth

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
   Born July 16, 1753 Berlin
   Enlisted Oct 1775 – at Hampton, Horseneck, Rye, and honorably discharged – Conn Line
   1779 at New Haven alarm and Fairfield
   moved to Vermont & New York

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
   Married Elizabeth Kilby Hubbard

Genealogical research
   1790 census Berlin, 1820 census, 1830 census
   Born Aug 14, 1753 Middletown, son of Freeman Peck and Lois Linsley
   Married Theodosia Gridley (1752-1822)
   Children: Theodosia (1778-1856), Rosetta (1790-1843)
   Married Elizabeth Kilby Hubbard
   Died Dec 19, 1834

No cemetery, no gravestone
Peck, Lemuel
brother Amos served in the War
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Blue Hills Cemetery)
Ins Lemuel Peck died Feb 22, 1821 aged 56
Rev Rec Sergeant Cap Hooker’s Co
CMR page 382
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks: 1st Company under Capt. Noahdiah
Hooker’s Company: Serge Leml Peck
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born: 1765, baptized April 28, 1765 in Kensington, son of Amos Peck and Mary Hart
married Lydia Dickinson
March 3, 1821 South/Blue Hills age 56
Genealogical research
1820 census Berlin
Born March 28, 1765, baptized April 28, 1765 in Kensington, son of Amos Peck and Mary Hart
Married Lydia Dickinson (1769-1826)
Children: Selden (1794-1872), Harriet (1796-1828), Sherman (1800-1871)
Died 1821, buried Blue Hills Cemetery
Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Lemuel Peck died Feb 22, 1821 age 56 – no gravestone
Peck, Samuel
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library
South (Cemetery)
Ins Samuel Peck died 1802 July 18 aged 69
Rev Records, Corporal in Cap Hooker’s Co., Col Spencer Regt, Continental 1775
Conn Men in Rev page 49
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 45 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served
during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17
and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct. 6th Company under
Capt. Noahdiah Hooker: Corporal Samuel Peck
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
son of Samuel Peck and Thankful Winchell
married Ruth Hopkins who died 1770
m2 Sarah died 1773
m3 Abigail Lattimer died 1816
died July 18, 1802 age 69 Blue Hills
Genealogical research
Born May 2, 1734 in Berlin, the son of Samuel Peck and Thankful Winchell
Married on March 3, 1757 to Ruth Hopkins (1736-1770)
Children: Thankful (1758-1833), Elizabeth (1761-1786), Luvina (1766-1834), Solomon (1767-
1850), Samuel (1768-1833)
Married 2: on March 31, 1773 to Sarah (1736-1773)
Married 3 on Dec 7, 1775 to Abigail Latimer (1736-1816)
Children: Samuel (1776-1834)
Died July 8, 1802 Berlin – Blue Hills Cemetery

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Samuel Peck died July 18, 1802 age 69

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Percival, Timothy
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Ledge (Cemetery)
  Ins In memory of Timothy Percival who died Nov 6, 1808 aged 52
  Rev Rec pages 6, 89, 101, 102
  In Lexington Alarm
  Lieut then Captain 9th Co Col Huntington’s Regt.
There was a Capt. Timothy Percival in Chatham. The Percival family came to Kensington from Chatham. The Chatham Records might help
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
  p 6 - from Chatham (East Hampton) Lexington Alarm
  p 85 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the
Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was
ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade:9th
Company under Capt. Abraham Filer: 1st Lt. Timothy Percival
  p 101 - 17th Continental – Colonel Jedediah Huntington – after the Siege of Boston they
marched under Washington to New York by way of New London and the Sound in
schooners. Ordered Aug 24 to Brooklyn for the Battle of Long Island on Aug 27.
  Surrounded by the enemy and many taken prisoner. Moved with the main army to White
  p 614 - Militia under Gen. Spencer at Rhode Island 1776-77: Capt. T. Percival
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
  Ancestor #: A088676   Service: Connecticut   Rank(s): Captain, Civil Service
  Birth: 2-4-1733   East Haddam, CT
  Death: 1-15-1815   Boone Co, Kentucky
  Beers, History of Middlesex Co, CT p 503
  Service Description: 1) Lt, Lexington Alarm & in 8th Regt
  2) Capt., Col Jedediah Huntington, 17th CL, Town Selectman for Chatham, 1779
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
  married Aurilia Booth in 1801
  died Nov 6, 1808 age 32 Ledge
Genealogical research
Memorial, Genealogical, Ecclesiastical History of New Britain by Alfred Andrews c1867
  Born: Jan 13, 1777 in Kensington, the son of James Percival and Dorothy Gates
  married on Dec 8, 1801 in Kensington to Aurelia Booth (1781-1828)
  children: Dorothy (1803-1886), Caroline (1805-1806)
  Connecticut Courant: Nov 9, 1808: died at Berlin the 6th Mr.
  Timothy Percival aged 32 years
  died Nov 6, 1808 Ledge Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Hale Collection: Ledge Cemetery: Timothy Percival died Nov 6, 1808 age 32

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Porter, Aaron - LT
brother Abijah and son Isaac served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Beckley (Cemetery) Aug 27, 1837 age 85
Inscription Aaron Porter died Aug 27, 1837 aged 85
Record p 88, 102, 626, 652
Captain 6th militia Regt. 1777
Roll of Lieut Aaron Porter’s Co in ye 6th Regt ordered to New Haven July 5, 1779: Lieut Aaron Porter - From Conn men of Rev page 191
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 85 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the
Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was
ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade.
6th Company under Capt. Abijah Rowlee: Aaron Porter
p 101 - 17th Continental – Colonel Jedediah Huntington – after the Siege of Boston they
Surrounded by the enemy and many taken prisoner. Moved with the main army to White
p 626 – 1777 - Captains in the 6th Militia: Capt. Aaron Porter
Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor: A09?918 Capt.
1729-Nov 14, 1820 Berlin
6th Conn militia under Col Talcott
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Lois Kelsey (died 1825/6)
He and wife, Lois, members of Berlin Congregational Church in 1779. He died at age 85. Berlin
Congregational Church Records - p.32 Hale - p.68
Rev War - He was a Revolutionary War Veteran, 6th Militia Regiment. BPLH Card Notes record that
he was also, Captain 9th Regiment in 1780
Died Aug 27, 1837 – Beckley
Genealogical research
Born 1753 in Wethersfield, son of Aaron Porter and Rhoda Sage
married in 1776 to Lois Kelsey (1753-1825)
children: Rhoda (1779-1850), Lois (1780-1788), Aaron (1786-
1849), Charlotte (1789-1864), Leman (1791-1858),
Horace (1793-1857)
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1820 census
died Aug 27, 1837 - Beckley Cemetery

Map: Capt. 9th Reg 1780 - Died Aug 27, 1837 age 85

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: Aaron Porter - Capt. - Rev War., 6th
Militia Regt., died Aug. 27, 1837, age 85 yrs.
Porter, Abijah - Fifer
brothers Aaron and Isaac served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. At Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Fifer Pensioner
Beckley April 1845 age 85 Marker placed Oct 1906
Rev service p 383, 659 CMR - Pensioners from Berlin 1840 – Abijah Porter
Abijah born 1757 son of Aaron and Rhoda Sage, married Hannah Deming, residence Berlin
Roll of Lieut Aaron Porter’s Co in ye 6th Regt ordered to New Haven July 5, 1779: Fifer Abijah
Porter - From Conn men of Rev page 191
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks
4th Company under Capt. Hezekiah Welles Company: Fifer Abijah Porter
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Fifer Abijah Porter
Apr 10-May 22 in Capt. Chester Well’s Company
p 652 - pensioners 1832 Hartford County
p 659 - census pensioners Berlin age 83 1840
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
widow Sarah
born in Wethersfield
enlisted in 1776 in Capt. Hezekiah Welle’s Co marched to Roxbury –served 3 months
July 1776 – fifer under Lt Aaron Porter in Col Talcott’s Regt. on Long Island during retreat
and discharged Sept 1776
March 1777 musician in Capt. Chester Welles Co, Col Hooker’s Regt and discharged May 1778
died Apr 15, 1845
married Aug 26, 1833 Sarah Hurlbert at Berlin Cong residents in NY
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A090923 Service: Connecticut Rank: Non-Commissioned officer
Birth: 1-8-1757 Wethersfield, CT Death: 4-18-1845 Berlin Pension Number: S*W1070
Service Description: 1) Fifer, Capts. Hezekiah Wells, Chester Wells 2) Cols Talbott, Hooker
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Baptized Jan 16, 1757 in Kensington – Parents Deacon Aaron Porter and Rhoda Sage
Married 1 Hannah Deming in 1779 in Kensington
Married 2 Sarah Hubbard Hurlbert
Rev War – Capt. Welle’s Co, Col Wolcott’s Regt
Died April 13, 1845 – Beckley
Genealogical research
Born 1757 in Berlin, son of Aaron Porter and Rhoda Sage
married on April 21, 1779 in Berlin to Hannah Deming (1760-1829)
children: Julia (1791-1823), Anson (-1856)
multi on Aug 28, 1833 to Sarah Hurlbert (1760-)
lived in Worthington Parish
fifer in Rev
died Apr 13, 1845 – Beckley Cemetery
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1820 census
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Ca Wells Co 1776 - Col Wolcott Reg - Died April 13, 1845 - Age 85
April 13, 1845, ae 85 yrs.
Porter, Isaac - Drummer
Brothers Aaron and Isaac served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pensioner
Bridge (Cemetery) Sept 1839 aged 85
Marker placed May 1905
Rev service p 652
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889 p 85 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the
Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was
ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade.
3rd Company: Drummer Isaac Porter
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks
5th Company under Jonathan Wells Company: Isaac Porter
p 652 - pensioners 1832 Hartford County
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
son of Aaron Porter – born in Wethersfield
enlisted July 1775 drummer in Major Clark’s co., Col Jedediah Huntington Regt and discharged dec 1775
enlisted July 1776 as musician in father Lt Aaron Porter’s Company Col Talcott’s Regt and in retreat from Long Island
enlisted Sept 1777 6 weeks as drummer Lt Aaron Porter’s Co.,
enlisted July 1779 drummer for 3 weeks Lt Aaron Porter’s Co
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor A091042
Apr 27, 1755 Berlin-Sept 27, 1839 Berlin
drummer
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Revolutionary War Veteran.
BPLH Card Notes record that he was in 5th Co., 8th Regt in 1775
and that he died on 28 SEPT 1832.
An Isaac Porter is listed in Hale Collection; Revolutionary War Veteran, 3rd Co., 8th Regt., d. 28 S
Sept 1839. Hale - p.55
Genealogical research
Born April 27, 1755 in Berlin, son of Aaron Porter and Rhoda Sage
Married in 1779 to Hepzibah North (1757-1810)
Children: Sylvester (1778-1824), Russell (1780-1857), Olive (1782-1827), Selah (1784-1861),
Hepzibah (1788-1822), Betsey (1789-1829)
Married 2nd to Elizabeth (1758-1819)
Rev war drummer - Died Sept 27, 1839 in Berlin, Bridge Cemetery
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying
Rev War graves
Map: 3rd Co 8 Reg 1775 - Died Sept 28, 1832
Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery: Isaac Porter -
Rev War, 3rd Co., 8th Regt., died Sept. 28, 1839,
age 85 yrs.
Find a grave (Internet) photo (right)
**Porter, Samuel**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

Pensioner
Bridge (Cemetery) Jan 1838 age 85
Born at Windsor June 1756
Rev service p 652
Abstract of pension paper filed with SAR gives his service as corporal, sergeant, and quarter master in Capt. Pettibone co – Col Ward’s Regt - enlisted from Pequannock – applied for pension in 1832

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 652 - pensioner Hartford County

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
April 1776 for 9 months served in Capt. Pettisbone’s Co, Col Ward’s Regt. Connecticut Line

