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**GENEALOGY and HISTORY of THE HATCH FAMILY**

**Descendants of Thomas & Grace Hatch**

of

**Dorchester, Yarmouth & Barnstable,**

**Massachusetts**

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## THOMAS HATCH 1603 - 1661

Thomas Hatch was born about 1603. Of his life previous to his removal to New England, not much is known to us. He married a young woman by the name of Grace, probably his second wife. Her family name is not known but she was of Welch extraction.

It was early in the year of 1634 that Thomas Hatch removed with his family to the wilderness of the New World, during the great Puritan emigration from England to the Massachusetts Bay Colony.

May 14, 1634 he was by vote of the Court of General Assembly, made a free-man of Massachusetts Bay Colony. The court at that time was very strict as to whom they admitted the right to vote. To become a freeman of the colony one must be 25 years of age, a man having a family, a free holder (or land owner) and be a member of the Puritan or Congregational Church. They admitted no vagabonds or irresponsible persons into public affairs at that time.

Thomas Hatch was a public spirited citizen and a man of business ability, and during his residence in Massachusetts Bay Colony, acquired some property, and was a man of influence in the locality.

January 7, 1639, Thomas Hatch and nine others applied to Plymouth Colony for grant of leave to purchase land and form a new township at a place now known as Yarmouth on the Cape Cod Peninsula.

The leave was granted and Thomas Hatch and the other grantees at once went there and built themselves log houses. The town was incorporated January 17, 1639, and named Yarmouth. By the close of 1640 about 25 families had settled in the new town.

Some difficulty arose over the first grants or division of land among the incorporators. The early records of the town were destroyed in a fire, so that it is difficult now to determine the nature of the dispute. At a court held at Yarmouth June 17, 1642 by 3 of the Governor's assistants, an attempt was made to straighten out matters, but it appears it was only partially successful. It was during and probably on account of this dispute over these lands, that Thomas Hatch moved to the town of Barnstable June 1, 1641. Thomas Hatch was an upright man and he may have felt that he had not been fairly dealt with, or that at any rate, he would prefer to reside where he could live amicably with his neighbors, and in undisputed possession of his property. That his lands were included among these in the dispute, is evident from the records of a hearing held before Captain Miles Standish in 1648 by order of the Court designed to clear up and put an end to such differences, as still remained, for among several other names that of Thomas Hatch is mentioned.

Thomas Hatch resided in the town of Barnstable for the balance of his life, and was probably a member of the Church of the celebrated Rev. John Lathrop. In 1643 his name appears on the roll of those "able to bear arms in Barnstable". He was at that time about 40 years of age. In January 1644, his name is on the list of approved inhabitants of Barnstable, showing that he was a man of good character and influence and held in esteem by his fellow townsmen.

The records of deeds of land in Barnstable previous to 1700 were destroyed by a fire. So there is now no official record of the land owned by any of the early settlers. He died in Barnstable either in April or May 1661. On May 27, 1661 an inventory of his estate was taken by Isaac Robinson and Thomas Ever and sworn to by his widow Grace. What became of his widow is not known.

#### Children

1. Jonathan born 1625 in England.
2. Lydia born ( ) married December 10, 1650 to Henry Taylor of Barnstable.

#### JONATHAN HATCH 1625 - 1710

Jonathan Hatch was a man of great energy and force of character, with a decided will of his own. He was a pioneer in the march of civilization in the stirring times of the early history of New England, a man of daring enterprise and romantic adventures. He was born in England about 1625, and came to the Massachusetts Bay Colony with his father in 1634. Even as a boy, he was a lad of spirit, and perhaps wilful and disinclined to conform to all the austerities and restrictions of the intolerant age in which he lived. The most of his early struggles with society came from this cause, and not from any natural depravity in the boy or man; and from the further circumstances, that as a boy his lot was cast largely among strangers, where he was deprived of the loving counsel of good friends. The theory has been advanced, and with fairly good reason, that his father's wife Grace was his second wife, and not the mother of Jonathan and Lydia, and that she and the children did not get along very well together as a reason why the children did not live much at their father's house.

