

# Register Report for John Wheeler

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## Generation 1

1. **John Wheeler-1.** He was born 1348 in England.

**Patty Sue Milk.**

John Wheeler and Patty Sue Milk. They had 1 child.

2. i. **John Thomas Wheeler.** He was born 1375 in England.
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## Generation 2

2. **John Thomas Wheeler-2** (John Wheeler-1). He was born 1375 in England.

**Elizabeth Philips.**

John Thomas Wheeler and Elizabeth Philips. They had 1 child.

3. i. **Richard Wheeler.** He was born 1399 in England.
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## Generation 3

3. **Richard Wheeler-3** (John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1399 in England.

**Mary Elizabeth (--?--).**

Richard Wheeler and Mary Elizabeth (--?--). They had 1 child.

4. i. **Henry Wheeler Sr..** He was born 1414 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1470.
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## Generation 4

4. **Henry Wheeler Sr.-4** (Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1414 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1470.

**Joan Robyn.** She was born 1416.

Henry Wheeler Sr. and Joan Robyn. They had 1 child.

5. i. **Henry Wheeler Jr..** He was born 1433 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
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## Generation 5

5. **Henry Wheeler Jr.-5** (Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1433 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

**Elizabeth (--?--).** She was born 1434 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

Henry Wheeler Jr. and Elizabeth (--?--). They had 1 child.

6. i. **Thomas Wheeler.** He was born 1465 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Joan (--?--). They were married 1490. He died 1546 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England.
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### Generation 6

6. **Thomas Wheeler-6** (Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1465 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1546 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England.

Notes for Thomas Wheeler:

General Notes:

9422 - Thomas Wheeler - *The Wheeler Genealogy - The Ancestral Wheeler Family of Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England whose Descendents Settled in Colonial New England*" by Raymond D. Wheeler (Dodgeville, New York: Kinsystems, 1994)

**Joan (--?--).**

Thomas Wheeler and Joan (--?--). They were married 1490. They had 7 children.

- i. **Thomas Wheeler Jr..** He was born 1491 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England. He died 1555.
- ii. **Edward Wheeler.** He was born 1493 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England.
7. iii. **William Wheeler.** He was born 1495 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England. He married Joan (--?--). They were married 1525. He died 1557 in Wootton, Bedfordshire, England.
- iv. **Alice Wheeler.** She was born 1500 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England.
8. v. **Henry Wheeler.** He was born 1503 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Unknown (--?--). Their marriage 1525 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England (1st Wife).
9. vi. **John Wheeler.** He was born 1505 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England. He married Isabel (--?--). They were married 1535 in Buckinghamshire, England. He died May 1546 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England.
- vii. **Richard Wheeler.** He was born 1507 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England. He died on 06 Sep 1557 in Biddenham, Bedfordshire, England.

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### Generation 7

7. **William Wheeler-7** (Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1495 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England. He died 1557 in Wootton, Bedfordshire, England.

**Joan (--?--).** She was born 1495 in Bedfordshire, England. She died on 22 Apr 1565 in Wootton, Bedfordshire, England.

William Wheeler and Joan (--?--). They were married 1525. They had 1 child.

10. i. **Thomas Wheeler.** He was born 1536 in Wootton, Bedfordshire, England. He married Anne (--?--). They were married 1560. He died 1592 in Stagsden, Bedfordshire, England.

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8. **Henry Wheeler-7** (Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1503 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

Notes for Henry Wheeler:

General Notes:

Henry Wheeler left a will on May 27, 1556 at Cranfield. His will was proved/probated on March, 17, 1557

\* Information found in "*The Wheeler Genealogy - The Ancestral Wheeler Family of Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England Whose Descendents Settled in Colonial New England*" (2833 - Henry Wheeler), by Raymond D. Wheeler (Dodgeville, New York: Kinsystems, 1994)

#### Unknown (--?--).

Henry Wheeler and Unknown (--?--). Their marriage 1525 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England (1st Wife). They had 6 children.

