

The GOODWIN Family Organization (The Goodwin News, Volume 3, Issue 2, Jan. 1981)

THE MAIN(e) STREAM (reprint, edited)

OBITUARIES

ELTON L. GOODWIN, N. BERWICK (York County Coast Star dated 12 Nov. 1980)

Elton L. Goodwin, 80, of Lynn Road, died 2 Nov. [1980] in a Sanford hospital. He was born in Nova Scotia. Mr. Goodwin was a member of the North Berwick Congregational Church, the Yorkshire Lodge AF & AM of North Berwick, was a 32nd Degree Mason, a member of the Kora Temple of Lewiston and the Pioneer Scottish Rite Club, director of the York County Shrine Club, a charter member of Simadi Shrine Club of New Hampshire, a member of the Odd Fellows Encampment of Kennebunk and the Ramona Rebekah Lodge of Somerville, Mass., and past patron of Beacon Light Chapter, OES of North Berwick. He is survived by his wife, Lena Johnson Goodwin of North Berwick; two sons Albert and Harry; a daughter, Mrs. Carol Lanouette; a brother, Augustus; a sister, Mrs. Selena and Harvev Pinckney and a half sister, Mrs. Stella Fredericks; 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren . Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Johnson Funeral Home, the Rev. Robert Cole of the Bethel Christian Church officiating. Interment will be in Hillside Cemetery.

FRANK B. CLARK, JR., SOUTH BERWICK

Frank B. Clark, Jr., 91, of 17 Ross St., died 2 Nov. [1980], in a Dover, N. H. hospital, the son of Frank B. and Mary Boynton Clark, Sr. He was a lifelong resident here. Mr. Clark was a retired shoe-cutting foreman, having worked at the Cummings Shoe Co. and South Berwick Shoe Co. for many years. He was a member of St. John's Lodge of Masons, was past master of the Quamphegan Grange, and was a 50 year member of the Knights of Pythias. He is survived by two nephews, Stanley C. Goodwin and Lewis W. Perkins, and three nieces, Mrs. Evelyn Fowler and Mrs. Ada Walton, and Mrs. Dorothy Pulket of Florida.

WILLIAM C. GOODWIN (Foster's Daily Democrat, Dover, N.H. March 19, 1980)

South Berwick - William C. Goodwin, 86 of Brattle Street died today at the Dover House Health Care Nursing Center after a brief illness. He was born 12 April 1893, in So. Berwick, the son of Jacob and Sarah (Watts) Goodwin, and has been a lifelong resident here. He retired in 1956 as a clerk in the personnel department at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard. He was a World War I Veteran, a member of Barracks 430 of the Veterans of World War I of Sanford and a 50 year Mason of St. John's Lodge 51 of So. Berwick. He is survived by three nieces, Miss Beatrice Goodwin and Mrs. John Drew, and Louis Merrill; one nephew, Arthur J. Goodwin; and several grandnieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the McIntire and McCooey Funeral Home at 301 Main St. in So, Berwick, with the Rev. J. Wesley Stuart officiating. Burial will be in the family lot in Pleasant Hill Cemetery in So. Berwick.

ACTORS

Nat C. GOODWIN (1857-1919) was another descendant of Daniel GOODWIN of Kittery. He married Maxine ELLIOTT (1871-1940). They were outstanding actors in the late eighties.

See pg. 87, Goodwins of Klttery, Maine, for lineage: Nathaniel Carl, Nathaniel Carl, Nathaniel Carl, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, ---, Daniel 1.

GENEALOGIES

Mrs. P. Dulaney, Ponca City, Oklahoma;

1. Daughter
2. Daughter
3. Lottie Mae GOODWIN b. 28 Feb. 1901 m. Edward Collins BATTON [Census. & P. Dulaney's poem].
4. Thomas Harrison GOODWIN m. 4 Dec. 1885 Mary Ida McKINNEY [marriage cert. & P. Dulaney's poem].
5. James GOODWIN m. Margaret INGRAM

Mrs. R. Hooper, Winter Haven, Florida;

