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ELIZABETH BURTON, JOSEPH BURTON, WILLIAM PRETTYMAN OF SUSSEX COUNTY, DELAWARE

This was sent several years ago by former member and good friend of Delaware genealogy, Woodland G. Shockley, since deceased. It was his intention to furnish citations to document the work, but he did not. Despite that omission, we are still presenting it, confident that persons researching these lines will, in any case, check the information against original sources. Included with this manuscript were hand-drawn charts of FUTCHER, WALKER and PRETTYMAN families which may be found in the genealogy files at the Historical Society of Delaware.

Elizabeth BURTON, daughter of Robert BURTON the elder, was born about 1685 (based on her older brother William BURTON's birth date of 1677). She married first Joseph BURTON, son of William and Ann (STRATTON) BURTON, probably around 1705-10. Joseph BURTON wrote his will on 17 Nov 1719 and it was proved on 25 Feb 1719/20. In it he gives his children as William, Ann Catherine (not yet 16), Cornelius and Jacob BURTON.

Robert BURTON wrote his will on 16 Sep 1724 and it was proved on 16 Oct 1725. His will identifies his daughter Elizabeth who was married to Joseph BURTON, deceased, and is now the wife of William PRETTYMAN. Robert BURTON recognizes the four youngest children of Joseph and Elizabeth PRETTYMAN as Catherine, Cornelius, Jacob and Joseph. Evidently the youngest child, Joseph, was born in late 1719 or in 1720, after his father had written his will, and most likely after he died. We can also deduce that William PRETTYMAN and Elizabeth BURTON married between 1720 and 1724.

John PRETTYMAN, the father of William PRETTYMAN, wrote his will on 24 March 1723/24, about six months before Robert BURTON wrote his will. In his will John PRETTYMAN identifies his grandsons John and James PRETTYMAN, sons of William PRETTYMAN, further indicating that John is not yet 20 years of age. He devises land to John, stipulating that it should not be sold to anyone other than his "brothers", and in case John dies the land should go to James. John PRETTYMAN the elder also makes a bequest to his granddaughter Ann WEST; he does not identify the father of Ann. (There seem to be two Ann PRETTYMANs who fit this description. Robert PRETTYMAN, son of John, had a daughter Ann, called Ann PRETTYMAN in Robert's will in 1721. William PRETTYMAN also had a daughter named Ann, called Ann PRETTYMAN in her father's will.) If the children described above are the children of John PRETTYMAN and Elizabeth BURTON, they would all be less than three years old at the time John PRETTYMAN wrote his will. The wording in John PRETTYMAN's will would seem to indicate these children were older.

A more likely explanation is that William PRETTYMAN had an earlier marriage and these are children of that marriage. Rev. Edgar PRETTYMAN in his book *The Prettyman Family* speculates that William PRETTYMAN was born about 1675. At his marriage to Elizabeth BURTON he would have been at least 45 years old. This is very old for a first marriage. The concept of a first marriage with children John and James and perhaps others appears reasonable. The marriage of William PRETTYMAN to Elizabeth BURTON would then have been a second marriage for both.

William PRETTYMAN wrote his will on 20 Feb 1743/44 but it was not filed for probate until 20 Nov 1748, nearly four years later. He does not mention a wife in his will. He gives land to his sons Isaac, Robert and Thomas PRETTYMAN.

To his son John he gives 7s6p (recall that John was given land by his grandfather). To his daughters Betty PRETTYMAN, Ann PRETTYMAN and Comfort PRETTYMAN (she not 18) he gives a slave. Sons Joseph and Jacob and daughter Temperance are to share with others in William's personal estate. Note that daughter Ann is called PRETTYMAN in this will; this would lend some credence to the idea that the Ann WEST, granddaughter of John PRETTYMAN, was a daughter of Robert PRETTYMAN. William's son James PRETTYMAN is not mentioned.

The Prettyman Family book states that William PRETTYMAN was called into court for failure to report the estate of his son William after his death in 1840. The death of William the younger is supported by records of St. Georges Chapel, which show a son born to William PRETTYMAN, Jr. and his wife Elizabeth on 25 Sep 1737; then a son Epothiam born to Elizabeth PRETTYMAN (no father mentioned) on 1 Dec 1841. Since William PRETTYMAN, Jr. died before his father wrote his will, the lack of mention is understandable. It may be speculated that William PRETTYMAN, Jr. was born no later than 1717, which would have been before his father married Elizabeth BURTON.

The Prettyman Family book also states that William PRETTYMAN's wife Temperance complained to the court that her husband had provided generously for his children by his first wife, but had neglected to provide for her and their children as he should. A copy of this complaint was not available to see what it said. A study of the will of William PRETTYMAN gives some indication as to the identity of the children of William and Temperance PRETTYMAN. These appear to be Joseph, Jacob and Temperance PRETTYMAN. The book shows a chart of this family with children Sarah and Eleanor who are not otherwise identified; they could have been children named in the court action. It is possible that they were born after William wrote his will and in the four-year period before he died. Another record shows that Elizabeth (Betty) PRETTYMAN was a daughter of William and Elizabeth (BURTON) PRETTYMAN. Notes on the ancestry of Robert BURTON (*Pa. Gen. Magazine*, Vol XVIII, No 2) cites two Sussex County deeds (I-9:268, 1760 and K-10:176, 1765) in which Elizabeth COULTER identifies herself as granddaughter of Robert BURTON the elder, and daughter of Elizabeth PRETTYMAN.

Based on the foregoing, the following relationships are postulated for the various families:

The children of Joseph and Elizabeth BURTON:

William BURTON
Ann Catherine BURTON, born after 1703
Cornelius BURTON
Jacob BURTON
Joseph BURTON, born 1719-1720

The children, all born between 1700 and 1720, of William PRETTYMAN and his first wife, name unknown:

James PRETTYMAN, died 1748
John PRETTYMAN, born after 1704
William PRETTYMAN, born before 1717, died 1740

The children of William and Elizabeth (BURTON) PRETTYMAN:

Isaac PRETTYMAN
 Robert PRETTYMAN
 Thomas PRETTYMAN
 Elizabeth (Betty) PRETTYMAN
 Ann PRETTYMAN
 Comfort PRETTYMAN, born after 1725

The children of William and Temperance PRETTYMAN:

Joseph PRETTYMAN
 Jacob PRETTYMAN
 Temperance PRETTYMAN
 [Sarah and Eleanor PRETTYMAN?]

BITS AND PIECES

Delaware Gazette

5 Jan 1869, Births:

BURKE, Mrs. _____, residing in Windsor St. between 6th and 7th, presented her husband with three babies, 1 Jan 1869, two girls and a boy, as a token of her high appreciation for him as a man. One of the girls has since died.

20 May 1870:

BAILEY, _____, Dr., formerly of Wilm, using false testimony, filed for a divorce, which Mrs. BAILEY contested. He was granted the divorce, but it was later repealed. Meanwhile he remarried and transferred to Alaska. General Sherman had him court-martialed on charges of conduct unbecoming an officer.

2 Sep 1870:

COUNTISS, R. H., Mr., who left Wilmington and settled in Chicago and established himself in the fancy and staple grocery and tea trade, visits the city.

13 Sep 1870:

John P. SAULSBURY, David T. MARVEL and Edwin PARKER, of Georgetown, have gone to Princeton College.

1 Aug 1871, Tuesday:

KIRBY, Catharine, Mrs., aged 101 years, a native of Queenstown, Ireland, died at Lancaster, PA, on Saturday week

23 Dec 1875:

ECKLES, Wm. H., Esq., formerly of New Castle Hd., but for the last six years resident of Silver City (NM) is now on a visit to his parents near New Castle. He is engaged in general merchandizing and banking in the mining region and will return to New Mexico in February.

13 Feb 1879:

Messrs. Daniel and George FORREST, sons of Wm. FORREST, have departed for Lincoln Co., Kansas, where they have purchased a large tract of land and will engage in farming.

**DELAWARE ENTRIES,
TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTHWARK (PHILA)**

From member Jane Adams Clark: "While going through the microfilm, at the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, of the actual records of Trinity Episcopal Church in Southwark (now part of Philadelphia), I noted some Delaware entries so copied them for your Society..." Jane, we offer our thanks.

Ministers:

1820-22, Manning P. Roache	1827-37, William Cooper Mead
1823-26, Levi Siliman Ives	1837-58, John Coleman

Marriages:

29 May 1841, Benjamin ELLIOTT of New Castle County to Elizabeth ALEXANDER

15 Jul 1841, George FISHER of Lancaster, Pa., to Biddy Jane PERTYMAN (sic) of Lewistown, Delaware.

12 Nov 1842, William HAZEL to Temperance Ann SMITH, both of Kent Co., Del.

11 Jan 1843, John COYLE of Wilm, Del. to Catherine SCOTT of Phila

2 Nov 1843, in Congress Hall (probably in Cape May, NJ), Edmund A. HARVEY to Sarah HUXLEY, both of Wilm, Del., by John Coleman, Rector

18 Mar 1845, James BROWN of Wilm, Del., to Ann GREEN of Phila

9 Apr 1845, William F. WILLIAMSON to Hester A. SCOUT, both of Wilm

4 May 1845, Richard TEAMER of Wilm to Jane McFERREN of Phila

12 Jan 1845, Joseph W. ROBERTS of Cecil Co., Maryland to Sarah Ann WHITTAM of New Castle County, Del.

16 Apr 1846, Henry LONGBOTTOM to Matilda BAXTER, both of Wilm, Del.

21 Sep 1848, Richard B. SPENCER to Mary Ann JACKSON, both of Wilm, Del.

10 Oct 1848, Charles SWINDELL to Sarah Jane CALDWELL, both of New Castle, Del.

2 Nov 1849, Benjamin STRADLEY of Kent County, Maryland, to Ann Eliza MILLER of New Castle County, Del.

27 Feb 1851, Samuel MURPHY to Ann Jane FLEMING, both of Wilm

31 May 1854, John M. BRADFORD of Del. to Catherine M. PIERCE of Phila

26 Dec 1855, Joseph STEWART of Wilm, Del. to Mrs. Ellen BLOODWELL of Phila

29 May 1856, Ludwig HOWER to Mrs. Ann BROWN, both of Delaware City, Del.

3 Mar 1858, Allen S. SMITH of Boston to Ann Elizabeth SAVILLE of Wilm, Del.

30 Mar 1858, Charles DICKEY of Phila to Eleanor FLEMING of Wilm, Del.

[Unless otherwise indicated, "Mr." and "Miss" preceded names]

SUBSTITUTES IN THE CIVIL WAR ENROLLMENT

From the *Delaware Gazette*, 13 Sept 1864, copied by Editor Mary Fallon Richards while researching the DGAN (*Delaware Genealogical Abstracts from Newspapers*) Series:

['n' presumably for negro]

The following substitutes were accepted by the Board of Enrollment:

David REDDEN, n, for Richard C. HAYES of St. Georges Hd.

