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The Edmund Rice Association publishes the newsletter four times a year: 1) Winter 2) Spring 3) Summer 4) Fall. The summer newsletter is devoted to the annual September Reunion and includes a description of the program and registration information. The other three newsletters include information of more general interest to our members. We invite all cousins to submit their genealogical information, newsletter corrections, items of interest, family articles and pictures, obituaries and queries. Send them to the newsletter editor: Susan Berger at editor@edmund-rice.org

President's Column

Greetings, cousins!

Have you ever noticed that the articles in this newsletter tend to be written by the same few authors time after time? It isn't because those authors have a lock on the editor's in-box. Instead, it's because the many other potential contributors don't get around to contributing. At this time of year, when winter storms often make travel difficult in New England, among other places, it's a good opportunity to do indoor things like writing up your genealogical success stories or reporting on the life and times of one of your favorite ancestors, or even just catching up on correspondence. If you have a spot of perplexity in your lineage from Edmund Rice, send us a query. If there is a wedding or a birth in your family, drop us a line. (I note that we routinely report deaths in the newsletter, but I don't recall seeing a single birth announcement in all of 2016!) If you have an amazing icicle hanging from the eaves of your house, send us a snapshot. Conversely, if you are experiencing warm weather, send us a note describing the exciting things you did outdoors.

Needless to say, your definition of "warm" depends a lot on where you live. We had a warm day today here in central Massachusetts, since the temperature was above freezing just about all day. I responded by going out and shoveling the snow along the driveway to make a wider path for cars to go in and out, as well as chopping away at the sheet of ice around the garage. Now that the sun has set, I'm catching up on ERA business by writing this column. I'm also getting ready to send a batch of ERA database updates to George King, and that means I have the task of checking over all my work for typographical errors.

I must confess that, even with all the checking I do, just about every batch I send has errors of one kind or another, and so I am continually looking for better ways to detect mistakes. Did you know that the 1940 census typically numbers the pages sequentially through an entire county (often across many volumes)? As a result, one way to proofread the bibliographic data for 1940 census citations is to sort (by computer, of course) on the county and page number and then compare the resulting list with the same data sorted on volume and page number -- if the lists differ, there has been a mistake in data entry somewhere. Of course, there could be errors that escape detecting by this method, but every bit of checking helps.

John Chandler

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The Edmund Rice (1638) Association, Inc. is governed by a Board of Directors, of at least five members, elected at the annual reunion and meeting, usually held on a weekend in September.

Descendants of Edmund Rice were holding reunions as early as 1851, but it was not until 1912 that the Association was formed and officers elected. Incorporation under Massachusetts law took place in 1934.

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Your help with this is greatly appreciated.

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EDITOR'S COLUMN

I have no items of interest, family articles and pictures, obituaries or queries to put in future newsletters.

I'm asking cousins to please submit any items of interest, family articles and pictures, obituaries and queries to me for future use in the newsletters.

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The Edmund Rice (1638) Association 183 Prospect Hill Rd Harvard, MA 01451 was established in 1851 and incorporated in 1934 to encourage antiquarian, genealogical, and historical research concerning the ancestors and descendants of Edmund Rice who settled in Sudbury, Massachusetts in 1638, and to promote fellowship among its members and friends.

The Association is an educational, non-profit organization recognized under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Memorial Gifts

Consider donating to the Edmund Rice Association in memory of a loved one

IN MEMORY Please join me saying a final goodbye to the members we lost.

