

HIDDEN FAMILY

OF ANDOVER

Some " old wife " said that David Hidden came to ANDOVER in a Bartlett chaise with his tools, to help build the Seminary, and stayed and married Mary Chandler. Mary was the daughter of Isaac (6) Chandler and Abigail Holt, born 1794. They, ^{Mary and David,-} were married about 1817. She died Sept. 1855 at 61 yrs.

The earliest mention of Hidden in the colonies is of Andrew of Newbury and his wife Sarah, whose son Andrew died 1655. Vol. 1, page 47, Essex Ct. Records gives the intentions of his daughter Margaret (2), July 28, 1659, and lists Andrew and Sarah as of Rowley, but he was in Newbury first.

David Hidden, our ANDOVER man, comes down from a Joseph Hidden and wife Mary, and Joseph may be (5) or (6) from Andrew (1).

Joseph and Mary, had —

David (2), b---; m. Feb. 19, 1782, Elizabeth ⁽⁶⁾ Stickney, (Wm.(1) who was born 1761; they had:-

David (3), b. in Newburyport, Sept. 21, 1784; m. Mary (7) Chandler.

I believe that Philemon ⁽⁴⁾ Chandler held the Hidden place originally; then it went to his son, William (5), who married 1st, Polly Ballard, and second, Rebecca Lovejoy. His son, Isaac (6) Chandler married Abigail Holt, and these were parents to Mary (7) who married our David Hidden.

Gardner Abbott and Ben Mooar lived in the old house at one time and also a Woodbridge family. It was taken down and built over, into the Parnell house on Salem St., by Moses Wood.

David ^{Hidden} built his new home a little east of the old Chandler site, in 1812.

