

The COGSWELL FAMILY

of Andover.

John (1) Cogswell was born 1592, the son of Edward and Alice Cogswell of Westbury, Leith, Wilts Co. England. He married in 1615 Elizabeth Thompson, daughter of the Rev. W. Thompson, Vicar of Westbury Parish, and wife, Phebe.

John (1) and his wife came to America accompanied by a nephew, -the son of his brother Rev. Samuel Cogswell of London. John (1) died in Ipswich 1669; Elizabeth died in 1676. She was buried in the old First Yard, and her body was carried five miles from her home to the grave, under an Indian guard escort.

Their son, William(2) Cogswell was born 1619 in Westbury, Leith, and married in 1649, Susan Hawkes, daughter of Adam Hawkes of Lynn and widow Ann Hutchinson, born 1633. She died before 1696; he d. 1700.

John (3), b. 1665; married ^{b. 1673,} Hannah Goodhue, daughter of Capt. W. Goodhue and his wife, Hannah Dane. Hannah Dane was the daughter of Rev. Francis Dane of ANDOVER. John (3) Cogswell was a Lieut.; he died in 1714 and Hannah married 2nd., Lieut. Tim(or Tom) Perley. She died, a widow, 1742.

John (3) Cogswell and wife Hannah Goodhue, had:-

Francis (4), b. 1701

Nathe (4), b. 1707; m. 1740 Judith Badger of Haverhill, daughter of Joseph Badger and wife Hannah Peasely; went to Atkinson, N.H. he d. 1783; she d. 1810; Nathe, left an orphan early, was trained to business in a Haverhill store when that town was head of navigation. His wife was the daughter of a Haverhill merchant, and was b. 1716. Nathe gave the land for the first meeting house of Atkinson and donated funds for the Revolution. He had eight sons in the Army. One:-

William (5) Cogswell, born in Haverhill 1760, married a Judith Badger also, daughter of General Joseph Badger and wife, Hannah Pearson, b. 1766 in Atkinson, N.H. She was b. in Gilmanton, N.H. He was a surgeon 45 years in Atkinson; died 1831. She d. 1839./

William (5) Cogswell enlisted at 15 with his brother, Capt. Thomas Cogswell. He evidently got the knack of bone -setting etc., as Army experience. He studied surgery with Dr. Peabody at a time after the French War when the drug business and barbering and blood-letting got separated. The French War surgeons taught the art to the English. William became Surgeon-in-Chief of U.S.A. in 1784- old Dr. Peabody knew his business, for the young doctor was only 24 then. His son:-

Francis(6), b. 1800; m. 1828 Mary Marland, b. in Byfield 1806. He lived in Ossipee and Dover and came to ANDOVER in 1842, and remained here the rest of his life. He graduated from Dartmouth in 1822; was Principal of Guilford Academy; studied Law and was admitted to the Bar 1827; practised in Ossipee; was Clerk of Courts, 1833. After his arrival here he was Supt. of Ballardvale Mills, 1847; cashier of Andover Bank, 1845; was B. & M. R.R. director and was President from 1856 to 1871. He was also Treasurer of Marland Mfg. Co. director of Andover Bank; trustee of Atkinson and Gilmanton Academy and P.F.S. overseer at Harvard, 6 years. Was for 30 years warden at Christ Church. Died 1880.

The children of Francis Cogswell and wife, Mary Marland, were:-

Joseph Badger Cogswell. who d. unm. Jan. 4, 1881.

William Abraham Cogswell, b. 1831, in Ossipee, N.H.; m. 1868 Sara L. Holt, dau. of Peter Holt and w. Lucinda Wilson, b. in No. Andover, 1840; he d. 1879; had - Mary Louisa, b. 1871.

John Francis Cogswell, b. 1835; in Dover; m. 1866 Esther M. Merrill, dau. of Capt. Nathe Merrill and w. Sarah C. Thompson, b. 1840 in Yarmouth, Me.; lived in Andover and Lawrence; he studied at P.A.; Lawrence 1853; came to Andover 1880 when his father died; lived on the old Marland estate; had an express business a long while; was a member of the City Council 1862-3; Alderman 1879; Trustee of Lawrence Library; Broadway Savings' Bank; went to Florida with son, John Francis who owned an orange grove there.

Children of Francis Cogswell and wife, Mary Marland, (cont.):

Mary Marland Cogswell, b. 1839; m. Don Franklin Hobbs, b. 1841, son of Wm. Hobbs and wife Maria Miller, b. in Waltham lived in Brookline. Had sons:-

Marland Cogswell Hobbs, b.--; Harvard U. 1885.

Franklin Warren Hobbs, M.I.T. 1883; Treasurer of
Arlington Trust Co.

Thomas Marland Cogswell, b. in Andover, July 17, 1844; m. 1872 Georgia F. McCoy, dau. of Edw. and Olive, b. 1847 in Manchester, N.H.; lived in Lawrence; was in express business awhile; Pres. of Arlington Trust Co. 1911; no children.

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John Francis Cogswell and wife, Esther Merrill, had:-

John Francis, b. 1861

Nath'l Marland, b. 1863

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