At that time in the Plymouth and Massachusetts Bay Colony, it was the custom to look with disfavor upon anyone who had no permanent place of abode. Such persons were closely watched and either ordered out, or appointed by the Court to reside with some family. This was so that the family could watch over them and keep them employed and out of mischief. But with all of its drabness and austerity of the age, we should not judge these old Puritans too harshly. They were a conscientious and God fearing people, sternly doing their duty as they saw it.

In view of all these circumstances, and in the belief that the discipline of the soldier would benefit the boy, Jonathan at the age of 12 was apprenticed to Lieut. Davenport of Salem, Mass. The free spirit of Jonathan chafed under the discipline of the soldier and perhaps a homesick longing to be near friends and after serving about two years, he could endure it no longer, and so deserted and made his way back to Boston with the probable intention of seeking passage by boat to Yarmouth where his father then lived. But in Boston he was arrested, and consured to be severely whipped and committed for a slave to Lieut. Davenport. But Jonathan did not wait for any whipping, nor did he return to Lieut. Davenport. He had a good head and two good legs, and the spirit to use them and they brought him safely to his father's house.

Still his troubles did not end. His father moved to Barnstable, but Jonathan lived on at Yarmouth. March 1, 1642, he was taken as a vagrant, and censured to be whipped and sent back to Lieut. Davenport. But the order was not executed, and the order was reconsidered. The court then decided to appoint him to live with Mr. Stephen Hopkins, of Plymouth, who was to have special care of him. Mr. Hopkins died two years later in 1644. Then 1644, Jonathan was in Barnstable, where he was on the list of those able to bear arms. On August 15, 1645 he went on an expedition against the Narragansett Indians. April 11 1646 he married, at Barnstable, Miss Sarah Rowley, daughter of Henry Rowley and Ann Palmer, daughter of William and Frances Palmer. William Palmer came to Plymouth in 1621 and was one of the first settlers of Yarmouth. Ann Palmer first married Thomas Blossom in England in 1615 and went with him to Leyden, Holland, where they were a part of the Pilgrim settlement. In 1620 they came to Plymouth, England in the "Speedwell" intending to take passage for America. They were not one of the Mayflower passengers, and so returned to Leyden, Holland. While in Leyden, Blossom wrote to Governor Bradford, and in 1629 he and his wife and son came to Plymouth. Blossom soon died, and October 17, 1633 Ann married Henry Rowley, as his first wife. Their first child was Sarah, who at the age of 13 married Jonathan Hatch. After his marriage they lived for a time at West Barnstable.

In February 1652, he was appointed one of a commission to choose and lay out a common highway between Plymouth and Sandwich, showing that now the court had confidence in his integrity and good judgment. This road was one of the most important roads in the Colony.

In 1653, at a town meeting, he applied for a grant of land. This land was laid out to him in the part of town known as Sepneset on ye South Sea (Ikw Lewis Bay). He built a log house, and October 7, 1654, moved there with his family. There were 50 acres of upland, a parcel of marsh and 8 acres of meadow. All of this part of the town was an unbroken wilderness inhabited only by Indians. There were no white settlers within several miles of him for several years. But it was characteristic of Jonathan that no dangers daunted him. He had no trouble with the Indians, all of the time he lived here. He traded with them, was friendly and treated them well. This speaks well for his courage, tact and good sense.

Oysters were abundant here and many barrels were picked and sent to market.

In 1657 Jonathan took the oath of fidelity which entitled him to vote. About this time an Indian Chief, Motantice knowing that Jonathan was a good friend of the Indians gave him a tract of land on that neck of land between Wood Hole and Buzzards Bay about 2 or 3 miles southwest of the present village of Falmouth. But he did not then go there to live. Years afterward he remembered it and claimed it.