11. i. **Thomas Wheeler**. He was born 1526 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1574 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
- ii. **William Wheeler**. He was born 1528 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1570 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Alice Dudley.
- iii. **Anne Wheeler**. She was born 1530 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She married Edward Baker. They were married 1549. She died 1566 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
12. iv. **John Wheeler**. He was born 1533 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Alice Sayre. They were married 1558 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died on 16 Apr 1567 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
- v. **Joan Wheeler**. She was born 1537 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She married William Baker. They were married 1566 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 27 Sep 1617 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
- vi. **Agnes Wheeler**. She was born 1539 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She married William Johnson. They were married 1563 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 22 Nov 1620 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

**Isabel Allen** is the daughter of Thomas Allen. She was born 1524 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 21 Feb 1571 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

Henry Wheeler and Isabel Allen. They were married 1540. They had no children.

9. **John Wheeler-7** (Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1505 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England. He died May 1546 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England.

#### Isabel (--?--).

John Wheeler and Isabel (--?--). They were married 1535 in Buckinghamshire, England. They had 1 child.

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13. i. **Robert Wheeler.** He was born 1535 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England. He died on 15 Oct 1591 in Maudlin, Bedfordshire, England.
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## Generation 8

10. **Thomas Wheeler-8** (William Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1536 in Wootton, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1592 in Stagsden, Bedfordshire, England.

**Anne (--?--).**

Thomas Wheeler and Anne (--?--). They were married 1560. They had 1 child.

- i. **William Wheeler.** He was born 1567 in Stagsden, Bedfordshire, England.

11. **Thomas Wheeler-8** (Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1526 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1574 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

**Unknown (--?--).**

Thomas Wheeler and Unknown (--?--). They had 2 children.

- i. **John Wheeler.** He was born 1570 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died on 25 Dec 1632 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

14. ii. **Thomas Wheeler Jr..** He was born 1574 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Dorothy Holloway. They were married on 13 Apr 1600 in Chalgrave, Bedfordshire, England.

12. **John Wheeler-8** (Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1533 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died on 16 Apr 1567 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

Notes for John Wheeler:

General Notes:

2829 - John Wheeler - *"The Wheeler Genealogy - The Ancestral Wheeler Family of Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England whose Descendents Settled in Colonial New England"* by Raymond D. Wheeler (Dodgeville, New York: Kinsystems, 1994)

**Alice Sayre** is the daughter of William Sayre and Rebecca Squire. She was born 1541 in Odell, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 15 Apr 1567 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

John Wheeler and Alice Sayre. They were married 1558 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. They had 2 children.

15. i. **Thomas Wheeler "The Elder"** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born 1561 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Unknown (--?--). They were married 1601. He died on 11 Feb 1635 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
- ii. **John Wheeler Jr..** He was born 1563 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Elizabeth (--?--). They were married 1596.
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### Generation 8

13. **Robert Wheeler-8** (John Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1535 in Wing, Buckinghamshire, England. He died on 15 Oct 1591 in Maudlin, Bedfordshire, England.

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### Generation 9

14. **Thomas Wheeler Jr.-9** (Thomas Wheeler-8, Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1574 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

Notes for Thomas Wheeler Jr.:

General Notes:

Thomas Wheeler married Dorothy Holloway on April 13, 1600 at Shalgrave, Bedfordshire, England.

\* Information found in; "*The Wheeler Genealogy - The Ancestral Wheeler Family of Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England Whose Descendents Settled in Colonial New England*"

#### **Dorothy Holloway.**

Thomas Wheeler Jr. and Dorothy Holloway. They were married on 13 Apr 1600 in Chalgrave, Bedfordshire, England. They had no children.

#### **Dorothy Holloway.**

Thomas Wheeler Jr. and Dorothy Holloway. They had 1 child.