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A091295 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Sergeant
Birth: 6-14-1750 Windsor, CT Death: 1-28-1838 Berlin, CT Pension Number: *S
Service Description: 1) Also CPL,QM, Capt. Ozias Pettibone 2) Col Andrew Ward

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
BPLH Card Notes record that he was a Revolutionary War Veteran, Quartermaster Connecticut Troops. BPLH Card Notes also record that he died at age 36. Hale Cemetery Records say he died at age 56. Hale - p.54 Died Jan 21, 1818 – Bridge Cemetery

Genealogical research
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
Born: June 14, 1750 in Windsor, son of Joseph Porter and Janna Dodd
married on June 14, 1779 to Mindwell Griswold (1763-1810)
children: Samuel (1780-), Nathaniel (1782-1783), Mindwell (1784-1875), Almira (1786-1858), Laura (1787-1796), Norman (1789-1863), Joanna (1792-), Chloe (1794-1830), Sophia (1797-1891)
made 2 in 1812 to Elizabeth Percival - stepfather to James Gates Percival
died Jan 22, 1838

Hale Collection: Bridge Cemetery: Samuel Porter died Jan 28, 1838 age 88 years - Rev War Conn Troops
Richards, Benjamin - Captain
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library
   East (Ledge Cemetery)
   Headstone gone – Dr Griswold may be able to locate this grave
   Rec Record name appears 3 times in New Haven Alarm
   Capt. 10 Militia Regt 1777, Conn R page 624
   Lieut Col 28th Reg General Militia 1775 1773 page 549

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
   p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the
   enemy: Benjn Richards
   p 617 - Capt. Edward Mott’s Company in defense and provision of harbor of New London 1776:
   Benjamin Richards
   p 624 – 1777: Captains in the 10th militia: Capt. Benj Richards

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
   Ancestor A095801  Service: Connecticut  Rank: Co
   Birth: 5-23-1737 Waterbury, CT  Death: 12-25-1788 Watertown, CT
   Service description: 1) Capt., Col Baldwin   2) L Col, Col Porter, 28th Regt Married Sarah Judd

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
   Colonial Rev War - Ledge Cemetery

Genealogical research
   Born May 23, 1737 Waterbury, son of Benjamin Richards and Mary Pritchard
   Married March 16, 1758 in Waterbury to Sarah Judd (1732-1777)
   Children: Lewther (1759-1835), Mercy (1761-), William (1766-), Sarah (1772-1818), Silence (1775-
   1863)
   Died Dec 25, 1788 Watertown, age 51

Hale Collection: Ledge Cemetery: Benjamin Richards, Rev. War
   Died Dec 25, 1788 at age 55
Richards, Joseph
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Beckley (Cemetery)
In memory of Joseph Richardson who died Oct 24, 1801 aged 61
Pensioner from Windham Co Town of Thompson CMR page 663

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 663 - from Thompson census pensioners 1840 age 78

Genealogy research
Born Oct 12, 1740 in Wethersfield, son of Joseph Richards and Lydia Griswold
Married on Jan 28, 1765 to Mary Kilsey (1745-1793)
Children: child (1765), Thomas (1765-1844), Joseph (1767-), Oliver (1769-1847), Jonna (1771-1854), Lydia (1773-), Mary (1775-), Eli (1779-1858), Mary (1781-1859), Betsy (1783-), Sarah (1785-), Olive (1787-)
Married 2 Abigail Andrews (1752-1838)
Died Oct 24, 1801 age 61

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: Joseph Richards died Oct 24, 1801 age 61
Riley, Roger - Captain
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Maple (Cemetery) May 1822 age 85 - Marker placed Oct 1906
Rev service p 547?
Pensioners from Berlin 1840 – Conn Men in Rev: Sarah Riley
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the
ever: Roger Riley
p 659 – census pensioners 1840- Berlin – Sarah Riley, age 87
Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary patriots
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension - widow Sarah
March 1776 under Col Matthew Talcott then 3 months in summer & fall 1776 at Long Island under
Col Talcott. Winter and spring 1776-77 under Col Enos at Danbury, Peekskill, Col Sage
1778 under Col Sage at New Haven and the coast - 1779 at New Haven and coast under Col Penfield
1781 for 1 month at New London
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A096874 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Captain
Birth: 2-6-1737 Berlin, CT Death: 5-22-1822 Berlin, CT
Pension Number: *W22084 Service Description: 1) Col Comfort Sage Regt.
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Rev War – New Haven alarm
Variant spelling of surname is "Riley". Married 1st Comfort Loveland. Roger and Comfort became
members of Kensington Congregational [Christian Lane] Church on May 5, 1765. She died and he
married 2nd Sarah Deming. Roger served in Revolutionary War, New Haven Alarm, 1779. He lived
at 914 Worthington Ridge, Berlin. He was a Tavern Keeper and a Justice of the Peace for fifteen years.
During 1796, granted a license for 19 years at 914 Worthington Ridge. Had a large ballroom. His land
extended to Hudson Street. Roger had a Saddling Shop across the street at 921 Worthington Ridge; carried on
business with West Indies. He had vats for tanning leather and a livery stable with a coach or two. Roger
owned the William Riley house which burned and was later used as Berlin Community House. During 1790
taxable properties were set at $425 - $444. His house became dilapidated and was torn down. 1790 Census 1
free white male 16 years and up including heads of families 4 " " males under 16 years 4 " " white females 1
Deming Genealogy, 1904 - p.49 Brandegee - p.3, 17, 31 North - p.133, 189, 190, 191, 221- Tinsmiths of CT
Genealogical Research
Justice of peace, saddle maker, tavern owner, tinsmith, Squire
Born Feb 6, 1737, son of Isaac Riley and Jemima Sage
Married 1 in 1761 to Comfort Loveland (1737-1773)
children: Lucy (1761-1842), Roger (1764-1803), Comfort (1765-
1798), Isaac (1770-1824), Cynthia (1772-1775)
Married 2 on Oct 19, 1775 to Sarah Deming (1754-1848)
children: Abigail (1776-1795), Asahel (1777-), William (1779-1811),
Millicent (1784-1811), Aaron (1786-), Moses (1786-)
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
Home at 914 Worthington Ridge. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet)photo
Died May 22, 1822 South/Maple Cemetery
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: Roger Riley - Rev War Capt. Roger Riley – New Haven Alarm - died
May 22, 1822, age 85 yrs.
Catharine North tells us that Washington stopped at Roger Riley’s place and patted the heads of his twin sons, Moses and Aaron (born in 1786). North doesn’t give any other details. (History of Berlin, Connecticut, p 190)
Robbins, Josiah

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
  p 250 – Wethersfield – Harts Company – May 30 1777 for the war – transferred to Sappers and Miners March 1, 1781 – Col Samuel Webb’s regiment 1777-1781
  p 247 - Colonel Samuel Blatchley Webb’s Regiment 1777-1781
    Spring 1777 at Peekskill. Oct 1777 crossed Hudson during time of the loss of Forts Clinton and Montgomery. Dec 10 at engagement of Long Island with many captured as prisoners. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 marched to Rhode Island battle of August 29, 1778. Wintered in Rhode Island and remained there. Fall 1779 marched to Morristown and wintered there. June 28, 1780 at battle of Springfield, NJ. Then served with main army on both sides of the Hudson: Josiah Robbins Wethersfield Capt. Hart’s Company May 30 1777 for the war transferred to sappers and miners mar 1 1781
  p 331 - Jan 1, 1781 to March 1, 81 - Private in cap Edward Bulkley’s company in 3rd regiment conn line 1781-1783
  p 330 - 3rd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Samuel Webb: Josiah Robbins Jan 1, 1781 to March 1, 1781 in Capt. Edward Bulkley’s Company
  p 636 - private 1818 list of pensions
  p 666 – list pension applicants Berlin

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
  April 1777 Capt. Hart – 6 years

Genealogy research
  Born Dec 17, 1724 in Wethersfield, son of Samuel Robbins and Lucy Wolcott
  Corporal
  US Revolutionary War rolls: Continental troops, Corporal
  Married Judith Wells (1730-1771)
  Children: Josiah (1750-1822), Judith (1752-1785), Rhoda (1755-1782), Lucy (1757-1771), Chloe (1759-1759), Samuel (1761-1794), Martha (1763-1789), Robert (1765-1827), Sarah (1768-1802),
  Married 2 on July 4, 1782 to Mary Buck Wright (1733-1783)
  Died July 24, 1794 age 69 in Wethersfield
  Wethersfield inscriptions: In memory of Mr. Josiah Robbins who died July 27th 1794 in the 69th year of his age

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Wethersfield Center Cemetery: Josiah Robbins died July 27, 1794 at age 69
Root, John  
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Local History Room  
Christian Lane (Cemetery)  
Born 1764 died 1827 too young  
Invalid living in Fairfield Co CMR 647  
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889  
p 237 - 8th Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel John Chandler  
p 647 - invalid pensioner stillman’s regiment living in Fairfield County  
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index  
April 4, 1764 - May 27, 1827 Christian Lane cemetery  
marrried Mary who died 1823  
Genealogical research  
Born April 4, 1764 in Berlin, son of John Root and Anne Steele  
Married Sept 25, 1783 to Mary Gilbert (1769-1823)  
Children: Lois (1789-1870), Sarah (1794-1868), Harriet (1796-), John (1800-), George (1802-1803), George (1805-1837), Mary (1807-), Amanda (1809-)  
Died May 27, 1827 – Christian Lane Cemetery, no gravestone  

Hale Collection: Christian Lane Cemetery: John Root died May 27, 1827 at age 63 – no gravestone
Russell, Asher

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 250 - Wethersfield - Capt. Bull’s Company - June 25, 1777 for the war - Samuel Webb’s Regt
1777-1781
p 247 - Colonel Samuel Blatchley Webb’s Regiment 1777-1781
Spring 1777 at Peekskill. Oct 1777 crossed Hudson during time of the loss of Forts Clinton
and Montgomery. Dec 10 at engagement of Long Island with many captured as prisoners.
Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 marched to Rhode Island battle of August 29, 1778.
Wintered in Rhode Island and remained there. Fall 1779 marched to Morristown and
wintered there. June 28, 1780 at battle of Springfield, NJ. Then served with main army on
both sides of the Hudson: Asher Russell Wethersfield Capt. Bull’s Company June 25,1777
for the war
p 636 - list 1818 pensioners private
p 666 - list of pension applicants Berlin
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension file
Capt. Joseph Walker – Col Samuel Webb’s Regt
in 1820 age 66
enlisted Jan 1776 for 1 year – Capt. Bissell’s Co, Col Huntington’s Regt
enlisted Jan 1, 1778 private Capt. Joseph Walker Co., Col Webb’s Regt for 7 years
in 1820 living in Berlin
1828 living with daughter in Southington
in 1831 in Ohio with son

Genealogical research
Born Nov 11, 1753 in Wethersfield, son of John Russell and Abigail Goodrich
Married March 8, 1775 to Elizabeth Goffe (1726-1787)
Children: Asabel (1787-1854)
Married 2 in 1789 to Sophia Hollister (-1837)
Died Ohio, age 96, Rev War July 6, 1836

Find a grave (Internet) photo: McConnelsville Cemetery, Ohio: died July 6,
1836, age 96 - Rev War
Sage, David - Captain
son Solomon also served – and grandson Hoseah

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Captain
Maple

Ins Capt. David Sage died Nov. 15, 1798 aged 96 (too old)
Also, David Sage born 1732 died 1779 killed by fall from a horse
The David Sage mentioned as a Rev Soldier in The Sage Genealogy born 1847 was killed at Quebec

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 45 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17 and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct.
2nd Company under Capt. Samuel Wyllys: David Sage

p 91 - Quebec Expedition under Colonel Benedict Arnold: Volunteers
After the capture of Fort Ticonderoga in May 1775, the idea of invading Canada became popular. About 1300 volunteers with 100 from Connecticut served. Dec. 31, 1775 under General Montgomery. Disaster. Volunteer: Serg. David Sage