In 1659 seven men, Jonathan and his friend Isaac Robinson (son of John Robinson) among them, purchased land near Woods Hole and in 1660 Isaac Robinson and Jonathan went there and built a log house. Jonathan built his near that narrow neck of land between Fresh and Salt Ponds, about one-half mile south of present Falmouth. They were the first white settlers in Succonnesset (Falmouth) Jonathan's son Moses was the first white child born there.

In 1661 Jonathan sold this farm to Mr. John Thompson who sold to John Lovet whose descendants still hold the old Hatch farm. It was about this time, 1661, that Jonathan remembered the land the old Indian Chief had deeded him. This land was now becoming valuable. This deed said "I freely grant and give to Jonathan Hatch Sr. of Succonnesset all that tract of land called Woods Hole Neck. There was preaching often at Succonnesset at the house of Jonathan. When strangers arrived they were entertained until his house became a place of public entertainment for travelers and was finally licensed as such with the privilege of selling liquor. His tavern became the civic center of the community. People flocked there to learn the local gossip and the news of the outside world from travelers.

In 1661 when Jonathan's father died in Barnstable, Jonathan and Lydia were granted letters of administration upon their father's estate.

In 1686 Succonnesset was detached and incorporated and given the name of Falmouth. From here on Jonathan becomes very prominent. Age, experience had toned down the fire and impetuosity of youth and he had become an honored and respected citizen and a religious man. June 24, 1690 he became a freeman at County Court of Barnstable which was a distinction. Jonathan had acquired a large estate, and was regarded as "wealthy". In his later years he became the venerable patriarch of a large esteemed family of children and grandchildren. He gave away all of his land to his children previous to his death. His will of personal property we have a copy. He died at Falmouth December 1710, aged 84, honored and respected by the community. He was the progenitor in America of a numerous family of Hatches who are now to be found in nearly all of the States. The most of them still retain the traits of business ability, energy and force of character that distinguished their ancestor.

#### Children:

1. Mary - born 1647 - married William Weeks.
2. Thomas - born 1649 )
3. Jonathan born 1652 )
4. Joseph - born 1654 ) All born at Barnstable.
5. Benjamin born 1655 )
6. Nathaniel born 1657 - 1705 )
7. Samuel born 1659
8. Moses born 1662 - born at Falmouth
9. Sarah born 1664 - married Nathaniel Wing
10. Horey born 1667 - born at Falmouth - married Nathaniel Rowley her cousin
11. Lydia born 1669 at Falmouth, died 1681

JONATHAN 1652 - ?

Jonathan, son of Jonathan and Sarah Rowley Hatch was born at Barnstable, Mass. May 17, 1652. He married on December 1<sup>st</sup>, 1676 Abigail (or Bethia) daughter of William Weeks Sr. of Martha's Vineyard. He was a farmer and resided in Falmouth, Mass. where he was chosen Ensign of Militia Co. 2 on October 1689. He died in Falmouth, Mass. - just when is not known - also no date of his wife Abigail is known.

Children:

1. Jonathan born May 5, 1670
2. Son - 1680 - 1680 deceased
3. Sarah born 1682 - married William Stone
4. Hehitable born 1684 - married William Weeks Jr.
5. Mary - born June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1689 - married Nathan Bradley
6. Nathan - July 31, 1693

JONATHAN 1670 - 1746

Son of Jonathan and Abigail Weeks Hatch was born at Falmouth, Mass. May 5, 1670, married at Falmouth December 21, 1703 Bethia daughter of Ebenezer and Sarah (Gibbs) Ilye. He was a farmer and resided at Falmouth and Barnstable, Mass. Died at Barnstable, Mass. in 1746. His will dated March 17, 1746 mentions his daughter Thankful Rowley, Bethia and Thankful, deceased son Simeon's two daughters, sons Nathan, Moses, Benjamin and Ebenezer's daughter Lucy Hatch. His son Ebenezer was appointed executor.

