

Descendants of Alexander Biles, Sr.

Generation No. 1

1. ALEXANDER¹ BILES, SR. was born 1595 in Dorset, England, and died May 30, 1651 in Dorset, England. He married ANN SPEARE, daughter of JOHN SPEARE and ELIZABETH ??. She was born 1600 in Dorset England, and died August 1631 in Dorset, England.

Notes for ALEXANDER BILES, SR.:

Alexander Biles of All Saints Parish, Dorchester, Dorsetshire, England married Ann Speare daughter of John Speare of Ber Regis, held land under John Tuberville Esq., 1590 died ante 1620 and his wife Elizabeth Speare whose will was dated 1627 and buried at Fordington Aug. 23,1631. John Speare was the son of Thomas Speare of Ber Regis.

Alexander Biles was summoned for criticizing Parson Benn for which he entered Napier's Almshouse 1651. If you are a student of history you will realize that at his time one's fortune depended entirely on the favor or disfavor of the king currently on the throne of England. Several generations later the Janney family expected to inherit the large fortune when the usurped fortune of the Biles family was released.

Alexander Biles, son of the above Alexander and Anne (Speare) Biles was buried at All Saints Parish, Dorchester, Dorsetshire, England June 20,1682. His estate was administered by his son, John, in 1692/93. He married before 1655 Dorothy Strong. Dorothy Strong was the daughter of Reverend William Strong who was the third son of John and Joane Strong (will 1584). John Strong was the son of William Strong. Dorothy Strong's father, Rev. William Strong was Rector of More Critchel, County Dorset. He was the famous preacher of Westminster Abbey, who was buried there 07/04/1654.

Alexander and Dorothy (Strong) Biles had at least five sons and two daughters - Thomas, John, William, Jonathon, Charles, Rebecca and Mary. [Source- "How Green was Our Valley" by Brian Biles page 25.]

Child of ALEXANDER BILES and ANN SPEARE is:

2. i. ALEXANDER² BILES, b. Abt. 1630, Dorset, England; d. June 30, 1682, Dorset, England.

Generation No. 2

2. ALEXANDER² BILES (*ALEXANDER¹*)¹ was born Abt. 1630 in Dorset, England, and died June 30, 1682 in Dorset, England. He married DOROTHY STRONG², daughter of WILLIAM STRONG LLL and ??. She was born Abt. 1630 in Dorset, England, and died March 10, 1691/92 in Dorset, England.

Notes for ALEXANDER BILES:

The Biles research was provided by my cousin Vincent Arthur Lupole. Vincent and his wife Laura spent hundreds of hours on this research. If this research has helped you, and you copy such, please give credit where credit is do.

Children of ALEXANDER BILES and DOROTHY STRONG are:

3. i. WILLIAM³ BILES, b. September 18, 1644, Dorchester, Dorset, England; d. May 19, 1710, Falls, Bucks County, Pa.
4. ii. JONATHAN BILES, b. 1649; d. 1734.
- iii. JOHN BILES², b. 1660.
5. iv. CHARLES HENRY BILES, b. August 12, 1665, All Saints Parish, Dorchester, Dorset County, England; d. March 20, 1695/96, S. Maidenhead, New Jersey.
- v. THOMAS BILES², b. June 13, 1672; m. MARY MITCHELL.

Notes for THOMAS BILES:

Thomas died prior to his brother William as his widow is mentioned in William's will.

- vi. MARIE BILES², b. 1673, Dorchester, Dorset England.
- vii. SARAH BILES², b. Bet. 1676 - 1677; d. Bet. 1676 - 1677.

More About SARAH BILES:

Burial: All Saints, Dorset, England

viii. REBECCA BILES², b. July 28, 1678; m. WILLIAM SCUTT; d. Bef. 1692.

Generation No. 3

3. WILLIAM³ BILES (*ALEXANDER², ALEXANDER¹*)² was born September 18, 1644 in Dorchester, Dorset, England, and died May 19, 1710 in Falls, Bucks County, Pa. He married (1) JOHANNAH HELLARD³ May 06, 1669 in Dorset, England. She was born 1646 in Dorset, England. He married (2) JANE BOYD ATKINSON December 11, 1688 in Bucks Co. PA. She was born Abt. 1664 in Dorchester, Dorset, England.