1. Daniel Goodwin b. 1622 England, d. 1713 So. Berwick, Me.
2. Daniel Goodwin b. 1656 Kittery, Me., d. abt. 1725, Berwick, Me.
3. Nathaniel Goodwin b. 29 Oct. 1689, Berwick, Me., d. ?
4. Benjamin Goodwin b. ? So. Berwick, Me., d. ? (Will 1786)
5. Benjamin Goodwin b. 1741 (or 1748) d. ? m. 24 November 1773
6. Benjamin Goodwin b. 10 May 1781, d. 18 May 1860, prob. Lyman, Me.
7. Joshua Goodwin b. 28 Nov. 1805, d. 21 Apr. 1847 So. Berwick, Me.
8. Benjamin Goodwin b. 15 July 1833 So. Berwick, d. 19 Sept. 1887 So. Berwick, Me.
9. Sarah Nichols Goodwin b. 15 July 1879 So. Berwick, Me. d. 16 Aug. 1966, York, Me.
10. Janet Gertrude (Moulton) Hooper b. 17 July 1911, York, Me. The above information is in a Goodwin Bible owned by Harry B. Goodwin and a Goodwin Bible owned by Janet Moulton Hooper

Mr. Libby, Bennington, Vermont;

4. Lucy Frances Goodwin b. 24 March 1901 (birth Certificate) md. Merton W. Libby
3. Edwin Francis Goodwin b. June 1875 m. Annie M. Robbins [source: Lucy F. (Goodwin) Libby]
2. William Goodwin b. 15 Nov. 1833 m. Ann Knight (Vital Records Augusta, Me.)
1. Moses Goodwin m. 20 Sept. 1830 m. Mary Ann Abbott (Town Records, So. Berwick, Me.)

Mrs. D. Heckman, Newtonville, Mass;

10. Dorothy Johnson b. 26 Sept. 1911, Everett, Mass. m. Edward T. Heckman
9. Lena Emma Low b. 14 June 1889, Shapleigh, Me., m. Herbert B. Johnson
8. Eldora Hanscom b. 5 Sept 1866, Me. m. Leslie T. Low
7. Edwin Hanscom b. 15 Sept. 1829 Lebanon, Me., m. Olive Libby
6. Sarah (Sally) Goodwin b. 8 Jan. 1803 m. Abram Hanscom
5. Elisha Goodwin b. 1763 m. Sarah Lord
4. Thomas Goodwin b. 1721 m. Eunice Lord
3. Thomas Goodwin b. 12 July 1697 m. Elizabeth Butler
2. Thomas Goodwin b. 1663 m. Mehitabel Plaisted
1. Daniel Goodwin

6. Olive Libby b. 10 Oct. 1833 Berwick, Me. m. Edwin. Hanscom [see #7 above].
5. Capt Ivory Libby b. 1 Feb. 1793 Berwick, Me. m. Olive Pray
4. John Libby b. 20 Nov. 1751 Berwick, Me. m. Sarah Woodsum
3. Daniel Libby b. 21 Feb. 1715, Berwick, Me. m. Abigail ----.
2. Sarah Stone b. 23 Aug. 1686 Scarborough, Me. m. Benjamin Libby
1. Patience Goodwin b. 1651 m. Daniel Stone

Mrs. G. Jones, Houston, Texas;

4. Son
3. Jones, Oscar b. 14 Aug. 1888 Bowie Co., Texas, m. Anna Margueritia Midden
(Marriage Records-Bowie Co., Texas family records)
2. Goodwin, Jane Emelina b. 29 June 1864, Arkansas m. Robert Spears Jones
(Source -Miller Co., Arkansas marriage records 1870, Lafayette Co.,
Arkansas census/Family Rec.)
1. Goodwin, Thomas b. ca 1806 S. C. m. Sissy ---- (source 1870 Lafayette Co.
Arkansas census)

Mr. C. Jones, East Machias, Maine

FAMILY OF JOHN GUPTILL (1726 to ----) and Abigail GOODWIN

John GUPTILL, bapt. 26 May, 1726 m, Abigail Goodwin 16 Nov, 1749, possibly dau. of William Goodwin & Abigail Stone [pg. 48 Goodwins of Kittery, Me, by J, S. Goodwin, published 1898], d. in Gouldsboro, where he lived after moving from Berwick, Me. with six sons and three daughters about 1770. The three oldest sons moved to the Island of Grand Manan. The other six children married in and around Gouldsboro and always lived there.