Wm. BIGGS of Pennsylvania for Wm. A. HUKI of Appoquinimink Hd

James MAGUIRE, born in Canada, for James DOUGHTEN of St. Georges Hd

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Thomas MORGAN, born in Ireland, for Wm. ASHCRAFT of St. Georges Hd

Edwin S. NELSON, from Pennsylvania, for John MOORE of Duck Creek Hd

James MURPHEY, born in Ireland, for Richard HANSON of Appoquinimink Hd

Bethasar BABB, from Maryland, for Aaron W. BELL of East Milford Hd

Patrick SHARP for Nathaniel P. LUFF of East Murderkill Hd

Charles WALD, from Germany, for Thomas N. WALKER of Mill Creek Hd

Isaac H. YARNALL, born in Delaware, for Wm. McCONAUGHEY of Pencader Hd

James H. JACOBS, n, born in Delaware, for John THOROUGHGOOD of Indian River Hd

James Washington BRADLEY, n, born in Delaware, for Peter F. CAUSEY, Jr. of Cedar Creek Hd.

Henry H. BELL, for Charles BEASTEN, Jr. of St. Georges Hd

Purnell BLAKE, n, from Virginia, for Wm. WARD of Pencader Hd

John STERLING, for John C. STOCKLEY of East Milford Hd

William WALKER, from Germany, for David E. BURTON of Dover Hd

William McDERMOTT, born in Ireland, for Cornelius J. HALL of East Milford Hd

George W. RUDESILL, from Maryland, for Jas. C. BIRD of Dover Hd

Thomas JOHNSON, n, born in Virginia, for Sam'l SHARPLESS of Mill Creek Hd

Henry ASKEY, born in Pennsylvania, for Sam'l D. MARSHALL of Georgetown Hd

Henry GOODRICH, from Canada, for David CLEAVER of St. Georges Hd

Peter MURPHY, from Newfoundland, for Henry C. ELLISON of Pencader Hd

David L. PAYNTER, from Canada, for Joseph H. BOONE of East Murderkill Hd
Wm. CAHILL, from Ireland, for Charles J. HARRINGTON of West Mispillion Hd
George LONG, from Virginia, for Joseph H. MARVEL of Georgetown Hd
James HOGAN, from Ireland, for Charles W. BLANDY of White Clay Creek Hd
Thomas DALE, from New Jersey, for George D. HARRINGTON of West
Mispillion Hd
Charles SMITH, from Ireland, for Joseph CLEAVER of St. Georges Hd
John CONEY, from England, for Joseph B. CANNON of Broad Creek Hd
Benjamin F. BURTON, from Maryland, for Benjamin F. KANELY of St. Georges
Hd
Thomas DIXON, from Ireland, for George G. KERR of White Clay Creek Hd
Robert SNOW, from Maryland, for John P. McKEE of Mill Creek Hd
James DOYLE, born in Ireland, for James B. CLARKSON of St. Georges Hd
Henry ONDERSTEIN, from Germany, for Wm. E. TRUITT of East Milford Hd
Edward BROOKS, from England, for John R. BENNETT of St Georges Hd
Michael DOWNES, born in Ireland, for James W. ABBOTT of Cedar Creek Hd
Luther SWIGGETT, n, born in Delaware, for John DOWNHAM of Dover Hd
Wm. ALLEN, from England, for Henry Clay DOUGLASS of Duck Creek Hd
Wm. BROWN, from Ireland, for Samuel ALRICH of Pencader Hd
George REDDEN, n, from Maryland, for Ebe WALTER of Baltimore Hd,
Sussex Co
James BOOTH, from Maryland, for Alfred ROBINSON, Jr., of Georgetown Hd
Frank FOSTER, from Ireland, for Wm. A. HANSON of St. Georges Hd
Wm. BISHOP, n, from Virginia, for Robert J. HOUSTON of Dagsborough Hd
Frank METCALF, n, born in Delaware, for James A. DODD of Lewes and
Rehoboth Hd
James HINES, from Ireland, for John CLEAVER of Duck Creek Hd
Wm. BOYLESTON for Eli HARRINGTON of West Mispillion Hd
John SMITH, from Prince Edward Island, for John W. TRUITT of Cedar Creek Hd
Chas. LACEY, from Canada, for R. Y. WATSON of East Milford Hd

David W. JOHNSON, from Scotland, for David H. HOLLAND of Cedar Creek Hd

Joseph SCOTT, from Prince Edward Island, for Jonathan B. McCONAUGHY of Georgetown Hd

James H. REED, n, from Maryland, for Thos. CARLISLE of Cedar Creek Hd

John SULLIVAN, from Ireland, for Asa F. CONWELL of Broadkiln Hd

George JONES, from Pennsylvania, for Geo. H. MUSTARD of Broadkiln Hd

George BROWN, n, for Nehemiah T. DAVIS of Appoquinimink Hd

George W. HARBERT for Sewell C. BIGGS of Pencader Hd

Jacob A. EVANS, from Maryland, for Hamilton B. TRUITT of Dagsboro Hd

Harrison NICHOLS, n, born in Delaware, for James WILLEY of N W Fork Hd

Moses TAYLOR, n, born in Delaware, for Edward B. SMITH of West Mispillion Hd

George WILKINS, from Maryland, for George WILSON of Cedar Creek Hd

John SMITH, from Ireland, for Robert H. SMITH of Mispillion Hd.

John FLYNN, from Ireland, for Samuel B. COOPER, Jr. of West Murderkiln Hd

John QUINN, from Ireland, for George H. RUSSELL of Broadkiln Hd

James TONER, from Pennsylvania, for George W. COLLINS of Duck Creek Hd

John KLOENE, from Germany, for Samuel NEEDLES of West Murderkiln Hd

Nelson CANNON, n, from Delaware, for Daniel HARRINGTON of West Mispillion Hd

Peter F. HICKER, from Ireland, for Mark G. LOFLAND of East Milford Hd

Wm. NOLAN, from Ireland, for George P. MINERS of East Milford Hd

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Patrick CONNERS, from Ireland, for Daniel R. BURTON of Broadkiln Hd

Wm. JONES, from Scotland, for Samuel B. GINN of Appoquinimink Hd

Wm. ROGAN, from Ireland, for Daniel R. BURTON of Broadkiln Hd

Isaac GREEN, n, from Maryland, for John W. CASSON of Dover Hd

Felix KENNEDY, from Canada, for Saulsbury SPARKLIN of West Duck Creek Hd

John CONNERS, from Ireland, for John D. WILKER of Nanticoke Hd

John T. COLEMAN, from Canada, for John L. PRATT of East Dover Hd

INFORMATION GLEANED FROM THE
BOOK OF DEEDS OF MANUMISSION OF SLAVES
(1774 - 1792)
Kept of record by Duck Creek Monthly Meeting
of Friends in Kent on Delaware
Warner Mifflin, Recorder

The handwriting is ancient, or as they phrase it 'antient,' and the copy (made from a microfilm purchased from the Delaware Archives) poor, so that the interpretation of many of the dates and some of the names is in serious question. The record is offered as having much of value, despite its flaws.

pp 1-4

"Warner MIFFLIN, of Kent County on Delaware, Merchant, fully persuaded in my conscience that it is a sin of the deepest dye to make slaves of my fellow creatures or to continue them in slavery... Therefore for remedying the same I do hereby decree all the Negroes I have hereafter particularly named Absolutely Free, them and their posterity forever..."

[n = negro, m = man, w = woman, g = girl, b = boy, c = aged about]

Hannah an ancient Negroe woman, **Ezekiel**, a man about 25 yrs of age
Beniah a n m c 27 yrs of age, **Paul** n m c 20 yrs, **Melissa** n g c 12 yrs
Nancy n w c 30 yrs, her g **Hannah** c 14 yrs, **Daniel**, her n b c 10 yrs
her g **Jenny** c two yrs, her g **Janny** c 3 yrs
Abram c 10 mos, **Grace** w c 27 yrs, her g **Betty** c 13 yrs, her g **Henny** c 7 yrs
her b **Richard** c 7 yrs, 9 mos, g **Rebecca** c 3 yrs

"But believing it my duty to take upon myself the power and authority of the young ones to Raise and Educate them till they arrive Lawfull age, do therefore reserve that Prerogative over the males till they arrive to Twenty one Years of Age and the females till they Arrive to eighteen Years of Age, which I do hereby direct to be determined by the Ages of Each as particularly mentioned."

Further mentions Grandmother* Mary MIFFLIN - father Daniel MIFFLIN in regard to n m **Solomon** c forty yrs, left in his grandmother's will to whichever of her grandchildren he (**Solomon**) chose. The letter from his (MIFFLIN's) father tells him he has been chosen by Solomon, whom he frees at once. He had previously freed n m **James**, n w **Mariah** c 23 yrs and her children **Lydia**, 6 yrs and **Ann-Nancy**, aged 3 yrs, n g **Medea** and reaffirmed that manumission here.

