

He was a member of the First Church of Exeter, signed church covenant Sept. 21, 1698. Highway surveyor 1699. He was Capt. of N. H. forces 1688-1696 (Reg. Colonial Dames of N. H. 91) but no original document of service found.

Ref: Glidden Gen. ; Gen. Dictionary of Me. and N. H. p.266.

Richard was son of:

CHARLES GLIDDEN

b. abt. 1632 Parish of Buckland-Brewer Devon Co. England

m. Apr. 7, 1658 Biddeford Co. of Devon

d. living Exeter, N. H. June 6, 1707

EUNICE SHORE P. 8

b. by 1640

d. living June 1707 Exeter, N. H. 5 chil.

He was a blacksmith. Came with wife and child to Boston, Mass. abt. 1660. The latest record in England was birth of child in Biddeford, 1659 and the earliest in N. E. was birth of 2nd dau. 1661. Moved to Portsmouth, N. H. 1663/4. Moved to Lamprey River settlement of old Exeter now New Milford before Sept. 1668. License for public house 1686. Served during King Phillip's War Aug. 31 to Sept. 28, 1696.

Ref: Glidden Gen.; Ge. Dictionary of Me. and N. H. p. 266. History of Exeter, N. H. p. 219.

Charles was son of:

RICHARD GLIDDEN

d. May 28, 1660 Biddeford England

DOROTHY

d. July 8, 1668 6 chil.

Richard moved from Parish of Pancrasweek to hamlet of Haytown in Chapely of Buckworthy and Parish of Buckland-Brewer, there 1635-1653. Moved to Biddeford after death of son John.

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Richard was son of:

WILLIAM GLIDDEN(GIDDON) son of John.

d. 1635 Parish of Pancrasweek England

URSULA

executrix 1636 7 chil.

He was a weaver.

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Eunice wife of Benjamin Glidden was dau. of: P. 5

ISRAEL AVERILL

b. Apr. 21, 1713 Topsfield, Mass.

m. June 11, 1735 Middleton, Mass.

d. before Aug. 7, 1778

MARY KENNEY(KINNEY) dau. of Daniel, ironmonger. 2. Mary Hilton

d. May 7, 1763 Pownalboro, Me. 8 chil.

He was taxed in Topsfield, Mass. 1752-1759. Dec. 5, 1737 he and his brother Job purchased land, 1280 acres, on the Sheepscut River. 1754 land was laid out to him in Falmouth Co. York. At this period he served in French and Indian Wars; served 1 year, 2months total between 1757 and 1761. Moved his family to Pownalboro, Me. about 1761 and soon became known as a landowner, mill owner, and manufacturer of lumber. With his brother Job had a sawmill on west bank of river. Revolutionary War record: Civil service me.

Ref: Averill Family p. 211-222; Topsfield V. R. p. 9-12.