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Some dates are incorrect but on the whole interesting information.

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THE DAY FAMILY GENEALOGY AND HISTORY FROM

EARLY SETTLEMENT TO PRESENT GENERATION

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GEORGE DAY was one of the early settlers of Milford, Ct. and same with the Milford colony to Newark, N.J. in 1667. He married Mary, dau. of Edward Rigs(2) who with son Joseph came with the same colony to Newark. Edward Rigs(1) m. Elizabeth--- who d. at Roxbury, Mass. 1672. He had sons Edward(2) John, and 4 daughters. Edward (1) settled at Milford, Conn. 1646, Derby, Conn. 1654. Edward Rigs(2) m. Elizabeth Roosa in 1635, was an early settler at Derby & Milford. Had Ch. Joseph, Edward (3) and Mary, wife of George Day.

George & Mary (Riggs) Day had ch. Paul, George and Samuel will 1714

He died before 1685, and his widow m. Anthony Oliff of Newark.

Paul m. Phebe, dau. of Thomas Brown, d. abt. 1712

George had a 2d wife Phebe, in 1711, d. abt. 1720

Samuel m. Abigail --- d. 1715 - had a son <u>David</u> and a posthumous son <u>Samuel</u>, b. At Newark, July 31, 1715. Removed Morristown abt. 1743.

records 1760. He d. at Morristown of the prevailing epidemic-smallpox, Mar. 25, 1777. His wife Elizabeth, b. Dec. 1715, d. Apr. 22, 1761. M. 2d. wife Zeuriah or Zervia Wines, widow of Isiah Wines, who d. Oct. 3, 1751. She was b. 1720, m. Oct. 12, 1761, d. of fever Dec. 21, 1776. Conger's Newark Families has that he m. Abigail Carter. The Day records has wife Elizabeth, the Pres. Church Records at Morristown has wife Elizabeth received in Church, and three children bapt. Feb. 4,1744, also death of Elizabeth and marriage of Zervia Wines, widow.

Mary Should have hear a day I one I these b 1712 Children of Capt. Samuel Day and Elizabeth, his wife. Day and Preb. Church Records combined.

Th X Silas, b. Jan. 28,1739, at Newark, bapt. at Morristown, Feb.5, 1744, m. Phebe dau. of Peter and Phebe Condict, June 27, 1759. He d. Mar. 31, 1763. Had ch. Rebecca, bapt. Jan. 18, 1761, Jonathan, bap. Mar. 7, 1762. His widow m. Maj. Henry Axtell, Jan. 7, 1762. He d. Apr. 6, 1818, aged 80

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She d. July 6, 1829, aged 89

Lizabeth, b. Apr. 25, 174-, Day Records only.

Ezekiel, twin, b. July 25, 1743, bapt. Feb. 5, 1744, m. Mary

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Elizabeth, b. Nov. 13, 1775, Sarah b. Dec. 29, 1778 Joseph b. Apr. 28, 1781 Anna, b. Jan. 28, 1783 Benj. b. Nov. 23, 1783, d. Oct. 5, 1797 Ezra Halsey, b. Apr. 29, 1788

Capt. Benj. Halsey was b. Dec. 10, 1721, m. Sarah Pruden Jan. 16, 1747, d. Feb. 19, 1788. His dau. Deborah was b. Nov. 6, 1747

Item- Ezekiel Day's will bearing date 19 Dec. 1776, which I have in my possession, gives beloved wife Joanna, certain bonds and chattels, and provides for the bonefit and education of two children from the sale of real and personal estate. "My son, John Day, two thirds and the other third I give to my daughter Abigail, together with her own mothers cloths." Item- I constitute my brother Jeduthan and my brother-in-law Benjamin Lindsly, executors. Witness- Jonathan Wood, Nathaniel 24 Condict, Jehiel Day, Benj. Lindsly is mentioned in the church records as brother of Col. Eleazer & Timothy. Records show Mary, wife of Ezekiel Day, d. of consumption Jan. 12, 1774 ch. Phebe, bapt. Sept. 6, 1767, d. Jun. 1772; Elizabeth, bapt. June 1, 1769; Abigail, b. Sept. 1, and bapt. Oct. 25, 1772, d. Sept. 17,1781 aged 9. John b. Jan. 15, 1773, bapt. Mar. 12, 1774