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A099090 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Civil Service
Birth: (CIRCA) 5 - 1703 Middletown, CT
Death: 11-15-1798 Berlin, CT
Service Source: Hoadley, Pub Recs of the Colony of CT 1775-1776, VOL 15, p 8, 276; Hoadley, Pub Recs of the State of CT, 1782-1784, Vol 3, p 8
Service Description: 1) Justice of the Peace, Hartford, CT, 1775, 1776, 1780

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Captain
Born 1703
parents John Sage and Hannah Starr
married Bathsheba Judd
2 Mary Rossiter on May 14 1775 in Kensington
had a twin brother named Benoni who died Jan 1733/4

Genealogical research
Born: April 1, 1703 Middletown, son of John Sage and Hannah Starr
David had a twin brother named Benoni who married Mary Allen in Middletown on 5 Feb. 1724. He died 12 Jan 1734 at age 31.
1790 census Berlin
Married on Dec 26, 1728 in Middletown to Bathsheba Judd (1707 -1772)
Children: Sarah (1731-1823), David (1732-1779), Rhoda (1734-1807), Solomon (1737-1805), Jedediah (1739-1826), Bathsheba (1743-1769), Mindwell (1746-1818), Zadock 1745-1769), Candace (1752-1805)
Married 2 on June 14, 1773 to Mary Rossiter (1727-1805)
Home at 1276 Worthington Ridge. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Died: Nov 15, 1798 Berlin

Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: David Sage died Nov 15, 1798 age 95

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Captain Sage
“The Mysterious Cannon” gives an account of David Sage’s war experience - excerpt by Jim Matthews (Revolutionary War Story) found at http://www.navyandmarine.org/ondeck/1776mysteriouscannon.htm

At the time the British Army occupied the New York City area and Long Island. Even in the dead of winter, Long Island Sound was alive with British warships making raids on coastal towns for provisions and harassing American coasters, and with American privateers out after British ships. There were no great battles in the Sound, with ships of the line pounding away at each other as did the Constitution and Guerriere in the War of 1812. The war in the Sound was fought by brigs, brigantes, sloops, whaleboats, topsail schooners and the like--small, fast and shallow draft. There were forts at New Haven and New London. A company of militia was stationed at Guilford--the only shore protection between the two forts early in the war.

The story of the ship Guilford begins with the armed British sloop Mars, 60 tons burthen. A 60-ton sloop of that time would have been about 70 feet long with a 20-foot beam. On Feb. 6, 1779, the Mars captured a small American sloop Lucy commanded by Captain Sage of Middletown. Sage and his crew were taken prisoners and the Lucy was sent into New York with a prize crew from Mars for disposal by the British Court. The Mars was bound for New York from Newport. A letter from the National Maritime Museum in London states: The only MARS registered in the British Navy in 1779 was a 74-gun battleship that had been reduced to harbor service the previous year. The sloop Mars was probably a privateer that had been captured by the British. Armament on the Mars consisted of 8 carriage guns and 2 swivels. The carriage guns were placed along the sides of the ship and were fired through opening ports. The swivels were mounted bow and stern.

On Feb. 21, 1779, during a winter storm, Captain Sage and his six fellow prisoners overpowered the crew of the Mars and beached her on the rocks at Guilford. Since a welcoming party on the shore includes one Solomon Leete, it is presumed that the Mars was beached near Leete's Island. Prior to the grounding, Sage's men hove overboard anchors, cables, chains and guns marking the spot for future reference. Iron was in short supply at the time, the only source being the Salisbury Conn. iron works, with most of its output going to cannon balls.

All of the claims and counterclaims of salvage were settled in the New Haven Maritime Court on April 4, 1779. The state paid 500 pounds prize money to the claimants. Captain Sage was paid for his personal property lost when the Lucy was captured, including one tierce of rum, one barrel of sugar, and one barrel of coffee. The anchors, chains and guns were dredged up and the claimants paid.

-------- This variation of the story of the "Mysterious Cannon" is a monograph entitled, "The Ship Guilford, 13th ship in the Conn. Navy in the Revolution", authored by Mr. K.R. Lee of Guilford, CT. excerpts from the Guilford Keeping Society page from March 1982 and research by Bill Coughlin October 2011

The story begins in the small town of Guilford, CT a few miles north of New Haven. The supposed privateer-sloop Mars was operating out of Guilford Harbor and was engaged in blockade running and trafficking for the Americans in Long Island Sound. The Mars was boarded by a British or Loyalist Force, while anchored in Guilford Harbor (about 1778), a small prize crew was put aboard, and the American crew locked in the hold. The British crew not knowing the waters off Guilford ran aground. The townspeople of Guilford noticing this ship at rest on a sandbar within a short distance of the harbor rowed out and recaptured the Mars. The pair of guns that are so much a part of this story were part of this ship's armament. When the British attacked New Haven in a large raid late in the Revolutionary War, the Mars was anchored in New Haven Harbor, but was not taken by the British when they retreated.

Captain Sage, commander of the sloop; Lucy, was a resident of Middletown when he and his crew were captured by the British sloop Mars. As they were being hauled to British Court, Captain Sage and his six crew members overpowered their captors, took control of the sloop Mars, and beached her near Newport.
**Sage, Hoseah**
father Solomon also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
From the records of the 2nd Cong Church Berlin: departed this life son of Solomon Sage at the camp near Newport about the last of Sept 1778
Hosea son of Solomon Sage and Lois Wilcox
died 1778 at West Point
served as private in Capt. Abijah Savage’s Company in Col Henry Sherbourne’s Regt
muster roll Rhode Island Aug 1778 – enlisted Feb 26, 1778

Genealogical research
Born April 15, 1761 in Berlin, son of Solomon Sage and Lois Wilcox
Died Sept 21, 1778 at West Point, NY, or died at sea, age 17

Hosea Sage died Sept 21, 1778 while in service. No cemetery, no gravestone
Sage, Solomon - Captain
son Hosea and father David also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Wilcox (Cemetery) Aug 28, 1805 - age 68
Rev service p 383
Marker placed May 1905
From the records of the 2nd Cong Church Berlin: “departed this life son of Solomon Sage at the
camp near Newport about the last of Sept 1778” - Hosea Sage is son
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks: 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart:
Solomon Sage
Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A099074 Service: Connecticut Rank: Captain
Birth: 8-18-1737 Berlin, CT Death: 8-18-1805 Middletown, CT
Service Description: 1) Col. Comfort Sage
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born 1737 in East Berlin – father David
Married on Sept 14, 1756 in Middletown to Lois Wilcox (1738-1805), 11 children
died Aug 28, 1805 – Wilcox
He had Covenant in Kensington Congregational [Christian Lane] Church on 03 JUL 1757. He died at
age 68 years of Consumption. 1790 Census 1 free white male 16 yrs. & upward including heads if
families 1 " " " under 16 3 " " females Berlin Records -
p.145 North, Catherine. History of Berlin - p.93
Genealogical research
Born: Aug 1, 1737 Middletown, son of David Sage and
Bethsheba Judd
Married on Sept 14, 1756 to Lois Wilcox (1738-1805)
Children: Grace (1757-1789), Solomon (1759-1816),
Hosea (1761-1778), Mabel (1763-1807), Calvin
(1765-1809), Mindwell (1767-1860), Oliver (1769-1860), Lois (1771-1771), Joseph (1772-
1844), Isaac (1775-1846), Luther (1778-1794)
Private in Capt. Hart’s Co 1777, Capt. in Col Comfort Sage’s Regt
Home at 242 Savage Hill Road, built 1756. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Died: Aug 28, 1805 Berlin

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Map: Capt. Ell’s Co - Col Sage Reg. 1776 - Died Aug 28, 1805 age 68
Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Solomon Sage - Rev War, Capt. Eell’s Co,
Col Sage’s Regt, died Aug 28, 1805 ae 68
Savage, Abijah – Captain

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

Was a pensioner
Age 76 in 1818

Captain in Rhode Island Line Regt.

Grave not found

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

Officially in Rhode Island militia
p 636 - Captain in RI service
p 253 - Colonel Henry Sherburne’s Regiment 1777-1780

Spring 1777 at Peekskill. Oct 1777 crossed Hudson during time of the loss of Forts Clinton and Montgomery. Dec 10 at engagement of Long Island with many captured as prisoners. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 marched to Rhode Island battle of August 29, 1778. Wintered in Rhode Island and remained there. Fall 1779 marched to Morristown and wintered there. June 28, 1780 at battle of Springfield, NJ. Then served with main army on both sides of the Hudson. Capt. Abijah Savage March 6, 1777. Capt. Abijah Savage

Company Feb 26, 1778

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension

enlisted May 1, 1775 – 2nd Lt in Major Meig’s 4th Co, Col Wylys Regt
He was in the expedition to Quebec under Capt. Hanchett and Col Benedict Arnold, taken prisoner and held for a year until he was exchanged

In 1777 he was commissioned as a Capt. in Col Sherbourne’s Regt, was at the Battle of Rhode Island retired 1780

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)

Ancestor #: A100583 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Captain
Birth: 7-2-1744 Middletown, CT
Death: 6-9-1825 Middletown, CT
Pension Number: *S
Service Description: 1) Also LT

SAR (Sons of American Revolution)

July 2, 1744 Middletown
Jan 9, 1825 Middletown
married Martha Torrey
children: Caleb,
Capt. in Continental
Lt in 4th Spencer’s Regt
with Col Benedict Arnold in Quebec – prisoner Dec 31, 1775, exchanged Jan 10,1777
commissioned Capt. Feb 25, 1777 – served May 1775-Jan 1781

Genealogical research
1790 census Middletown, 1800 census, 1810 census
Born July 2, 1744 Middletown, son of Joseph Savage and Prudence Sage
Married Martha Torrey (1745-1812)
Children: Joseph (1767-1788), Chloe (1769-1816), Martha (1770-1832), Naomi (1772-1832), Esther (1774-1856), Abijah (1777-1879), Grace (1779-1806), Caleb (1781-1867), Amasa (1783-1783),
Amsa (1786-1854), Emily (1792-1826)

Died June 2, 1825 Middletown

Hale Collection – Old Burying Ground, Cromwell, CT - Abijah Savage – 1742-June 2, 1825

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Savage, Elisha - LT
sons Selah and Seth also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-PECK Memorial Library Local History Room
WILCOX (Cemetery) Jan 1807 age 79
Rec service p 496
Marker placed May 1905
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready
2nd Lt Elisha Savage March 29-May 19 in Capt. Jared Shepherd’s Company
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A100593 Service: Connecticut Rank: Lieutenant
Birth: 12-9-1728 Middletown, CT Death: 1-24-1807 Berlin, CT
Service Source: Johnston, CT Men in the Rev, p 494, 496
Service Description: 1) Second Lieutenant, Capt. Jared Shepherd, Col Thomas Belden
Married to Thankful Johnson
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Enlisted May 10, 1775 – 2nd Regt Gen Spencer 4th Co - Siege of Boston - Battle of Bunker Hill -
Discharge Dec 9, 1775 - Reenlisted – served White Plains – but no record
1776 Gen Spencer’s Reg organized as 22nd Continental – served White Plains Oct 1776
Ensign at Peekskill for 6 weeks in April 1777 - 2nd Lt in Capt. Shepherd’s Co in Col Belden’s Regt
Berlin-PECK Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Dec 9, 1728 in Middletown Upper Houses (Cromwell), son of William Savage and Sarah Sawmill owner
Married Thankful Johnson on May 6, 1755 - 11 children, several served in Revolutionary War
Rev War a Lt in Gen Wolcott’s Regt
Died Jan 24, 1807 Wilcox (Cemetery)
BPLH Card Notes record his birth date as 05 JULY 1735. On p. 641 of "Middletown Upper Houses"
his birthdate is given as 09 DEC 1728. He was the 2nd son of William and Sarah Savage of Upper
Houses. Elisha and wife, Sarah, moved to Savage Hill. Elisha was an Ensign in 15th
Company on train band, 67th Regiment and Colonial Militia. He was a Revolutionary War
veteran: served during 1777. Elisha became a member of Berlin Congregational Church on
07 JUN 1795. Probably built and lived at 266 Savage Hill Rd, East Berlin; property part of original
grant to John Savage east of dwelling house of Roswell Woodruff during 1770. Woodruff leased for
70 years, water privilege to dam to Mr. Savage for his sawmill and mill house. Mill was at Bowers
Corner, East Berlin, corner of Mill Street and Main Street, East Berlin. Elisha
died at age 79 years. Adams, Charles Collard. Middletown Upper Houses - p.641
Berlin Congregational Church Records - p.35 Brandegee – p.32, 40 North, Catherine:
of Albert Wilcox Savage, Jr. Vol 1