Evelyn Jensen passed away on April 17, 2008 in Ogden, IA

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IN CELEBRATION

**“HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU” – “HAPPY BIRTHDAY DEAR COUSINS”
WE HOPE YOU HAVE MANY MORE**

October

Rebecca Craven of Paoli, PA; **Rolland Rice Jr** of Concord, CA; **Jesse H Rice** of Gilmer, TX; **Ruth Ryser** of Sarasota, FL; **Bertyne R Smith** of Barre, ME; **John B Davidson** of Lunenburg County, NS, CANADA; **Leta Olsen** of Pampa, TX; **Maribeth Rice DelGiudice** of East Greenwich, RI; **Robin Pewtress** of Boise, ID; **Vicki Kaufmann** of Wilton, IA; **Rev. Stephen Petrie** of Montreal, QC, CANADA; **Dorel Kump** of Idaho Falls, ID; **Bonnie Wiley** of Cambridge, IL; **James Tyler** of Dewey Beach, DE; **Joella Grosser Schultz** of Tucson, AZ; **William S King** of Boston, MA; **Keith Allen** of Tulsa, OK; **Louise Rice** of Vallejo, CA; **Norman Cooper** of Canyon Lake, TX; **Bruce Coutu** of Miami, FL; **Gregory Rice Sr.** of Eugene, OR; **Dorothy Marsh** of Southbridge, MA; **Pat Hansen** of Castro Valley, CA; **Betty Fairchild** of Atlantic Bch, FL; **Sheree Brown** of Hamden, CT; **Bernadine Rice Cascarano** of Lake Forest, IL; **Geneva Garrett** of Santa Anna, TX; **Dennis H. Rice** of East Douglas, MA; **Mary Sullivan** of St. Catherines, ON, CANADA; **Barbara Bodeen** of Yamill, OR; **William Rice** of Parkville, MO; **Rita O’Connell** of Duxbury, MA; **Jeffrey M Rice** of Wayland, MA; **Lucille Casby** of Springdale, AR; **Carol Kosicki** of Holliston, MA; **Dan S Rice** of Ames, IA; **Michele Rice** of Lincoln, NE; **Eleanor Lockington** of Norfolk, VA; **Katherine Truesdell** of Twenty-Nine Palms, CA; **Nancy Janisz** of Oviedo, FL; **Pamela Ware** of Corfu, NY; **Elsbeth Belair** of Sault Ste Marie, ON, CANADA

November

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December

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ERA Database

Our computer database has been and will continue to be essential for DNA studies for Edmund Rice descendants and the descendants of other early Sudbury families. We need your continuing support. If you have not submitted your family line to us, why wait any longer? Have Questions? Contact our Historian at: [gking5 @ cox.net](mailto:gking5@cox.net)

Nine-Generation Rice Database Available on CD

Your Board of Directors (BoD) agreed that we would offer the nine-generation report and database to our members (only). The BoD approved a charge of \$10 plus \$5 shipping and handling postpaid for a CD-ROM containing both documents. Please order from the Treasurer by sending a request for the CD-ROM, your name and mailing address and a check or money order for \$15 to:

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- 1) The information is copyrighted by the Edmund Rice (1638) Association and is restricted to the personal use of association members.
- 2) The CDs will be available only to Association members who agree to its terms of use.
- 3) The Association master database is an ongoing effort through September 2016. If you find any documentable errors, please let us know!

Rice Books Available

The Rice Family, by Andrew Henshaw Ward [\$5] 110 pages

Hard-cover reprint. New, unused. A genealogical history of descendants of Deacon Edmund Rice who came from Berkhamstead, England, and settled in Sudbury, Massachusetts, in 1638. 379 pages. Includes a soft-cover supplement (1967) containing additions and corrections.

The Rice Family, Supplement 2 (Part 1) [\$7] 224 pages

Supplement Number 2 (Part 1) to *The Rice Family*, compiled by Margaret S. Rice (1983). Hard-cover reprint. New, unused. Additional lines of descent through the first eight generations, which were unknown at the time of publication of *The Rice Family* and the 1967 supplement.

The Rice Family, Supplement 2 (Part 2) [\$8] 720 pages

Supplement Number 2 (Part 1) to *The Rice Family*, compiled by Margaret S. Rice (1985). Hard-cover reprint. New, unused. A continuation of *The Rice Family Supplement 2 (Part 1)* from the ninth generation to the present (1985).

Edmund Rice and His Family and We Sought the Wilderness [\$5] 357 pages

Two manuscripts in one binding. Hard-cover reprint. 1986. New, unused.

Edmund Rice and His Family, by Elsie Hawes Smith (1938) An historical narrative about the early days of the Rices. Contains much genealogical information, as well as being a charming story.

We Sought the Wilderness, by Rev. Clayton Rice (1949) An historical narrative based on those Rices who pushed Westward to the prairies after short stays in New Hampshire and Vermont.

A Genealogical Register of Edmund Rice Descendants [\$15] 1594 pages, published by the association in 1970.

A continuation of A.H. Ward's *Rice Family* (1858) and the supplement to that book, bring it up to date at the time of publication. *This book is out of print but is available for purchase on CD* - Association members only.