Notes for WILLIAM BILES:

William and his family and servants, along with his brother Charles arrived in the Delaware River on April 4, 1679:

Pemberton's List of Arrivals states that "William Biles, of Dorchester, in the County of Dorset, vile monger, and Johannah, his wife, arrived in Delaware river, in the "Elizabeth & Sarah" of Waymouth, the 4th of the 4th M 1679. Children: William, George, John, Elizabeth, Johanah, Rebecca and Mary Biles. Servants: Edward Hancock, to serve 8 years; loose the last of the 3rd M 1687. To have 50 acres of land. Elizabeth Petty, to serve 7 years; loose the last of the 3rd M 1686. To have 50 acres of land.

Charles Biles, of the town and County above. Arrived in the ship aforesaid, the time aforesaid."
[Source: Genealogies of Pennsylvania Families, William Biles, Page 128]

He was living in Pennsbury, Pa.. He was a in Member of Wm. Penn's 1st Provincial Council. From: 'Historical Sketches chiefly relating to the early settlement of Friends at Falls in Bucks County, Pa'. by G.W. Brown, 1882 William Biles, a co-temporary and much esteemed Friend of the immigrants who were primitive settlers about the Falls of the Delaware, was an active able and early supporter of the civil government founded by Wm. Penn in the Province of Pa. He was one of the first delegates chosen to represent the inhabitants of Bucks Co. in the Provincial Assembly and to share in its important concerns was frequently confided to him in subsequent years. Nor was he less skillful in Church government: the ancient records of Falls MM shows him to have been instrumental in its first establishment, and largely concerned in the transaction of its business, the first of the MM's being held at his house.

It would be difficult at this distant day to fix upon the precise period when Wm. Biles first settled at the Falls, or from whence he came, as there does not appear to be any record handed down to us from which such information might be gathered; but judging from the trust and confidence in him reposed, both in civil and Church government, it is evident that he was a man of no common character. There is a large brick dwelling of ancient date erected on the West bank of what is generally called Biles Creek, being a portion of the Delaware River, which circumscribes the western and southern borders of the fertile Island bearing the name of Biles; this house has been represented by tradition and from the initials inscribed upon it as the homestead of Wm. Biles; but it probably was the second house he had erected on the same site....appended to this land is a burial ground containing the remains of slaves which is now obliterated.....there were those in Fellowship with Friends among the early settlers at the Falls who held slaves;.... but the evil of slavery was early recognized, and the system abandoned. [Source: Rootsweb.com/buckscounty/biles]

He bought "Biles Islands" in the river about a mile below the falls from four Indians for 10 pounds.
[Source: Scarbrough's Home Page and Genealogy]

BUCKS CO., PA, DEED BOOK A-1, PP. 316-7.

Deed: Samuel Burges to Thomas Janney, William Biles,
Richard Hough, and Joshua Hoopes, 1690

To all People before whom these presents shall come Know Ye that Samuel Burges of the County of Bucks and Province of Pennsylvania husbandman for the consideration of six shillings current money of the Province aforesaid to him in hand paid by Thomas Janney, William Biles Richard Hough and Joshua Hoopes all of the aforesaid County and Province Yeoman the receipt whereof the said Samuel Burges doth hereby