Genealogical research
Born 1728, the son of William Savage and Sarah Savage (Maiden name too)
Married in 1755 to Thankful Johnson (1735-1806)
Children: Frank (1754-1828), Seth (1755-1842), Sarah (1757-1826), Sekah
(1759-1846), Rachel (1761-1826), Rebecca (1872-1844), Abigail
(1762-1844), Susannah (1765-1833), Elisha (1767-1845), Asabel
(1769-1856),Luman(1769-1852),Ruth(1774-1834),Mercy(1778-1834)
Home at 266 Savage Hill Road. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Elisha Savage - In memory of Mr. Elisha Savage who
died Jan 24, 1807 aged 79 yrs. - Rev War Lt Elisha Savage Capt. Shepherd’s Co Col
Wolcott’s Regt
Savage, Selah - Captain
Father Elisha and brother Seth also served

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Captain
Pensioner
Wilcox (Cemetery) April 1846 age 87
Rev service p 659
Marker placed May 1905

Pensioners from Berlin 1840 – Conn Men in Rev: Selah Savage

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 45 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17 and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct.

4th Company under Capt. Return Meigs: Selah Savage
p 652 - 1832 pensioners Hartford County
p 659 - census pensioners 1840 Berlin age 81

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary patriots
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
1775 - 7 months Capt. Simmer Co, Col Wylys Regt in Roxbury
summer 1776 Capt. Roger Riley’s Co., Col Talcott’s Regt in NY – night retreat from NY 2 months
winter 1776-1777 Capt. Blackman
Col Enos Regt Cpt Riley’s Co
1779 East Haven 7 days
1781 Sept Guilford

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A100674 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 1-9-1759 Middletown, CT Death: 4-15-1846 Berlin, CT
Pension Number *S17071
Service Description 1) Caps Ebenezer Sumner, Roger Riley, Blackman, Sage
2) Cols Samuel Wylys, Talcott, Eno
Spouses: Elizabeth Porter, Roxy Galpin

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
son of Elisha
enlisted May 10, 1775 2nd Regt Gen Spencer 4th Co Capt. Meigs – Siege of Boston
Battle of Bunker Hill discharge Dec 1775
reenlisted 1776 but no record

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Jan 9, 1759 in East Berlin – parents Elisha and Thankful Johnson
Married Elizabeth Porter
Married Roxy Galpin Deming on April 30, 1806
6 children: Selah, Emily, James, Laura, Betsey, Benjamin

Rev War – 4th Co, Gen Spencer’s Regt
Died April 15, 1846 - Wilcox

Selah was the 3rd child of Elisha and Thankful [Johnson] Savage. Married 1st Elizabeth Porter; she died. They had three children. He married 2nd, widow of John Deming, Roxy Galpin. Roxy and Selah also had three children. They joined Berlin Congregational Church between 1780 and 1795. Selah was a Revolutionary War veteran, having served in 1775; flag at graveside. He died at age 87 years.

1790 Census 1 free white male of 16 yrs. and upward including heads of families 1 " " " under 16 3 "
females Hale Cemetery Records - p.87
Genealogical research


Admitted to 2nd Congregational Church 1780 Berlin

Enlisted at 15 years of age in 4th Company, 2nd company under General Joseph Spencer (East Haddam). Enlisted May 16, 1775. Was in Boston during the British siege of that city and was in the Battle of Bunker Hill as a drummer. Discharged December 9, 1775. Served in Gen. Spencer's Brigade with Col. Samuel Wyllys as the 22nd Connecticut regiment (Continental). Also served at White Plains and House Neck. Captain of the State Militia in 1808 (from Savage file, Peck Library, Kensington, CT).

Married on March 12, 1760 to Elizabeth Porter (1760-1805)
Children: Jamin (1784-1855), Betsey (1787-1831), Laura (1789-1864)

Married in 1806 to Roxy (1769-1844)
Children: Benjamin (1809-1869), Emily (1811-1896)

Died Apr 15, 1846 Berlin – Wilcox Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Savage, Seth - Corporal
Father Elisha and brother Selah also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Wilcox (Cemetery) Oct 25, 1842 aged 87 - Rev service 383, 659
Son of Eliza – brother to Selah
Pensioners from Berlin 1840 – Conn Men in Rev: Seth Savage

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 253 - Colonel Henry Sherburne’s Regiment 1777-1780
Spring 1777 at Pecksill. Oct 1777 crossed Hudson during time of the loss of Forts Clinton and Montgomery. Dec 10 at engagement of Long Island with many captured as prisoners. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 marched to Rhode Island battle of Aug 29, 1778. Wintered in Rhode Island and remained there. Fall 1779 marched to Morristown and wintered there. June 28, 1780 at battle of Springfield, NJ. Then served with main army on both sides of the Hudson. Seth Savage in Capt. Abijah Savage’s Company March 6, 1777 appointed Corporal on May 7, 1778
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks - 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Seth Savage
p 637 - pensioner 1818 private in RI
p 654 - pensioner Middlesex County 1832
p 659 - census of pensioners 1840 in Berlin, age 84

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots – Wilcox cemetery
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
1776 - 6 months Capt. Eel’s Co, Col Comfort Sage’s Regt - March 1777 - Corporal – 3 years
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution) Ancestor #: A100675
Service: Connecticut Rank: Corporal Spouse: Esther Prudence DeWolf
Birth: 9-8-1755 Berlin, CT Death: 10-25-1842 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Capt. Abijah Savage, Col Sherburn
SAR (Sons of American Revolution)
1776 private Capt. Eel’s Co, Col Comfort Sage’s Regt. served 6 months March 25, 1777-March 1780 in Cap Abijah Savages Co., Col Henry Sherbourne’s Regt - Battle of Rhode Island

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Sep 8, 1755 Cromwell, baptized on Nov 9, 1755, son of Elisha

Savage and Thankful Johnson
Married in 1785 to Esther Prudence DeWolf (1754-1815)
Children: Esther (1783-1839), Seth (1786-1868), Thomas (1787-1862),
Lucetia (1789-1868), William (1790-1848), Amasa (1793-1810),
Joseph (1795-1857),Polly (1797-1865), Ruth (1800-1877)
Married 2 Lois King. Married 3 in 1828 to Anna Post (1764-1836)
Rev War – Capt. Bell’s Co
Died Oct 25, 1842 Berlin – Wilcox Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Scoville, Ezra
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

Ins Ezra Scoville Esq died Aug 25, 1821 aged 72
Rev Record CMR page 180
In Capt. Daniel Sloper’s Co, Maj Sheldon’s Light Horse – marched Nov 4 – discharged Dec 24, 1776
the Lieut of this Co was Seth Deming, other Kensington names are in this Co

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 475 - Major Sheldon’s Regiment Light Horse – accompanied Washington on his retreat through
New Jersey Dec 1776: Ezra Scoville in Capt. Daniel Sloper’s Company

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Ezra learned the trade of blacksmith
bought land from Joseph Peck with blacksmith shop on it on April 30, 1773
married in 1779 in Kensington to Azubah Gridley (1748-1802)
children: Azubah (1778-1859), Fanny (1784-1866)
home at 1142 Chamberlain Highway, built 1776. Town of Berlin GIS Index
(Internet) photo

Died Aug 25, 1821 in Kensington

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Ezra Scoville died 1821 age 72

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Shepard, Nathaniel
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Blue Hills Cemetery) May 4, 1822 age 62
Inscription Nathaniel Shepard died May 4, 1822 aged 62
Rev service p 620
In Capt. Brays Co – Conn state troops
On muster roll engaged for three months
Commemorative biographical record p 896
Wife Hannah
In Capt Stanley’s Co, Gays Regt 2nd Battalion Conn Slate 1776
Page 620 In Capt. Bray’s Co on the muster roll Conn Line Troops 1778 engaged 3 months
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
Nath Shepard under Capt. Gad Stanley
p 620 - Capt. Asa Bray’s Company under Colonel Enos for 3 months July 1778: Nathaniel Shepard
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A103061 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 8-29-1760 Hartford, CT Death: 5-4-1822 Kensington, CT
Service Description: 1) Capts. Gad Stanley, Asa Bray
2) Cols Fisher Gay, Roger Enos Residence: Southington Spouse: Hannah
SAR (Sons of American Revolution)
served from Southington
1776 Capt. Sloper
1780 Capt. Asa Bray with brother Samuel and cousin Jesse married Hannah Roberts
parents Samuel Shepard and Hannah Bronson
died May 4, 1822
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Aug 31, 1760 in Hartford
Married Hannah Miller in East Hartford
Rev War – Capt. Stanley’s Co, Col Gay’s Regt
Died May 4,1822 – South
He was a Revolutionary War veteran; served in 1776. Nathaniel died at age 62 years.
Genealogical research
Born: Aug 29, 1760 Hartford, son of Samuel Shepherd and Hannah Brownson/Bronson
married on June 4, 1780 in Wolcott to Hannah Roberts (1759-1834)
children: Molly (1780-1808), Sally (1787-1843), Nathaniel (1790-1857), child (1794), Dama 1799-
1800), Betsey (1804-1826)
died May 4, 1822 Berlin
Smith, Allyn
Brother Asaph also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Blue Hills Cemetery)
Born 1742 died Dec 13, 1816
Private in Cap Bray's Co Col Hooker’s Regt. Conn Men Rev p 499
Other Kensington names in this too
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready
Allyn Smith April 3-May 15 in Colonel Noahdiah Hooker’s Regiment, Capt. Asa Bray’s Company
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A104639
Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 8-23-1742 Berlin, CT Death: 12-13-1816 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Capt. Street Hall, Col Charles Webb 2) also under Capt. Bray, Col Hooker
Married Eunice.
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Eunice
Rev War – Capt. Bray’s Co., Col. Hooker’s Regt
Died Dec 13, 1816 – South
Revolutionary War veteran - 1777. He died at age 74 years. Hale Cemetery Records - p.150
Genealogical research
1790 census Berlin
Born Aug 23, 1742 Farmington, son of Noah Smith and Ann Allyn
Married Eunice Gridley (1745-1801)
Children: Sally (1773-1855), William (1778-1847)
Died Dec 13, 1816 – Blue Hills Cemetery
Map: Rev War Capt. Brays Co 1777 - Col Hookers Regt. - Died Dec 13, 1816 ae 74
Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Allyn Smith died Dec 13, 1816 at age 71
**Smith, Asaph**
Brother Allyn also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Deacon
South (Blue Hills Cemetery) April 1821 age 70
Marker placed Oct 1906
Rev service p 383
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks
3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Asaph Smith
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Abigail (died 1821)
Children: Asaph 1794, Lavinia 1794
Rev War – Capt Heart’s Co, Col Wolcott’s Regt
Died April 9, 1821 – South
Genealogical research
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census
Born June 9, 1750 in Kensington, son of Noah Smith and Ann Allyn
Married Abigail (-1821)
Children: Asaph (1780-1865), Anna (1782-), Lavina (1784-1853)

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Map: Capt. Hearts Co 1776 - Col Wolcott Reg - Died April 9, 1821 age 70

Smith, Ezra
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn
South (Blue Hills Cemetery)

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
several possible

p 183 - Lt of Chatham (East Hampton) – Com Ensign Jan 1 77 – Lt July 31 77- Cont. in 1781
p 189 - Mcgregier Co, Mar 1, 1778-war- in place of John Sanders in the Regt Conn Line under Col
John Durkee
p 251 - of New Haven under Capt. Whiting Apr 14, 1777- 3 years- discharged Apr14, 1780 Col
Webb’s regiment
p 321 - LT of Chatham (East Hampton) ret Jan 1, 1781 in Ct John Durkee’s Co 1st reg Conn Line
under Col John Durkee
p 376 - Lt of Chatham (East Hampton) Conn of Cincinnati Society

Genealogical research
No Berlin information, nothing in South/Blue Hills Cemetery
Smith, Josiah

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Maple (Cemetery) April 9, 1821 age 66
Private in Capt. Ephraim Bull’s Co., 2nd Regt light dragoons – Col Elisha Sheldon p 277
Applied for pension March 21, 1818 – residence at that time Berlin. – Hartford Co Com – age 62 years- abstract of pension filed with SAR – for further info apply to auditor for interim treas. Dept Washington. His discharge paper June 12, 1783 at headquarters was signed by Gen Washington and Col Sheldon. His discharge paper is shown to visitors in the Pension Bureau at Washington DC who are not allowed to touch it as it has the autograph of Washington.

