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Josiah Arnold y first Son by my first Wife Lydia Departed this Life May ye 18. 1776—aged forty Nine Years Ten Months and Twenty Two days.

## ONE LINE OF THE ARNOLD FAMILY.

THOMAS<sup>1</sup> ARNOLD married Alice Gully, baptized Sept. 29, 1553 (second wife's name not known); had two sons, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> and THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, who came to America.

WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> settled in Providence, and was one of the proprietors in the first settlement. He had four children.

THOMAS<sup>3</sup> was baptized April 18, 1599; married his first wife in England. His second wife was Phebe Parkhurst, daughter of George Parkhurst, of Watertown, Mass., by whom among others he had :

JOHN<sup>4</sup>, who had one son

JONATHAN<sup>4</sup>, who married Elizabeth Matthews in the year 1727. He died in Johnston, R. I., about 1770. His children were :

John<sup>5</sup>, lived in Johnston.

David<sup>5</sup>, married Mary Westcott, April 29, 1762; died 1799.

William<sup>5</sup>, removed to Black River Co., New York.

James<sup>5</sup>, moved west.

Alice<sup>5</sup>, married Ames Mann and moved to Greenfield, N. Y.

Jonathan<sup>5</sup>, lived in Johnston.

THOMAS<sup>5</sup>, married Anstis Thornton, and had eleven children, one of whom, George W.,<sup>6</sup> born at Warwick, R. I., Nov. 29, 1778, died March 7, 1838, in the 60th year of his age; married Nov. 3, 1795, Sophia, dau. of Reuben and Hannah (Aldrich) Mason, who died June 9, 1861, æ. 78. They were the parents of Hon. Isaac N.<sup>7</sup> Arnold, president of the Chicago Historical Society.

## MR. SOMERBY'S GENEALOGY OF THE ARNOLD FAMILY.

HAVING sent the proof of the preceding article to Mr. Drown, who is a descendant of this family and much interested in its genealogy, for his annotations, we received from him, with other papers, the following copy of the early portion of a manuscript genealogy compiled by the late Horatio G. Somerby (*ante*, xxviii. 340), in 1870, for Benjamin G. Arnold, Esq., of New York city, which that gentleman has kindly permitted him to send us. Mr. Somerby's manuscript was "compiled from Heralds' Visitations, Inquisitions Post Mortem, Subsidy Rolls, Wills, Parish Registers, and other original documents." It makes an elegant volume. Mr. Arnold has also a tabular pedigree by Mr. Somerby, on a roll seven or eight feet long. It is embellished by these arms: Gules, a chevron ermine between three pheons or. *Crest*—A lion rampant gules holding in his paws a lozenge or. *Motto*—Mihi Gloria Cessum.

We have decided to print the matter precisely as prepared by Mr. Somerby, though this necessitates some repetition. The reader will notice discrepancies between the documents as to dates, names, &c. We hope that further research will decide which is correct.