acknowledge and himself therewith fully satisfied contented and paid hath given granted aliened bargained sold enfeoffed and confirmed and by these presents doth absolutely give grant bargain sell enfeoff and confirm unto the said Thomas Janney William Biles Richard Hough and Joshua Hoopes their heirs and assigns a certain piece or parcel of land Situate lying and being in the County of Bucks aforesaid Beginning at a corner marked black oak standing by the road side that leads from the Falls of Delaware towards Southampton from thence South and by East along the said road side thirty two perches thence East and by North thirty perches thence North and by West thirty two perches thence West and by South thirty perches to the first mentioned corner tree being the place of Beginning Containing and laid out for six acres of land. Being part of a tract of land granted and confirmed to the aforesaid Samuel Burges his heirs and assigns by a Deed from John Rowland and Thomas Rowland both of the aforesaid County Yeoman bearing date the first day of the tenth month 1685 and recorded in the Rolls office the tenth day of the twelfth Month of the said year in Book A Vol. 1 page 10-11 To Have and o Hold the said six acres of land and premises with the improvements and appurtenances and every part and parcel of the same to them the said Thomas Janney William Biles Richard Hough and Joshua Hoopes their heirs and assigns forever to the only use and behoof of them the said Thomas Janney William Biles Richard Hough and Joshua Hoopes their heirs and assigns forever under the yearly Quit rent of one grain of Indian corn to the said Samuel Burges his heirs or assigns if by them lawfully demanded And the said Samuel Burges doth covenant and grant for himself and his heirs that they the said land and premises unto them the said Thomas Janney William Biles Richard Hough and Joshua Hoopes and their heirs against the said Samuel Burges and his heirs shall and will warrant and by these presents forever defend.

In Witness whereof the said Samuel Burges hath hereunto set his hand and seal the fourth day of the fourth month one thousand six hundred and ninety and the tenth year of the Proprietarys Government Samuel (his seal) Burgess

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of us

Jacob Janney
Enoch Yardley
Joseph Steward

Know all men that I the within named Samuel Burges do authorize and appoint William Yardley of the aforesaid County my attorney to deliver and acknowledge the within deed in open Court of the aforesaid County to the within named Thomas Janney William Biles, Richard Hough and Joshua Hoopes or their attorney.

In witness whereof I have hereunto put my hand and seal the fourth day of the fourth Month 1690 Samuel Burges (seal)

Sealed and Delivered before the aforesaid witnesses.

(The place of the County seal) The 11th day of the 4th Month 1690 the within conveyance was by William Yardley Attorney to the within named Samuel Burges acknowledged and delivered in open Court in the County of Bucks unto the within named William Biles and Joshua Hoopes for the use as therein expressed.

Certified under my hand and seal of the County.

Phinehas Pemberton
Ct Com

Recorded the first day of the 8th Month 1690.

NOTES

Colonial Society, BUCKS CO. COURTS, pp. 123, 222, documents the minutes of the Court concerning this on "the 11th day of the 4th month, 1690," as follows:

A deed of 6 acers of land in fee dated 4th day of the 4th month 1690 acknowledged by wm yardley attorney to Sa: Burges grantor to wm Biles & Josuah Hoops grantees for the use of them selves

Children of WILLIAM BILES and JOHANNAH HELLARD are:

- i. ELIZABETH⁴ BILES, b. June 03, 1670; m. (1) STEPHEN BEAKES, June 01, 1688, Bucks Co. PA; m. (2) MATTHEW HUGHES, Abt. 1700, Pa..
6. ii. WILLIAM BILES JR., b. January 12, 1670/71, Dorset, England.
7. iii. GEORGE BILES, b. September 04, 1673; d. October 27, 1708.
- iv. JOHANNAH BILES, b. March 31, 1674.
8. v. JOHN BILES, b. March 31, 1678, Dorset, England.
9. vi. REBECKAH BILES, b. October 27, 1680, Bucks Co., PA.
- vii. MARY BILES, b. 1682.
10. viii. ANN BILES, b. June 13, 1685, Falls, Bucks County, Pa.