Signed 9th day 1st month 1775

*"The reason of my grandmother's not freeing this negro is that she was informed that she could not do it because of the laws of Virginia where she lived..." The end was accomplished when she willed him and others to her son Daniel and grandchildren, who freed them.

p 5

Joseph JENKINS, Kent Co., n m **Caleb** c 30 yrs - signed 17 day, 1st mo, 1775

p 6

Levi OLIVER, Sussex Co., n w **Johannah** c 51 yrs - signed 30 day, 1st mo, 1775

p 7

Thomas BOWMAN, Kent Co., farmer, antient n w **Johana**, m **Anthony** c 40 yrs,
n m **James** c 28 yrs, n **Moses** c 26 yrs, signed 14 day 2nd mo 1775

p 8

Eunice OZBOURNE, Kent Co., "Whereas my grandfather, Joshua CLAYTON, did devise that his negro boy **Richard** should serve till he was 25 yrs of age and then be free... **Richard** has fell into my Hands, last by Administration of the Estate of my beloved Husband Jonathan OZBOURNE" she sets him free but, "he not being yet of lawful age, I do reserve his time until the 30th day of the 8th month now next ensuing, at which time he is judged to be of the age of 21 yrs. signed 3rd day of 3rd mo 1775

p 9

Ezekiel COWGILL, Kent Co., n w **Abigail** c 47 yrs, signed 3rd day 3rd mo 1775

p 10

Jacob EMERSON, "Whereas my father Govey EMERSON did in his last Will and Testament devise order and direct that the folloeing Negroes should be free at the age of 25 the male and 21 the female" Jacob, as Executor, sets free **York**, aged c 23 yrs, **London**, b c 26 June 1726, **Ezekiel** born c 10th of 1st mo 1738, **Phebe** g born 18th day of 12th mo 1739, **Silpha** n g b 2nd day 11th mo 1762, **Alice** n g b 21st day 12th mo 1763, **Sarah** n g b 11 day 8 mo 1771 and **Rachel** n g b 12 2 mo 1775, signed 3rd day 3rd mo 1775

p 11

Thomas NOCK, Jr., of Kent Co, **Matthew** n m c 21 yrs, free now, **Glasgow** n b c 13 yrs 7 mos, to be free at age 21, signed 4th day 3rd mo 1775

p 12

Sylva SIPPLE, Kent Co, yeoman, **Glasgow**, n m c 35 yrs, signed 4th day 3rd mo 1775

p 13

Garratt SIPPLE, Kent Co, farmer, negroes **Sarah**, **Drummer**, **Judea**, **Hannah**, antient, who have been at their liberty some years, **Grace**, n w c 47 yrs, set at liberty some time back, **Anthony** n m c 54 yrs, **Toney** n mc 29 yrs, **Zac** m c 25 yrs, **Leah** w c 25 yrs, all free from this day. **Cato** c 20 yrs 5 mos, **Peter** 18 yrs c 5 mos, **Isaac** b c 12 yrs 6 mos, **Dick** b c 7 yrs 6 mos, **Eben** b 6 yrs 4 mos, free at 21 yrs. **Grace** g c 9 yrs 5 mos, **Henny** g c 7 yrs 5 mos, **Rachel** g c 2 yrs when they arrive at 18 yrs. And in order further to confirm and establish their freedom as aforesaid...unto each...sum of 100£, signed 15th day 3rd mo 1775

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John EDMONDSON, Kent Co, farmer, negroes, **Abram** n m c 45 yrs, **Bell** n w c 3- yrs (as judged), **Pegg** w c 20 yrs (all free from this day) and her child **Nell** 14 mos (free at 18 yrs). 100£ to each and **Nell** to be taught to read the Bible, signed 16 day 3rd mo 1775

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Timothy JENKINS, Kent Co, farmer, negroes, **Frank Baker** n m c 40 yrs, **David** n m c 36 yrs, **Hannah** woman c 36 yrs, **Susannah** woman c 40 yrs, **Jacob** n m c 24 yrs 7 mos, (free now, with 100£ each) **Phebe** woman ---teen yrs 7 mos, **Nan** g c 13 yrs, (free at age 18), **Jonathan** b born 26 July 1773 (free at age 21), signed 16th day 3rd mo 1775

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Richard HOLLIDAY, dec'd, negroes **Cato** n m c 25 yrs, **Joyce**, n w c 26 yrs, her boy **Moses** now c 5 yrs, **Patience** n w now c 21 yrs, **Julia**, girl now c 16 yrs, "Before his death some time he did himself set free of said negroes **Joyce** with her child **Moses** (since which s^d negro woman **Joyce** has borne two other children, girl **Rachel** and boy **Cato**) and at sundry times hired s^d negro man **Cato** and paid him wages as any other free man." Ann HOLLIDAY, Kent Co, ...declare the afs^d negroes **Cato**, **Joyce** and her three children, viz **Moses**, **Cato** and **Rachel**, likewise negro women **Patience** and **Julia** (in two years from this date, when she

reaches age 18) free. Signed 5th day 3rd mo 1775

p 18

Luke SPENCER, Sussex Co, farmer, negroes **Esther**, n w c 35 yrs, **Jacob** n m c 28 yrs, (free now) **Esther** n g c 2 yrs (free at 18 yrs), signed 31 day 3rd mo 1775

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Catharine SPENCER, Sussex Co, widow, n w **Catharine** c 55 yrs, n m **Richard** c 51 yrs (free now), n g **Alice** 16 yrs 9 mos (free at age 18), each to receive 100£. Signed 31st day 3rd mo 1775

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Joshua SPENCER, Cedar Creek Hd, Sussex Co, negroes **Peter**, c 31 yrs, **Jane**, n w c 30 yrs (free this day), **Daniel** n m c 19 yrs, **Sarah**, born 8th day 6th mo 1763, **Hercules**, b born 8th day 5th mo 1763, **Nancy** g born 3rd mo 1765, **Cudge** b born 18th of 5th mo 1770, **Priscilla** g born 3rd day 8th mo 1773 (boys at age 21, girls at age 18). Each to receive 100£. Signed 1st day 4th mo 1775

p 21

Samuel HANSON, Kent Co, farmer, having previously, on 27 May 1770, freed **Charles Becket** c 31 yrs 1 mo and **Peter Becket** c 24 yrs 7 mos, now manumit and set free those two and **Isaac Becket** aged 23 yrs 2 mos, **Moses** n m c 23 yrs 6 mos (all free this day), **Dick** c 20 yrs 6 mos, **Cato** b c 12 yrs 6 mos, **Rachel** g c 10 yrs 6 mos, **Hi**, boy c 8 yrs 6 mos (boys at age 21, girls at age 18). Also **Helga**, n w antient befoire set at liberty. The young ones to be taught to read the Bible. Signed 18th day 5th mo 1775

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John DICKINSON, Kent Co, farmer, negroes, old negress **Robin** appears to be upwards of 60 yrs, n w **Nan** born 10th mo 1731, **George** n m born 10th mo 1745, **Dick** m born 3rd mo 1750, **Sidney** n w born 7th mo 1751 (all free from this day), **Cassey**, n g born 1st mo 1760, **Linda** born 3rd mo 1764, **Janney** g born 12th mo 1770 (all free at age 18), **Sinah** born 6th mo 177(1?), **Till** when he reaches 21 yrs of age (some confusion about these two). Each to receive 100£, young ones to be taught to read the Bible. Signed John DICKINSON, Jun^r 2nd day 7th mo 1775

p 23

Robert HOLLIDAY, Duck Creek Hd Kent Co, merchant, negroes, **George Whitford** n b born 5th mo 15th day 1762, to be free at age 21, to be taught to read the Bible and to receive 100£, signed 12th day 8th mo 1775

p 24

Stephen MAXFIELD of Philadelphia, cabinet maker, **Ezekiel Stiles** negro man who has been at his liberty about 3 yrs, aged now about 35 years, signed 7th day 10th mo 1775

p 25

Mary MEGEAR, Kent Co, **Violet** n g c 13 yrs 8 mos, to be free now and at 18 "to be at her own disposal and at liberty to act for herself as a free woman..." Signed 22nd day 12th mo 1775

p 26

Israel ALLSTON, Kent Co, negroes, **John** n b (judged to be 14 the 1st day of the present month) that I bought from Thomas NOCK, Jun^r till he should arrive to 25 yrs of age (and then by his father's will he was to be free) to be free at 21 yrs, **Lydia Beckett** n g c 6 yrs old, free born but bound to me by the Commissioner of the Poor before two magistrates till she should serve to 21 yrs of age, to be free at 21 yrs. Signed 16th day 1st mo 1776.