Children:

1. Simeon - 1704 deceased - but had two daughters
2. Thankful - 1706 married Hatch Rowley (son of Nathan and Mercy Hatch Rowley (her own cousin)
3. Ebenezer - 1708 daughter was Lucy Hatch
4. Nathan - August 22, 1710
5. Moses - 1712
6. Benjamin - 1715
7. Timothy - 1717 (soon died)

HATHAWAY 1710 - 1704

Hathan, son of Jonathan and Bathia Ilye Hatch was born at Falmouth, Mass. August 22, 1710. He was a member of the First Church of Falmouth. He was married for his first wife to Thankful Tucker, who died. He married for his second wife on November 6, 1740, Jamima Smith of Falmouth, and soon after moved to Hadlyme, Conn. a parish partly in Lyme and partly in East Haddam, Conn. where his wife died August 10, 1752, aged 41 years. He married for his third wife in December 1753 Deborah (Chalker) Hungerford, widow of Thomas Hungerford, of East Haddam, Conn. and is on record there 1755 as owner of land and has earmarks of animals recorded in that year. He is on record as having died June 8, 1784. His widow probably married ? Sears, and lived in New London, Conn. in 1793.

Children:

- |              |                 |   |
|--------------|-----------------|---|
| 1. Hathan    | 1740 - 41       | (doubt as to Hathan's mother Thankful or Jamima Smith) Record gives Hathan born in Conn. and his brother Joseph born in Falmouth. But record shows Hathan was born in 1740 and marriage to Jamima was 1740. |
| 2. Joseph    | June 23, 1743   |   |
| 3. 'Einathan | _____           |   |
| 4. Deborah   | August 28, 1757 |   |
| 5. Thankful  | June 19, 1783   |   |

HATHAWAY 1740 - 1828

Hathan, Son of Hathan and Thankful Tucker Hatch, was born in 1740 in Hadlyme, Conn. He married Betsy, daughter of Thomas Hungerford of East Haddam, Conn. Betsy was born in 1744. Hathan was of Hartland and Barkhamsted, Conn. He was an Ensign in the Revolutionary War; Captain of a Wagon Band in 1776. He bought land in Bristol, N.Y. in 1821. His coming into the new territory added much to the enterprise and population of the town as he had a number of grown sons. The date on the tombstone at Bristol, N.Y. is: "He dies 9 Nov. 1828. His wife died 15 May, 1801.

Children:

- |                 |                  |                         |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Hathan       | 1769             |                         |
| 2. Simon        | 1770 died 1801   |                         |
| 3. George       | 1777             |                         |
| 4. Thomas       | 1780             |                         |
| 5. Charles      | 1782             |                         |
| 6. Phoebe       | 1783             |                         |
| 7. Sally        | 1785             | Married William Ganyard |
| 8. John Seymour | - April 14, 1786 |                         |
| 9. Lyman        | - May 29, 1788   |                         |
| 10. Luman       | - July 6, 1791   |                         |

JOHN SEYHOUR 1786 - 1861

John Seymour, 8th. child of and 6th. son of Hathan and Betsey Hungerford Hatch was born April 14, 1786 at Barkhamsted, Conn. He moved to South Bristol, N.Y. with his father. He married Permelia daughter of Ephraim Wilder. She was born Nov. 15, 1787 in Hartland, Conn. John died Jan. 1, 1861 and his wife, February 19, 1872 at Windfall, Medina County, Ohio.

Children

1. John Seymour
2. Nancy Permelia
3. Timothy
4. Naomi Coddling
5. Ira Wilder
6. Lydia Loomis
7. Warren



Thomas Hatch  
b. 1603 England  
d. 1661 Barnstable, Mass.

Married (?)  
Grace - second wife

1. Jonathan -----  
b. 1625 England  
d. 1710 Falmouth, Mass.

married April 11, 1646

Sarah Rowley  
b. 1634  
d.

