

(Reeves)
Caleb Hendee + Mary Squire

"History of PITTSFORD."
(Rutland, Vermont)

pg 705

HENDEE, DEA. CALEB b in Coventry, Conn., in August, 1745, m April 27, 1767, Caroline Ellsworth, of Simsbury, Conn. Children—1, Caleb, Jr., b October 21, 1768, m Lydia Rich; 2, Caroline b December 25, 1770, d March 20, 1771; 3, Jonathan b November 4, 1773, m December 31, 1795, Sally Squire; 4, Daniel b May 21, 1776, m 1st, Lucy Allen, who d: m 2d, Sally Burditt; 5, Lydia b April 2, 1778, m Abiel Smith, of Leicester; 6, Eunice b in Clarendon, September 23, 1780, m Freeman Smith, of Leicester, d in the State of New York; 7, Solomon b in Pittsford, November 20, 1782, died at the age of nine months; 8, Solomon, 2d, b October 30, 1784, m Lois Paine, of Leicester, d in 1863; 9, David b October 30, 1786, m Caroline Harrington; 10, Rachel b December 27, 1788, m Lewis Whitlock, of Brandon; 11, Samuel b April 23, 1791, m Abigail Paine. Mrs. Caroline Hendee, the mother, d May 12, 1791, and Mr. Hendee m 2d, Mary Squires, by whom he had—12, Abner b August 8, 1792, m Polly Atwood, d. Dea. Caleb Hendee d. October 2, 1833.

HENDEE, CALEB JR., s of Caleb, b October 21, 1768, m January 14, 1789, Lydia Rich. Children—1, Ruth b May 6, 1789, m Solomon Bliss, d 1870; 2, Polly b March 30, 1791, d April 17, 1791; 3, German Franklin b October 2, 1784, m Sarah Jones, d 1863; 4, Polly, 2d, b October 2, 1797, m Dr. Spooner, d ————; 5, Sarah b October 18, 1800, m Henry Simonds, d 1833; 6, Charles Jefferson b July 1, 1805, m 1836, ——— Davis, of Roxbury, Mass.; 7, Caleb Rich b November 8, 1808, m Mary Ann Granger.

HENDEE, GERMAN F. s of Caleb, Jr., m November 30, 1820, Sarah Jones, of Claremont, N. H. Children—1, Franklin Jones b September 1, 1821, m June 6, 1855, Sarah Van Sicklin; 2, German b November 10, 1822, m Sarah A. Smith; 3, Lafayette b June 27, 1824; 4, Charles Jefferson b March 31, 1826; 5, Frederick b December 1, 1827, d January 30, 1863; 6, Sarah Rosette b October 19, 1829, m August 14, 1856, John J. Simonds; 7, Lydia b April 5, 1831, m June 18, 1867, Dr. George E. Sparhawk; 8, Edwin Henry b May 10, 1832, m March 27, 1856, Mary M. Edgecumbe; 9, Elisha Rich b January 15, 1837, m November 20, 1867, Helen A. White; 10, Eliza Maria b February 22, 1838, m November 17, 1868, Amos D. Tiffany.

(Part of - Manuscript of Caleb Hendee, Jr.)

Caroline Ellsworth Hendee's property to protect the people of Pittsford, Vermont from the American Revolution going on around them, including the Indians and the Tories. There is a drawing of the fort on p 206 of Cox, which matches the drawing on the front of "Pittsford Gleanings." P. 206 of Cox mentions both the officers' barracks and the soldiers' barracks. The fort was named "Vengeance," as per p. 209, to avenge the killing by the Indians of Caleb Houghton. A monument to Caleb Houghton was erected where Fort Vengeance used to be and is on a postcard for sale in Pittsford. The monument is mentioned in Cox on pp. 219, 225, 228, 232, 235, etc.)

My first daughter by the name of Polly (second one named Polly on same p. just below) was born on Wednesday, 30th, March AD, 1791 and died the 17th, of April following, and on the 23rd, day of the same month (viz) April AD, 1791, my youngest brother, Samuel, was born. My mother having been sick for three months, my wife took the infant and suckled it for more than a year.

On the 12th, day of May AD, 1791, my mother (Caroline Ellsworth Hendee) departed from this life in the prime of life in a distressing situation as to body, having consumption (tuberculosis) of the lungs. The death of my mother was a great and sad calamity to her family. She had lived a very pious life, was of a mild and even temper, very obliging and hospitable to the poor. (Is this one place from which Grace got her reference in Cox on p. 149?) My father appeared suitably affected at the loss of his wife, but, nevertheless, on the 30th, day of June following (viz) AD, 1791, married the widow Mary Squires of Manchester, ^{formerly maiden name (was) Reeves} being a total stranger to him and all his family (quoted on p 253 of Cox). ^{widow} By the last marriage, my father had one child (viz) Abner Hendee, (Cox xiii) who was born on Wednesday 8th, August AD, 1792. In the month of April, AD 1793, my wife had two daughters born who lived but a short time, or about three weeks.