4. JONATHAN³ BILES (*ALEXANDER², ALEXANDER¹*)⁴ was born 1649, and died 1734. He married ELIZABETH PATCH.

Children of JONATHAN BILES and ELIZABETH PATCH are:

- i. RICHARD⁴ BILES, b. November 08, 1675, Beverly, Essex, Ma; d. February 12, 1771; m. MARY DAVIS, 1695.
- ii. ALEXANDER BILES, b. May 18, 1679, Beverly, Essex, Ma.
- iii. ELIZABETH BILES, b. March 27, 1681, Beverly, Essex, Ma; m. ISAAC HULL, Bet. 1709 - 1710.
- iv. MARY BILES, b. March 27, 1681, Beverly, Essex, Ma.
- v. REBECCA BILES, b. April 21, 1681, Beverly, Essex, Ma; m. JAMES PATCH, 1700.
- vi. SARAH BILES, b. 1683, Beverly, Essex, Ma.
- vii. JONATHAN BILES, b. May 01, 1683, Beverly, Essex, Ma.
- viii. NICHOLAS BILES, b. November 16, 1693, Beverly, Essex, Ma; d. January 22, 1723/24, Massachusetts; m. ELIZABETH MORGAN.
- ix. WILLIAM BILES, b. May 04, 1696, Beverly, Essex, Ma.
- x. BENJAMIN BILES, b. 1698, Beverly, Essex, Ma.

5. CHARLES HENRY³ BILES (*ALEXANDER², ALEXANDER¹*)⁴ was born August 12, 1665 in All Saints Parish, Dorchester, Dorset County, England, and died March 20, 1695/96 in S. Maidenhead, New Jersey. He married SARAH WOOD⁵ June 13, 1689 in Woodbury, New Jersey, daughter of JOHN WOOD and MARY ??. She was born Bet. 1670 - 1672 in Yorkshire, England, and died September 16, 1731 in Maidenhead, New Jersey.

Notes for CHARLES HENRY BILES:

Charles accompanied his older brother William to America. They arrived on the "Sarah and Elizabeth" 4th month, 4th day, 1679. Charles was but a young boy at the time. The ship sailed from Weymouth, England to the Delaware River. Charles took up land with his brother William in Bucks County, Pa. before 1681. The land was grant purchased from ... representing the Duke of York. In 1681, Holme's map of Bucks County, Pa. showed Charles and William Biles owning a sizeable piece of land together which did not front on the river. Charles and Sarah Biles appeared to live for a while in Bucks County, Pa. after their marriage. They soon moved to Maidenhead, New Jersey where Charles died in 1696.

[Source: "How Green Was Our Valley," by Brian Biles.]

A.61. JOHN WOOD of Crookhorn, County of Bucks, Yeoman.

March 20, 1692. Proved 9th mo., 12th day, 1692.

Son Joseph Wood, Lands in West Jersey, purchased of Richard Ramsdell and John Champion on Crosswicks Creek. Three Daus. Hester, wife of Isaac Smalley, Sarah, wife of Charles Biles, and Mary, wife of Thomas Coleman. Land bought of John Latham.

Son in law, Isaac Smaley and son, Joseph Wood, exrs.

Wit: Roger Parke, William Taylor, and William Emley.

Letters granted to Joseph Wood.

(Source; Lee A. Wood)

Notes for SARAH WOOD:

She came with her father and family to Burlington, New Jersey in December 1678 and they settled in Creekhorne, Falls Township, Bucks County, PA. She died 1731 leaving a will dated 09/19/1731. [Source- "How Green was Our Valley" by Brian Biles, page 102]

After the death of Charles Biles, we know Sarah remarried before March 9, 1697/8, as shown by a deed dated that day, but signed June 8, 1698, between Joseph Wood of Bucks Co., PA, yeoman, and Sarah, late widow of Charles Biles, of Maidenhead, Burlington County, West Jersey, deceased, and Alexander Biles, second son of said Charles Biles and Sarah Biles, now Brearly, in which mention is also made of "ye two daughters of Charles Biles," names not given. [Source: Genealogies of Pennsylvania Families, William Biles, p. 129]

[Source: Peter Brian Durr - another Biles researcher]

Sarah Wood Biles Brearly's will:

In the name of God Amen, The 16th day of September 1731, I Sarah Brearly of Maidenhead in West Jersey widow, being very sick and weak in body yet of perfect mind and memory Thanks be to God. Therefore calling unto mind ye mortality of my body Do make and ordain this my last will and Testament, That is to say principally I give and recommend my Soul to God that gave it, and my body to ye Earth to be buried in a decent manner at ye discretion of my Executor, not doubting but at ye General Resurrection I shall receive ye same again by ye mighty power of God, and as God Bless this life I give and dispose of ye same in ye following manner and form. Imprimis. That myjust debts and funeral charges be paid.