1. Mary  
b. 1647  
married  
William Weeks

2. Thomas  
b. 1649

3. Jonathan  
b. 1652

4. Joseph  
b. 1654

5. Benjamin  
b. 1655

6. Nathaniel  
b. 1657  
d. 1705

7. Samuel  
b. 1659

8. Moses  
b. 1662

9. Sarah  
b. 1664

10. Mercy  
b. 1667  
married  
Nathaniel Rowley  
(cousin)

11. Lydia  
b. 1669  
d. 1681

2. Lydia

Married Dec. 19, 1650  
Henry Taylor

1st. Generation

2nd. Generation

3rd. Generation

1. Jonathan -----  
b. 1675  
d. 1746  
Married 1703 Bethia

2. Son  
b. 1680  
d. 1680

3. Sarah  
b. 1682  
d.  
married William Stone

4. Mchitable  
b. 1684  
d.  
Married William Weeks, Jr.

5. Nancy  
b. 1689  
d.  
Married Nathan Bradley

6. Nathan  
b. 1693

1. Simeon  
b. 1704 -deceased but had  
2 daughters

2. Thankful  
b. 1707  
d.  
Married Hatch Rowley  
(own cousin)

3. Ebenezer  
b. 1708 (had daughter  
d. Lucy Hatch)

4. Nathan  
b. 1710  
d.

5. Moses  
b. 1712

6. Benjamin  
b. 1715

7. Timothy  
b. 1717 - died soon

Jonathan  
b. 1652  
d. ?  
Married  
Dec. 4, 1626  
Abigail (Bethia)  
b. ?  
d. ?

3rd. Generation

4th. Generation

5th. Generation

Nathan  
 b. 1710  
 d. 1784  
 Married Thankful Tucker  
 b. ?  
 d. ?  
 Married Nov. 6, 1740  
     Janima Smith  
 b. ?  
 d. 1752  
  
 Married Dec. 1753  
 Deborah Hungerford  
 b. ?  
 d. ?

1. Nathan (Ensign Rev. Mar) -----  
 b. 1740  
 d. 1828  
 Married Betsy Hungerford  
     b. 1744  
     d. 1801
2. Joseph  
 b. 1743  
 d. ?
3. Elnathan  
 b. ?  
 d. ?
4. Deborah  
 b. 1757  
 d. ?
5. Thankful  
 b. 1763  
 d. ?

1. Nathan  
 b. 1769  
 d. 1850  
 Married Lucy Wilder  
 b. 1858
2. Simon  
 b. 1770  
 d. 1801
3. George  
 b. 1777  
 d. ?
4. Thomas  
 b. 1780  
 d. ?
5. Charles  
 b. 1782  
 d. ?
6. Phoebe  
 b. 1783  
 d. ?
7. Sally  
 b. 1785  
 Married Hm. Ganyard
8. John Seymour  
 b. 1786  
 d. 1861
9. Lyman  
 b. 1788  
 d. ?
10. Luman  
 b. 1791

5th. Generation

6th. Generation

7th. Generation

1. Hiram  
 b. 1797  
 d.  
 m. Amanda Warner -----  
 m. Mrs. Jarusha Carrington

1. Lucinda (Williamson)  
 2. George  
 3. James  
 4. Gamaliel  
 5. Helen (Thatcher)  
 6. Della (Boncroft)

2. Eliso  
 b. 1799  
 d.  
 m. William Wilder -----  
 b. 1789  
 d. ?

1. William  
 2. Lucy (Johnson)  
 3. Calvin  
 4. Amico (Wilton)  
 5. Charlotta (Rhodes)  
 6. Martin  
 7. Sophronia  
 8. Nathan  
 9. James  
 10. Mattie

Nathan  
 (Soldier 1812)  
 b. 1769  
 d. 1850  
 m. Lucy Wilder  
 b.  
 d. 1858

3. Simon  
 b. 1801  
 d.  
 m. Bathiah Taylor -----

1. Electa (Thorpe)  
 2. Eliso (Triffitt)  
 3. Cornelia (Briggs)  
 4. Lucy (Briggs)  
 5. Harrison W.  
 6. Perry Oliver  
 7. John Tyler  
 8. Henry Clay  
 9. Thomas Corwin  
 10. Chester Taylor

m. Emily Thorpe Gladding -----

1. Lauretta (G. W. Martin)

4. Hool  
 b. 1803  
 d. 1883  
 m. Salona Traman -----  
 b. 1805  
 d. 1889

1. Nathan Frank  
 2. Emily  
 3. Hannah  
 4. Hilton Lorenzo  
 5. Nancy  
 6. Lydia  
 7. Judson Jeremiah  
 8. Julius C.