17. i. **George Wheeler** <sup>[2]</sup>. He was born on 25 Mar 1605 in Wharley, Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England <sup>[2]</sup>. He died on 02 Jun 1687 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA <sup>[2]</sup>.
15. **Thomas Wheeler "The Elder"**-9 (John Wheeler-8, Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1) <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born 1561 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died on 11 Feb 1635 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

Notes for Thomas Wheeler "The Elder":

General Notes:

Thomas Wheeler of Cranfield, England, was born in 1561 and died in February 1635. He was the son of John Wheeler. His first wife's name is not known, but records indicate he had four children with her.

Thomas married a second wife, Rebecca Sayre on February 11, 1601. They had eight children.

Thomas Wheeler (a.k.a. "Thomas the Elder") "of the Blakehowse" called himself a yoeman and owned property in both the Towne and of Bourne End of Cranfield.

Thomas left a will on December 29, 1627, at Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. In this will Thomas provided well for his wife Rebecca, using the customary stipulation "for and during the term of her life if she keep herself a widow," to insure property would go to the children after her death. He also named eleven children, including "Thomas ,my eldest son" and "Thomas, my youngest son" (a common practice of the time, so if one son died young, the other was left to carry on the father's family name). A full transcript of the will can be found on page 505 in "Fifty Great Immigration Colonists to New England & Their Origins."

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\* Information found in; "*The Wheeler Genealogy - The Ancestral Wheeler Family of Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England Whose Descendents Settled in Colonial New England*" (2828 - Thomas Wheeler), "*Fifty Great Immigration Colonists to New England & Their Origins*" - John B. Threlfall and "*The Wheeler Family of Cranfield, England and Concord, Massachusetts*" - M. Wheeler Molyneaux

**Unknown (--?--)**. She died 1600 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

Thomas Wheeler "The Elder" and Unknown (--?--). They were married 1601. They had 5 children.

18. i. **Thomas Wheeler Sr.**<sup>[1]</sup>. He was born 1588 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1654 in Fairfield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.
- ii. **John Wheeler**. He was born 1590 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Joan Smith. They were married on 17 Jul 1615 in Bovington, Bedfordshire, England.
- iii. **Priscilla Wheeler**. She was born 1593 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She married Stephen Cocks. They were married on 17 Jun 1612 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 25 Nov 1627 in Stagsden, Bedfordshire, England.
- iv. **Ann Wheeler**. She was born 1595 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She married Robert Halsey. They were married on 05 May 1613 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
- v. **Deborah Wheeler**. She was born 1598 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 30 Mar 1600 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

**Rebecca Sayre** is the daughter of William Sayre and Elizabeth Squire.

Thomas Wheeler "The Elder" and Rebecca Sayre. Their marriage on 11 Feb 1601 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England (2nd Wife). They had 8 children.

- i. **Elizabeth Wheeler**. She was born on 18 Jul 1602 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She married Allen Breed. They were married on 14 Nov 1622 in Pulloxhill, Bedfordshire, England. She died 1655 in Lynn, Masseurachusetts, USA.
- ii. **Timothy Wheeler**. He was born on 28 Dec 1604 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Sarah Knight. Their marriage on 30 Apr 1632 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England (1st Wife).
- iii. **Susannah Wheeler**. She was born on 16 Feb 1607 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She married Obadiah Wheeler. They were married on 20 Jan 1633 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
- iv. **Joseph Wheeler**. He was born on 18 Feb 1610 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Elizabeth (--?--). Their marriage 1640 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England (1st Wife).
- v. **Abiah Wheeler**. She was born on 17 Jan 1613 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 18 Apr 1637 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

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- vi. **Mary Wheeler.** She was born on 20 Oct 1615 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. Baptism on 20 Oct 1615 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She married John Billington. They were married on 16 Oct 1634 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 19 Apr 1636 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
  - vii. **Ephraim Wheeler.** He was born on 16 Mar 1619 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He married Ann (--?--). They were married 1642 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  - viii. **Thomas Wheeler II (Jr.).** His birth on 08 Dec 1621 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England (2nd Son Named Thomas). He married Ruth Wood. They were married 1644 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
16. **William Wheeler-9** (Robert Wheeler-8, John Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1). He was born 1560 in Maudlin, Bedfordshire, England.