p 27

Rachel BOWERS, Kent Co, Murtherkiln Hd, widow, negroes devised to her by dec'd husband John BOWERS, **Charles** n m c 40 yrs and his wife called **Jin** c 40 yrs who have been at their own disposal some time, set free and to receive 100£, signed 3rd day 6th mo 1776. (mentions son Isaac BOWERS)

p 28

Lydia SIPP, of Murderkilm Hd, Kent Co, negroes **Anthony**, c 19 yrs the 10th day of last month (free at 21 yrs), **Barbara** n w c 17 yrs 3 mos (free at 18 yrs) and her child **Nanny**, c 10 mos (to be with its mother and under her disposal (as if free born), signed 3rd day 6th mo 1776

p 29

Levi OLIVER, Sussex Co, **Esther** n g c 11 yrs 3 mos, free at 18 yrs, to be taught to read the Bible and to receive 100£, signed 4th day 6th mo 1776

p 30

Vincent EMERSON of Murtherkilm Hd, Kent Co, farmer, negroes **George** supposed c 50 yrs, **Alice** n w upward of 40 yrs, **Judah** c 22 yrs (who have been at liberty for some time) from this time forward, **London** n b born 4 July 1765, **George** n b near 3 yrs, b **Isaac** c 2 yrs when they arrive to 21 yr, g **Sarah** c 7 yrs, g **Phillis** c 5 yrs 6 mos, when they arrive to 18 yrs, to be taught to read the Bible. Each to receive 100£, signed 5th day 6th mo 1776

p 31

Jonathan EMERSON, Murtherkilm Hd, Kent Co, negroes, **Mingo** n m (as judged) near 50 yrs, **Andrew**, n m c 30 yrs, **Sidney**, n w c 40 yrs, (free from some time back) **Absalom** n b c 22 yrs, (free from this day) **London** n b c 20 yrs, **George** n b c 15 yrs, **Chester** n b c 15 yrs, **Dave** n b c 8 yrs, **Stepney** n b c 6 yrs, **Daniel** n b c 4 yrs, **James** n b c 12 mos (free at 21 yrs), to be taught to read the Bible. Whereas woman **Sidney** has taken **Stepney**, **Daniel** and **James**, I do therefore hereby invest her with the prerogative ? them as if they had been born when she was free. Each to receive 100£, signed 5th day 6th mo 1776

p 32

Jane SMITH, widow of Duck Creek Hd, Kent Co, negroes, **Caesar** 26 yr 8 mos, **Ann** n w 36 yrs, set free. Each to receive 100£, signed 8th day 6th mo 1776

p 33

Barthia HAZEL, widow of Duck Creek Hd, Kent Co, negroes, **Peter** n m c 40 yrs, freed some time back, **Phebe** n g born 7th day 3rd mo 1763, free when she is 18, signed 8th day 6th mo 1776

p 34

Robert REGISTER, Little Creek Hd, Kent Co, **Caesar** n b c 8 yrs, free at 21 yrs. To be taught to read the Bible and to receive 100£, signed 11th day 6th mo 1776

p 35

Rebecca JENKINS, widow, Kent Co, negroes **Mariah** n w c 22 yrs (free from this day) and her child n g **Jacke** c 6 yrs (free at 18 yrs, to be taught to read the Bible.) Each to receive 100£, signed 4th day 7th mo 1776

p 36

Thomas SHARPLESS, St. Georges Hd, New Castle Co, miller, negroes, **Nido**, n g 13 yrs 5 mos, free at 18. To be taught to read the Bible and to receive 100£, signed 18th day 7th mo 1776

p 37

Thomas EDMONDSON, Kent Co, farmer, negroes **Jacob** n m c 28 yrs (free from this day), **Cassandra** n g c 9 yrs (free at 18, to be taught to read the Bible.) Each to receive 100£, signed 6th day 7th mo 1776

p 38

Anthony WOODCOCK and his wife Elizabeth, late the widow of Jonathan MOLLISTON and Isaiah ROWLAND [apparently acting, under terms of a marriage settlement, as trustee for Elizabeth] of Mispillion Hd, Kent Co, agree to set free negroes: **Mingo** n m c 70 yrs, **Peter** n m 52 yrs, **Solomon** n m c 46 yrs, **Mariah** n w c 60 yrs, **Hannah** n w c 22 yrs, (to be free from this day), **Jack** n b c 7 yrs, **Jacob** n b aged 1 mo (specifically called child of **Hannah**, but presumably all of the children are hers) (to be free at 21 yrs), **Mariah**, **Jun'** n g c 5 yrs, **Phyllis** n g c 2 yrs (young ones to be taught to read the Bible and to be free at 18 yrs) Date of signing missing from copy.

(to be continued)

BITS AND PIECES

From Records of the Kensington Methodist Episcopal Church (1116 Palmer St., Phila) GSP XCh 661, courtesy of Timothy C. Coyne, fellow researcher with a special interest in the history of churches, who saved these for Caroline Sparks: (Thanks, Tim)

28 Mar 1825, Rev. Samuel S. Kennard married 28 Mar 1825, at Kensington, Adam G. TALLEY to Sarah ALDRED of Delaware (Vol 2, p 3)

14 Sep 1843, John S. Inskip, minister- James McKEEVER to Rebecca J. MASON, both of New Castle, Del

27 Feb 1844, John S. Inskip, minister - Parker JEFFRIES to Hannah JOHNSON, both of Wilm, Del

17 Aug 1853, William B. CRAMMER, waterman of Wilmington, Del. married Emma POST of Kensington, Phila, by Rev. P. Coombe. (Vol 5 p 60)

20 Apr 1854, Thomas L. POULSON, printer of Smyrna, Del., married Cora Wilmer COOMBE of Philadelphia, by Rev. P. COOMBE (Vol 5 p 60)

10 Oct 1854, Samuel J. BLACKBURN of New Castle County, Del., married Mary WEAR of Wilmington, Del., by Rev. P. Coombe (Vol 5 p 59)

18 Apr 1857, Elias T. SHORT of Dagsboro, Del., married Emily S. JONES of Georgetown, Del., by Rev. Thomas C. Murphy (Vol 5 p 62)

29 Mar 1865, Thomas J. ALLEN of Phila married Louisa J. MASSEY of Delaware, by Rev. John H. Alday (Vol 5 p 78)

31 Dec 1865, Edward STEVENSON? married Anna WORTERS?, both of Delaware, by Rev. John H. Alday (Vol 5 p 78)

From the Records of Rehoboth M.E. Ch (Frankford), also courtesy of Timothy C. Coyne:

12 Nov 1848, Joseph TEAS of Wilmington, Del., married Sarah SMITH of Phila by Rev. H. G. King (Vol 2, p 14)

19 Jun 1851, Peter HARDCASTLE married Mary Ann HADOCK, both of Wilmington, Del. by Rev. Wm. Cooper

1 Jul 1851, Daniel W. SMITH married Julia A. MITCHENER, both of Wilmington, Del. by Rev. Wm. Cooper

20 Sep 1851, Isaac ELTONHEAD of Frankford married Amanda M. BUZINE of Wilmington, Del., by Rev. William Cooper

9 Aug 1854, William McNEAL married Margaret ROGERS, both of New Castle Co., Del., by George Quigley

30 Oct 1856, Willard H. WARD of Dover, Del., married Emma CHAPPELL of Bucks Co., Pa, by Rev. A. John

26 Sep 1859, James O.? JONES of Dover, Del. married Mary SHOCK of Frankford, by Rev. Anthony Atwood

Philadelphia Public Ledger

10 Apr 1852, Local:

Fatal accident - William Henry DUNN, a workman on the new depot of the Baltimore RR Co., was struck by a heavy beam which fell while being hoisted to its place. His head was fractured by the blow causing death within a few hours at the hospital, whither he was conveyed. An inquest was held, and a verdict of accidental death returned. The deceased belonged to Wilmington, Del., where he leaves a family to deplore his untimely fate.

15 Oct 1852:

Information wanted - of Johanna McCARTHY of Wilmington, Delaware, living with Mr. Isaac SMITH. Her sister Mary landed in Philadelphia 5th inst. and cannot find her. Any information will be thankfully received at No. 6 Dilks' Court, Wood Street between Ridge Road and Tenth Street. Wilmington papers please copy.

11 Sep 1852, Wants:

Information is wanted - of a young girl, 12 years old, who left Wilmington on the 7th of May last. Her name is Margaret McNAMARA, and the last heard respecting her was on board of a steamboat, at New Castle, for Philadelphia. Any person giving information of her whereabouts will confer a great favor on her afflicted mother by writing to her at No. 127 Orange Street above Fifth, Wilmington, Delaware. Mary McNAMARA Wilmington, Sept. 9th 1852

16 Mar 1857, Personal:

Wanted to know - the whereabouts of Miss Sarah MELLIN who left Wilmington, Del., January 30, 1857. Any information will be thankfully received by her nephew, Elhannan BENNER, 253 Orange St., Wilmington, Del.

22 Oct 1859, Coroner's inquest, 21 Oct 1858:

John CUBBAGE of Milford, Del., captain of the Schooner *Compromise* "accidentally drowned" off the schooner between Odessa, Del. and Phila.

28 Jul 1859, Local Affairs:

Identified - The body of the man who died on Monday, on the doorstep at Eighth and Green Streets, has been identified as that of Benjamin BARRON, who was pilot on the steamboat *Ariel*, and a resident of Wilmington, Delaware. The remains were taken to Wilmington yesterday.

4 Sep 1861, Personal:

William Thomas MONEY aged 25 yrs, left his father's house at Odessa, Del. on Sunday last and came to this city (Phila) for purpose of enlisting. Any information of him will be thankfully received by his distressed parents. Address William MONEY, Odessa, Del.