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More Books... by our cousins

Mildred L. Henschel is the author of **Lickiss Families and English Ancestors** consists of 292 pages and is spiral-bound with laminated covers. It consists of 3 parts: the first is English Ancestors, which includes Rice, Towne, Ball, Boland, Bullard, Mellen, Southworth, Whale, French, Fox, Frost, Moore, and Hancock. The second part starts with Hancock-- Sarah Jane who married the first John Lickiss to come to America and their descendants. The 3rd part consists of other Lickiss families, and includes a Table of Contents and Index. Price is \$45, postage and handling included. Mailing address is: 835 Valentine Dr., Dubuque, IA. 52003-0211

Timothy L. Sanford - *Searching for the Forgotten War – 1812, Canada and Searching for the Forgotten War - 1812, United States of America*. These two volumes provide valuable information to those interested in the War of 1812 and those who wish to learn about the people, places, and the battles fought between North American neighbors in the early nineteenth century. **Both books are available on Amazon.com**

Jane Rice – *Bob Fogg and New Hampshire's Golden Age of Aviation*, consists of 220 pages. The book tells the story in words and numerous pictures of Robert S. Fogg, the pioneer who brought aviation to New Hampshire, beginning in 1920. Thomas Emerson Proctor Rice, the author's grandfather, flew in France during World War I and from 1936 to 1938 was a partner in Fogg's Winnepesaukee Air Service. Those interested in aviation history, or the history of Lake Winnepesaukee, N.H. will enjoy the book. Jane would be glad to personalize with any desired inscription. Jane Rice can be reached at PO Box 5, Moultonborough, NH 03254. **Price is \$19.95. The book is available on Amazon.**



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PLEASE CHECK THE EXPIRATION DATE ON YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD!

The dues year is September 1st to September 1st. **If not already paid, your dues for Sept. 2016 thru Sept. 2017 are overdue!!** Dues rates are per person; there is no discount for a spouse or children. The Board of Directors voted to insert the "Additional Voluntary Contribution" line in an attempt to offset the erosion of our treasury due to the current low interest rates. Additional contributions are appreciated.

Annual dues are payable by September 1 st	\$ _____
Additional voluntary contribution	\$ _____
Total	\$ _____

The schedule of dues is as follows:

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Meet the ancestors: Nathaniel N Rice (1830-1906)

By Michael A Rice



Nathaniel N. Rice, Jr. (1830-1906)

Nathaniel N Rice, Jr. was born on 21 March 1830 in Northumberland, Saratoga County, New York,¹ to Nathaniel and Jane (?) Rice, and he was the 11th in order of 12 children, 6 boys and 6 girls. The elder Nathaniel was born in Hardwick, Massachusetts and moved with his parents to Saratoga County in the late 1790s, becoming a farmer in Northumberland. He also served as a minister in the Methodist Episcopal Church in Saratoga County in the 1830s.² The Nathaniel Rice family later resided several years in Alexandria, Jefferson County, New York, appearing in the 1840 and 1850 U.S. censuses there. In the 1850 census, Nathaniel Sr. was enumerated along with his wife Jane and the two youngest Rice boys Nathaniel Jr. and Edward; the elder Nathaniel and Edward were farmers, but Nathaniel Jr. was listed as being employed as a shoemaker.



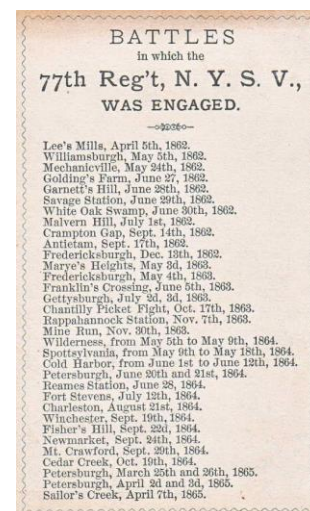
Fortsville United Methodist Church organized in 1850, photo from November 2016

¹ Listed in the obituary of Nathaniel N. Rice in *Keith County News*, Ogallala, Nebraska, Feb. 17, 1906.

² Nathaniel Rice, Sr. is listed as one of the two Methodist ministers for Saratoga in the 1830 Methodist Church Records. p. 64, Minutes for 1830, *Minutes of the Annual Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church for the Years 1829-1839 Volume II*. Mason & Lane; Publishers for the Methodist Episcopal Church, 200 Mulberry St., New York City.

The younger Nathaniel married Elizabeth E Ketchum, daughter of Chester Ketchum (1792-1857) and Amanda (Wright) Ketchum (1802-1882) on 13 February 1853, in Northumberland, New York.¹ According to the 1855 state census of New York, the young couple were living in Northumberland, and their first born son Sheldon, was enumerated as having been born that year. In the 1860 U.S. census, the family was living in the village of Bacon Hill in Northumberland, with Nathaniel listed as being employed as farm laborer, living with his wife Elizabeth and their three children Sheldon, Mary and Frances. According to Nathaniel's 26 Sep 1861 army enlistment record, the family had moved to Fortsville, one of the villages in neighboring Moreau, New York. At the center of Fortsville was the Fortsville Episcopal Methodist Church at which Nathaniel Rice, Sr. had served for a time as Minister. The church still stands today as the Fortsville United Methodist Church and has an active faith community.