#### **Agnes Breed.**

William Wheeler and Agnes Breed. They were married on 16 May 1588 in Maudlin, Bedfordshire, England. They had no children.

#### **Ann Eaton.**

William Wheeler and Ann Eaton. They were married on 23 Apr 1604 in Maudlin, Bedfordshire, England. They had 1 child.

- i. **Thomas Wheeler.** He was born on 02 Feb 1612 in Maudlin, Bedfordshire, England. Emigration on 06 Apr 1635 in HMS James -> Charlestown, MA. He died on 16 May 1654 in Boston, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

Notes for Thomas Wheeler:

General Notes:

Thomas was a servant to Augustine Clement.

Thomas is the "right" age to have been a known taylor in Boston.

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### Generation 10

17. **George Wheeler-10** (Thomas Wheeler Jr.-9, Thomas Wheeler-8, Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1) [2]. He was born on 25 Mar 1605 in Wharley, Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England [2]. He died on 02 Jun 1687 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA [2].

Notes for George Wheeler:

General Notes:

George Wheeler married a Catherine Pin on June 30, 1630 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.

George was an early settler of Concord: The first record of his name is in 1640. He appears to have been a person of some influence, and his name appears often on town records. He was selectman in 1660.

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## Generation 10

George's house lot of 11 acres was at the (present) corner of Main and Walden Streets in Concord, and in conjunction with Capt. Timothy Wheeler, who I think was very probably his nephew, he owned a large amount of land in the center of the town. He had also land near the "frog-ponds" and at Walden Pond, and at Nut Meadow Brook.

His exact date of death is not recorded but his will was dated January 28, 1684/5 and presented for probate June 2, 1687. (Suffolk Prob. Reg. Vol. X fol. 1). His sons Thomas and John were named executors, but the former had died between the above dates and John was named sole executor. The will names "the children of my son William deceased, sons Thomas and John, daughters Elizabeth Fletcher, Sarah Dudley, Ruth Hartwell and Hannah Fletcher."

\* Information found in; "*The Wheeler Genealogy - The Ancestral Wheeler Family of Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England Whose Descendents Settled in Colonial New England*", and "*The Wheeler Families of Old Concord, Massachusetts*"

**Catherine Pin** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born 1609 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, , England. She died on 02 Jan 1685 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

George Wheeler and Catherine Pin. They had 7 children.

- i. **Sarah Hartwell** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born 1593 in Chelmsford, Essex, , England. She died on 12 May 1677 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  - ii. **William Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 30 Jan 1630 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died on 31 Dec 1683 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  - iii. **Elizabeth Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 03 Jan 1636 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 14 Jun 1704 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  - iv. **Sarah Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 30 Mar 1640 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 12 Dec 1713 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  - v. **Ruth Wheeler** <sup>[1, 2]</sup>. She was born on 23 May 1642 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA <sup>[2]</sup>. She died on 19 Dec 1703 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA <sup>[2]</sup>.
  - vi. **Mary Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 06 Sep 1645 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 24 Dec 1678 in Littleton, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  19. vii. **John Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 19 Mar 1643 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He married Sarah Larkin. They were married 1663. He died on 27 Sep 1713 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
18. **Thomas Wheeler Sr.**-10 (Thomas Wheeler "The Elder"-9, John Wheeler-8, Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1) <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born 1588 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1654 in Fairfield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.

Notes for Thomas Wheeler Sr.:

General Notes:

Thomas Wheeler (a.k.a. "Thomas Sr.") was noted as living at Wharley End of Cranfield, in his father's ("Thomas the Elder") will, and was known as "Thomas of Wharley" while still living in

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England.

Thomas Wheeler Sr. married Ann Halsey on May 5, 1613 in a double wedding with Robert Halsey and Ann Wheeler (presumably a brother-sister wedding). The Parish Church of St. Peter and St. Paul, Cranfield, Bedfordshire, lists Thomas Wheeler's seven children's baptismal dates.