No records of church give marriages of wife or Joanna, or remarriage or death of Joanna. The items of Jeduthan Day, Exr. show a contrast from present charges. Inventory of personal 291 L 17 s. 4d. Sale of house and lot, 398 L. Paid John Thornburn for making coffin, 10 s. Paid Nathan Arnold for digging grave, 10 s.

- Jeduthan Day b. Jan. 28, 1748, bapt. Feb. 28, 1748, m. Phebe, dau. of Isiah Wines, Oct. 17, 1774. She d. of fever Mar. 2, 1777, aged 27 yrs. He m. 2d. Anne Ludlow, dau. of Anthony & Sophia (Hudson) Ludlow of L. I. who was widow of ---- Crene.
- Children of Jedu than Day by 1st wife, Phebe Wines,
  Silas, b. July 29, 1776, bapt. Nov. 3, 1776, d. Apr.9, 17

  He m. Anne Ludlow Crane, Mar. 15, 1779

  Phebe b. Dec. 22, 1780, bapt. July 22, 1781, d. Mar. 25, 18
  - Silas (2) b. July 23, 1783, bapt. Sept. 7, 1783, d. at Stockholm, N.J., Apr. 6, 1867

    Amzi b. Sept. 29, bapt. Nov.11, 1787, d. Oct. 21, 1794
  - Anne Ludlow b. Jan. 12, 1792, bapt. Mar. 17, 1793, m. Thomas Estill, 1810, m. 2d, John Keeler, in 1842
  - Elizabeth b. Mar. 1795, bapt. July 5, 1795, never m.; d. at Canisteer, Mar. 6, 1880
  - Christian Dewint b. Apr. 28,1798, d. July 25, 1882, at Canisteer, N.J.; was bapt. June 3, 1798 at Morristown
- Robert or Robard, son of Capt. Samuel Day, b. at Morristown, July 10, 1750, bapt. 15, 1750, d. of putrid fever, at Morristown, Oct. 7, 1778, m. Esther Wines, widow of Ebenezer son of Isariah. Had a son, Robert, b. Aug. 13, 1778; was m. May 18, 1777.
- Samuel Jr. twin, b. Apr. 7, bapt. Apr. 8, 1753, m. Anne-d. Aug. 12, 1796. Had ch. Phebe b. Oct. 22, 1779, who m.
  Dr. Ebenezer H. Pierson, Sept. 18, 1805.
  Susanna, b. Fob. 6, 1782, m. Kitchel Bridge, Mar. 4, 1804;
  Samuel b. Nov. 5, 1784, m. Jane Beach, Aug. 9, 1806
  Tra, b. July 21, 1788
  Mahlon, b. Aug. 27, 1790, Lost at sea in "Artic" Sept.27,185
- Abraham, twin, b. Apr. 7, 1753, bapt. Apr. 8, 1753, m. Sarah Coo, dau. of Thomas, Sept. 7, 1774, had a son Isaac, b. May 29, 1775, d. Aug. 18, 1775; m. 2d, Deborah Wines, dau. of Isaiah Apr. 14, 1777; had children, William Wines, b. Mar. 10, 1780 Abraham b. Mar. 23, 1782, Elizabeth, b. July 31, 1784 Isaac, b. Nov. 12, 1786 Went to Ohio.
- Jared, b. Feb. 13, 1755, bapt. Mar. 11, 1755, m. Mary Gildersleeve 5, 1781, had twin dau. Anna. m. Jonathan Dayton of Basking Ridge, and Elizabeth, d. at Basking Ridge, 1786, Jonathan & Anna had a son, the Hon. William L. Dayton.

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