Item. I give all my wearing clothes to be equally divided betwixt Sarah Watson, Ruth Gumly and Ann Biles.

Item. I give Sarah Watson, twenty pound out of the money that her husband is owing me.

Item. I give and do dreely remit to David Brearly my thirds of ye plantation up ye river.

Item. I give and bequeath all my personal estate to be equally divided amongst my children, John Biles, Elicksander Biles, John Brearly, David Brearly, Joseph Brearly, Benjamin Brearly, Sarah Watson, Ruth Gumly, and now I likewise constitute and make John Brearly my only and sole Executor of this my last will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written, in ye presence of Sarah Brearly by mark (seal)

Approved 27 Oct. 1731

Inventory made by John Anderson and Richard Stevens Oct. 23,1731.

[Source - "How Green was Our Valley" by Brian Biles page 103.]

[Source: emailed from Lee Wood]

This from West Jersey Records, Liber B, Part 2, page 519

Sarah, widow of Charles Biles of Maidenhead, and Alexander Biles, their second son, for 100 acres, bought of Daniel Cox June 10, 1692.

Then on page 593

1695 Nov. 5 Do. Joseph English to Charles Biles, both of Burlington Co., yeomen, for 200 acres, part of the 300 a. lot granted to Samuel Dark by Daniel Coxe, Oct. 2, 1691 and by said Dark conveyed to present grantor, March 11, 1691-2, adjoining Mary Davis above the Falls of Delaware.

The genealogy information on Sarah Wood was graciously provided by Lee and Kathy Wood.

Children of CHARLES BILES and SARAH WOOD are:

11. i. JOHN⁴ BILES, b. Abt. 1691, Maidenhead, Hunterdon Co., New Jersey; d. July 1740, Maidenhead, Hunterdon Co., New Jersey.
- ii. ALEXANDER BILES⁶, b. Abt. 1693; d. August 29, 1756, Lawrenceville, Mercer County, New Jersey; m. ANN TINDALL, Abt. 1717, New Jersey.

Generation No. 4

6. WILLIAM BILES⁴ JR. (*WILLIAM³ BILES, ALEXANDER², ALEXANDER¹*) was born January 12, 1670/71 in Dorset, England. He married SARAH LANGHORNE March 11, 1694/95. She was born November 17, 1675.

Notes for WILLIAM BILES JR.:

BILES, William, Esq. of Falls Twp. December 3, 1737. Proved September 27, 1739.

Wife Sarah. Sons William, Charles, Langhorne, 2000 acres in Sagalen, Hunterdon Co., N.J. Son Langhorne 600 acres in Whitpain sd. county. Daus. Sarah and Elizabeth each 1000 acres in Chepack sd. county. Dau. Ann wife of Isaac Pennington and Hannah, wife of Thomas Janney 1000 acres at Morris River, New Jersey. Grandchildren, William, Jeremiah, and John, Sarah and Hannah Beates, grandchildren, Edward, Mary and Sarah Pennington, Thomas and Margaret Biles, last two, 500 acres in Quohlockin, Salem Co., N.J. Son Langhorne, 400 acres at same place. Sons William, Langhorne and Charles, exrs. Wit: Wm. Fry, Garret Vandike, John Duncan. Codicil. Island to wife for life then to son Wm. except 20 acres to Thomas, son of Thomas.

[Source: Abstracts of Bucks County, Pennsylvania, Wills, 1685-1785, Book 1, Page 267]

Children of WILLIAM JR. and SARAH LANGHORNE are:

- i. THOMAS⁵ BILES, b. August 30, 1696, Falls, Bucks Co., PA; m. ELIZABETH LAMBERT, December 1729.
- ii. GRACE BILES, b. Abt. 1698, Salem NJ.; m. JOHN BATES.
- iii. WILLIAM BILES, b. Abt. 1700; d. 1775; m. (1) ANN STEVENSON, 1725; b. June 12, 1704; m. (2) JANE ?, 1725.