Thomas brought his family to the colonies in 1636, along with his brothers (Timothy, Joseph, Ephraim and Thomas Jr.) and sisters (Elizabeth and Susanna). They came with the group of founders of Concord, Massachusetts, as noted on the Roll of Arrears of payment of ship money, and 1637, Bedford County tax listing notes: "Thomas Wheeler gone into New England".

The "Puritan Exodus" had a profound affect on Cranfield and the surrounding villages, an area of Puritan dissatisfaction, as numerous families joined the Reverend Peter Bulkeley, former rector of Odell, in and around Concord, Massachusetts, including the families Halsey, Odell, Lawton, Sayre, Turney, GRummet, Lettin, and others. The Wheelers were respected in the community and chosen for positions of leadership in town affairs.

Thomas was made a freeman of the colony on April 17, 1637.

Thomas and his brothers Ephraim and Thomas moved as part of the congregation of Reverend John Jones to Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1644.

It is said that Thomas was the first settler at Black Rock, CT, and that he built a stone house, or fort having a plank roof on which he mounted two four-pound cannons, one pointing toward the mouth of the harbor, and the other toward an Indian fort situated at the head of the harbor, now known by the name of Old Fort, which was defended by some 200 Indians, which was their refuge in the numerous wars with rival tribes from further inland. His home lot a Penquonnock of 2½ acres, recorded in January 1649, was bounded on the northeast with the home-lot of Thomas Wheeler, Jr. (his eldest son).

"He built his house of stone with a strong plank roof, and upon this roof he place two small cannon. One pointed out down the harbor against a possible Dutch invasion by sea; the other was directed at the Indian fort that stood north on the hill. The Indians were friendly and the Dutch invisible, but Thomas was cautious man."

Thomas made his will on January 16, 1654 and the inventory was made on August 23, 1654. He provided generously for his wife Ann, and to his "eldest son Thomas" who lived in Concord, MA, he gave his home-lot and all land, divided or undivided, in Concord. To his daughter Sarah, wife of Thomas Sherwood, he gave 10 shillings, and to her son Thomas a colt. To his four grandchildren (Mary, James, Thomas and John Bennet, children of his daughter Hannah, then dead) and to James Bennet who had married his daughter in 1639, he gave 10 shillings each. To his son John, his sole executor, he left all his estate in Fairfield, reserving to his wife Ann the right to his house and lands left for her use at Greenlea. He made Thomas Wheeler, his youngest brother an overseer of this will.

His widow, Ann, died in Fairfield in 1659, her will dated August 21 and inventory dated October 20.

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**Ann Halsey** is the daughter of Thomas Halsey and Phebe Halsey [1]. She was born on 30 May 1591 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 20 Oct 1659 in Fairfield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.

Thomas Wheeler Sr. and Ann Halsey. They had 7 children.

- i. **Ann Wheeler**. She was born 1613 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, , England. She died 1615 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, , England.
- ii. **Mary Wheeler** [1]. She was born on 20 Oct 1615 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died 1654 in , , Connecticut, USA.
- iii. **Hannah Wheeler** [1]. She was born on 10 Feb 1617 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died 1659 in Fairfield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.
20. iv. **Thomas Wheeler Sgt** [1]. He was born on 08 Dec 1621 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, , England. He married Sarah Merriam. They were married 1648. He died on 24 Dec 1704 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- v. **Elizabeth Wheeler**. She was born on 16 Nov 1622 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England.
- vi. **John Wheeler** [1]. He was born on 27 Feb 1624 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. He died 1690 in Fairfield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.
- vii. **Sarah Wheeler** [1]. She was born on 10 Aug 1628 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England. She died on 21 Aug 1669 in Fairfield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.

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### Generation 11

19. **John Wheeler-11** (George Wheeler-10, Thomas Wheeler Jr.-9, Thomas Wheeler-8, Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1) [1]. He was born on 19 Mar 1643 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 27 Sep 1713 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

Notes for John Wheeler:

General Notes:

John Wheeler was called in the town records "John Wheeler Senior".

The birth of John and Sarah's nine children (with the exception of Sarah) are all on record in Concord, MA.