Nathaniel Rice's military service began with his enlistment in the Union Army on 26 Sep 1861 at Fortsville and induction with the rank of corporal. He was attached to G Company of the 77th New York Infantry Regiment, known as the "Bemis Heights Regiment" on 23 Nov 1861.¹ In the military discharge records it states that Nathaniel was mustered out of the Union Army on 29 Nov 1862 from the military hospital in Albany, New York, after injuries sustained in battle. In Nathaniel Rice's war memorabilia is a souvenir photograph of a war memorial dedicated to the NY 77th with a listing of battles in which they were engaged. The NY 77th was engaged at the Battle of Antietam Creek on 17 Sep 1862 and was not engaged again until 13 Dec 1862 at Fredericksburg. From this indirect evidence, it appears that Nathaniel's war injuries were incurred during the Battle of Antietam Creek and he was evacuated back to the military hospital in Albany to recuperate. In the 1890 U.S. Census Veterans Schedule, it states that Nathaniel suffered partial disability of his left arm as a result of a gunshot wound. Nathaniel was far more fortunate than his younger brother Edward A. Rice who as a member of Company D, of the 70th New York Infantry Regiment ("Excelsior Brigade"), died on 6 Apr 1862 of disease at a military field hospital near Yorktown, Virginia during General Joseph Hooker's Peninsula Campaign.



A souvenir photograph of a memorial to the 77th New York Volunteer Infantry Regiment with a listing of all battles engaged in by the regiment on the reverse side. From the collection of Nathaniel N. Rice

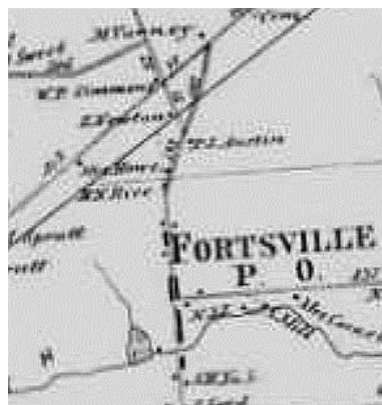
After discharge from the military hospital in Albany, Nathaniel Rice returned to Fortsville and he appeared in the 1 July 1963 war draft registration records that noted that he was employed as a shoemaker

and he had previous service in the NY 77th Infantry.³ In the next year on 8 Apr 1864, Nathaniel Rice Sr. died, and Nathaniel Jr. decided shortly thereafter to reenlist in the military. This time he traveled to Schenectady, New York, and enlisted as a New York 17th Light Artillery Battery on 5 Sep 1864 and was immediately sent into action in Virginia during the Siege of Petersburg. After the Fall of Richmond on 3 Apr 1865, Nathaniel was on detached duty guarding Confederate prisoners being transported to the POW Camp on Hart Island in New York Harbor from City Point, Virginia. Nathaniel N. Rice's final discharge from the military was on 5 May 1865 at Hart Island, New York City.³

Upon his final release from the military, he again returned home to Fortsville where he resumed his life as a farmer and shoemaker. In the 1865 New York state census, he was living in Fortsville in a home assessed at \$300 with his wife Elizabeth, and six of his children, Sheldon, Mary Catherine, Frances Augusta, Spencer, Amanda and Charles. Also in the household were his mother-in-law Amanda Ketchum, and Elizabeth's younger brother Edward Ketchum. The Beers Map of Moreau, New York shows the Rice family residing near the north end of Fortsville Road.



Map of Moreau, New York published in 1866 by F.W. Beers and Company, and an enlarged section of Fortsville showing the home of N.N. Rice near the bend at the north end of Fortsville Road



³ Civil War Records, Report of the Adjutant General, State of New York, Albany.

In the US Census of 1870, the Rice family was still living in Moreau, however the new young children Jessie F and Leland were enumerated and Elizabeth's mother, Amanda Ketchum was still living with them. Nathaniel's occupation was listed as a farmer and their real estate holdings were assessed at \$2000. In the New York state census of 1875, the Rices were still living in Moreau, two more young children were added, Georgeanna and Lanita Anicia.