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 271 - Colonel Elisha Sheldon’s Light Dragoons 1777-1783
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks
3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Josiah Smith

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
1775 Lexington
June 1777 Providence RI
June 1778 New London

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
married Abigail

Genealogical research
born July 16, 1756 Berlin
married on Oct 19, 1804 in Berlin to Abigail Hart (1768-1845)
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1820 census
Died April 9, 1821, Maple Cemetery

Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: Josiah Smith - Rev War, Capt. Heart’s Co., Col Wolcott’s Regt., 1776, died Apr 9, 1821, age 65 yrs.

Find a grave (Internet) photos
**Stanley, Elijah**

brother Oliver also served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room

South (Cemetery)

Ins Elijah Stanley died Jan 19, 1800 aged 46

Rev Record page 396 Private Cap Stanley’s Co., Col Gay’s Regt 1776

Selah Hart was Lieut Col of the Regt

No Help in genealogy

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889


1st Battalion under Colonel Fisher Gay: Elijah Stanley under Capt. Gad Stanley

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

died 1800

married Elizabeth Peck on Nov 11, 1783 in Kensington

died Jan 19, 1800 South (Blue Hills) Cemetery

Genealogical research

Born 1754 Kensington, son of John Stanley and Sarah Mix

Married on Nov 19, 1783 in Kensington to Elizabeth Peck (1761-1786)

Children: Ruth (1784-1869)

married 2 on Nov 17, 1788 in Kensington to Sabra Smith (1760-)

Children: Horace (1789-1857, Calvin (1791-), Elijah (1795-1857), Ira (1797-1857)

Died January 19, 1800 age 46 – Blue Hills Cemetery

1790 census

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Elijah Stanley died Jan 19, 1800 age 46

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Stanley, Oliver - Captain
brother Elijah also served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Cemetery)
Ins Oliver Stanley died Apr 25, 1825 aged 74
Wife Keziah
Numerous records found in CMR for this name
Rev Record p 86, 522, 549, 624
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 85 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the
Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was
ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade.
3rd Company: Oliver Stanley
p 522 - Lt-Col J. Baldwin’s Regiment at Fishkill, NY: Capt. Oliver Stanley
p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the
enemy: Oliver Stanley in Col. Thaddeus Cook’s Company
p 624 – 1777: Captains in the 10th Militia: Capt. Oliver Stanley
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
married Kezia Judd at KCC (Kensington Congregational Church)
children: Maria died 1824, Truman died 1805, Oliver died 1810, Lucy died 1805,
hed age 74 South/Blue Hills
Genealogical research
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1820 census
Born July 17, 1751 Kensington, son of John Stanley and Sarah Mix
married on Dec 25, 1785 in Kensington to Kezia Judd (1764-1817)
children: Stillman (1786-1865), Cyprian (1790-1832), Oliver (1793-1810), Laura (1795-1866),
Sally (1796), Sherman (1797-1863), Truman (1801-1805), Sheldon (1801-1873),
Lucy (1803-1805), Maria (1807-1824)
died April 26, 1825 South (Blue Hills) Cemetery
Hale collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Oliver Stanley died April 26, 1825 age 74 yrs.
no gravestone
Stanley, Seth - Corporal
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Bridge (Cemetery)
Rev Records pages 86, 522, 549, 624
Genealogy does not help
Ins Seth Stanley died June 22, 1827 aged 72
Wife’s name was Anna died 1808 aged 52
Records on page 383, 396, 476, 480
Possibly married widow of Josiah Smith
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks: 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart:
Seth Stanley
p 392 - General James Wadsworth Brigade 1776 – based in New York and present at Battle of Long
Island Aug 27, retreat from New York Aug 29-30, retreat from NY City Sept. 15, Battle of
p 475 - Major Sheldon’s Regiment Light Horse – accompanied Washington on his retreat through
New Jersey Dec 1776: Corporal Seth Stanley Nov 4-Dec 24, 1776 in Capt. Daniel Sloper’s
Company
Genealogical research
born May 6, 1755 in Kensington, son of Thomas Stanley and Hannah Hart
married in Nov 1781 in Berlin to Ann Hooker (1756-1808)
children: Stanley (-1813), Seth (1784-1837), Lydia (1785-
1825), Amanda (1786-1806), Samuel 1786-1813),
Nancy (1788-1855), Hannah (1790-1811), Amelia
(1790-1885)
m3d widow Winchell
married 2 widow Winchell
home at 155 Robbins Road. Town of Berlin GIS Index
(Internet) photo
died June 22, 1827
Hale collection: Bridge Cemetery: Seth Stanley died June 22, 1827 age 72 years
Find a grave (Internet) photo
Steele, David
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pensioner
Beckley (Cemetery) - Marker placed May 1908
1758 – died 1832 age 74
Rev service p 178, 652
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 168 - 3rd Regiment of the Connecticut Line under Colonel Samuel Wyly
Rendezvous in Middletown. Assisted in repelling the enemy during the Danbury attack of April 26–7, 1777. May 1777 ordered to Peekskill. Wintered at West Point. Summer 1778 camped with Washington’s main army at White Plains. Wintered at Redding. 1779 served east of the Hudson. Wintered in Morristown. 1780 with main army along Hudson.
David Steele in Capt. Barnard’s Company May 20, 1778 – Jan 1, 1779 – 8 months
p 652 - Pensioner 1832 Hartford County
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
1776 Lt Aaron Porter’s Co to New York
1777 – 8 months Capt Barnard
1779 invasion of New Haven under Capt Hosford for 2 months
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A108150 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Private Spouse: Hannah Kelsey
Birth: 1-17-1759 Wethersfield, CT - Death: 11-2-1832 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Capt. Barnard, Col Wyly, Belden
SAR (Sons of American Revolution)
In summer of the year 1776 on a general march of militia, he joined a company commanded by Lt
Aaron Porter of Berlin. marched to New York, remained – then went to Long Island, later in retreat
to New York and King’s Bridge where he remained until discharged after two months.
In Nov 1778 he enlisted for a term of 8 months in a company commanded by John Bernard in Col
Samuel Wyly’s Regiment on the Continental Army. From Hartford to West Point to White Plains
where he was taken sick. He stayed at White Plains until discharged Jan 1, 1778.
In July 1779 invasion of New Haven he joined volunteers led by Cat Nedford and John Belden to
New Haven for two months.
Berlin- Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Jan 17, 1759, baptized July 8, 1759 in Kensington, son of Samuel Steele and Hannah Nott
Married on Jan 10, 1792 to Hannah Kelsey (-1849)
Rev War – Capt. Barnard’s Co
Died Nov 2, 1832 – Beckley
Was twin of Dr. Daniel Steele. He was a Revolutionary War Veteran; Captain Barnard's Co. 1778.
Revolutionary War pensioner in 1831. Lived in Worthington [Berlin]. He died at age 74 years,
Church, New Britain
Genealogical Research
son of Samuel5, Joseph4, James3, Samuel2, John1
Born Jan 17, 1759 Wethersfield, son of Samuel Steele and Honour Deming
Married Jan 10, 1792 to Hannah Kelsey (1759-1849)
children: David (1794-1846), Horace (1796-1887), Chauncey (1804-1861),
Elizur (1807-1855), Lavinia (1798-1860)
1790 census Berlin, 1810 census,
Died Nov 2, 1832 Berlin – Beckley Cemetery
Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: David Steele – Rev War, Capt. Barnard’s Co.,
died Nov. 2, 1832, ae 74 yrs.
**Steele, Josiah**

Brother William also served

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
- p 666 - list applicants pension Berlin
- p 49 - May 7 - Dec 18 1775 6th Co 2nd Regt Gen Spencer 1775
- p 178 – Judd’s Co Apr 20, 1777 - 3 years disc June 12 1780 in 3rd Regt Col Wyllys 1777-1781

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
- Col Wyllys Regiment for 3 years
- farming laborer
- May 1777 private to 1780 under Capt. Judd, Col Wylls Regt

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
- 1758-1825 - parents Ebenezer and Sarah Sage
- Married Susan Lewis

Genealogical research
- 1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1810 census, 1820 census
- Baptized June 11, 1755 in Kensington, son of Ebenezer Steele and Sarah Sage
- son of Ebenezer5, Joseph4, James3, Samuel2, John1,
- married Susan Lewis
- children: Josiah (1778-1856), Allyn (1779-1828), Susan (1781-), Sybil (1782-1848), Levi (1784-1829), Sabra (1785-), Cynthia (1788), Avery (1792-), George (1794-1837)
- blacksmith
- enlisted 1777 for 3 years, served at Danbury Raid and Battle of Monmouth, pension
- died 1825

Hale Collection: New Britain: died March 25, 1825, age 67 – no cemetery or gravestone
Steel, William - Fifer
Brother Josiah also served
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 666 - list applications pension Berlin
p 178 - Capt. Judd’s Co May 26 1777 to 8 months Discharge Jan 1, 1778
p 396 - Cap Stanley’s Co June 24, 1776 in 2nd Battalion Wadsworth Brigade Co Gays 1776
1st company
p 637 - private – pension 1818 in Rhode Island
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension file
widow Rebecca Penfield
8 months private Capt. Gad Stanley, Col Gay’s Regt 1776-77
Battle of Long Island Aug 1776 – Battle of Harlem Heights March 1777 – 2 months Peekskill
private in Capt. Asa Bray’s Co at Fort Independence
6 months Capt. William Judd in Col Wyllys Regt
March 1778 Capt. Asa Bray at Horseneck - 1 year in Capt. Asa Brays’ Co
1779 Capt. Porter’s Co
1780 private Capt. Eell’s for 8 months
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
married Beccarena
child: Renea
in War of Revolution - a noted fifer
died March 28, 1825 at age 68
Catherine North: History of Berlin, Connecticut, c1916 p 13
Genealogical Research
Born 1757, son of Ebenezer Steel and Sarah Sage
son of Ebenezer5, Joseph4, James3, Samuel2, John1
a short, thick man
married on Oct 26, 1780 to Rebecca (Beccarena) Penfield (1763-1838)
children: Lydia (1785-1806), William (1787-1837), Samuel (1793-1851), Lydia (1793-), Lurena
(1794-1862), Cynthia (1796-1869), Nancy (1799-1830), James (1799-1849), John (1801-1876), Jefferson (1803-1854), Henry (1806-1847), Samuel (1810-1840)
died March 28, 1825 New Hartford, CT