CHILDREN:(11)

- a. Abijah Guptill; b. 1754 m. 1778 Mary Uraun d. 1820 (Note: Grand Manan records show b. 1751- d. 1815)
- b. William Guptill; b. 1756 m. 6 June 1777 Jane Downs, d. 7 May 1803
- c. Susanna Guptill; b.1758 m.9 Sept. 1770 William Whitaker, d. ----
- d. John Guptill; b. 1761 m. 1782 Mary Woodman d. ----
- e. Thomas Guptill; b. 1768 m. 1790 Sarah Wilson d.
- f. Amos Guptill; b. 1770 m. 1794 Abigail Uraun d. 1798
- g. Nehum Guptill; b. 1772 m. Sarah Rolf) d. 1798
- h. Mary Guptill; b. 1775 m. 1798 (Jessie Pray; he was in the Revolutionary War), d. ----
- i. Fanny Guptill; b. 1777 m. 1798 Ben Spurling d. ----.

Two children of John and Abigail Goodwin died in infancy.

The date of the birth of John is usually given as 1730. The records of the church at S. Berwick give the Baptism as 1726. I think this must be correct. The "Goodwin" family gives the m. of John and Abrigail as 1749, possibly the date of birth of Abijah may be also a few years earlier. The above dates are from the records of Mrs. John Stearns of Chicago and Mrs. Bragg of Gouldsboro, sent by her daughter Mrs. Magill.

Charles B. Jones, RFD #36, East Machias, Maine 04630

1. Daniel Goodwin - in Kittery 1652
2. Thomas m. Mehitable Plaisted in 1685
3. Thomas m. Elizabeth Butler 2 Dec, 1722
4. Elisha baptized 9 Oct., 1726 m. Sarah ---- (See Page 34 VI Goodwins of Kittery)
5. Thomas baptized 17 March 1750/1 m. Anna Hodgson, went from Berwick to West Lebanon
6. Joshua b. 20 June 1779 m. Sarah Copp

Children of Joshua and Sarah (Copp) Goodwin:

- A. Millet b. 1804 d. 1815
- B. Louise b. 1806 d. 27 July 1890
- C. Elisha b. 25 Oct. 1808 d. 24 Apr. 1878, m. Lydia Robbins Tucker of Milton 1837.

Children of Elisha and Lydia Goodwin:

- a. died in infancy
- b. George Goodwin of West Lebanon
- D. Thomas b. 7 March 1811 d. 19 Nov. 1881, m. (1st) Nellie Bickford.

Children of Thomas and Nellie (Bickford) Goodwin:

- a. Reuben Hull Goodwin
- b. Thomas m. 9 May 1841 (2nd) Mary Tebbets.

Children of Thomas and Mary Tebbets:

- a. David Legro Goodwin b. 22 May 1842, Lebanon, Me. m. Sarah Jane Moulton of Alfred, Me.; Child of David and Sarah Goodwin: Mary Louise
- b. Nellie Jane Goodwin b. 5 March 1847, So. Berwick, Me.
- E. Wentworth b. 22 March 1813 d. 8 Jan. 1813, m. Mary Tanner of Chestnut Hill, Mass.
- F. Reuben b. 1817 d. ?

Source of above: Contained in a letter to George S. Goodwin by Mary Louise Goodwin, no date on letter but from Newton Highlands 28th March. (contributed by Terry GOODWIN)

HEADSTONES

Information from large cemetery on No. Main St., (Rte to Melvin Village) Wolfboro, N.H.

- J.J. Goodwin 1846-1914
- J.M. Goodwin (his wife ?) 1854-1939
- Martha dau. of above d. 1 Oct 1890 Age 4 mos;
- Willis J. Goodwin 1894-1978
- Mildred H. (his wife) 1899 - ?

Above information taken by P. R. Goodwin.

From Goodwin Genealogy, "The Goodwins of Kittery, Maine"

Samuel Goodwin, bpt. 1 Apr. 1764 m. Anna Gerrish - he was son of Dominicus Goodwin (Ichabod, Thomas, Daniel) and Hannah Hill (daughter of Elisha & Mary Plaisted Hill).