On 21 Oct. 1719 an agreement for the settlement of his estate is made by his widow Sarah, and his children Samuel, Edward and Ebenezer, on their own accounts, and William Woodbury (Joanna), John Meriam (Sarah), Timothy Wheeler (Lydia), Samuel Prescott (Esther) and Jonas Prescott (Thankful) on behalf of their wives.

\* Information found in; "*The Wheeler Genealogy - The Ancestral Wheeler Family of Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England Whose Descendents Settled in Colonial New England*", and "*The Wheeler Families of Old Concord, Massachusetts*"

**Sarah Larkin** [1]. She was born on 12 Jan 1647 in Charlestown, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 12 Aug 1725 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

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John Wheeler and Sarah Larkin. They were married 1663. They had 5 children.

- i. **Sarah Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 12 Dec 1666 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 02 Aug 1692 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  - ii. **Joanna Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 21 Dec 1671 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 07 Apr 1748 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  - iii. **Esther Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 01 Dec 1678 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 01 May 1756 in Acton, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  - iv. **Ebenezer Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 03 Jun 1682 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 26 Feb 1748 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
  21. v. **Lydia Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 27 Oct 1675 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She married Timothy Wheeler Sr.. They were married on 19 May 1692. She died 1720 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
20. **Thomas Wheeler Sgt-11** (Thomas Wheeler Sr.-10, Thomas Wheeler "The Elder"-9, John Wheeler-8, Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1) <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 08 Dec 1621 in Cranfield, Bedfordshire, , England. He died on 24 Dec 1704 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

Notes for Thomas Wheeler Sgt:

General Notes:

Thomas Wheeler III came to Concord from England as a boy with his father and several uncles. When his family moved to Fairfield, CT, young Thomas was left in charge of the family farm which was later willed to him by his father.

Thomas (a.k.a. "Sergeant Thomas") was listed as a freeman on May 18, 1642, and was appointed Sergeant in that same year, and he fought with his uncle Thomas in the battle of Brookfield, and from that time until his death, his name generally showing the Sgt. prefix.

The "House of Sergeant Thomas Wheeler" on Virginia Road in Concord, built by Thomas, later owned by his son Deacon John Wheeler, and sold by John to Jonas Minot, is the birth place of Henry David Thoreau. Minot was the step-grandfather of Thoreau. Thomas Wheeler was the original owner of the property that included Walden Pond.

Through the Concord town records we see that Thomas was busy with civic affairs; laying out causeways, roads and paths to his Elm Brook mill. By 1690 he was a prosperous landowner with thirteen children and able to provide all his sons with property. Four of Thomas' sons also built homes along Virginia Road.

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**Sara Stearns.** She died on 24 Jan 1724.

Thomas Wheeler Sgt and Sara Stearns. They were married on 23 Jul 1677. They had no children.

**Sarah Merriam** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born 1626 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 01 Feb 1676 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

Thomas Wheeler Sgt and Sarah Merriam. They were married 1648. They had 10 children.

- i. **Sara Wheeler.** She was born on 10 Jul 1649 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- ii. **Joseph Wheeler.** He was born on 18 Aug 1651 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 16 Mar 1676.
- iii. **Ann Wheeler.** She was born on 22 Dec 1653 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 20 Mar 1676.
- iv. **John Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 18 Feb 1655 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 01 Dec 1736 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- v. **Mary Wheeler.** She was born on 20 Dec 1658 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 26 May 1668 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- vi. **Thomas Wheeler IV.** He was born on 29 Mar 1662 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 12 Jun 1695.
- vii. **Elizabeth Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 23 Feb 1664 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 26 Oct 1744 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
22. viii. **Timothy Wheeler Sr.** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 24 Jul 1667 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He married Lydia Wheeler. They were married on 19 May 1692. He died on 14 Apr 1718 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- ix. **Rebecca Wheeler.** She was born on 03 Apr 1670 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 06 Nov 1710.
- x. **Ruth Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 10 May 1673 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 09 Feb 1740 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

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### Generation 12

21. **Lydia Wheeler-12** (John Wheeler-11, George Wheeler-10, Thomas Wheeler Jr.-9, Thomas Wheeler-8, Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1) <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 27 Oct 1675 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died 1720 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

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22. **Timothy Wheeler Sr.** is the son of Thomas Wheeler Sgt and Sarah Merriam <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 24 Jul 1667 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 14 Apr 1718 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

Notes for Timothy Wheeler Sr.:

General Notes:

Timothy Wheeler was born on July 24, 1667 in Concord, MA.