Notes for WILLIAM BILES:

He was elected as a representative for Bucks County on October 6, 1737 [Source: Abstracts from Ben Franklin's "PA Gazette"; Abstracts, 1737, p. 167]

William Biles, III, and his sons Thomas and William, IV were disowned by the Falls Monthly Meeting on August 2, 1756 "... for entering into a military association." [Source: The Langhornes of Langhorne Park, by D. Brenton Simons]

By a codicil to his father's Will, William inherited the Island and the home plantation, after his mother's death. [Source: Genealogies of Pennsylvania Families, William Biles, p. 163]

- iv. ANN BILES, b. February 04, 1702/03, Salem NJ.; d. February 22, 1748/49; m. ISAAC PENNINGTON, November 05, 1725; b. November 22, 1700, Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co. PA.
- v. CHARLES BILES, b. 1705, Falls, Bucks Co. Pa; d. Bef. March 25, 1755; m. ANN MARIA BAKER, July 28, 1728; b. June 16, 1704; d. Aft. February 16, 1760.

Notes for CHARLES BILES:

The dates of birth and death for Charles and Anna Maria were found in "Family History: Lineages of Hereditary Society Members, 1600s-1900s"; Listed in: Sons & Daughters of Pilgrims, Vol II, p. 174

He was elected as a sheriff for Bucks County on October 6, 1737:

Saturday last the following persons were elected for Bucks Co.: For representatives -- Joseph Kirkbride, Jr., Jeremiah Langhorne, Christian Vanhorne, Andrew Hamilton, Lawrence Growdon, WILLIAM BILES, Matthew Hughes, Benjamin Jones; for sheriffs -- John Hart, CHARLES BILES; for coroners -- William Atkinson, Jonathan Woolaston; for commissioner -- Jeremiah Langhorne. [Source: Abstracts from Ben Franklin's "PA Gazette"; Abstracts, 6 Oct. 1737, p. 167]

In 1742, he was heir of the plantation from his great uncle Jeremiah Langhorne. He was already living on the plantation at that time.

BILES, Charles, Southampton. February 7, 1754. Proved August 7, 1759. Wife Ann Mary, lot where I live bought of Harmon Enoch. Son Samuel "the old Place" 242 acres. Sons William and Langhorne, minors. Daus. Grace, Mary, and Hannah £ 50 each when they marry. Friend Langhorne Biles and Son Samuel, exrs. Wit: Ezra Croasdale, Thomas Edwards, and John O'Daniel. Letters granted to Samuel.
[Abstracts of Bucks County, Pennsylvania, Wills, 1685-1785 Will Book 2, Page 366]

- vi. HANNAH BILES, b. Abt. 1708; m. THOMAS JANNEY, 1735.
- vii. SARAH BILES, b. Abt. 1710; m. LAWRENCE GROWDEN, May 06, 1741; b. May 14, 1694, Trevose, Bensalem Twp., Bucks Co. PA; d. March 29, 1770, Trevose, Bensalem Twp., Bucks Co. PA.

Notes for LAWRENCE GROWDEN:

In 1708 he inherited from his grandfather, Lawrence Growdon, pewterer of Parish St. Merryn, County Cornwall, England. Although born in Pennsylvania, he lived in England about 20 years. After his first wife's death, he returned to Pennsylvania, where he married Sarah Biles.

He was elected as a representative for Bucks County on October 6, 1737 [Source: Abstracts from Ben Franklin's "PA Gazette"; Abstracts, 1737, p. 167]

- viii. ELIZABETH BILES, b. Abt. 1712, Bucks Co. PA; m. ABEL JANNEY, June 05, 1740.

