EDWARD (1) FARMER probably came with his mother, Mrs. Isabel Wiswall, widow of John Farmer of Ansley, Warwickshire, England, and his sister, Isabel Farmer. Edward had a garrison house in Billerica, 1671. He died May 27, 1727. His wife was Mary ---; died May 26, 1719. They had:

Sarah, (2), b. about 1669; m. Tom Pollard.

John (2) b. Aug. 19, 1671; m. Abigail Shed, daughter of Daniel Shed; he d. Sept. 9, 1736; she d. in Tewksbury, May 20, 1754, age 75.

Edward (2), b. May 22, 1674; m. Mary Richardson, dau., of Thomas; she d. May 15, 1746; h. d. Dec. 17, 1752.

Mary (2), b. Nov. 3, 1675; m. John Dean of Woburn.

Barbara (2) b. in Woburn, Jan. 26, 1678; d. Feb. 1, 1681.

Elizabeth (2), b. May 17, 1680; m. May 29, 1707, Wm. Green of Malden, son of Wm. Green. (William Green, Sr., married Isabel Farmer, sister of Edward (1), for his 2nd wife. She was then the widow of David Wyman of Woburn.) Elizabeth m. 2nd. James Blood of Concord; she d. Mch. 3, 1737.

Tom (2), b. 1680; June 8; m. Elizabeth Hurd, dau. of Samuel Hurd; both died in Hollis, N.H., 1767.

Oliver (2), b. Feb. 2, 1686; m. Jan. 4, 1717 Abigail Johnson, dau. of Hon. Wm. of Woburn (son of Capt. Edward Johnson) and lived in Edward Johnson homestead; Oliver d. Feb. 23, 1761; she m. 2nd Capt. James Lane of Bedford; d. Feb. 25, 1773.

John (2) Farmer and Abigail Shed, had:

Dorothy (3), b. Dec. 7, 1700; m. Nathe Richardson.


John (3), b. Sept. 18, 1703; m. Apr. 27, 1725 Hannah Wood of Groton.

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Children of John (2) Farmer and Abigail Shed (cont.)

Richard (3), b. Feb. 2, 1707; m. Martha ---; lived in Tewksbury after 1740; wife d. April 29, 1759

Edward (3), b. Nov. 10, 1710

Jacob (3), b. Jan. 16, 1714

William (3), b. Nov. 15, 1719

Edward (2) Farmer (Edward (1) and Mary Richardson, had:

Mary (3), b. Dec. 27, 1706; m. W. Shed

Andrew (3), b. Nov. 6, 1713

Susanne (3)

Jonas (3), b. May 10, 1719

Elizabeth (3), b. Nov. 15, 1719

Tom (3), b. July 15, 1712

Josep (3), b. Nov. 6, 1713

Susanne (3)

Jonas (3), b. May 10, 1719

Elizabeth (3), b. Aug. 29, 1722

Joshua (3), b. Dec. 18, 1723

Samuel (3), b. April 10, 1725; went on expedition to Louisburg.

Oliver (2) Farmer (Edward (1) and Abigail Johnson, had:

Abigail (3), b. Dec. 22, 1717; d. Jan. 11, 1718

Abigail (3) 2nd, b. Jan. 14, 1719; m. Jonathan Richardson

Mary (3), b. Aug. 26, 1721; m. Wm. Baldwin

Children of Oliver (2) Farmer and Abigail Johnson, (cont.)

Betty (3), b. May 31, 1726; m. Zebadia Rogers

Rebecca (3), b. " " ; m. Samuel Rogers

Oliver (3), b. July 31, 1728; m. April 5, 1757 Rachel Shedd, d. of John Shedd of Pepperill; she d. Sept. 25, 1764 at 38; he m. 2nd July 3, 1766, Hannah Abbott, dau. of Jeremiah of Billerica; he d. Feb. 24, 1814; she d. Sept. 13, 1819.

Isabel (3), b. March 2, 1731; m. Ben Warren; d. in Hollis, Dec. 26, 1793; 6 ch.

Edward (3), b. Feb. 24, 1734; m. Nov. 29, 1759 Sarah Brown, dau. of Samuel; he was a Representative and served in Revolution; d. Aug. 4, 1804; she d. Aug. 19, 1811. (He was at capture of Burgoyne.)