ACCOUNT BOOK of DANIEL C., DANIEL R. & CLARENCE W. ADAMS,
 UNDERTAKERS of NORTHWEST FORK HD., SUSSEX CO., DE
 near BLOOMERY, CAROLINE CO., MD
 (continued from Vol 10 No 2)

<u>DATE of</u> <u>PURCHASE</u>	<u>PURCHASER</u>	<u>DECEASED</u>	<u>PURCHASE</u>	<u>COST</u>
Jan 03, 1900	JOSEPH, JAMES & CLEVENGER, DAVID	JOSEPH, MRS.	COFFIN & BOX	\$12.00
Jan 11, 1900	RATHEL, FRANK	HIS CHILD	COFFIN	\$ 3.00
Jan 21, 1900	CHAFFINCH, AMARSA (est.)	CHAFFINCH, AMARSA	COFFIN/BOX/ROBE	\$18.00
Jan 22, 1900	BOWEN, LEVI	HIS WIFE	CASKET	\$35.00
Jan 27, 1900	HAMMOND, CHARLES (B)	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 7.00
Jan 30, 1900	VANSCOY, J.B. (est.)	VANSCOY, J.B.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$32.00
Feb 04, 1900	WHIT, ANN	LEWIS, HENRY	COFFIN & BOX	\$15.00
Feb 07, 1900	ADAMS, MARY J. (est.)	ADAMS, MARY J.	COFFIN/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$22.00
Feb 13, 1900	JOHNSON, W.T. (est.)	JOHNSON, W.T.	CASKET/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$28.00
Feb 21, 1900	JEAVONS, JOSEPH	HARPER, JESSIE	BURIAL & LOT	\$10.00
Mar 10, 1900	WRIGHT, JOHN	HIS WIFE	COFFIN & BURIAL SERVICES	\$22.00
Mar 15, 1900	COLLISON, GEORGE	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$35.00
Mar 24, 1900	WHITNEY, ISAAC N. (est.)	WHITNEY, ISAAC N.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$40.00
Mar 29, 1900	HORSEY, MARY (est.)	HORSEY, MARY	COFFIN & ARCH	\$26.00
Apr 03, 1900	JOHNSON, JAMES E. (est.)	JOHNSON, JAMES E.	CASKET/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$33.00
Apr 09, 1900	BLACK, LEWIS	HAINES, INDIA	BOX & BURIAL SERVICES	\$ 5.00
Apr 15, 1900	PARKER, W. (est.)	PARKER, W.	CASKET/ARCH BOARD/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$36.00
Apr 16, 1900	CLEVES, JOHN	JESTER, JOHN R.	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$20.00
Apr 21, 1900	FOUNTAIN, WILL	CARMEN, TRUSTEN	CASKET/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$35.00
Apr 30, 1900	OUTTEN, GEORGE	HIS SON	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$20.00
May 03, 1900	BREEDING, WILL & F.	BREEDING, RICHARD	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$22.50
May 08, 1900	WROTEN, W.H.	HIS DAUGHTER	COFFIN/ARCH BOARD/EMBALMING	\$10.00
May 13, 1900	CLEAVES, SARAH F. (est.)	CLEAVES, SARAH F.	CASKET/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$37.50
June 14, 1900	THOMAS, ZEB	THOMAS, REBECCA	COFFIN	\$ 8.00
June 17, 1900	GRIFFIN, JEREMIAH (est.)	GRIFFIN, JEREMIAH	COFFIN/ARCH BOARD/EMBALMING	\$30.00
June 30, 1900	WARN, GEORGE	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 4.00
July 13, 1900	SMITH, SILAS (est.)	SMITH, SILAS	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$25.00
July 17, 1900	TRICE, WILTON	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.50
July 26, 1900	WEBBER, GERTIE (est.)	WEBBER, GERTIE	CASKET/BOX/EMBALMING	\$20.00
Aug 02, 1900	SMITH, J.W.	HIS WIFE	COFFIN & BOX	\$20.00
Aug 07, 1900	FOUNTAIN, ANN (est.)	FOUNTAIN, ANN	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$40.00
Aug 11, 1900	GOOTEE, J.W.	GOOTEE, DORCAS	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$22.00
Aug 21, 1900	BULLOCK, J.W.	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$33.00
Sep 05, 1900	JONES, J.B.	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00

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<u>PURCHASE</u>				
Oct 19, 1900	TOKLEY, CHARLES	HIS SON	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 6.50
Oct 20, 1900	BROWN, JOHN	HIS CHILD	COFFIN	\$ 4.50
Oct 22, 1900	ALLIN, WILLIAM	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 4.00
Nov 14, 1900	KEMP, WESLEY	HIS MOTHER	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$32.50
Nov 20, 1900	HOPKINS, ROBERT	HOPKINS, SALLIE	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$23.50
Nov 21, 1900	MANSHIP, J.R. (est.)	MANSHIP, J.R.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$42.00
Dec 15, 1900	LARIMORE, JAMES	HIS SON	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$12.00
Dec 17, 1900	REASER, OLIVER	HIS MOTHER	COFFIN/BOX/LOT/SERVICES	\$16.00
Dec 24, 1900	LEADEMHAM, FRANK	MASTAN, MINNIE	COFFIN	\$ 6.00
Dec 28, 1900	LARIMORE, JAMES	HIS SON	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$15.00
Dec 30, 1900	CLARK, CHARLES WESLEY (est.)	CLARK, CHARLES WESLEY	CASKET & ARCH	\$31.00
Dec 30, 1900	PASSAWARTERS, J.J. (est.)	PASSAWARTERS, J.J.	COFFIN/BOX/ROBE	\$15.00
Jan 06, 1901	VANSCOY, BURT R. (est.)	VANSCOY, BURT R.	CASKET/ARCH BOARD/ROBE	\$36.00
Jan 08, 1901	MEEDS, ROBERT	HIS BOY	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 8.00
Jan 20, 1901	MELVIN, FRED	JESTER, MINNIE S.	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 7.00
Feb 05, 1901	SEEDERS, HENRY	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$36.00
Feb 19, 1901	WHALEY, JOHN R. (est.)	WHALEY, JOHN R.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$36.00
Mar 05, 1901	DRAPER, W.A.	HIS SON	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/SERVICES	\$22.00
Mar 13, 1901	DOWNS, GEORGE (B)	HIS WIFE	COFFIN	\$12.00
Mar 18, 1901	NICKOLS, JAMES L.	HIS DAUGHTER	COFFIN/LOT/EMBALMING	\$15.00
Mar 27, 1901	ANDREW, WM. (est.)	ANDREW, WM.	COFFIN/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$25.00
Mar 27, 1901	BREEDING, JAMES A.	HIS MOTHER	CASKET/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$35.00
Mar 30, 1901	HAMILTON, JONATHAN (est.)	HAMILTON, JONATHAN	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$32.00
Apr 08, 1901	BAKER, G(?) ANNA	HER DAUGHTER	COFFIN	\$10.00
Apr 14, 1901	NICHOLS, JAMES	HIS SON	COFFIN	\$ 6.00
Apr 19, 1901	TRICE, WILLIAM	HIS WIFE	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$20.00
Apr 21, 1901	COVEY, F.P.	COVEY, ANDREW	COFFIN & ROBE	\$21.00
May 02, 1901	BLANCHARD, M.L.	BLANCHARD, JAMES M.	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$25.00
May 11, 1901	LAYTON, JEROME B. (est.)	LAYTON, JAMES B.	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$38.00
May 14, 1901	MURPHY, FRANK	MURPHY, SALLIE	CASKET	\$30.00
May 15, 1901	COLLISON, WILLIAM (est.)	COLLISON, WILLIAM	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$42.00
June 04, 1901	KINDER, SAMUEL	HIS CHILD	COFFIN	\$ 8.00
June 13, 1901	LEWIS, ARRA	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET	\$ 8.00
July 02, 1901	GUNTON, GORGE B.	GUNTON, ELIZABETH	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$37.00
July 03, 1901	WILLIAMS, DANIEL	HIS CHILD	CASKET & EMBALMING	\$ 8.00
July 12, 1901	STAFFORD, ALICE	MESSICK, ELIZABETH	CASKET	\$26.00
July 15, 1901	PATTEN, ARLINGTON	HIS WIFE	COFFIN	\$25.00
July 22, 1901	BROWN, GEORGE E.	HIS SON	CASKET & BOX	\$ 8.00
July 31, 1901	GRIFFITH, NATHAN	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00
Aug 01, 1901	SMITH, JACOB D.	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00
Aug 12, 1901	ADAMS, STEVEN	HIS CHILD	COFFIN	\$ 6.00
Aug 19, 1901	WRIGHT, F.H.	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00
Aug 25, 1901	BEACHAMP, MATHEW	HIS CHILD	CASKET & BOX	\$ 8.00

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Sep 05, 1901	NOBLE, JAMES	HIS SISTER	CASKET/BOX/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$37.00
Sep 09, 1901	BUTLAR, NATHAN F. (est.)	BUTLAR, NATHAN F.	COFFIN/BOX/ROBE	\$25.00
Sep 21, 1901	BREEDING, ROBERT	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET	\$16.00
Sep 27, 1901	SMITH, ALFRED	SMITH, JAMES	COFFIN/BOX/ROBE	\$25.00
Oct 07, 1901	RUST, ANNLIZZA (est.)	RUST, ANNLIZZA	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$35.00
Oct 08, 1901	SPENSE, JOHN (est.)	SPENSE, JOHN	COFFIN/BOX/ROBE	\$26.00
Nov 03, 1901	MARSHALL, WILLIAM (est.)	MARSHALL, WILLIAM	CASKET/BOX/GRAVE/EMBALMING	\$28.00
Nov 06, 1901	SCOTT, MANLIF (est.)	SCOTT, MANLIF	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$40.00
Nov 23, 1901	BEACHAMP, THOMAS (est.)	BEACHAMP, THOMAS	CASKET & EMBALMING	\$35.00
Dec 15, 1901	CHAFFIENCH, G.W.	CHAFIENCH, CATHARINE	COFFIN/BOX/ROBE	\$20.00
Dec 21, 1901	WOTHERS, WILLIAM H.	WOTHERS, FRED GARY	CASKET	\$28.00
Dec 28, 1901	WATERS, ABRAHAM	HIS WIFE	COFFIN	\$22.00
Dec 29, 1901	JAMES, FRANCIS	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$35.00
Feb 26, 1902	SMITH, JOHN	HIS CHILD	CASKET	\$10.00
Mar 08, 1902	COATS, WM. J. (est.)	COATS, WM. J.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$42.00
Mar 10, 1902	BULLOCK, MARY (est.)	BULLOCK, MARY	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$37.00
Mar 28, 1902	MITCHEL, DAVID	HIS TWINS	COFFIN	\$ 2.00
Mar 30, 1902	SMITH, JOHN	MARGAN, ADDA	CASKET	\$25.00
May 07, 1902	COLLISON, W.W. (est.)	COLLISON, W.W.	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$39.00
May 07, 1902	TODD, WILL	BLADES, HARRY	CASKET	\$16.00
May 24, 1902	TILGHMAN, WILLIAM	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 4.50
May 30, 1902	DAVES, SAMUEL J. (est.)	DAVES, SAMUEL J.	COFFIN & BOX	\$20.00
June 24, 1902	WROTEN, WESLEY	HIS SON	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$28.00
July 02, 1902	BAYNARD, LEWIS	HIS WIFE	COFFIN/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$28.00
July 15, 1902	WRIGHT, WILL	HIS CHILD	CASKET & BOX	\$ 8.00
July 19, 1902	WILLIAMS, DANIEL A. (est.)	WILLIAMS, DANIEL A.	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$42.00
July 29, 1902	WILLY, JAMES R. (est.)	WILLY, JAMES R.	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$45.00
Aug 06, 1902	MOORE, WILLIAM (T. or F.)	HIS CHILD	CASKET & SERVICES	\$11.00
Aug 10, 1902	ADAMS, ROGER E.	BAKER, EARNEST E.	CASKET	\$10.00
Aug 20, 1902	BREEDING, FRED	BREEDING, CHARLES F.	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$20.00
Aug 28, 1902	ANDREW, PETER	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00
Sep 06, 1902	GUNTON, GEORGE B.	GUNTON, MATTHEW	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$38.00
Sep 16, 1902	BANNING, A.B.	FULLERTON, WILLIAM JAMES	COFFIN	\$23.00
Sep 24, 1902	VANSCOY, CORNELIA A. (est.)	VANSCOY, CORNELIA A.	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$38.00
Oct 12, 1902	TODD, FRANCIS	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$39.00
Nov 23, 1902	SEDGWICK, BENJAMIN F.	SEDGWICK, HARLAND	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$36.00
Jan 07, 1903	HIGNUTT, JOHN L.	HIS SON	COFFIN/BOX/EMBALMING	\$ 8.00
Jan 14, 1903	PETERS, W.R.	HIGNUTT, J.W.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$45.00

