

HENRY¹ OF HINGHAM

Seventh Generation

No. 2350

NAME: Lewis⁷ Chamberlin

Father: Benjamin⁶ Chamberlin (No. 1174)
[Benjamin⁵ (Freedom⁴, Nathaniel³, William², Henry¹)
and Hannah (Snell) Chamberlin]

Mother: Olive Wilkinson

Born: 22 May 1784, Cumberland, Cumberland Co., RI

Died: 19 Mar 1871, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA

Buried:

Married: 26 May 1811, Bennington, Bennington Co., VT

Other Marriages:

No. 12722

SPOUSE: Nancy Murray

Father:

Mother:

Born: About 1786 (?),

Died: 3 May 1877, probably Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA

Buried:

Other Marriages:

CHILDREN

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| M | 2755 | Albert ⁸ , b. 29 Dec 1811, Bennington, Bennington Co., VT. Married Harriet Durbrow, 16 Sep 1851, Middletown, NY. Died 21 Dec 1877, Scranton, PA. + |
| F | 2756 | Louisa ⁸ , b. — Dec 1813, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. Died unmarried in 1898. |
| M | 2757 | Otis K ⁸ , b. 29 Jan 1815, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. Married Caroline Johnson who died in 1904. He was a physician, and resided at Austin, Lander Co., NV, as did his brother Benjamin. He died s.p. |
| F | 2758 | Abigail ⁸ , b. About 1818, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. Died unmarried 20 Sep 1900. |
| F | 2759 | Lydia ⁸ , b. About 1820, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. Died unmarried in 1887. |
| M | 2760 | Lewis ⁸ , b. — Feb 1823, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. Married Harriet Minkler, 1866, probably Susquehanna Co., PA. Died about 1905. + |
| F | 2761 | Mary M ⁸ , b. About 1825, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. She became Postmistress in succession to her father and held the position for nearly 40 years. Died unmarried. |
| F | 2762 | Elizabeth ⁸ , b. About 1828, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. Died unmarried. |

- M 2763 Benjamin⁸, b. About 1831, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. Lived at Austin, Lander Co., NV, as did his brother Dr. Otis K. Died unmarried.
- F 2764 Caroline E⁸, b. About 1834, Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA. Died about 1917, the last of her generation. Probably unmarried.

BIOGRAPHICAL

He removed from Bennington, VT, to Choconut, Susquehanna Co., PA., by oxcart in 1813. He purchased land in 1814 from one Robert H. Rose, who related in the deed, that the title for the land came from Anne Francis, widow of —?— Francis, who devised his title from Richard Penn, one of the former Proprietors of the State, then a Province of Pennsylvania.

He resided at Choconut, where he was a farmer and scythe-maker. He received a commission for Postmaster on 13 June 1829, which he held until 1871, when his daughter Mary succeeded him as Postmistress.

An old account dated in 1826, showed that he paid for some dry goods with scythes, two dozen of which were valued at \$22.

Glazier says that Nancy's name may have been Palmer rather than Murray.

PREPARATION OF THIS RECORD

This record was prepared by the late David C. Chamberlin Sr., using data obtained from various sources as listed. Comments and additional information are welcome and should be sent to the World Chamberlain Genealogical Society. < www.chamberlain-society.org >
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