Hale Collection: William Steel: died 1825 at age 65 Berlin – no cemetery or gravesite
Stockings, John - Corporal
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
East (Ledge Cemetery)
1794 age 48
Rev service p 43, 476, 480
same record in Stocking genealogy
private 9th co – 1st Conn Regt - Gen. Woosier
also, private Capt. Sloper’s Co – Major Sheldon’s Regt
Corporal in Capt. Judson’s Co – Maj Skinner’s light horse
married Sarah Churchill
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 39 - 1st Regiment – General David Wooster – late June marched to Harlem and guarded stock on Long Island. About Sept. 28 marched to join Gen. Schuyler along Lake George. Assisted at St. Johns in October and stationed in Montréal. Many men were sick and mustered out in October. 9th Company under Capt. James Arnold: John Stocken
p 480 - Major Sheldon’s Regiment Light Horse – accompanied Washington on his retreat through New Jersey Dec 1776: John Stocking in Capt. Daniel Sloper’s Company
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Died Dec 9, 1794 – Ledge
Revolutionary War veteran; Captain Sloper's Co., 1776; Major Sheldon's Regiment.
John died at age 37 years. Hale Cemetery Records - p.121
Genealogical research
Born 1757 in Cromwell, son of Jonathan Stockings and Sarah Wilcox
Married in 1782 to Sarah Winchell (1757-1846)
Children: John (1784-), Sarah (1784-), Anson (1786-1867), Candace (1789-1830)
Died Dec 9, 1794 at age 48 – Ledge Cemetery

Map: Capt. Sloper Co 1776 - Major Sheldon Reg - Died Dec 9, 1794 age 37
Strickland, Simeone
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pensioner
Private cemetery near Jarvis farm born on March 1775 - June 25, 1836
Grave not marked by a headstone but location known by descendants
Marker sent to R.O. Clark
Service p 654
Resident at time of service – Glastonbury
Date of application for pension – Aug 17, 1832 – resided in Middletown
Married March 4, 1779 to Mary Fix
She was allowed pension in 1836 and lived in Berlin
Enlisted last year of war – Capt. Miles – Col Canfield
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 654 - pensioner 1832 Hartford County
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
born March 1755 Glastonbury
enlisted June 1776 private Capt. Abijah Rowley’s Co., Fort Ticonderoga, Col Waterbury’s Regt
6 months
enlisted last year of war for 1 year as a private Capt. Charles Meig’s Co, Col Canfield’s Regt
died June 25, 1836 in Berlin
married March 4, 1779 Glastonbury to Mary Fox (- Oct 29, 1839)
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Tinsmith
Genealogical research
Born March 25, 1755 Glastonbury, son of Simeon Strickland and Sarah Kilbourn
Married on March 4, 1779 in Glastonbury to Mary Fix (1751-1839)
Children: Giles (1779-), Sarah (1781-1866), Mary (1781-1866), Simeon (1785-1865), Elijah (1790-1877), Esther (1791-), Ruth (1792-1885)
1820 census Berlin
Died June 25, 1836 in Berlin, buried Mt Lamentation Cemetery, East Berlin
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves - Jarvis farm cemetery
Hale Collection: buried in private cemetery: Simeone Strickland died June 25, 1836
Gravestone in Mount Lamentation Cemetery in East Berlin

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Upson, Jesse - Corporal**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room South (Cemetery) March 1833 or 1804 age 79

Marker placed Oct 1906
Rev service p 117, 500

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889

p 113 - Colonel Samuel Elmore’s Regiment – The regiment took field in July 1776 under General Schuyler and on August 25 marched to Tryon County and was stationed at Fort Stanwix and vicinity. Jesse Upson enlisted April 1.
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready
Corporal Jesse Upson Apr 5-May 10 in Capt. Jesse Curtis’s Company

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Born Sept 10, 1754 Southington, CT and died March 25, 1833 in Kensington
Son of Daniel Upson and Hannah Judd, married Elizabeth Smith

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index

Born Sept 10, 1754 in Southington
Married Elizabeth Smith
Rev War – Capt. Curtiss’s Co, Col Hooker’s Regt
Died March 25, 1833 – South

BPLH Room Card Notes record that he was baptized "Thomas Jesse". Revolutionary War soldier in 1777. He died at home of his daughter, Polly [Mrs. Samuel Peck]. BPLH Room Card Notes record "Jesse Upson is supposed to have come from Wolcott. He lived in New Haven during the Revolution and was a shoemaker by trade. He died in Kensington, at Mrs. Sam'l Peck's. While an apprentice in New Haven [where he learned his trade], the lady [who later became his wife] came in from Fair Haven with pears in her saddlebag to sell. He crept around and slyly inserted his hand there. She grasped his hand in the saddlebag and pummeled him well, asserting that 'that tow-headed Upson would not try to steal her pears again'. This seems to show that Elizabeth Smith lived on a farm in Fair Haven. While removing his family from New Haven to a place of safety during the Revolution, the British soldiers captured him and kept him on board ship a long time. They made him serve them as a barber and shoemaker. Was he also a Revolutionary soldier. There is tradition that he came from the war to remove his family. His house was looted by the British.” - Cataloger Note:

Copied from what appears to be a photocopied clipping - no source was cited. Hale Cemetery Records - p.158

Genealogical research
Born Sept 10, 1754 Southington, son of Daniel Upson and Hannah Judd
Married on Nov 14, 1775 to Elizabeth Smith
Children: Polly (1776-1853), Abigail (1780-1869), Hannah (1782-1856), David (1794-1875)
Died March 25, 1833 – Blue Hills Cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Capt. Curtiss Co - Col Hooker’s Reg 1777 - Died March 25, 1833 age 79

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Jesse Upson - Rev War – Corp - Capt. Curtiss’s Co, Col Hooker’s Regt, died March 25, 1833 age 79
Upson, Samuel - Captain
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Captain
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Saml Upson March 30-May 16 in Capt. James Stoddard’s Company
p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy: Samuel Upson
p 625 - Captains in the 15th Militia: Capt. Sam Upson
Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A118121 Service: Connecticut Rank: Captain
Birth: 3-8-1737 Farmington, CT Death: 2-25-1816 Wolcott, CT
Service Source: Johnston, CT Men in the Rev p 625
Service Description: 1) 15TH Mil
Residence: Waterbury, CT Spouse: Ruth Cowles
SAR (Sons of American Revolution)
Capt. Upson’s Co – 6 months
Born: March 8, 1737 Farmington Died: Feb 25, 1816
married Ruth Cowles
15th militia, private in Capt. James Stoddard’s Co, Col Noahdia Hooker at Peekskill March 30-May 16, 1777
Oct 1777 Capt. in regiment led by Major Woodruff
1778 Capt. in 15th Regt
1779 Capt. in company Lt Col Gad Stanley – invasion of New Haven July 5
Genealogical research
Capt. Samuel Upson – Ct Volunteer – Oct. 1777
Captain in the 15th Militia Reg. to repel the enemy at New Haven, CT 1779
Born: March 8, 1737 in Southington, son of Thomas Upson and Rachell Judd
Married: Barbour Records: on April 5, 1759 in Farmington – to Ruth Cowles (1737-1807)
Children: Mary (1759-1840), Archibald (1761-1782), Isaac(1763-)1816, Obed (1767-1839), Harvey (1769-1857), Samuel (1772-1835), Ruth (1772–1825), Jerusha (1775-1775), Manly (1777-1836), Betsey (1779-1853)
The Upson Family in America by Walter L. Upson, p 49-50
Served first as a private in Capt. Stoddard’s Co under Col Hooker along the Hudson. Afterwards he was Captain of a company under Col Smith of the 15th Regiment 1778-79. On July 5, 1779 he was at the New Haven alarm repelling the British. He was a prominent man in the settlement of Wolcott
Died in Wolcott on Feb 25, 1816

Hale Collection: Wolcott: South East Burying Ground: Samuel Upson
died in Wolcott in 1816

Find a grave (Internet) photo
**Walker, Joseph**

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Ledge (Cemetery)

Genealogical research
  - No Berlin genealogical information
  - No grave in Ledge Cemetery
Warner, Asahel
Warner, Daniel
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pensioner
West Lane (Cemetery) – Died Sept 23, 1836 aged 76 or 74 - Born Jan 26, 1762
Rev record – p 383, 651
Abstract of pension filed son of am rev
Enlisted from Wethersfield - June 1776, Apr 1777, July 1779, Aug 1779
Private under Col John Chester, Col Hezekiah Wyllys
In battle of Flatbush and White Plains
Applied for pension 1832
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 39 - 1st Regiment – General David Wooster – late June marched to Harlem and guarded stock on
Long Island. About Sept. 28 marched to join Gen. Schuyler along Lake George. Assisted at
St. Johns in October and stationed in Montréal. Many men were sick and mustered out in
October. 10th Company under Capt. Samuel Peck: Daniel Warner
p 49 - 2nd Regiment - General Joseph Spencer – Marched to Boston, posted at Roxbury, and served
during the Siege of Boston. Some men were engaged in the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 17
and some men went with Arnold’s Expedition to Quebec in Sept-Oct. 7th Company under
Capt. Abel Pettibone: Daniel Warner
p 107 - 22nd Continental – Colonel Samuel Wyllys - after the Siege of Boston they
marched under Washington to New York by way of New London and the Sound in
schooners. Ordered Aug 24 to Brooklyn for the Battle of Long Island on Aug 27.
Surrounded by the enemy and many taken prisoner. Moved with the main army to White
Plains. Disbanded Dec. 31. at Peekskill: Daniel Warner
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776 - Winter 1776
guarded Boston for about 6 weeks: 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart: Daniel Warner
p 530 - Colonel Chapman’s Regiment August 1778 was engaged in the attempt to dislodge the British
at Newport, RI at the Battle of Rhode Island Aug 29, 1778: Daniel Warner August 3 to Sept.
18 in Capt. Nathaniel Pomeroy’s Company
p 652 - pension 1832 Hartford County
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
Enlisted June 1776 for 6 months Battle of NY, Battle of White Plains, crossed Delaware River,
April 1777 enlisted under Capt. Webster to Danbury and Ridgefield for 1 month
Drafted July 1777 under Capt. Webster for 3 months
Aug 1779-Oct 1779 under Capt. Seymour to erect new fort at New Haven
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Cynthia
Rev War – Capt. H. Well’s Co, Col Wolcott’s Regt
Died Sept 23, 1836 – West Lane
Revolutionary War veteran. Served during 1776. Daniel died at age 76
1790 census Berlin, 1810 census, 1820 census, 1830 census
Genealogical research
Born June 26, 1762, son of Thomas Warner and Deborah
Married Nov 14, 1764 to Cynthia Kellogg (1764-1823)
Children: Lucy (1786-1848), Salmon (1788-1841), Norman (1791-1859), Cynthia (1801-1871),
Elizabeth (1805-1871), Cordelia (1812-1823), Daniel
Died Sept 1836 – West Lane Cemetery
Map: Capt. H Wells Co - Col Wolcott Reg 1776 - Died Sept 23, 1836 age 76

Died Sept. 23, 1836, age 75 yrs.
Webster, David
Father and son served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Beckley (Cemetery)
In memory of David Webster who died May 12, 1806 ae 85
Also, in memory of David Webster Esq who died May 7, 1811 ae 53
Record for both men (John and David Webster) found in Conn Men in Rev
No help in Webster Genealogy
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
David Webster in Captain Edward Eels Company
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: David Webster
April 10-May 22 in Capt. Chester Well’s Company
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Born Jan 29, 1720 in Glastonbury
Married Lydia Andrus
Died May 12, 1806
Genealogical Research
Born Jan 29, 1720 in Glastonbury, the son of Jonathan Webster and Esther Judd
Married on June 20, 1750 to Lydia Andrus (1730-1761)
Children: Hannah (1751-1831), Amos (1752-1827), Mary (1754-1831), David (1757-1818), Lydia (1761-1765)
Married 2 on Oct 29, 1761 to Zerviah Hart (1728-1786)
Children: Hepzibah (1763-1832), Lydia (1765), John (1768-1829), Selah (1770-1776)
Married 3 on Nov 22, 1786 to Olive Smith (-1831)
Died: May 12, 1806 Beckley Cemetery
Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: David Webster died May 12, 1806 at age 85
Find a grave (Internet) photo (right)
**David Webster**
Father and son served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Beckley (Cemetery)
Ins In memory of David Webster who died May 12, 1806 ae 85
Also, in memory of David Webster Esq who died May 7, 1811 ae 53
Record for both men (John and David Webster) found in Conn Men in Rev
No help in Webster Genealogy