5. Andross  
 b. 1805  
 d. 1870  
 m. Polly Amanda Walton -----  
 b.  
 d.

1. Edmond  
 2. Cynthia Sally (Brownell)  
 3. Eben Walton  
 4. Carlos Cornelius  
 5. Carolino Cornelia  
 6. Dennis J.  
 7. Alico Anzanotto (Benson)  
 8. Mary Amanda (Brownell)

7th. Generation

8th. Generation

9th. Generation

1. John Seymour

b. 1810  
d. 1873  
m. Laura Persons-----  
b. 1807  
d. 1887

1. John Seymour 1793  
2. Laura Ann  
3. Martha Permelia  
4. Timothy Wilder  
5. Lydia Naomi  
6. Altha Louise

2. Nancy Permelia

b. 1812  
d. 1872  
1827 - m. Benjamin Durt -----  
b.  
d.

1. Ozre Seymour  
2. Milton Charles  
3. Lucretia E.

3. Timothy

b. 1817  
d. 1817

4. Naomi Coddling

b. 1817  
d. 1899 -----  
m. Stacy Hills, N.D.  
b. 1814  
d. 1875

1. Elbridge R.  
2. Aubigne  
3. Lelia N.

John Seymour  
b. 1786  
d. 1861  
m. Permelia Wilder  
b. 1787  
d. 1872

5. Ira Wilder

b. 1819  
d. 1895  
m. M. Drusilla Hicks ---  
b. 1835  
d. 1866 (Monticello, Ill)  
m. Lenorah Ellerton  
b. 1835  
d. 1916

1. Frances Permelia  
2. Minerva  
3. Drusilla Naomi

6. Lydia Loomis

b. -----  
d.  
m. John C. Brainard

1. Adaloida  
2. Rupert  
3. Rupert Henry  
4. Elwyn LeClarque

7. Warren Coddling

b. 1823  
d. 1908  
m. Eliza Spellman (died 6 mo. later)  
m. Eliza Williams -----  
b. 1840  
d. 1908

1. Lillia A.  
2. Edward W.  
3. Wells G.  
4. Ozre B.  
5. Mary S  
6. Martha Permelia

7th. Generation

8th. Generation

9th Generation



# HATCH TREE

## 9<sup>th</sup> Generation

1. John Seymour 6.1833-1902 } m. Mary Tolman 1840-1899  
2<sup>nd</sup> m. Hannah Pratt 1843-1911
- A. George <sup>Chc</sup> 1861-1949
- B. Florence Cortis S. Upton 1870-1941
- C. Sarah 1867-1935 Single
- D. Robert <sup>deils</sup> 1869-1956 m. Edna Ellen Hazen <sup>→ suicide in cistern</sup> 1871-1918
- E. Nellie <sup>J</sup> 10/1/871-9/21/39 m. Owen J. Webster 9/5/71-5/5/57
- F. John <sup>Jun</sup> 1875-1940 <sup>mg</sup> m. Julia Oct. 1875-1950 <sup>54</sup>

## 10<sup>th</sup> Generation

- D Mary Louise Hatch m. Bonner Newton Wiley 1897-1972
- Lola Hood m. Ed Hood
- Robert
  - LaVonne m. Bernard Krueger 7/5/14-1/23/83
  - Betty
  - Janet Loomis

## 11<sup>th</sup> Generation

- A. Dale 7/5/ Alberta Deyless 7/17/32-
- B. Gwen 10/22/ ~~Mrs. Allen Denton~~
- C. Wilbur 1/2/35- Yvonne Jade Antel 4/16/36