In 1879, Nathaniel Rice made the decision to move west to Nebraska as part of the Great Westward Migration. Nathaniel first established Nebraska residence in Columbus, on the Union Pacific Railroad Platte Valley Route.¹ The 1880 U.S. Census showed that the entire Rice family migrated west with Nathaniel and Elizabeth including the married daughters Mary Catherine Knapp, and Frances Augusta Potter. Nathaniel's grandchildren Bertie & Nellie Knapp were also enumerated in that census. In the 1885 Nebraska state census, Sarah Isabel Rice appears as one of the children, but most of the older children had moved away. The children remaining at home were Spencer, Amanda Jane, Leland, Georgeanna, Lanita and Sarah. In 1889, Nathaniel decided to move further west in Nebraska to establish a farm and homestead in the Ogallala area.¹ Unfortunately most of the 1890 U.S. Census documents were lost in a 1921 fire in the Census Bureau, but fortunately the supplemental 1890 Civil War Veterans Schedules survived. In these schedules, Nathaniel was enumerated as living in Madrid, Perkins County, Nebraska, and his service with both the 77th New York Infantry Regiment and the 17th New York Light Artillery Battery were noted. The 1900 U.S. Census showed Nathaniel and Elizabeth Rice living in Madrid, Nebraska, and their youngest child Jesse Corbin Rice appeared for the first time at age 13. Also living with Nathaniel and Elizabeth were their grandchildren Emma Potter, John Livingston, and Hannah W. Livingston. Nathaniel was active in the Grand Army of the Republic in Nebraska, an organization of the Union Army veterans.

Elizabeth (Ketchum) Rice died on 7 Oct 1900 and she was initially buried in a plot at the Rice farm in Madrid. After Elizabeth's death Nathaniel resided at the Old Soldiers Home of Western Nebraska in Grand Island, where he died on 10 Feb 1906.¹ He was buried in Ogallala Cemetery in Ogallala, Nebraska along with his wife Elizabeth whose body was moved to Ogallala.



Nathaniel N. Rice gravesite at Ogallala Cemetery, Ogallala Nebraska with GAR grave marker

Rice Ancestry of Nathaniel N. Rice in the ERA Database

--- 1st Generation ---

1. Nathaniel N.¹ Rice was born on 21 Mar 1830 at Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY.^{1,2,3} He appeared on the census of 1850 at Alexandria, Jefferson Co, NY; living with his parents.^{2,3} He married Elizabeth Ketchum, daughter of Chester Ketchum and Amanda Wright, on 13 Feb 1853 at Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY.³ He and Elizabeth Ketchum appeared on the census of 1860 at Moreau, Saratoga Co, NY.^{4,3} He began military service on 26 Sep 1861 at Fortsville, Moreau, Saratoga Co, NY; enlisting in G Company, 77th NY Infantry Volunteers.^{5,3} He was in the military on 5 Sep 1864 at Schenectady, NY, reenlisting in 17th Battery, New York Light Artillery.³ He ended military service on 6 May 1865; receiving an Honorable Discharge from military.³ He and Elizabeth Ketchum appeared on the census of 1870 at Moreau, Saratoga Co, NY.^{6,3} He and Elizabeth Ketchum appeared on the census of 1880 at Columbus, Platte Co, NE; enumerated as N. N. Rice.^{7,3} He appeared on the census of Jun 1890 at Madrid, Perkins Co, NE.^{8,3} He and Elizabeth Ketchum appeared on the census of 1900 at Madrid, Perkins Co, NE.^{9,3} He died on 10 Feb 1906 at Grand Island, Hall Co, NE; according to his obituary Nathaniel N. Rice was born in Northumberland, Saratoga County, New York state, March 21, 1830. He died in the Soldiers Home at Grand Island, Neb. Feb. 10, 1906. He was laid to rest in the Ogallala cemetery, beside his wife who died Oct. 7th, 1901. Had he lived until the 21st of next month he would have been 76 years of age.^{3,1}

--- 2nd Generation ---

2. Nathaniel² Rice was born on 18 Jun 1784 at Massachusetts, age 64 in the 1850 census.^{2,3} He married Jane (--?--) circa 1809.³ He appeared on the census of 1820 at Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY; (family of: 0-1-0-0-1-0::5-0-0-1-0).^{10,3} He appeared on the census of 1830 at Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY.^{11,3} He appeared on the census of 1 Jun 1840 at Alexandria, Jefferson Co, NY.^{12,3} He and Jane (--?--) appeared on the census of 1850 at Alexandria, Jefferson Co, NY.^{2,3} He died on 8 Apr 1864 at Moreau, Saratoga Co, NY.^{13,3} He was buried at Griswold Cemetery, Moreau, Saratoga Co, NY.¹³