Children of Samuel and Anna Thompson Gerrish Goodwin

- a. Anna Thompson b. 24 Nov. 1792
- b. Ichabod b. 8 Oct. 1794 m. Sarah Rice
- c. Joseph Gerrish b. 31 Jan. 1798 m. Frances Hobbs
- d. Samuel b. 13 Jan. 1799 d. Greenville, Pa.
- e. Hannah Jane b. 9 Jan. 1805 m. Col. Love Keay.
- f. Mary Elizabeth b. 12 July 1803 d. 27 Dec. 1867 (unmarried)
- g. Sarah Elliot b. 5 Mar. 1805 m. Wilson Hobbs.
- h. Olive Jordan b. Sept. 1809 d, Unm,
- i. Daniel Raynes b. 12 Apr. 1811 m. Mary R. Merrick

Joseph Gerrish Goodwin (#3) m. 18 May 1820 Frances Hobbs and had:

- a. Ichabod b. 21 Oct. 1820 m. Rhoda Spear.
- b. William. Hobbs b. 9 Oct 1822 m. Mary Evert Wendell.
- c. Samuel b. 19 Aug. 1824 m. Sarah Ann Johnson.
- d. Mary Ann b. 27 July 1826 m. James Hobbs.
- e. Sarah Rice b. 2 Sept. 1828 m. Joseph Hobbs.
- f. Olive Elizabeth b. 16 May 1830 m. Tristram Fall Johnson.
- g. Joseph Wilson b. 26 Nov. 1833 m. Alicia Sophia Lord.
- h. Daniel b. 31 July 1836 m. Eliza Ida Furbish.
- i. Fanny E. b. 6 May 1842 m. John Abbott Hooper.

Daniel R. Goodwin (#8) b. 31 July 1836 d. 13 Dec, 1919 No. Berwick m. 15 Dec. 1877 Eliza Ida Furbish b. 22 June 1854 Wells, Me., d. 22 Mar. 1933 No. Berwick, daughter of James C. & Martha A. Stevens Furbish.

Children:

- a. Celia Frances b. 16 Sept. 1878 d. 30 July 1950, m. 1 Jan. 1907 George G. Brown.
- b. Lelia Martha (twin of Celia) b. 16 Sept. 1878 d. 2 Mar. 1927, never married.
- c. Mary Ann b. 10 Sept. 1880 d. 7 Oct. 1898
- d. Florence Furbish b. 29 Aug. 1884 d.----, m. 27 June 1905 Chas. E. Pickett.
- e. Joseph Gerrish b. 30 July 1887 d. 3 May 1973 m. 11 Aug. 1908 Lois Elizabeth Hayes.
- f. James Furbish b. 28 July 1890 d. 13 March 1972 m. (1) 29 Mar. 1913 Edith M. Eldridge (2) 29 June 1921 Laura (Wright) Chadbourne.
- g. Agnes Addie, b. 3 Mar. 1893 d. 21 May 1968.

Source: FURBISH diary, N. Berwick V.S. and cemetery stones. Descendants of Florence, Joseph and James still live in N. Berwick.

TAKEN FROM MONUMENT IN CEMETERY, GOVERNOR'S ROAD, WEST MILTON, N. H., (not far from Nute Chapel)

- Shepard K. Goodwin 1822-1891
- Sophronia J. (wife of Shepard) 1824-1903
- Augusteen P. (dau. of Shepard) 1850-1903
- Joseph Goodwin 1782-1868
- Anna (Joseph's wife) 1786-1875
- Hannah (Joseph's sister) 1791-1874
- George H. Goodwin b. 10 May, 1846 d. 23 Jan. 1930

QUERIES

1. Thomas Goodwin, born ca 1806, South Carolina. His wife, Sissy, born ca 1818, Kentucky. They were living in Lafayette County, Arkansas 1870 with children Harvey, born 1852 Mississippi, Patten (Payton), born ca 1854 Mississippi, Benjamin, born ca 1857 Mississippi, Simon, born ca 1859 Arkansas, Jane Emeline, born 29 June 1864 Arkansas. I would appreciate any information about this family.

Contact: The New England Project; please include a copy of this query.

2. Ann GOODWIN b. 1760 (Where?) Married James MAHAN, b. 1755 near Winchester, Va. Rev. soldier, Indian spy in and around Fort Pitt 1775-77 while living on the Monongahela River. Was she sister to John GOODWIN who lived in Fayette Co. Pa. during this time?

John GOODWIN was b. 7 Feb. 1746, Baltimore, Md.; parents Benjamin GOODWIN and Hannah URGHUART. Was Ann's full name Nancy Ann GOODWIN? Early records give James' wife as Ann, later records as Nancy. Some say this the same person. They went to Greene Co. Tn. ca 1778 where he raised a Company and was a Capt. under Col. SEVIER, during the Indian Wars. Moved to Knox-Whitley Co. Ky. ca 1790 and followed ch. to Mo. in old age. They were in Cole Co. Mo. in 1837. He d. Llvinston Co. Mo. 17 Dec. 1839. She d. 7 Oct. 1840. Ch: David, Thomas, Hezeklah, Margaret BARNETT, John, Benjamin, Eliz. MILLER, Eleanor TRESSLER, Mary HICKEY, Ellen TROSPER, James, Catherine MLLER, Permella BERRY.

