From: Robbinsfamilysouthjersey@yahoogroups.com on behalf of Chris Schopfer
To: Robbinsfamilysouthjersey@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [Robbinsfamilysouthjersey] Digest Number 130
Date: Thursday, January 05, 2006 1:09:14 PM

However shaky the Hutchinson information, Sara, these relationships sound highly uncertain. I had gotten my information from the Hoopes family website, which had some irregularities to begin with, namely that it listed one child born before the marriage (application), and one born less than two months after; there were also no vital statistics for Joseph or his father.

I'll try to contact the Hoopes researchers to check their source for Abigail's date of birth. If they also got it from the headstone, then I suppose I'll need to start from scratch.

How can I access the file that has the Elijah Robbins bible record and the messages #147 and 148? (The messages I got today were #130, and the Rootsweb archive only has them through December.)

Chris

On 5 Jan 2006 12:21:46 -0000, Robbinsfamilysouthjersey@yahoogroups.com
  Date: Wed, 4 Jan 2006 16:06:22 -0700
  From: "july37" <july37@cox.net >
Subject: Re: Re: Abigail Robbins, Joseph Robbins

Chris,

This is from Charles R. Hutchinson's "Robbins Burying Ground Inscriptions", compiled by CRH in the late 1800's .
"Abigail, wife of Thomas DeBow died Oct 27th 1870 aged 82 years 10, months & 10 days." This is consistent with your information.

I posted the Elijah Robins Bible record in the group's file. It gives the birthdate of Joseph Robins as Oct 1, 1743. This is the Joseph that married Jane Hoopes of Edgemont, PA. I don't know the death date or place of Joseph or Jane but they were living in Del. Co. Pa on 10/15/1768 when they applied for a marriage license at Phila, PA. They may have died in Del Co., PA or migrated with their children who went to western PA & Ohio. Some sources for this couple are found in the Hoopes Family Record, compiled by the Hoopes Family Organization, Houston, TX & "Genealogy of the Smedley Family, Settlers in Chester Co., PA." by Gilbert Cope pub 1901, Will of Abraham Hoopes of Edgemont, PA, Will of Richard Robins of Edgemont, PA (brother of Joseph) & others.

Abigail Robins wife of Thomas DeBow is listed among the above genealogy sources as a child of Joseph & Jane. However, CR Hutchinson writes Abigail wife of Thomas DeBow was the daughter of Joseph Robins son of Zebulon Robins b. 1735. CRH seems to be incorrect on this connection for Abigail as he find he was on her death date. Maybe you or someone else has a thought on it.

There is information in the group's messages # 147 & 148 where Carol G & Gary R have posted on Joseph Robins Rev War Vet & Meribah Salter Robins wife of a Joseph Robins.

Sara

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