3. Jane² (--?--) was born on 10 Jul 1788 at Connecticut.^{3,2} She married Nathaniel Rice, son of Noah Rice and Prudence Luce, circa 1809.³ She and Nathaniel Rice appeared on the census of 1850 at Alexandria, Jefferson Co, NY.^{2,3} She appeared on the census of 14 Jun 1860 at Saratoga Springs, Saratoga Co, NY; living with her son Ira.^{14,3} She died on 28 Dec 1860 at Moreau, Saratoga Co, NY.^{13,3} She was buried at Griswold Cemetery, Moreau, Saratoga Co, NY.¹³

--- 3rd Generation ---

4. Noah³ Rice was born on 5 Mar 1760 at Sutton, MA.^{15,16,17} He began military service on 10 Jul 1777 at Providence, RI; Rice, Noah, Private, Capt. Ebenezer Newell's Co., Col. Danforth Keyes's Reg't.; enlistment, 6 months from July 1, 1777; reported as serving as Fifer until Dec. 1, 1777; roll dated Providence; also, same Co. and Reg't.; pay abstract for bounty allowed for service from 3 mos. after date of enlistment, July 10, 1777, to Jan. 4, 1778, 2 mos. 25 days, at Rhode Island.^{18,3} He married Prudence Luce, daughter of Reuben Luce and Jemima Butler, on 30 Aug 1781 at Barre, MA; listed as Noah of Barre and Prudence of Hardwick.^{19,20,17} He appeared on the census of 1790 at Barre, MA.^{21,3} He resided circa 1795 at Somerset, VT.³ He appeared on the census of 1800 at Easton, Washington Co, NY; (family of: 1-0-1-0-1::3-4-1--0-1).^{22,3} He appeared on the census of 1810 at Greenfield, Saratoga Co, NY.²³ He appeared on the census of 1820 at Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY; (family of: 0-0-1-2-0-1::0-0-1-1-1).^{10,3} He appeared on the census of 1830 at Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY.^{11,3} He died on 9 Nov 1834 at Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY; ae 72y 8m 4d.³ He was buried at Thompson Cemetery, Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY.¹³

5. Prudence³ Luce was born in Jun 1764 at Martha's Vineyard, MA.²⁴ She married Noah Rice, son of Phineas Rice and Hannah Cummins, on 30 Aug 1781 at Barre, MA; listed as Noah of Barre and Prudence of Hardwick.^{19,20,17} She died on 22 Jan 1841 at Northumberland, Saratoga Co, NY.³

--- 4th Generation ---

8. Phineas⁴ Rice was born on 4 Aug 1724 at Westborough, MA.^{25,26} He and Hannah Cummins resided at Hardwick, MA.¹⁶ He married Hannah Cummins on 23 Mar 1743/44 at Sutton, MA.^{27,17,28} He married Abigail (--?--); (not found in the published records). He died circa Apr 1777 at Barre, MA.²⁹ The estate was probated on 12 May 1777 at Worcester County, MA; Hannah Rice was appointed Administratrix. (No other heirs were mentioned in the probate court record.).²⁹

9. Hannah⁴ Cummins and Phineas Rice resided at Hardwick, MA.¹⁶ She married Phineas Rice, son of Perez Rice and Lydia (--?--), on 23 Mar 1743/44 at Sutton, MA.^{27,17,28}

10. Reuben⁴ Luce died at Barre, MA.³ He was born circa 1735 at Tisbury, MA.²⁴

11. Jemima⁴ Butler died at Barre, MA.³ She was born in 1735 at Chickemmoo, MA.²⁴

--- 5th Generation ---

16. Perez⁵ Rice was born on 23 Jul 1698 at Marlborough, MA.^{30,31} He married Lydia (--?--), initially resided at Westboro.^{32,33} He and Lydia (--?--) were admitted to the church on 5 Sep 1725 at Westborough, MA.²⁵ He and Lydia (--?--) immigrated circa 1732 to Sutton, MA.²⁵ He was dismissed from the church at Westborough to the church at Sutton on 19 May 1734.²⁵ He died on 14 Dec 1782 at Sutton, MA; at age 85, something suddenly.³⁴

