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SNELL FAMILY GENEALOGY

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Capt. GEORGE¹ SNELL

d. before Mar 1707/8, Portsmouth, N.H.
mariner, York Co., Me., 1663; Isle of Shoals,
1663; to Portsmouth, N.H., by 1678; 1681-1708,
on tax, and town and church records Portsmouth;
militia, 1696; will dated 9 May 1706, sealed
25 Feb 17-6/7, filed Portsmouth, Mar 1707/8
names widow, children, step-children, and other
relatives, and property in Wells, Piscataqua
and Portsmouth. + *York*

III
m(1) Hannah, c1640-a1677, dau. John & Elizabeth
Alcock of York; (2) p1677, widow Agnes Cowell,
d. c1681; (3) p1681, widow Richard (?Phillips,
Little John Hunkin, d. 1695, and (4) Widow, Hannah
Hull, b. 1650, liv. 1726, dau. John & Elizab. (Starr)
Farnside; m. *York* wife by June 1698;

Issue, all by 1st wife, prob. b. York Co., Me.:

901. i. Samuel, d. 1690, m. 1687, to Boston.

902. ii. John, 1667/8-1718, in Portsmouth.

iii. Mary, m. 1689, Col. John Wheelwright,
1664-1745, of Wells, Me.

iv. Abiel (Abigail), 1677-1750, m. 1702/3,
Ebenezer Hill, 1679-1758; carried off
by Indians.

v. Hannah, d. a1718, m(1) John Ballard;
(2) a1706, Dependence Littlefield,
1671-1750, of Wells, who remarried
in 1718.

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15 Dec 1681, Inventory for Agnes Snell, wife of George Snell taken at Portsmouth, N.H. Archives. Gen. Hist. Me. & N.E. says widow Agnes Cowell, m. George Snell, after 1677, and they had no children.

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GHM&NE says George Snell, m. Richard or Richard, d. 1695, widow of John Hunkin, d. 1681/2, and formerly wife of William Phillips and Little-John.

1696, Capt. Geor Snell, master of ship "Richard", Portsmouth, NH.

Capt. John Hunkin of Portsmouth and Star Island, will filed 1681/2, m. (2) by 1679, Richard, perhaps widow of William Phillips of Hippocrass Isle, and she married later Geo. Snell.

Deed dated 20 Mar 1693/4, recorded 24 July 1799, from George Snell and wife, relic and admx of Wm. Phillips, for island in Kennebec River granted to Wm. Phillips, dec'd, by Henry Joslin, Esq., basis of claim by George Jeffrey, of Portsmouth, in York County Court.

Will dated 24 Sept 1690, proved 23 Apr 1695, of Richard Snell of Boston, wife of Geo. Snell, mariner of Portsmouth, who filed his consent thereto; names former husband John Hunkin; sister Margery Vittery, Kingsward, Devon; grandson George Littlejohn, son of her son George Littlejohn, Halwel, Devon.

GHM&NH. Capt. Reuben Hull, 1647-1689, m. c1672, Hannah, b. 1650, dau. John Farnside; she m(2) a1698, George Snell; had no children by Snell but six by Hull, one Elizabeth, b. 1673, m. John Snell, s. George.

1702, George Snell and wife Hannah, exec. signed deed for land of Reuben Hull, dec'd in Portsmouth.

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1716, Estate of Capt. Dodivah Hull, distributed to mother widow Hannah Snell and brother John Snell, who were named administrators,

1719, 1726, deeds for land and homestead of Reuben Hull, deceased, signed by Hannah Snell, executrix, Elizabeth Snell and Sarah Cunningham, daughters of said Hull.

1718, deed from Hannah Snell, admr., of Portsmouth to land of Dodivah Hull, dec'd in Newington.

Will of George Snell, dated 9 May 1706, sealed 25 Feb 1706/7, filed Portsmouth, Mar 1707/8 lists cattle in Wells, sheep in Piscataqua, house in Portsmouth, property in York, ketch "Mayflower", fishing craft and personal property and losses by enemies; names wife and her children (by prior marriage); son John Snell and his sisters (daughters of Geo.) Hannah Littlefield and Abiel Hill "if she returns from captivity"; "dafter Snell" (Elizabeth, wife John); (step) sons Dodivah Hull, Joseph Hull and Reuben Hull; "dafter Sarah" (step-daughter Sarah Hull, later married Cunningham); grandchildren, George and Jane Snell (children of John), and John and Hannah Wheelwright (children of daughter Mary); and brother (-in-law) Job Alcock.

In parantheses are noted how all of these named in his will were related. All of his known children are named, except Samuel who predeceased him without surviving issue.

His father-in-law, John Alcock was a tax-collector for the lord proprietor in Maine, Sir Fernando Gorgas, and George may have been brought from England by him.

He may have been from Devonshire where his third wife had relatives. In 1660-5, George Snell, Jr., and his father Canon George Snell are recorded at Totnes, Devon, England.