Contact: The New England Project; please include a copy of this query.

3. In his research Mr. LEWIS, (Vol. 2, Issue 3), ran across this confusing genealogical puzzle:

Mary GOODWIN who md. Richard LORD Dec. 1707 is listed as the d/o James and Sarah (THOMPSON) GOODWIN in *Lord Family History*, P.44; in *Gen. Dict. of Me, and N.H.*, p. 272 as d/o Thomas A Elizabeth (BUTLER) GOODWIN, and in *Old Kftterv and Her Families* on p. 454 as the d/o Thomas and Mehltable (PLAISTED) GOODWIN.

This proves how errors are often contained in family histories. Does anyone have documentation of her parentage? Perhaps it is in the church records in South Berwick. If anyone can help with this puzzle, Contact: The New England Project; include a copy of this query

4. Information on Sam Haze GOODWIN wanted. Parentage unknown. He md. Helen Eddora GOWEN in the 1860's. Poss. from Rochester, N.H.

Contact: The New England Project; please include a copy of this query.

5. Silas and Margaret Wadlin GOODWIN were md. 23 Oct. 1800 and lived in Shapleigh and Acton, Maine. Their sons Moses, Aaron, and Sylvester (and I think David, too,) went to Essex Co. Mass. in the 1840's.

Moses d. 20 Aug. 1851, his wife, Catherine CLARK, d. 12 May 1847 in Gloucester, and they left 3 sons:

- a. Nathaniel Clark GOODWIN b. 1840 Essex Co.
- b. David Silas GOODWIN, b. 1843 Gloucester
- c. George Frank GOODWIN, b. 3 Aug. 1845 Gloucester

Does anyone know of the descendants of Aaron and Sylvester GOODWIN of Essex, Co. Mass? Where did Moses GOODWIN live in 1850? Where did he die?

Where did George Frank GOODWIN live in 1850?

Nathaniel and David GOODWIN are thought to have gone to Calif. Nathaniel GOODWIN md. Sylvia RIDLEY in Dover, N.H. Does anyone know of this family?

Silas and Margaret GOODWIN are listed in the 1850 census in Acton, Me. They seem to leave Acton after 1851. Where did they go?

Contact: The New England Project; please include a copy of this query.

6. Information wanted on Jeremiah GOODWIN, b. 1772, s/o Joseph GOODWIN, came from Wells to Canaan, Me. His wife was Phanier "Fanny" POWERS, b. 1772 in Deer Isle, Me. (Powers genealogical records say Sydney, Me.) They had 5 children, the oldest - Clement is said to have been the first child born in Canaan. He md. Sarah "Sally" THOMAS and they had 8 children;

- a. John b. 1838, Hartland, Me. md. (1) Lydia BURRILL (2) Adelaide FLANDERS (my ancestor). John and Lydia had son Charles and his son lives in Valley City, Ohio. John and 2nd wife, Adelaide had dau. Mertie, b. 1872, and [she] md. Jedediah PARKMAN (my great-grand-father).
- b. Other of ch. of Clement and Fanny were:
- c. Fanny b. 1840, md. NICHOLS;
- d. Thomas b. 1842;
- e. Charles b. 1844;
- f. Sarah, b. 1847, m. SMITH;
- g. George b. 1849,
- h. Jeremiah b. 1853,
- i. Wallace b. 1856.

Source: East Somerset County Register, 1911-1912 and Vital Records of Canaan, Me. from microfilm obtained from LDS Genealogical Library in Salt Lake.

Other Goodwins listed in V.R. Canaan were: Samuel and Philenda GOODWIN m. ca. 1810; Miles and Deborah GOODWIN, m. ca. 1836; Caleb, 2nd wife Frances b. 1883 and Jeremiah Jr. and Mary GOODWIN m. 9 Nov. 1826 (not listed as s/o Jeremiah and Fanny GOODWIN as rec. above). The relationship of these Goodwins to Jeremiah, if any, is not known.

Contact: The New England Project; please include a copy of this query.