17. Lydia⁵ (--?--) was born circa 1701.²⁵ She married Perez Rice, son of Thomas Rice and Anna Rice,, initially resided at Westboro.^{32,33} She and Perez Rice were admitted to the church on 5 Sep 1725 at Westborough, MA.²⁵ She and Perez Rice immigrated circa 1732 to Sutton, MA.²⁵ She was dismissed from the church at Westborough to the church at Sutton on 8 Jul 1739.²⁵ She died in Jan 1793 at Sutton, MA; at age 92.²⁵

--- 6th Generation ---

32. Thomas⁶ Rice. Ward asserts that Thomas had a wife Mary who died at Watertown in 1677, but that was really his uncle Joseph's wife. He was born on 30 Jun 1654 at Sudbury, MA.^{35,36,37} He resided in 1677 at Marlborough, MA.³⁰ He married Anna Rice, daughter of Deacon Edward Rice and Agnes Bent, on 10 Jan 1681/82 at Marlborough, MA; (literally January 1681 per vital records, 11th month 1681 per Ward, but November 1717 per Rice Gen'l Register, apparently due to careless copying from Ward, who speaks of the 1717 division of Marlborough in the very next phrase). Note that the marriage is found in the published vital records of Marlborough and not those of Sudbury, contrary to the assertion in Rice Supplement 2 Part 1. However, the marriage entry came from the county records and gives only one surname between groom and bride. In any case, the 1717 date is inconsistent with the known children born to this couple.^{30,36,38,39} He and Anna Rice lived in the portion of Marlborough that became Westborough.³⁰ He represented the Town of Marlborough for several years in the Massachusetts General Court (legislative assembly) in Boston.³⁰ He and Anna Rice resided after 1717 at Westborough, MA, when part of the Town of Marlborough was set off as Westborough.³⁰ He was one of the original members of the church at Westborough.³⁰ He died in 1747; the Boston Gazette claimed Thomas died at age 94. This is presumed to be erroneous, since the same article is demonstrably wrong about the ages of other Rices. However, we have no other, better evidence for his death.^{30,40}

33. Anna⁶ Rice was born on 19 Nov 1661 at Sudbury, MA.^{35,37} She married Thomas Rice, son of Thomas Rice and Mary King, on 10 Jan 1681/82 at Marlborough, MA; (literally January 1681 per vital records, 11th month 1681 per Ward, but November 1717 per Rice Gen'l Register, apparently due to careless copying from Ward, who speaks of the 1717 division of Marlborough in the very next phrase). Note that the marriage is found in the published vital records of Marlborough and not those of Sudbury, contrary to the assertion in Rice Supplement 2 Part 1. However, the marriage entry came from the county records and gives only one surname between groom and bride. In any case, the 1717 date is inconsistent with the known children born to this couple.^{30,36,38,39} She and Thomas Rice lived in the portion of Marlborough that became Westborough.³⁰ She and Thomas Rice resided after 1717 at Westborough, MA, when part of the Town of Marlborough was set off as Westborough.³⁰ She died on 2 May 1731 at Westborough, MA; wife of Thomas.^{30,41}

--- 7th Generation ---

64. Thomas⁷ Rice was baptized on 26 Jan 1625/26 at Stanstead, co Suffolk, England.^{42,42} He married Mary King, daughter of Thomas King and Anne Collins, in 1651 at Sudbury, MA; (not found in the published records).^{43,44,45} He and Mary King resided in 1664 at Marlborough, MA, The Boston Gazette, of 26 December 1768, communicates the subject of the longevity of Thomas' children. Article contains errors regarding the age of Thomas. Follow up article: Middlesex News Extra, Jun 8-14, 1984. Thomas was a proprietor.^{46,47,48} He died on 16 Nov 1681 at Sudbury, MA; (at Marlborough per Ward).^{35,36,37}

65. Mary⁷ King was born in 1630 at Shaston, Dorsetshire, England.^{49,50} She married Thomas Rice, son of Deacon Edmund Rice and Thomasine Frost, in 1651 at Sudbury, MA; (not found in the published records).^{43,44,45} She and Thomas Rice resided in 1664 at Marlborough, MA, The Boston Gazette, of 26 December 1768, communicates the subject of the longevity of Thomas' children. Article contains errors regarding the age of Thomas. Follow up article: Middlesex News Extra, Jun 8-14, 1984. Thomas was a proprietor.^{46,47,48} She left a will on 10 May 1710 at Marlborough, MA, "May 10, in the 8th year (1710) of Queen Ann's reign", proved April 11, 1715, gave to sons Thomas of Marlboro, Peter, Nathaniel, Ephraim, Gershom, James, Jonas and Elisha, to daughters Mary White, Sarah Adams, Frances Allen and Grace Moore.⁵¹ She died on 22 Mar 1714/15 at Sudbury, MA.^{36,52}