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Feb 24, 1903	MOORE, GEORGE B.	HIS WIFE	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$38.00
Mar 24, 1903	CAUSEY, (MRS. EL?)	CAUSEY, EL H.	COFFIN & ROBE	\$12.00
May 17, 1903	BAKER, MRS. JAMES	BAKER, SAULSBERY (Her Son)	CASKET	\$23.00
June 14, 1903	VOSS, J.H.	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET/BOX/EMBALMING	\$16.00
July 01, 1903	TRUETT, ALFRED	SPENCE, RHODA	COFFIN & BOX	\$22.00
July 02, 1903	CAHALL, R. (T. or F.)	CAHALL, ELIZA	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$33.00
July 10, 1903	STEWART, WILL	HIS WIFE	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$15.00
July 10, 1903	WILLIAMSON, JOHN	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET & BOX	\$12.00
July 11, 1903	TODD, PLENY	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET	\$20.00
Aug 02, 1903	S(?), MRS. SARAH E.	WILLOUGHBY, PRATT C.	COFFIN & EMBALMING	\$15.00
Aug 07, 1903	REED, JOHN B. (est.)	REED, JOHN B.	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$34.00
Aug 15, 1903	BREEDING, ROBERT	HIS WIFE	CASKET & ROBE	\$27.00
Aug 15, 1903	RICKETTS, GEORGE	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET	\$ 9.00
Aug 21, 1903	HOPKINS, ROBERT (est.)	HOPKINS, ROBERT	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$42.00
Aug 25, 1903	ANDREW, MATTHEW	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$36.00
Sep 15, 1903	NELSON, CLUMBAS	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$42.00
Sep 18, 1903	PIERCE, HENRY	HIS WIFE	COFFIN	\$11.40
Oct 04, 1903	CAHALL, R.T.	LEWIS, MISS CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING		\$39.00
Oct 17, 1903	NICHOLS, THOMAS	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$25.00
Oct 30, 1903	STEVENS, J.W. (est.)	STEVENS, J.W.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$45.00
Nov 11, 1903	JOHNSON, W.E.	ENNIS, W.B.	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$37.00
Nov 16, 1903	LIDEN, WILLIAS A. (est.)	LIDEN, WILLIAS A.	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$41.00
Nov 22, 1903	DEVORE, J.H.	HIS SON JOHN A.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$22.00
Dec 04, 1903	CONNELLY, JACOB (est.)	CONNELLY, JACOB	COFFIN & BOX	\$23.00
Dec 11, 1903	MESSECK, EDWARD	HIS SON WILLIAM	CASKET/BOX/EMBALMING	\$25.00
Jan 18, 1904	LEAR, JOHN (est.)	LEAR, JOHN	CASKET/BOX/ROBE	\$39.00
Jan 27, 1904	LIDEN, MARTHA	LIDEN, TINA	CASKET & ARCHBOARD	\$30.00
Jan 29, 1904	TODD, JOHN H.	HIS SON LEVIN	CASKET & ARCHBOARD	\$36.00
Feb 09, 1904	SMITH, GEORGE	BOOTH, RACHEL	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$36.00
Feb 10, 1904	CANNON, HURBERT A. (est.)	CANNON, HURBERT A.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$43.00
Feb 16, 1904	GRIFFITH, AMBROS	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$38.00
Feb 16, 1904	SLAUGHTER, JAMES	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & SERVICES	\$ 5.00
Feb 24, 1904	BAKER, J.W.	HIS CHILD	COFFIN	\$ 5.50
Mar 06, 1904	ADAMS, H.D.	ADAMS, G.W.	CASKET/ARCH/ROBE/BRICKS/EMBALMING	\$51.00
Mar 06, 1904	NICHOLS, JAMES L.	HIS SON	COFFIN & SERVICES	\$10.00
Mar 10, 1904	STAFFORD, FRED	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ARCH/SERVICES	\$36.00
Apr 07, 1904	SHEPARD, CHARLOTTA (est.)	SHEPARD, CHARLOTTA	COFFIN/BOX/EMBALMING	\$30.00
May 01, 1904	ELLIOTT, SAMUEL	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET	\$20.00
May 30, 1904	ANDERSON, GEORGE	ANDERSON, RACHAL & CHARLES	COFFIN & ROBE	\$20.00
June 04, 1904	REASER, OLAVER	HIS SISTER	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 8.00

<u>DATE of PURCHASE</u>	<u>PURCHASER</u>	<u>DECEASED</u>	<u>PURCHASE</u>	<u>COST</u>
June 20, 1904	HANCOCK, WILLIAM	HIS WIFE	CASKET/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$37.00
July 26, 1904	JEAVONS, JOHN	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$48.00
Aug 17, 1904	WARREN, GEORGE	HIS SON	CASKET/BOX/OPEN GRAVE	\$ 8.00
Sep 04, 1904	HIGNUTT, W.T.	HIS WIFE	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$48.00
Sep 07, 1904	NICHOLS, WARNER (B)	HIS SON	CASKET & EMBALMING	\$13.00
Sep 12, 1904	DORAN, CHARLES M.	HIS CHILD	COFFIN	\$ 5.00
Sep 28, 1904	ANDERSON, MRS. BENJAMIN	ANDERSON, CAREY	CASKET & EMBALMING	\$35.00
Oct 13, 1904	NOBLE, JAMES B.	NOBLE, CLARA LOUISE	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$37.00
Oct 22, 1904	MOORE, CHARLES	HIS SON	CASKET	\$ 6.50
Nov 18, 1904	KINDER, STEVEN W. (est.)	KINDER, STEVEN W.	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$50.00
Dec 05, 1904	SMITH, CHARLOTTA (est.)	SMITH, CHARLOTTA	CASKET & BOX	\$25.00
Jan 01, 1905	WOTHERS, JOHN W.	HIS SON	COFFIN	\$ 5.00
Jan 08, 1905	BULLOCK, JAMES L. (est.)	BULLOCK, JAMES L.	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$45.00
Jan 31, 1905	MURPHEY, HORASHA	HIS WIFE	CASKET & SERVICES	\$38.00
Feb 19, 1905	HUBBARD, WILLARD (B)	HUBBARD, ARAMINTA	CASKET & ROBE	\$40.00
Mar 20, 1905	PRETTYMAN, JOHN C.	BROMBLE, MAYRD	CASKET	\$25.00
Mar 21, 1905	ADAMS, E.J.	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00
Apr 16, 1905	ADAMS, ROGER (est.)	ADAMS, ROGER	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$55.00
May 06, 1905	PURNEL, HARMAN	HIS SON	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00
May 10, 1905	NOBLE, PHILIP (est.)	NOBLE, PHILIP	CASKET & EMBALMING	\$38.00
June 26, 1905	STAYTON, LEWIS (est.)	STAYTON, LEWIS	CASKET/BOX/ROBE	\$25.00
July 11, 1905	SMITH, CHARLES (Nr. GREENWOOD)	HIS SON	CASKET/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$39.00
July 17, 1905	CAVENDER, WILLIAM	HIS FATHER	CASKET/BOX/EMBALMING	\$20.00
July 27, 1905	WHITE, ELMER	HIS CHILD	CASKET & EMBALMING	\$10.00
July 29, 1905	TODD, JOHN H.	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET/ARCHBOARD/EMBALMING	\$50.00
Aug 08, 1905	WILLIAMSON, SAMUEL	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00
Aug 14, 1905	LIDEN, S.M.	HIS CHILD	CASKET/BOX/ARCH/EMBALMING	\$ 7.00
Aug 15, 1905	STAFFORD, WILLIAM	STAFFORD, NANCY	CASKET & EMBALMING	\$30.00
Aug 16, 1905	SEEDERS, BENAIAH	HIS SON	CASKET & SERVICES	\$10.00
Aug 26, 1905	GRIFFITH, GEORGE L.	HIS CHILD	CASKET & ARCH	\$10.00
Sep 22, 1905	SMITH, GORGE	HIS FATHER	CASKET/BOX/ROBE	\$25.00
Oct 08, 1905	THOMAS, ZEB	HIS GRANDSON	CASKET & ARCHBOARD	\$25.00
Oct 19, 1905	JOHNSON, JAMES & ELMORE	JOHNSON, MARY L.	COFFIN & ROBE	\$26.00
Nov 04, 1905	WARREN, GEORGE	HIS DAUGHTER	CASKET	\$26.00
Nov 08, 1905	CARTER, GEORGE	HIS DAUGHTER GEORGIA	CASKET	\$18.00
Nov 18, 1905	CARTER, GEORGE	CARTER, HENRY B. (s/o George)	CASKET	\$22.00
Nov 30, 1905	WARREN, GEORGE	HIS SON ANDREW	CASKET	\$15.00
Dec 01, 1905	HIGNUTT, JOHN H.	HIS WIFE	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/SERVICES	\$26.00
Dec 06, 1905	WARREN, GEORGE	HIS SON GEORGE	CASKET	\$25.00
Dec 15, 1905	EVANS, THOMAS	HIS SON HARRY	FUNERAL SERVICES	\$10.00
Dec 24, 1905	REED, EZEKIEL (est.)	REED, EZEKIEL	CASKET/BOX/ROBE/EMBALMING	\$35.00
Dec 27, 1905	JOHNSON, SAMUEL	HIS CHILD	COFFIN & BOX	\$ 5.00