Life Story of my [Alice Sharp] Paternal Grandfather, DANIEL GOODWIN

(Cont'd, from Vol. 3, #1)

Eldridge Almon GOODWIN was their sixth child, born 20 Dec. 1871 and died 25 Jan. 1954 at age 72. He was Road Commissioner in Eliot for many years.

I remember he had a Model T Ford with the gas control on the steering wheel. His nickname as a boy was 'Stubby'. He married 28 July 1893, Caroline Lulu PERKINS, who had a child, Edith, and then they had 5 children, Carrie, Leon, Earle, Rachel and Roland Arthur. Roland is still living [January, 1981] at his father's former home at corner of Cedar Rd. and Rt. 103 in Eliot.

The seventh child was Hattie Eliza, born 29 Jan. 1873 and died 19 Jan. 1954 at age 81. She was severely crippled with arthritis in her later years. Her husband was Job MEADS, who was born in England. They were married. 27 June 1894. They had two children, Beatrice and Frank. Beatrice was handicapped with polio but was able to work in the office of the electric power company in Portsmouth.

Lilla Belle was the eighth child, born 15 Nov. 1874, and died 11 July 1964. She married Aaron Burr COLE (date unknown) who was a judge at one time. They had seven children, Myra Ellen, Mildred Frances, Hollis Burr, Hosmer Lawrence, Marion Goodwin, Hobart Atherton, Hoitt Sumner, and Lena Gertrude. Hollis became a lawyer and Lana served in the State Legislature.

The ninth to be born was Fred Ernest, born 11 Oct. 1876 and died at age 83, 15 May 1959. Married Ethel STACY, 29 June 1901 and they had 6 children, Ernest, Marjorie, Elizabeth, Frederick, Kenneth and Richard. He lived on Cedar Rd, Eliot near the railroad track where Rt. 236 now is. This home burned.

The tenth of their children was Daniel Albert, born 21 Mar. 1878 and died 23 Dec. 1943 at age 65. He was run over by a car on the Portsmouth Navy Yard. He md. Mary Alice MARTIN, 1 June 1904; they lived in the home of his father which they inherited. They had four children, Alexander, Daniel Albert, Jr., Margaret Alice and Mildred. Margaret lived in the family home with her husband and 7 children until she contracted multiple sclerosis and had to sell it. The house is now owned by a family named MORIARTY. They are in process of restoring the house to original condition; beams have been uncovered and old fireplaces opened.

Grace was the 11th child, born 7 May 1880 and died 1 Oct. 1881. Her untimely death must have caused the family great sadness.

Manie was their 12th to be born, 20 Feb. 1882, and died 18 Feb. 1961. She married John EMERY on the 24th of June 1903. They lived across from her oldest sister, Hannah Gertrude (Gertie) on Goodwin Rd. not far from Ambush Rock, in a house which John had moved there. When first married they lived in the house across from the GOODWIN homestead and their first child was born there. They had 6 children, John Maynard, Rina, Ella Gertrude, Ruth, Ernest and Sherman.

Daniel GOODWIN died of a heart attack, 26 Jan. 1916, in the shed in back of the house and was discovered by his grandson, Daniel Albert, Jr. who was seven at the time. His wife died 22 April 1923. They are buried in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Eliot, Me. He was 83 at his death and she was 80.

The birth dates of all Daniel's children and several marriage records were written in the family Bible the genealogical pages of which are in my [Alice Sharp] possession.

Not having the privilege of knowing my grandfather because he died before I was born, it has been necessary to depend on genealogical facts gathered in my family research and from memories shared with me by relatives who knew him.

My 2nd cousin one generation removed, Ralph GOODWIN, son of Millard and wife Frances L. BRIGGS wrote to me telling what he remembered of my grandfather. The following is quoted directly from his letter:

"I recall two things vividly about your grandfather. One day my father and I were cutting firewood with a circular power saw. I was taking the wood away from the saw when (Gramp) came along to talk to me and he was absent minded going to rest his hand on the revolving saw. I knocked his hand away but he still got a very bad cut. He looked at me in amazement as he did not realize what he had done. Your Uncle Bert took him in the house and took care of it. I also remember that he was lying dead in his home on the night of the Marshal House fire in York Harbor and we could see the reflection of it in the sky."

I wish that I had known my grandfather. He and his wife were certainly a most fruitful bough on the family tree. They had 41 grandchildren and an unknown number of great-grandchildren. He must have been proud of his family. He was an honest, hard working man and provided well for them.