66. Deacon Edward⁷ Rice was born circa 1622, (1619 per Ward).³⁵ He was baptized on 27 Oct 1622 at Stanstead, co Suffolk, England; (26th per TAG, 20th per Rice Gen'l Register) listed as Edmund Ryce. However, we are convinced that Edward was the child baptized (and born) that year, and that he exaggerated his age in later life.^{53,54,55,56} He married Agnes Bent, daughter of John Bent and Martha (--?--), circa 1647.^{35,56,57} He received one lot in the Sudbury Two-Mile Grant in 1655.⁵⁸ He resided in 1664 at Marlborough, MA.⁵⁹ He was aged 47y (sic) according to a deposition on 2 Oct 1666 at Middlesex County Court, Cambridge, MA.⁶⁰ On 1 April 1686 at Sudbury, MA, Edward and Agnes Rice gave to their son Edmund Rice of Sudbury, half of the farm lying within the bounds of Sudbury, "near the spring". (Edward had purchased some of this land from his father Edmund and some of the land from his brother Benjamin. John Rice of Sudbury, a brother of Edmund, had the choice half.) Deed recorded 16 August 1734.^{35,61} He was elected deacon in 1687.⁶² He was assessed 8s 7d in the 1688 Marlborough tax roll.⁶³ In the year 1692 he was questioned in court - aged 70y.⁶⁴ A 1712 obituary in the Boston News Letter gave the death year as 1711 and said he had been born in Berkhamstead in 1618. It also said he had 142 descendants at that time, of which 119 were living. It further said that Edward's brother Henry, who had died in Framingham in 1711, had a similarly large number of descendants.⁶⁵ He died on 15 Aug 1712 at Marlborough, MA; at about age 93.^{35,66}

67. Agnes⁷ Bent. Barry's History of Framingham states Agnes Bent was without issue, which is clearly wrong. The will of John Bent of 1672 makes provision specifically for his daughter Agnes Rice and her son John Rice, which not only shows she was still living at that time, but also proves she was indeed the wife of Edward Rice (there being only one John Rice available as a grandson of John Bent). The confusion stems from the fact that the birth records of her children and the record of her death all show her name as Ann (a common variant of Agnes in her time). She was also known as Ann. She was born circa 1631.^{36,67} She married Deacon Edward Rice, son of Deacon Edmund Rice and Thomasine Frost,

circa 1647.^{35,56,57} On 1 April 1686 at Sudbury, MA, Edward and Agnes Rice gave to their son Edmund Rice of Sudbury, half of the farm lying within the bounds of Sudbury, "near the spring". (Edward had purchased some of this land from his father Edmund and some of the land from his brother Benjamin. John Rice of Sudbury, a brother of Edmund, had the choice half.) Deed recorded 16 August 1734.^{35,61} She died on 4 Jun 1713 at Marlborough, MA; aged 83y, registered as Ann Rice.^{35,36,66}

--- 8th Generation ---

128. Deacon Edmund⁸ Rice was born circa 1594 at England, but no record of his birth or christening has been found.⁵⁹ He married Thomasine Frost, daughter of Edward Frost and Thomasine Belgrave, on 15 Oct 1618 at Saint Marys Church, Bury Saint Edmunds, co Suffolk, England.^{44,68,53} He and Thomasine Frost resided in 1627 at Berkhamstead, Hertfordshire, England.⁶⁹

The Edmund Rice (1638) Association is very interested in proving the ancestry of Edmund Rice. The association encourages anyone who can identify a primary source that names Edmund and his parents to identify that source. Records of a baptism, estate probate, or land transaction naming Edmund and his parents are the most likely records to contain that proof. Until someone can cite such a record, the association must state emphatically that Edmund Rice's parents and ancestry are not known and that Edmund Rice's descendants can not claim royal ancestry.^{81,82,83}

129. Thomasine⁸ Frost was baptized on 10 Aug 1600 at Saint James Church, Stanstead, co Suffolk, England; (11th per Rice Gen'l Register).^{84,44,85,86,87} She married Deacon Edmund Rice on 15 Oct 1618 at Saint Marys Church, Bury Saint Edmunds, co Suffolk, England.^{44,68,53} She and Deacon Edmund Rice resided in 1627 at Berkhamstead, Hertfordshire, England.⁶⁹ She died on 13 Jun 1654 at Sudbury, MA; under the name Rice.^{44,88}

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