Genealogical research
Born Feb 5, 1757 Newington, son of David Webster and Lydia Andrus
Married on Dec 27, 1781 to Ann Kelsey (1760-1811)
Children – all Berlin: Jemina (1783-1872), Charlotte (1785-1828), Abel (1788-1876), Ann (1793-1877)
one of the original members of the Second Congregational Church of Berlin (1775)
moved 2 on June 9, 1812 to Lois Savage (1761-)
Died Nov 17, 1818 Berlin – Beckley Cemetery

Map: Capt. Willis Co - Col Belden Reg
1777 - Died Nov 17, 1818 age 61

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery:
David Webster: Rev War – Capt. Eel’s Co, Col Sage’s Regt, died Nov 17, 1818
age 61 yrs. – flag and stone

Find a grave (Internet) photo (left)
**Webster, John**  
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room  
Beckley (Cemetery)  
Ins in memory of John Webster who died Feb 26, 1828 ae 61  
Record for both names (John and David Webster) found in Conn Men in Rev  
No help in Webster genealogy

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889  
p 28 – 7 days service from Woodstock Lexington alarm

Genealogical research  
1810 census Berlin  
Born April 7, 1768 in Newington, the son of David Webster and Zerviah Hart  
Married on Jan 28, 1790 in Newington to Eunice Deming  
Children: Sylvester (1790-1883), Jonathan (1793-1884), Olive (1796-1868), Philo (1799-1863), Seviah (1801-1869)  
Died Feb 26, 18298 at ae 60 - Beckley Cemetery

Hale Collection: Beckley Cemetery: John Webster died Feb 26, 1829 at age 61

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Wells, Joseph – Captain - Doctor
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Pecc Memorial Library Local History Room
Ins in memory of Doc Joseph Wells who died Nov 14, 1793
In Capt. Cady’s (sp?) Gen John Tyler’s Brigade – under Col Sullivan at Newport, RI
Cornet 5th Regt - Maj Sheldon – page 533, 444
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 530 - Colonel Chapman’s Regiment August 1778 was engaged in the attempt to dislodge the British
at Newport, RI at the Battle of Rhode Island Aug 29, 1778: Joseph Wells August 3 to Sept
12 in Capt. David Cady’s Company
p 442 - State Regiment of Light Horse - 5th State Regiment under Major Elisha Sheldon: Joseph
Wells Jr
Berlin-Pecc Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Dr Wells
died 1793
married Mary Hart on Jan 17, 1754
children: James (1770-), Nancy (1767-), Joseph (1754-), Mary (1759-), Sylvester (1762-), Rhoda
(1764-)
Capt. In Rev War of Wethersfield
Mary joined KCC on March 27, 1763
Member of Harmony Lodge of Masons #20 in 1792
died at age 66 - Ledge Cemetery/ Cashman Place
Genealogical research
1790 census
Born March 24, 1727, son of Jonathan Wells and Ruth Bull
Married on Jan 17, 1754 to Mary Hart (1730-1792)
Children: Joseph (1754-1793), Mary (1759-), Sylvester (1762-), Rhoda (1764-1792), James, Nancy
Died Nov 14, 1793 at age 66, Ledge Cemetery

Hale Collection: Ledge Cemetery: Dr Joseph Wells died Nov 14, 1793 at age 66 - no gravestone
Wiard, Lemuel
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Beck Memorial Library Local History Room
East (Ledge Cemetery) Nov 6, 1801 age 47
Marker placed Oct 1906.
see p 383
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 381 - Colonel Erastus Wolcott’s Regiment – January-March 1776
   Winter 1776 – guarded Boston for about 6 weeks: 3rd Company under Captain Selah Hart:
   Leml Wiard
p 392 - General James Wadsworth Brigade 1776 – based in New York and present at Battle of Long
   Island Aug 27, retreat from New York Aug 29-30, retreat from NY City Sept. 15, Battle of
   White Plains Oct 28 – time expire Dec 25, 1776. 1st Battalion under Colonel Fisher Gay
   Lemuel Wiard under Capt. Gad Stanley
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready
   Leml Wiard Apr 3-May 15 in Colonel Noahdia Hooker’s Regiment, Capt. Asa Bray’s
   Company
Berlin-Beck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
   Revolutionary War veteran. He died at age 47 years.
   BPLH Room Card Notes record death date 16 NOV 1801.
   Hale records 18 NOV 1801. Hale Cemetery Records - p.122
   Died Nov 8, 1801 in Ledge (Cemetery)
   Capt. Heart’s Co in 1776 – Col Wolcott’s Regt
Genealogical Research
   born Feb 14, 1754, son of Elisha Wiard and Thankful Plumb
   married to Mary Judd (1754-1817)
   children: Elisha (1780-1812), Martha (1781-1821), Baby (1785-1785), Baby (1787-1787), Lemuel
   (1788-1869), Baby (1791-1791), Olive (1794-1870), Hannah (1796-1850), Alvah (1798-1879), Osbra (1802-1885)
   served in Rev War Capt. Heart’s Co, Col Wolcott’s Regt
   Died Nov 18, 1801 Ledge cemetery

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Hale Collection: Ledge Cemetery: Lemuel Wiard – Rev War, Capt. Heart’s
   Co, Col Wolcott’s Regt died on Nov 18, 1801 at age 47
Wilcox, Daniel Jr
Six brothers served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
From the records of the 2nd Cong Church Berlin: Apr 10, 1776, David Wilcox Jr died at Brookline Camp
Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Nov 17, 1741 Cromwell/Middletown Upper houses, son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
Married 1 Susannah Porter on Sept 22, 1763 in Cromwell
Married 2 Mercy Gibson on Nov 7, 1771
Children: Nathaniel 1764, Susannah 1766, David 1768, Daniel 1771, Joseph 1772
Rev War
Died April 10, 1776 in Roxbury, MA
Variant spelling of surname is "Willcock's". BPLH Room Card Notes record that birth is recorded in Middletown Records, but he could have been born in Cromwell. He was baptized in Cromwell in 1741/42. Daniel owned Covenant at Kensington Congregational [Christian Lane] Church since 1756. He lived at Bowers Corner. Home built in 1771 with brother, Josiah, and David Sage, Jr. Daniel married 1st Susannah Porter. He was 22 years old at time of marriage. She died and he married 2nd Mercy Gibson. He performed carding and spinning wool and cotton thread. The thread was put out to neighboring households to be woven into blankets and cloth. Daniel was a Revolutionary War veteran. Adams, Middletown Upper Houses - p.749 Berlin Records - p.146 Brandegay, Emily. Historical Papers Berlin, Connecticut - p.39, 40 North, Catherine. History of Berlin - p.87, 89, 90, 91
Genealogical research
Descendants of John Wilcox of Hartford, CT by Marilyn Wilcox Bauer, c2018
Son of Daniel5, Samuel4, Israel3, John2, John1
born Nov 17, 1741 East Berlin, oldest son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
married Susannah Porter (1741-1769)
children: Nathaniel (1764-1765), Susannah (1766-1828)
married 2 on Nov 2, 1771 to Mercy Gibson
children: Joseph (1772-), Daniel (1774-1859)
Home on 673 Spruce Brook Road. Built 1767. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
died 1776 Roxbury, MA

Hale Collection – Daniel Wilcox died in Boston in 1776

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Walnut Street Cemetery, Brookline, MA
Wilcox, Elijah

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pensioner 1820
Dropped and restored 1827
No grave found

Genealogical research
No Berlin information
Wilcox, Isaac Jr
Six brothers served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Maple (Cemetery) – Nov 1775 age 20
Marker placed May 1905
Rev service p 86, 474
Under Joseph North – was in same Co as Isaac Wilcox – Capt. Clarke’s Co, Farmington,
Continental army, Col Huntington

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 85 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the
Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was
ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade.
3rd Company: Isaac Wilcox
p 474 - 18th Regiment of Militia in New York 1776: Isaac Willcocks Aug 19-Sept 25 – 6 weeks in
Capt. Zaccheus Case’s Company

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Aug 14, 1755 in Middletown, son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
Died Nov 17, 1775 – Maple
Variant spelling of surname is "Willcox".

Revolutionary War Veteran; Capt. J. Clark's Co., Col. Huntington's Regt. In 1775.
Taken sick in Boston and was brought home where he died. He died at age 20 years.

Genealogical research
Descendants of John Wilcox of Hartford, CT by Marilyn Wilcox Bauer, c2018
Son Daniel5, Samuel4, Israel3, John2, John1
Born Aug 14, 1755 East Berlin, 6th son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
Taken sick in Boston and brought home where he died
Died Nov 23, 1775, age 20 in East Berlin
3rd Co Col. Huntington Regt 1775

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

died Nov. 17, 1775, age 20 yrs. – died in service

Find a grave (Internet) photo
Wilcox, Jacob
Six brothers served
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-peaker Memorial Library Local History Room
Pension
Wilcox (Cemetery – Nov 1841 age 83
Marker placed May 1905
Rev service 652, 660
Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 652 - pensioner 1832 Hartford country
p 660 - pensioner New Haven city 1840 census
Heritage Quest (Internet) pension
1776 – Capt. Riley
1777- Col Talcott
about Christmas – 2 months Capt. Sage
1779 Capt. Ripley
1780 Capt. Bacon
children: Orren (1782-), Alvan (1783-), Orren (1785-), Normand (1787-), Elizabeth (1789-), Lucretia
(1792-), Jacob (1793-), Cyprian (1795-), Norris (1798-), Albert (1800-)
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A126378 - Service: Connecticut Rank: Soldier
Birth: 6-21-1758 Middletown, CT Death: 11-3-1841 Connecticut
Service Description: 1) Capt. Riley, Sage, Bacon, Phillips 2) Also under Bacon
Married Rachel Porter
Berlin-peaker Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born June 21, 1758 Middletown, son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
Married Rachel Porter
9 children
Private
Died Sept 23, 1841 – Wilcox Cemetery
Genealogical research
Descendants of John Wilcox of Hartford, CT by Marilyn Wilcox
Bauer, c2018
Son Daniel5, Samuel4, Israel3, John2, John1
Born: June 21, 1758, 7th son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
married on June 7, 1780 in Middletown to Rachel Porter (1758-
1847)
children: Orren (1782-1783), Alvan (1783-1812), Normand (1787-
1832), Lucretia (1792-1809), Jacob (1793-), Cyprian (1795-
1875), Norris (1798-1869)
house at 379 Savage Hill Road, built 1779. Town of Berlin GIS Index
(Internet) photo
died July 21, 1758 East Berlin Wilcox Cemetery
Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves
Map: Private Conn troops - Died Nov 3, 1841 age 83
Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Jacob Wilcox - Rev War, Conn Troops,
died Nov. 5, 1841, age 83 yrs.
Wilcox, Joseph - LT
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
   Wilcox (Cemetery)
   East Berlin – grave not located
   Was a pensioner age 86 in 1831
   Service found in State Library
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
   Ancestor #: A202303 - Service: Connecticut  Rank: Patriotic service
   Birth: 8-27-1756  Middletown, CT  Death: (Buried) 3-26-1836  Sheffield, MA
   Service Source: Non-Mil Service on the Rev War from extracts CT Town Council minutes Vol II
   Service Description: 1) Took path of fidelity, 1779
   Residence: Middletown, CT
   Married Lucy Stocking, Mary
Genealogical research
   Descendants of John Wilcox of Hartford, CT by Marilyn Wilcox Bauer, c2018
   Son of Moses5, John4, Israel3, John2, John1
   Born Aug 27, 1756 in Middletown, son of Moses Wilcox and Desire Ranney
   Married Dec 1, 1785 to Lucy Stocking (1765-1793)
   Children: Phebe (1787-1816), Aches (1789-), Ebenezer (1790-1821), Lucy (1793-1873)
   Married 2 to Mary Cooper (1756-1834)
   Children: Emily (1795-1795), Mary (1798-1851), Joseph (1800-1872), Oliver (1803-1858)
   Died 1836 in Sheffield, MA