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ADMINISTRATION ABSTRACTS, NEW CASTLE COUNTY

Compiled by Rev. Henry G. Welbon

(continued from Vol 10 No 2)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Will Bk Pg</u>	<u>Information</u>	<u>NC Co = New Castle Co</u>
1782			
10 Oct	L 205	Mary CANTER, NC Co, to Nathaniel GORDON	
12 Oct	L 295	David PORTER, Jr, NC Co, to Robert PORTER & Whitehed JONES	
13 Oct	L 295	David JENKIN, NC Co, to Enoch JENKINS & John McWHORTER	
29 Oct	L 297	Joseph BENNET Jun to Barbara BENNET, admx	
(designation "L" ceases in Mr. Welbon's notes, though it appears to be the same book)			
4 Nov	302	Justice GONCE, NC Co, to Magdalene GONCE, admx	
11 Dec	302	Elias BONINE, NC Co, to Thomas COOMBS	
10 Nov	306	James CARSON, NC Co, to Mary CARSON	
1783			
3 Jan	306	James WELSH, NC Co, to Robert ARMSTRONG	
3 Jan	306	George LANDER, NC Co, to John HAPLER	
13 Jan	306	James HANSON, NC Co, to Priscilla HANSON & John HANSON	
13 Jan	306	Isaac SEE, NC Co, to William CORNWELL	
20 Jan	309	Robert WOODCOCK, NC Co, to Abram TAYLOR	
(L p 334, will of Alexander EAKIN, p 336 3 £ toward seating the Pencader Meeting House, 3 £ toward enclosing decently the burying ground of Pidgeon Run 1781)			
23 Jan	310	James HENDRICKSON, NC Co, to Hannah M. HENDRICKSON & Patrick McBRIDE	
19 Feb	310	Sarah BOYCE , NC Co, to John GUY	
24 Feb	310	Samuel JANVIER, NC Co, to Elizabeth JANVIER, admx	
10 Mar	327	John VAIL, NC Co, to Thomas VEAL	
1 Apr	334	Thomas DRUGAN to Hugh WOOD	
9 Jan	334	Benjamin HUDSON, NC Co, to William HUDSON, on renun. of John HUDSON	
16 Feb	334	Margaret CARTRIGHT, NC Co, to Isaac CARTRIGHT	
15 Mar	338	Thomas BETLY to Alexander MONTGOMERY	
14 Mar	338	Hadman ANDERSON, NC, to Mary ANDERSON	
20 Mar	338	William RANKIN, NC Co, to Thomas & Robert RANKIN, on renun. of Eleanor RANKIN	
20 Mar	338	William MERRIT, NC Co, to Benjamin MERRIT	
3 Mar	339	George HILLIS, NC Co, to Hannah HILLIS and Alexander MONTGOMERY	

Date	Will Bk Pg	Information	NC Co = New Castle Co
1783			
1 Apr	339	Jacob STAATS, NC Co, to Sarah STAATS and Jacob STAATS	
9 Apr	339	Samuel KELLY, NC Co, to James KELLY	
9 Apr	341	Jeffery WRIGHT, NC Co, to Rachel WRIGHT and John WRIGHT	
1 May	341	Jacob WIRT, the younger, NC Co, to Mary WIRT and Jacob WIRT	
20 May	342	Sarah SHERRER, NC Co, to David HOUSTON	
20 May	342	James BOYD, NC Co, to John THOMPSON	
27 May	342	Abram WYNKOOP, NC Co, to Rachel WYNKOOP	
3 Jun	342	Michael READ, NC Co, to John NAUDAIN, on renun. of Elizabeth READ	
24 Jun	342	Samuel DAVIS, NC Co, to Elizabeth DAVIS	
14 Jun	349	Richard CURTIS, NC Co, to John CURTIS and Joseph ASPRIL	
14 Jun	340	John AIKEN, NC Co, to Fanny AIKEN and Matthew AIKEN	
5 Aug	349	Jacob SPINDLOW, NC Co, to William WILLIAMS, on renun. of Rachel SPINLOW (sic)	
6 Aug	349	Henry NILES, NC Co, to William BAXTER, on renun. of Simon PAULSON, principal creditor	
19 Aug	349	James VEALE, NC Co, to John VEALE	
30 Aug	350	James KIRKPATRICK, NC Co, to William McCLAY	
23 Aug	350	Rachel GRIFFITH, NC Co, to Andrew FISHER	
25 Aug	350	John SINNEX, NC Co, to Robert ROBINSON, on renun. of Anne SINNEX	

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BITS AND PIECES

Two of our sharp-eyed and loyal members, Caroline Sparks and Doug Wenny, both found the following marriage in *The New Hampshire Genealogical Record*, 16 (April 1999): 65, in an article, "Vital Records from *The Argus and Spectator* of Newport, NH." In the issue of 23 June 1838, it is reported that :

In Baltimore, Col B. K. PIERCE, U. S. Army, to Louisa G. (READ) daughter of the late George READ of New Castle, Del.

From his own research, Doug added: Louisa Gertrude READ, 1814-1840, daughter of George READ III, (1788-1836, grandson of George READ I, a signer of the Declaration of Independence and of the Constitution) and Louisa Ridgely Dorsey READ (1792-1835), is buried at Governor's Island, NH, and had no issue.

DELAWARE DEATHS
FROM THE *PUBLIC LEDGER*, PHILADELPHIA, 1838-
(continued from Vol 10, No 2)

<u>Date of Paper</u>	<u>Information</u>
Date of Death	
2 Jan 1875	Thomas STIRLING, at his res on the Brandywine, age 92 yrs.
1 Jan 1875	Funeral service in Green Hill Ch
4 Jan 1875	Elizabeth BONWILL, youngest child of Dr. W. G. A. and Abbie
2 Jan 1875	Elizabeth BONWILL. Will be taken to Dover, Del
6 Jan 1875	William MARSH, at Alameda, Calif, son of the late Dr. Ralph
2 Jan 1875	C. MARSH of Wilm, in his 54th yr
16 Jan 1875	James L. DAVIS, aged 50 yrs. Funeral at his res, 142 N. 13th
14 Jan 1875	St, Phila. Interment in Smyrna, Del
20 Jan 1875	Sydney BRIDGMAN, wife of T. BRIDGMAN, in her 49th yr. Funeral
19 Jan 1875	from the res of her husband, 1305 Wood St. Interment at Wilm
22 Jan 1875	Margaret ADAMS, in her 78th yr. Funeral from the res of her
20 Jan 1875	son, John H. ADAMS, No. 804 Market St., Wilm
23 Jan 1875	Wm. H. SIMPSON, formerly of Wilm, aged 45 yrs. Funeral from
21 Jan 1875	his late res, 116 Eutaw St. above Seventh and Cherry Sts. Interment in Odd Fellows Cem
29 Jan 1875	Elizabeth H. BUCKMASTER, in Smyrna, wife of Thomas BUCKMASTER
18 Jan 1875	and dau of the late Capt. Reuben TOMLIN
29 Jan 1875	Emilie W. MARSHALL, at Marshallton, Del, wife of Calvin P. MARSHALL
26 Jan 1875	and dau of Thomas MATHER of Phila. Funeral from her husband's res
6 Feb 1875	Wm. A. J. ROBINETTE, son of David & the late Catharine
1 Feb 1875	ROBINETTE in his 27th yr. Interment at Wilm
12 Feb 1875	Albert W. FORTESCUE, at New Castle, Del, son of Thomas and
10 Feb 1875	the late Louisa FORTESCUE, in his 11th yr
18 Feb 1875	John LYNCH, aged 80. Funeral from the res of his son, Rev. P.A. LYNCH,
16 Feb 1875	Bristol, Pa. Proceed to St. Joseph's Cem, Brandywine, nr Wilm
22 Feb 1875	Mary B. ERICKSON, dau of Capt. John and Sarah B. ERICKSON,
18 Feb 1875	aged 20 yrs. Funeral from the res of her parents at 830 Arch St. To proceed to Milford, Del
23 Feb 1875	Mary A. McKENNA, in Wilm, wife of Peter McKENNA, in her 25th yr.
24 Feb 1875(sic)	Res - No. 634 E. Fifth St. Mass at St. Mary Ch
24 Feb 1875	Mary A. CHAMBERS, at Christ Church Hospital, widow of the late
22 Feb 1875	Rev. Corry CHAMBERS. Funeral from Christ Church Hospital, Interment at Old Swedes, Wilm
10 Mar 1875	John SEERY, in Wilm, son of Patrick J. and Ellen SEERY, in his 5th yr.
8 Mar 1875	Funeral from the res of his grandfather, Richard McDONALD, 880 Orchard St. To proceed to Cathedral Cem.