Timothy built the house at 477 Virginia Road in Concord, MA.

Timothy married Lydia Wheeler, his fourth cousin, on May 19, 1692.

Timothy died April 14, 1718, and buried in the Hill Burying Ground along with his son Jonas.

After Timothy's death Lydia remarried to Nathaniel Stow on April 12, 1720.

\* Information found in; "*The Wheeler Genealogy - The Ancestral Wheeler Family of Cranfield, Bedfordshire, England Whose Descendents Settled in Colonial New England*", and "*The Wheeler Families of Old Concord, Massachusetts*"

Timothy Wheeler Sr. and Lydia Wheeler. They were married on 19 May 1692. They had 8 children.

- i. **Lydia Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 05 May 1694 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 25 Jun 1750 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- ii. **Timothy Wheeler Jr.** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 05 Mar 1697 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He married Abigail Munroe. They were married on 25 Jun 1719. Military Service Bet. 1776–1777 (Revolutionary War - Captain). He died on 07 May 1782 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

Notes for Timothy Wheeler Jr.:

General Notes:

Timothy Wheeler was a veteran of the Revolutionary war, and called "Captain" at the time of his death.

- iii. **Jonas Wheeler**. He was born on 19 Jun 1699 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 30 Aug 1716.
- iv. **Sarah Wheeler**. She was born on 03 Nov 1701 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- v. **Mary Wheeler**. She was born on 12 Aug 1704 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- vi. **Elizabeth Wheeler**. She was born on 20 Apr 1707 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- vii. **Benjamin Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 13 Aug 1709 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 21 Sep 1777 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

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### Generation 12 (cont)

- viii. **Anna Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 26 Sep 1713 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 15 Mar 1804 in Bedford, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

#### Timothy Snow.

Timothy Snow and Lydia Wheeler. They were married on 21 Apr 1720. They had no children.

22. **Timothy Wheeler Sr.**-12 (Thomas Wheeler Sgt-11, Thomas Wheeler Sr.-10, Thomas Wheeler "The Elder"-9, John Wheeler-8, Henry Wheeler-7, Thomas Wheeler-6, Henry Wheeler Jr.-5, Henry Wheeler Sr.-4, Richard Wheeler-3, John Thomas Wheeler-2, John Wheeler-1) <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 24 Jul 1667 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 14 Apr 1718 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

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21. **Lydia Wheeler** is the daughter of John Wheeler and Sarah Larkin <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 27 Oct 1675 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died 1720 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

Timothy Wheeler Sr. and Lydia Wheeler. They were married on 19 May 1692. They had 8 children.

- i. **Lydia Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 05 May 1694 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 25 Jun 1750 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
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Notes for Timothy Wheeler Jr.:

General Notes:

Timothy Wheeler was a veteran of the Revolutionary war, and called "Captain" at the time of his death.

- iii. **Jonas Wheeler**. He was born on 19 Jun 1699 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 30 Aug 1716.

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- iv. **Sarah Wheeler.** She was born on 03 Nov 1701 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- v. **Mary Wheeler.** She was born on 12 Aug 1704 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- vi. **Elizabeth Wheeler.** She was born on 20 Apr 1707 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- vii. **Benjamin Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. He was born on 13 Aug 1709 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. He died on 21 Sep 1777 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.
- viii. **Anna Wheeler** <sup>[1]</sup>. She was born on 26 Sep 1713 in Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA. She died on 15 Mar 1804 in Bedford, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA.

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