Marriage Notes for ELIZABETH BILES and ABEL JANNEY:

Their marriage license, issued in New Jersey June 5, 1740, describes them as Abel Janney, of Maidenhead, New Jersey, and Elizabeth Biles, of bucks County, Pennsylvania

- ix. LANGHORNE BILES, b. Abt. 1715; m. HANNAH KIRKBRIDE, Bef. May 03, 1756; b. September 23, 1726.

Notes for LANGHORNE BILES:

Langhorne was disowned by Falls Meeting, 1748, for joining a military association; upon his marriage, his wife was taken under dealings, and in 1756 disowned therefor.

In Bucks County, in 1749 and 1752, he was Justice of the Peace, and in 1759 he was a Justice in the Court of Common Pleas.

BILES, Langhorne, of the Falls Twp. February 18, 1769. Proved March 20, 1769.

Wife Hannah and six daughters. Sarah, Jonipher, Molly, Becky, Charlotte, and Nancy. When they come of age all estate. John DeNormandie and Gilbert Hicks and Thos. Yeardley, "Gentlemen" exrs. Wit: Rebecca Godly, Thos. Janney, Jr., and Richd. Gibbs.

[Abstracts of Bucks County, Pennsylvania, Wills, 1685-1785 Will Book 3, Page 188]

7. GEORGE⁴ BILES (*WILLIAM*³, *ALEXANDER*², *ALEXANDER*¹) was born September 04, 1673, and died October 27, 1708. He married MARTHA BLACKSHAW September 03, 1697. She was born Abt. 1679, and died Abt. 1790.

Children of GEORGE BILES and MARTHA BLACKSHAW are:

- i. JOHANNAH⁵ BILES, m. EVAN MORGAN⁷, 1724.
- ii. JOHATHAN BILES, d. 1775; m. ANN ABBOTT.
- iii. SUSANNAH BILES.
- iv. GEORGE BILES.
- v. PHOEBE BILES.
- vi. SARAH BILES.
- vii. JOSEPH BILES, b. 1698.

8. JOHN⁴ BILES (*WILLIAM*³, *ALEXANDER*², *ALEXANDER*¹) was born March 31, 1678 in Dorset, England. He married MARY LAMBERT February 02, 1706/07 in New Jersey. She was born February 02, 1679/80 in Dorchester, Dorset, England.

Children of JOHN BILES and MARY LAMBERT are:

- i. SAMUEL⁵ BILES, b. February 26, 1707/08.
- ii. THOMAS BILES, b. March 12, 1709/10.
- iii. RUTH BILES, b. March 13, 1711/12.
- iv. JOHN BILES, b. August 14, 1715; d. September 09, 1716.
- v. LAMBERT BILES, b. August 10, 1717.

9. REBECKAH⁴ BILES (*WILLIAM*³, *ALEXANDER*², *ALEXANDER*¹) was born October 27, 1680 in Bucks Co., PA. She married JOSEPH JANNEY. He was born January 26, 1674/75 in Chesire, England.

Child of REBECKAH BILES and JOSEPH JANNEY is:

- i. WILLIAM⁵ JANNEY, b. 1710, Bucks Co. PA; d. 1791, Loudoun Co. Virginia; m. ELIZABETH MOON, July 16, 1739, Bucks Co. PA; b. October 16, 1719, Bucks Co. PA; d. 1805, Loudoun Co. Virginia.

10. ANN⁴ BILES (*WILLIAM*³, *ALEXANDER*², *ALEXANDER*¹) was born June 13, 1685 in Falls, Bucks County, Pa. She married THOMAS YARDLEY December 1706 in Bucks County, Pa. He was born 1685 in Rushton, Stafford, England.