By Alice B. Goodwin Sharp, granddaughter.

GENEALOGY OF FRANCIS LEBARON GOODWIN

Information for the Goodwins obtained from Davis' Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth, page 119 of Part II; Genealogies.

Information regarding the LeBaron Genealogy is from a book called Descendants of Francis LeBaron of Plymouth, published at 73 Federal Street, Boston, in 1904, by T.R. Marvin and Son, Printers. The book was written by Mary LeBaron Stockwell, and is an excellent genealogy of the LeBaron family. In it are all these Goodwins who were related to them. The line follows:

1. Christopher GOODWIN of Charlestown, Massachusetts. He was probably born in England about 1620 as his eldest son was born in 1643 in this country.
2. John GOODWIN, born in 1644; married 1689
3. John GOODWIN, born in 1677; no data about family.
4. Nathaniel GOODWIN, born 14 May, 1724 in Boston; died 21 May, 1771; married 25 December, 1746 Lydia LeBaron, born 3 December, 1724, d. 24 March, 1801, daughter of Lazarus LeBaron of Plymouth, at Plymouth.

They had eleven children; their ninth child was Francis LeBaron GOODWIN, the surgeon, born 29 September, 1762; married in his 25th year at Plymouth, Massachusetts Jane Prince [ROBBINS?], daughter of Rev. Chandler Robbins, minister at Plymouth. He died at Frankfort, Me. February 20, 1816. I could not find the ten sisters and brothers of Francis LeBaron Goodwin, except one brother named Nathaniel who married Molly, daughter of Thomas Jackson. There was also a John GOODWIN, son of the first Nathaniel, who in 1774 married Hannah, daughter of Thomas Jackson.

Contributed by Terry GOODWIN

From GOODWIN & HALEY FAMILY BIBLE (Property of Ms. J. Hooper)

GOODWIN records:

Benjamin Goodwin m. Hannah A. Haley 27 Sept 1875 So. Berwick, Me,
Benjamin Goodwin b. So. Berwick, Me. 15 July 1833, m. Hannah A. Haley b. 30
Nov. 1840 Alfred, Me.

Children:

- a. Benjamin Goodwin, Jr., b. 12 Feb. 1877 So. Berwick, Me.
- b. Gertrude H., b. 17 May 1878 So, Berwick, Me.
- c. Sarah N. b. 15 July 1879 So. Berwick, Me.

Deaths

- a. Benjamin Goodwin, Jr., d. 13 Feb. 1877
 - b. Benjamin Goodwin, Sr., d. 19 Sept. 1887
 - c. Hannah A. Goodwin d. 26 Mar 1914
 - d. Gertrude N. Goodwin d. 6 March 1950 Eliot, Me.
 - e. Sarah N. Goodwin Moulton d. 16 Aug. 1966, York, Me.
 - f. Samuel W. Moulton d. 22 Aug. 1966 York, Me.
 - g. Sarah Goodwin b. 24 Feb. 1800 d. 6 Apr. 1886
 - h. David N. Goodwin b. 21 Apr. 1829 d. 22 Apr. 1888
 - i. Benjamin Goodwin b. 15 July 1833 d. 10 [??] Sept. 19, 1887
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GOODWIN CEMETERY

The following information was copied from monuments and headstones in the
Goodwin Cemetery located on Gov. Goodwin place, Back Sanford Rd., N. Berwick,
Me. By Fannie M. Hilton 30 May 1970.

Monument:

- Samuel Goodwin b. So. Berwick 5 Feb 1764 d. 27 Jan. 1855
- Annie T. Gerrish, wife of Samuel Goodwin b. Kittery, Me. 6 May 1769 d. 18
Sept. 1856
- Mary E. Goodwin b. 12 July 1803 d. 27 Dec. 1867
- Annie T. Goodwin b. 24 Nov. 1792 d. 14 Apr. 1871
- Samuel Goodwin b. 13 Jan. 1799 d. Greenville, Pa. 26 Sept. 1876
- Olive Jordan b. 1 Sept. 1809 d. 10 Feb. 1897

Footstones Marked:

Samuel - Mother - Father - Mary - Ann

Separate Stones:

- Joseph G. Goodwin b. 31 Jan. 1797 d. 12 June 1889
 - Frances Hobbs, Wife of J. G. Goodwin b. 20 Jan 1802 d. 29 Nov. 1880
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