<u>Date of Paper</u>	<u>Information</u>
11 Mar 1875 7 Mar 1875	Henry F. FINEGAN, in Wilm. Funeral from his late res, 500 Washington St, Wilm. Service at St. Peter's Ch. Interment at St. Joseph's Ch, Brandywine
19 Mar 1875 18 Mar 1875	John QUIGLEY. Interment at Wilm, from his late res. 854 Ontario St
19 Mar 1875 15 Mar 1875	Rebecca A. MASSEY, wife of the late William B. MASSEY of Wilm, in his 61st yr. Funeral from her late res, 706 Emlen St., 19th Ward. To proceed to Palmer's Vault
22 Mar 1875 21 Mar 1875	John PERKINS. Sr., in his 75th yr. Funeral from his late res, 203 Orange St., Wilm
25 Mar 1875 23 Mar 1875	Thomas BLEST, aged 75 yrs. Funeral at Wilm
13 Apr 1875 9 Apr 1875	Ezekial C. BUCKMASTER, at Port Norris, N.J., son of the late Charles BUCKMASTER, and grandson of the late Judge COOPER of Dover, Del
19 Apr 1875 16 Apr 1875	Wm. ZIMMERMAN, in Wilm, in his 74th yr. Funeral from his late res, 522 Lombard St. Services in Asbury M.E. Church
22 Apr 1875 21 Apr 1875	Sarah CORBIT, relict of the late John Lea CORBIT of Wilm in her 85th yr. Funeral from the res of her dau, Joanna DOUGHERTY, 134 N. 7th St. Interment at the Woodlands
23 Apr 1875 22 Apr 1875	Hettie M. HOPKINS, at her parents' res, 114 China St., dau of George R. and Sallie P. HOPKINS, aged 1 yr and 11 mos. To proceed to Georgetown, Del
24 Apr 1875 23 Apr 1875	Sarah R. DIXON, at Wilm, wife of Edward DIXON and eldest dau of Josiah L. and the late Eliza CATHELL, in her 28th yr.
1 May 1875 30 Apr 1875	John OAKFORD, aged 79 yrs. Funeral from the res of his son-in-law, Giles LAMBSON, nr New Castle, Del. Interment at Woodlands Cem, Phila
3 May 1875 30 Apr 1875	John J. RICKARDS, near Kirkwood, Del, late of Phila, age 68 yrs. Funeral and interment at the Union Burial Grounds, 6th St & Washington Ave.
11 May 1875 7 May 1875	Richard GREEN, at Garrett's Snuff Mills, New Castle Co., Del in his 73rd yr. To proceed to Mount Moriah Cem
12 May 1875 10 May 1875	Ellen BRITTON. Funeral from her late res, corner of Sixth and Shipley Sts, Wilm
12 May 1875 10 May 1875	Francis C. ARGO, son of Samuel F. and Lydia ARGO, aged 2 yrs 8 mos. Funeral from his parents' res, 321 McIlvain St. To proceed to Milford, Del
27 May 1875 25 May 1875	Margaret TAYLOR, wife of John F. TAYLOR. Funeral from the res of her husband, No. 402 East Third St., Wilm
31 May 1875 29 May 1875	John Howard PETERSON, at Smyrna, Del, aged 36 yrs. Funeral at the res. of his brother, T.K. PETERSON, 1612 Arch St. Interment at Laurel Hill Cem
31 May 1875 27 May 1875	William PAINE, aged 67 yrs. Funeral from his res, 417 S. 5th St To proceed to Camden, Del

<u>Date of Paper</u>	<u>Information</u>
Date of Death	
7 Jun 1875 5 Jun 1875	Ida NEALL wife of George M. NEALL and dau of Nathaniel HORSEY of Seaford, Del. Funeral from the res of her husband, 318 N. 32nd St, to proceed to Woodlands Cem
7 Jun 1875 5 Jun 1875	John W. DERRICKSON of Phila, at Lewes, Del
10 Jun 1875 5 Jun 1875	Charles C. RIVAL, in Wilm, son of George W. and Eliza RIVAL, aged 2 yrs and 7 mos. Interred in Mount Moriah Cem
11 Jun 1875 9 Jun 1875	Mary BRENNAN, at Wilm, wife of Peter N. BRENNAN, Funeral from the res of her husband. Services at St. Peter's Ch. Interment at St. Joseph's Cem, Brandywine
14 Jun 1875 12 Jun 1875	Florence BROWN, at Wilm, dau of W. H. and Annie BROWN, aged 4 yrs, 3 mos, 9 das. Funeral at Roxborough Baptist Ch.
14 Jun 1875 12 Jun 1875	B. D. Ellis BROWN, at Wilm, son of W. H. and Annie BROWN, aged 22 mos and 12 das. Funeral at Roxborough Baptist Ch.
16 Jun 1875 15 Jun 1875	Catharine McKenna RONO, wife of Peter RONO. Funeral from her late res, 719 East Sixth St., Wilm
21 Jun 1875 20 Jun 1875	Alice E. DERICKSON, wife of Job DERICKSON, in her 23rd yr. Funeral from the res of her husband, 319 Spruce St., to proceed to Frankford, Del
26 Jun 1875 24 Jun 1875	Rev. W. KENNEY, D.D., at his res in Smyrna, Del. Funeral services at Wharton Street M.E. Ch
28 Jun 1875 24 Jun 1875	John C. FITZSIMMONS, in his 30th yr. Funeral from his late res, No. 903 Fairmount Ave. Interment at Newport, Del
14 Jul 1875 12 Jul 1875	Jane ALLEN, at her home, the res of S.M. COUPER, New Castle, Del, in her 75th yr
13 Aug 1875 11 Aug 1875	Benjamin F. TAYLOR, at New Castle, Del, son of the late Leonard and Mary A. TAYLOR, aged 31 yrs. Funeral at the res of his bro-in-law, William A. COVINGTON, 1221 South Fifth St, to proceed to St. Paul's M.E. Burial Ground
1 Sep 1875 29 Aug 1875	Samuel W. McDANIEL, in Wilm, son of John H. and Caroline McDANIEL, aged 9 yrs. Funeral from his parents' res, 411 East Fourth St., Wilm
2 Sep 1875 31 Aug 1875	Henry STOKLEY, at Wilm, eldest son of Joseph and Mary STOKLEY, in his 19th yr. Funeral at Gloucester City, NJ, at the M.E. Ch, to proceed to Cedar Grove Cem
6 Sep 1875 4 Sep 1875	Lorenzo DU HAMMELL, in his 67th yr. Interment at New Castle, Del
9 Sep 1875 7 Sep 1875	Emily E. PIERCE, formerly of Wilm, widow of the late David PIERCE, aged 64 yrs. Funeral from the res of John S. HAYES, 1028 Clement St, to proceed to Mt. Moriah Cem

<u>Date of Paper</u>	<u>Information</u>
11 Sep 1875 10 Sep 1875	Alfred I. LA BAY, son of Ephraim A. and Eliza LA BAY, drowned at Lebanon, Del, in his 9th yr. Funeral at his parents' res, 1145 Passyunk Ave, to proceed to Sixth Street Union Cem
18 Sep 1875 8 Sep 1875	Mary S. JUSTICE, of Middletown, Del, late of Phila
22 Sep 1875 16 Sep 1875	James McMANUS, in Wilm, in his 65th yr
4 Oct 1875 3 Oct 1875	Jane LAFFERTY, widow of the late Jackson LAFFERTY, Sr. of Del, in her 81st yr. Funeral at the res of her dau, Cecelia CHEESEMAN, 4 Rio Grande Place, east of Moyamensing above Washington Ave., to proceed to Dover, Del for interment
15 Oct 1875 14 Oct 1875	Ziba FERRIS, at his res, Clifton, nr Wilm, in his 90th yr. Funeral from Friend's Meeting House, West St., Wilm
18 Oct 1875 16 Oct 1875	Samuel WOLLASTON, at Wilm, in his 90th yr. Funeral from his late res, 613 Washington St
26 Oct 1875 24 Oct 1875	Sarah McCOY, formerly of Wilm, relict of the late Patrick McCOY, in her 75th yr. Funeral from the res of her son-in-law, Wm H. STANTON, 226 Prime St., to proceed to Old Swedes' Ground
28 Oct 1875 27 Oct 1875	Laura H. OLDHAM, dau of James R.C. & Eliza D. OLDHAM Interment at Stanton, Del
2 Nov 1875 30 Oct 1875	John MILLER, at Wilm, formerly of Media, Pa, aged 54
8 Nov 1875 5 Nov 1875	Michael J. MELLON, at Wilm, son of Henry and Ann MELLON. Funeral from the res of his parents, 600 West St., Wilm High Mass at St. Peter's Ch
18 Nov 1875 16 Nov 1875	Elizabeth B. FLINN, widow of John FLINN of Wilm. Funeral from the res of her son-in-law, Wm. S. HAGANY, 1210 Race St, to proceed to Wilm
22 Nov 1875 18 Nov 1875	Sarah COX, at Christiana, Del. Funeral services at the Chapel of Christ's Ch Hospital. Interment at Mt. Moriah Cem
7 Dec 1875 6 Dec 1875	Annie E. GAUSE, in her 51st yr. Funeral from the res of her mother, Rebecca GAUSE, corner of 10th & Jefferson Sts, Wilm, to proceed to Longwood Cem
14 Dec 1875 12 Dec 1875	John ATHERLY, at Odessa, Del, aged 72 yrs, 5 mos, 25 das. Funeral from his res (address not given)
28 Dec 1875 25 Dec 1875	Capt. Robert H. BARR, at New Castle, Del, in his 88th yr. Funeral from his res in New Castle

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