

Jacob Kimball, born June 9, 1700, married Sarah Hale in 1724. Had a blacksmith shop in Andover where they had a family of six daughters and five sons.

Asa Kimball, born June 15, 1738. Married Hulda Tapley. Lived in Andover where four sons, and perhaps another, were born. Then moved to Nova Scotia where more children were born. Lived first in St. John and then in Maugerville.

Richard Kimball, born Jan. 24, 1763 in MA, and around 1767 his family went to Nova Scotia. He married Sarah Kenney in the early 1780s.

Confusion is caused by inclusion of Richard Kimball as a pre-1783 grantee in Maugerville in "River Saint John" by W.O. Raymond. If this is correct the land could have taken up by this Richard in 1780 when he was 17 years old—or a year or two later. Morrison and Sharples do not give any other Richard of adult age who could have been in Nova Scotia in this period.

The Tapleys (Source: *Genealogy of the Tapley Family*, Harriet S. Tapley)

John Tapley was born in England in 1638, and he became a fisherman. In 1666 when $\frac{3}{4}$ acre of land in Salem was conveyed to him and two other men. He and wife, Elizabeth Pride, lived at Salem Cove. His brother was also part of the colony of fisherman in the Cove. Mentioned in Salem Court Files as master of a ketch in 1671. He was living in 1693 when his house sale was recorded.

Samuel Tapley, born in Salem in Feb. 1683, married Elizabeth Vealey on July 15, 1703. He paid no tax in Salem after 1710. Twins had been born. It seems that both he and his wife had died because Goodwife Vealey was paid by Salem for caring for his twins. One reached adulthood.

Samuel Tapley, Jr. of Boxford. He paid taxes for real estate in Salem in 1740 that were abated in 1745. Married Abiel Goodhall of Topsfield. They were baptized at Topsfield Dec. 28, 1755. He died in the French and Indian War on October 20, 1756. Estate was administered by his widow. Children:

Hulda Tapley, born in Topsfield in 1728 and baptized Dec. 28, 1755. Married July 15, 1760 Asa Kimball son of Jacob and Sarah Kimball. Lived in MA, Nova Scotia (later New Brunswick) and Maine.

Alexander Tapley, born in Topsfield around 1740. Recorded as housewright on Sept. 18, 1763 when he bought a few acres of meadow. On Dec. 9th of that year he married Sarah Hood of Topsfield. Soon they moved to New Brunswick.

Samuel Tapley, born in Topsfield around 1745 and baptized Dec. 28, 1755. His wife was Mary and they also moved to New Brunswick.

The Stephensons (Source: *Descendants of Richard and Sarah Kimball, Oromocto*, Carroll Kimball)

Reuben Stephenson, born August 26, 1759, and Hannah Orcutt, born August 28, 1763, and they were wed in Cohasset, Norfolk, Massachusetts on August 26, 1783.

Collin Stephenson born in Cohasset on Nov. 16, 1786. Probably died in 1846 as indicated by property deeds. He went to New Brunswick but there is no record of his parents or seven siblings relocating there. He married Rebecca Kimball on Jan. 21, 1813. Their children:

William G.	b. 1815	m. Mary E.
Hannah Orcutt	b. Nov. 9, 1819	m. James Sutherland
Sarah		m. John Lincoln
Reuben Richard	b. 1831 in Burton	m. Phebe Jane Cromwell

William G. Stephenson. (1851 census for Burton, Sunbury County, New Brunswick) William G., age 36, carpenter, farmer and property owner; Mary E., 33; five children, ages 2 to 11. Sons were named William C. and Henry. Also in the household were brother, Reuben Richard Stephenson, 20; cousin, Asa Kimball, 14; and a teacher, May J. Taylor. In census of 1861 the family is in Fredericton, and William is a carriage maker.