Notes for THOMAS YARDLEY:

Email from family member 02/24/03:

Family is as follows:

- 1.) Thomas & Ann Yardley's Family Are:
 - *William
- 2.) William & ? Yardley's Family Are:
 - *William, Martha, Polly, Besty, Nancy, Joseph
- 3.) Joseph & Elizabeth Yardley's Family Are:
 - * Frederick
- 4.) Frederick & Missouri Yardley's Family Are:
 - *Lucretia, George, Mary, William, Nancy, Joseph (Boat), Jacob, James, Laura, John
- 5.) Joseph (Boat) & Sarah Yardley's Family Are:
 - *James, Oscar, Arthur, Joseph (Doc), Iva, Alonzo, Robert, Johnson
- 6.) Joseph (Doc) & Nora Yardley's Family Are:
 - *Strassie, Goldie, Robert, Racheal, Joseph, Belvid
- 7.) Robert (Bob) & Mabel Yardley's Family Are:
 - *Billy, Jessie, Elza, Gerald, Richard, William, Gary, Larry, Kathy, Marvin, Ernie, Unknown Name Female, Unknown Name Female
- 8.) William & Shirley (d:1999) & Deborah Yardley's Family Are:

Hope this helps.

Debbie Yardley

Children of ANN BILES and THOMAS YARDLEY are:

- i. MARY⁵ YARDLEY, b. August 04, 1707; d. 1767.
- ii. JANE YARDLEY, b. November 20, 1708, Loudoun Co., Pa; d. January 26, 1772, Loudoun Co., Pa.
- iii. SARAH YARDLEY, b. July 13, 1712, Bucks County, Pa; d. 1748, Bucks County, Pa.
- iv. JOYCE YARDLEY, b. October 03, 1714.
- v. WILLIAM YARDLEY, b. 1716, Pa; d. 1787, Mo.; m. ?.
- vi. HANNAH YARDLEY, b. January 24, 1716/17, Makfeild Twp., Bucks County, Pa.
- vii. REBECCA YARDLEY, b. July 30, 1720.
- viii. THOMAS YARDLEY, b. November 01, 1721, Bucks County, Pa; d. March 12, 1803, Bucks County, Pa.
- ix. SAMUEL YARDLEY, b. April 16, 1723, Bucks County, Pa; d. August 12, 1726, Bucks County, Pa.
- x. SAMUEL YARDLEY, b. July 13, 1729, Bucks County, Pa; d. 1759.

11. JOHN⁴ BILES (*CHARLES HENRY*³, *ALEXANDER*², *ALEXANDER*¹)⁸ was born Abt. 1691 in Maidenhead, Hunterdon Co., New Jersey, and died July 1740 in Maidenhead, Hunterdon Co., New Jersey. He married ELIZABETH FREEZE⁸, daughter of ABRAHAM FREEZE. She was born Abt. 1685 in Maidenhead, Hunterdon Co., New Jersey, and died Aft. July 1749 in Maidenhead, Hunterdon Co., New Jersey.

Notes for JOHN BILES:

The will of John Biles, of Maidenhead, Hunterdon County, yeoman, dated May 29, 1740, was probated July 22, 1740. In it mention is made of his wife Elizabeth, daughter Sarah, two sons John and Charles. The Executors were "my wife and my brother Alexander Biles." [Source: Genealogies of Pennsylvania Families, William Biles, p. 129]

Child of JOHN BILES and ELIZABETH FREEZE is:

- i. JOHN⁵ BILES⁸, b. 1710, Bucks Co., Pennsylvania; d. 1784, Rowan Co., North Carolina; m. (1) SARAH WATSON; m. (2) ANN??; m. (3) ELIZABETH PROCTOR CARPENTER⁸, October 13, 1738, Hunterdon, NJ; b. Abt. 1710, Maidenhead, Hunterdon Co., New Jersey; d. August 11, 1792, Rowan Co., North Carolina.

Marriage Notes for JOHN BILES and ELIZABETH CARPENTER:

Elizabeth (Proctor) Carpenter and John Biles were married 10/13/1738, according to the Hunterdon County, NJ marriage records.

Endnotes

1. Research of Vincent and Laura Lupole..
2. Research of Vincent and Laura Lupole.
3. Lynne Mayer Biles family Research.
4. Research of Vincent and Laura Lupole.
5. Researched by Lee and Kathy Wood.
6. Will of Sarah Wood Biles.
7. Lynne Mayer, *Lynne Mayer*.
8. Research of Vincent and Laura Lupole.