John (3), b. Dec. 7, 1736; m. Jan. 5, 1764, Hannah Davis, daughter of Deacon Joshua Davis; she d. Feb. 12, 1787; he m. 2nd March 18, 1789, Mrs. Sarah (Russell) Adams of Dracut; was a Lieut; d. Jan. 9, 1806

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John (3) Farmer (John (2) Edward (1)) and Hannah Wood, had:

Nath'l (4), b. Jan. 29, 1726; at Lexington, 1748; m. May 28, 1755, Hannah Fessenden, daughter of Tom; wounded April 19, 1775; had 9 ch.

John (4), b. Jan. 22, 1728

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Richard (3) Farmer (John (2) Edward (1)) and Martha---, had:

Dorothy (4), b. April 27, 1737

John (4), b. May 2, 1740

David (4), b. Dec. 4, 1746

Martha (4), b. June 10, 1748

Richard (4), b. July 30, 1750

Abigail (4), b. May 4, 1752

Dorothy (4), 2nd, b. Aug. 29, 1756

Dolly (4), 3rd, b. Aug. 31, 1758
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Andrew (3) Farmer (Edward (2) Edward (1) and Lucy---; had:

Lucy (4), b. Sept. 8, 1736; m. John Whiting
Mary (4), b. Oct. 3, 1738; m. April 21, 1768. Nathe Jaquith of Wilmington
Dorothy (4), b. July 27, 1740; m. Simon Crosby
Andrew (4), b. Aug. 15, 1742
Abigail (4), b. May 1, 1744
John (4), b. April 30, 1746; m. Elizabeth--, Aug. 10, 1747; d. May 30, 1773
Joseph (4), b. July 20, 1752
Edward (4), b. Dec. 14, 1755

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Oliver (3) Farmer (Oliver (2) Edward (1) and Rachel Shedd, had:

Rachel (4), b. April 29, 1758; m. Sept. 28, 1779 Nicholas Friend, who d. at Merrimac, N.H. July 21, 1823
Oliver (4), b. Jan. 12, 1769
John (4), b. Dec. 1, 1762; m. Jan. 24, 1788 Lydia Richardson. dau. of Josiah of Chelmsford; lived there until 1803; ch. born there; 1806 to Tydeboro and Merrimac; 1814. Oldest son, John (5) b. Jan. 12, 1789; d. Concord, N.H. Aug. 15, 1838
Hannah (4), b. Sept. 17, 1767; m. Wm. Rogers, her cousin
Rebecca (4), b. Nov. 19, 1708; d. Jan. 8, 1792
Jeremiah (4), b. April 10, 1771

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Edward (3) Farmer (Oliver (2) Edward (1) and Sarah Brown, had:

Edward (4), b. Dec. 1, 1760
Sarah (4), b. Mch. 6, 1763; d. Jan. 28, 1764
Jonathan (4), b. May 28, 1768
Sarah (4), 2nd. b. Oct. 31, 1767; m. Reuben Baldwin
Jerre (4), b. Oct. 13, 1770; July 26, 1803 Margaret Frankfort; d. in Boston, Feb. 6, 1815; ch.: Margaret (5); Harriet (5); Henry (5); Jerre (5); Wm. (5); Geo. W. (5); Catherine (5)
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John (3) Farmer (Oliver (2) Edward (1) and Hannah Davis, had:
Hannah (4), b. Sept. 26, 1764; m. Sam'l Hopkins of Wilmington
Reuben (4), b. Dec. 2, 1766; d. May 29, 1788
Abigail (4), b. Dec. 22, 1768; m. Reuben French
John (4), b. Dec. 4, 1776; d. Sept. 1, 1778
Lucy (4), b. Oct. 4, 1780; m. Jeremia Allen
John (4), b. Dec. 11, 1791; m. Susan Gerrish, dau. of Deacon Moses Gerrish,
of Boscawen, N.H. and lived there; he was Lieut. Col. of N.H. Militia
Hannah (4), bapt. Dec. 7, 1794

SILAS FARMER of West Andover, had for a 1st wife, Rebecca Griffin, of
Tewksbury; his 2nd wife was Annie Blanchard, daughter of Nathe of Bradford,
N.H. The children, all by the 1st wife, Rebecca, were:
Naomi (2) m. Capt. Henry Cochrane of Andover and Tewksbury; his
first wife was a Chase, who lived on the George Upton place.
Gilbert (2), of Cincinnati; m. Mary Wright of Westford
Silas (2), went South 1840; not heard from
Cordelia (2), m. John Harris of Groveland
Ealeb Strong (2) of Missouri; m. Mary Small of Roxbury
Elmore (2), b. 1815; d. 1862
Porter (2), b. 1818

Edward Farmer, an adopted son, no relative. He married Hannah, daughter
of Moody B. Abbott and lived with her father. Was in the war.