STIMPSON, ANDREW. was grandson of John and Susannah (Foster) Stimpson of Charlestown. John was in the Revolution, and d. Mar.17, 1776, the very day the British cleared out of Boston. He left a son, Nathaniel(2), who was bapt. July 18, 1773; m. Hepzibah Ames, Nov. 17, 1793. In 1798 he sold out his interests in his father's estate. At that time he was in Portland. He d. before 1842. Hepzibah d. in Montreal, Jan. 28, 1802. Nath. had a 2nd w. named White. Their children: d. Elizabeth (3), b. Jan. 12, 1794.

Andrew(3), b. in Hebron about 1798; m. Mary A. Warren, dau. of Jn. and Sara of Portland. They came to Andover and Andrew bought a house from Peter Shedd, who went to Milford. The home was near Haywood's, marked PIERSON on the 1862 map, a Ripley farm. Stimpson was thrown from a wagon and sold out his property to W. Calder. He d. of tuberculosis, April 5, 1850, at 52. He was once a riding master in Ordway's circus, and it is said that he met his wife while she was a rider there. Her step-father, Howard, was owner of the circus.

Mary A., widow of Andrew, when 44, took for a 2nd husband, July 7, 1853, John Flint, son of John and Ruth Flint, b. in Danvers, 1792. She was his 2nd wife. She d. April 2, 1888; age 80 years and 6 months.

(After this the Shedd-Stimpson place passed to the Factory corporation, and was let to William McDonald, now called Donald, who lived there.)
William Stimpson and his wife, Elizabeth Nickerson of Andover, had:-

Elizabeth, born Sept. 12, 1799; m. Noah Gray, son of Thomas of Andover; settled in South Reading, and had: Noah; Augustine, single; Wm. m. lives in So. Acton; was in Civil War.

Sarah, died at 10 yrs.

Mary, born Mar. 8, 1802; m. Tom Scott who d. in Lawrence, 1862; children: James; John; Charles; Josiah; Rose; Daniel; Lydia; Eliza; Henry; Eveline; Augusta.

Elizabeth, born Oct. 23, 1806; m. 1st Andrew Davidson; no. ch; m. 2nd Charles Knight of England, who d. in Amesbury; she had: Harriet, who m. James P. Needham; Mary Ann, m. Elvin Currier; Sarah, died single; John, d.y.; Friscilla, single.

William, born April 18, 1808, in Salem; m. 2nd -- Abby; in Andover; lived in South Andover; had by 1st wife when in Reading: George, killed in battle; by 2nd wife: Lydia, born June 30, 1812; m. Stephen Lovejoy.

John, born Oct. 13, 1815; m. Hannah Skinner of Lynnfield; he was a carpenter; died in Baltimore, Md.; 2 children: George Henry, of Boston; grocer; Sarah Frances who married --- Chapman and lives in Acton.

Thomas F. born Oct. 17, 1819; m. Livonia Brown of Vt.; he d. in San Francisco; no children.