Find a grave (Internet) photo: Sheffield Plain Cemetery, Massachusetts
Joseph Wilcox died March 26, 1835 age 79 years
Wilcox, Josiah - Fifer
Six brothers served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Wilcox (Cemetery) - Sept 1835 age 85  - Marker placed Oct 1906
Rev service p 501, 551

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 494 - 3 regiments sent for 6 weeks until regular Continental Troops were ready: Fifer Josiah Wilcox March 30-May 1 in Capt. James Stoddard’s Company
p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy. Capt. Bezelia Bristol’s Company was sent to East Haven July ye 7th, 1779: Josiah Wilcox

Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots
DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A126413 Service: Connecticut Rank: Fifer - Service Description: 1) Col Hooker
Birth: 3-31-1750 Middletown, CT - Death: 9-3-1835 Berlin, CT

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
March 13, 1750 Middletown, son of Daniel and Sarah White
Died Sept 3, 1835 Berlin – spouse Hulda Savage

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born March 31, 1750 East Berlin, son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
M 1 Elizabeth Treat d 1775 M 2 Huldah Savage on March 22, 1777 in Middletown
M 3 Naomi Kirby – died 1837  - 10 children - Rev war – New Haven alarm

Eighth son of Daniel and Sarah [White] Wilcox. He was an apprentice of J. and E. North Co. which was later associated with Franklin Roys of Roys & Wilcox in Southington. During 1771, he founded East Berlin carding mill with Benjamin Wilcox and Daniel Wilcox. Performed carding and spinning wool and cotton thread. Created a cottage industry whereby thread was sent out to neighboring households where it was woven into blankets and cloth. Other owner was George Sage, Jr.. Josiah made fine cider and brandy. He made tools for S. Stow Manufacturing Co. He owned but did not occupy 1157 Mill Street, East Berlin, which was built in 1800 by Joseph R. Wilcox. Josiah lived at 410 Main Street, East Berlin; house built c. 1775. He was veteran of the Revolutionary War; served in the New Haven Alarm division. He was a fifer. He joined Berlin Congregational Church between 1802 and 1812. Josiah married 1st Elizabeth Treat, mar. 2nd Huldah Savage; and mar. 3rd Naomi Kirby. He died at age 85; burial site marked by a flag. 1790 Census 3 free white males of 16 yrs. & up 2 " " under 16 5 " " females Middletown Upper Houses; Charles Collard Adams - p.752
North, Catherine. History of Berlin - p.28 Berlin Congregational Church Records

Genealogical research
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1820 census, 1830 census
Descendants of John Wilcox of Hartford, CT by Marilyn Wilcox Bauer
Son Daniel5, Samuel4, Israel3, John2, John1
Born March 31, 1750 Middletown, 4th son of Daniel Wilcox& Sarah White
Married on Sept 23, 1773 to Elizabeth Treat(1750-1775)
Children: Joseph (1774-1852), Elizabeth (1775-1815),
Married on March 20, 1777 in Middletown to Huldah Savage(1752-1816)
children: Olive (1778-1847), Lemuel (1780-1864), Lyman (1783-1784),
    Belinda (1786-1817), Huldah (1789-)1865, Horace (1793-1852),
    Hepzibah (1796-1853)
marrred 3 in 1817 to Naomi Kirby (1752-1837)
house at 410 Main Street, East Berlin, built 1775. Town of Berlin GIS Index
(Internet) photo

Wilcox, Samuel
Six brothers served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Wilcox (Cemetery)
East Berlin
Ins In Memory of Samuel Wilcox who died Mar 12, 1832 aged 78
Record for both men (Samuel and Stephen Wilcox) found in CMR

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 72 - 6th Regiment – Colonel Samuel Holden Parsons – Marched to Boston and posted at Roxbury
under General Spencer’s Brigade for the Siege of Boston: 8th Company – Samuel Wilcox
May 6-Dec 19

p 114 - Samuel Wilcox June 6 –
op 581 - Colonel Samuel Canfield’s Regiment at West Point, NY Sept. 1781: Samuel Wilcox

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Samuel Wilcox III 1753-1832
Born Sept 12, 1753 Cromwell, son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White – 10th child
lived at 182 Main St, East Berlin
married on May 28, 1778 to Phoebe David (1759-1796)
died March 12, 1832 in East Berlin – Wilcox Cemetery

Genealogical Research
Descendants of John Wilcox of Hartford, CT by Marilyn Wilcox Bauer, c2018
Son of Daniel5, Samuel4, Israel3, John2, John1
Born Sept 12, 1753, 5th son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
Married on May 28, 1778 to Phoebe David (1759-1796)
Children: Benjamin (1782-1843), Richard (1785-1839), Daniel (1785-1869), Sylvester (1788-1854)
Samuel (1790-1839), Eliza (1790-), Edward (1794-)
married 2 about 1797 to Sarah Savage (1759-1826)
made 3 on Nov 27, 1826 to Rebecca Savage (1762-1844)
house at 182 Main Street, East Berlin, built 1776. Town of
Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo

Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Samuel Wilcox died Oct 12, 1832 age 78 – no gravestone
**Wilcox, Stephen**
Six brothers served

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Wilcox (Cemetery)
East Berlin
Ins Erected to the memory of Stephen Wilcox who died Dec the 2nd 1843 aged 47
Record for both men (Samuel and Stephen Wilcox) found in CMR

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 112 - Stephen Wilcock in Burrall’s Regiment taken prisoner in Canada May 19, 1776
p 156 - 1st Regiment Connecticut Line Stephen Wilcox
p 547 - Tryon’s Invasion of Connecticut July 5, 1779 – a list of militia who turned out to repel the enemy: Stephen Wilcox

DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution)
Ancestor #: A126434 Service: Connecticut Rank: Private
Birth: 10-29-1746 Hartford Co Death: 12-21-1843 Berlin, CT
Service Description: 1) Capt. Williams, Lt. Col. Gallop
Wilcox Cemetery

SAR (Sons of the American Revolution)
Oct 29, 1746-Dec 1843
married Mary Kelsey
soldier under Capt. John Williams at Groton
North’s History of Berlin page 100

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Born Oct 19, 1746 in Cromwell, son of Daniel Wilcox and Sarah White
baptized Oct 26, 1746 in Cromwell
married Mary Kelsey on Jan 31, 1771
10 children
died Dec 31, 1841 – Wilcox Cemetery
Congregational [Christian Lane] Church; both Stephen and wife, Mary, were from
Kensington. Lived at 12 Savage Hill Rd., East Berlin ca. 1800 in "Mildrum House". He and Mary
became members of Berlin Congregational Church by certificate between 1780 and 1795 from Upper
Houses [Cromwell]. Stephen died at age 97 years. Adams, Middletown Upper Houses - p.749 North,
Records - p.88 Genealogical History of Dea. Stephen Hart & His Descendants; comp. Alfred
Andrews - p.74-75

Genealogical research
1800 census Berlin, 1820 census, 1830 census, 1840 census
Descendants of John Wilcox of Hartford, CT by Marilyn Wilcox
Bauer, c2018

Born Oct 19, 1746 Berlin, 3rd son of Daniel and Sarah White
Married on Jan 31, 1771 in Berlin to Mary Kelsey (1749-1836)
children: Mary (1772-1850), Stephen (1775-1847), Isaac (1779-
1847), Matilda (1783-1820), Fanny (1786-1828)
house at 379 Main Street, East Berlin, built 1771. Town of Berlin GIS
Index (Internet) photo
Died Dec 21, 1843 Berlin – Wilcox Cemetery

Hale Collection: Wilcox Cemetery: Stephen Wilcox – erected in the memory of Stephen Wilcox and his wife Mary - died Dec 21st, 1843 at age 97
Find a grave (Internet) photo
Winchell, Solomon

Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn. at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
South (Blue Hills Cemetery) July 1810 age 55
Marker placed Oct 1905
Rev record 180

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 475 - Major Sheldon's Regiment Light Horse – accompanied Washington on his retreat through
New Jersey Dec 1776: Solomon Winchell in Capt. Daniel Sloper's Company

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married 1 Eunice – died 1791
Married 2 Chloe died 1848
Died July 2, 1810 – South (Blue Hills Cemetery)
Member of Kensington Congregational Church on 02 AUG 1782. Solomon was a Revolutionary War
veteran; Captain Sloper's Company 1776, Major Sheldon's Regiment. He died at age 55 years. Hale
Cemetery Records - p.151

Genealogical research
Born Jan 30, 1755 in Kensington, the son of Solomon Winchell and Sibyl Hooker
Married on June 15, 1786 in Berlin to Eunice Doolittle (1763-1791)
Married 2nd on Jan 30,1792 to Chloe Atkins (1771-1848)
Children: Eunice (1793-1878), Jairus (1794-), Solomon (1796-1864), Chloe (1798-1865), Asahel (1801-1823), Fanny
(1803-1881), Eli (1806-1813)
Owned Winchell Mills (later bought by Roswell Moore) –
carding and grist mill for over 30 years
Home at 988 High Road. Town of Berlin GIS Index (Internet) photo
Died July 2, 1810 at age 55

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Map: Capt. Sloper’s Co 1776 - Major Sheldon’s Reg - Died July 2, 1810 age 55

Hale Collection: South/Blue Hills Cemetery: Solomon
Sheldon’s Regt., died July 2, 1810, age 55 yrs.
Wright, Abraham
Revolutionary Soldiers of the Town of Berlin, Conn at Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room
Pension
Maple (Cemetery) Sept 1825 age 87
Marker placed Oct 1906
Rev service 607, 638, 666

Record of Service of Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution, 1889
p 85 - 8th Regiment – Colonel Jedediah Huntington - stationed at various points around the Connecticut Sound until Sept. 14 when on request from Washington the regiment was ordered to the Boston camps and posted at Roxbury and under Gov. Spencer’s Brigade. 3rd Company: Capt. Joel Clark: Ensign Abraham Wright
p 638 - Lieut – pensioner 1818
p 666 - applicant pension Berlin

Heritage Quest (Internet) pension file
Dec 1775 Capt. Bissell, Col Huntington Conn Line, discharged Peekskill in 1777

Berlin-Peck Memorial Library Local History Room Historical Name Index
Married Rebecca Norton
Rev war – a Lt in Col Huntington’s Regt - Revolutionary War veteran.
Abraham kept a tavern with Roger Riley.
He was a charter member of Harmony Lodge #20 in 1791.
He died at age 87 years. Hale Cemetery Records - p.35 Died Sept 10, 1825 – Maple Cemetery

Genealogical research
Born 1738
Married on March 6, 1777 to Rebecca Norton (1753-1837)
Children: Norton (1778-1855), Albert (1789-1898), Mirila (1791-1798)
Had a tavern after the war
1790 census Berlin, 1800 census, 1820 census

Berlin News Jan 25, 1906 article on identifying Rev War graves

Hale Collection: Maple Cemetery: Abraham Wright - Rev War, LT, Col. Huntington’s Regt. died Sept. 10, 1825, age 87 yrs.

Find a grave (Internet) photo