



Research Results Report Tara A. Fantauzzi, Professional Genealogist

Summary of Research Results:

One and a half hours of research time was applied completing a digital collections survey to learn more about the identity and direct ancestors of Ebenezer Hemingway. The research survey and correspondence work yielded five positive results; specifically, a combination of historic books and published genealogies related to the Hemingway [Hemenway] lineage going as far back in time as 1634.

Genealogist searched to find the secondary records that were analyzed to compile a pedigree chart for illustrative purposes and searched to locate digitized copies of original documentation from the colony of Massachusetts but was unable to efficiently locate documentation to verify and prove the facts presented by the secondary works found during this phase.

The earliest known direct ancestors of Ebenezer Hemingway were determined to have been Ralph Hemenway who married Elizabeth Hewes on the 5th of July 1634 in Roxbury, Suffolk County, Massachusetts. It was discovered that no proof exists to conclusively link Ralph Hemenway to a specific location, but author Asa Hemenway in his book 'A Genealogical Record of One Branch of the Hemenway Family, from 1634-1880' published during 1880, reported further stated in his introduction that, "It may therefore be fairly inferred that the family was in Yorkshire, or its immediate vicinity [during the mid to early 17th century].

Author Asa Hemenway further stated the following, "It has been found difficult to trace the family prior to 1634. The same difficulty is found by all whose ancestors immigrated about that time, as the time 1632-1636 was the period of the great rush of immigrants to New England, and many expedients were resorted to get passage." He also stated that, "The early records of Roxbury are meager and fragmentary. It is supposed the earliest records were destroyed either by a fire that happened in 1645 or during the Indian troubles in 1675-1680."

Every document that was obtained through research was analyzed and a summary of your research results can be found below. Images of all the records can be downloaded from your *Customer Dashboard* at www.capitalgenealogy.com/laurie-stollenwerk. Please see your **updated poster size pedigree chart** in Document Appendix to visualize your family tree.



Research Results - Documents

HEMINGWAY - History of the Town of Marlborough, Cheshire Co, New Hampshire by Charles Austin Bemis, Published 1881 - Genealogical Register, pgs. 529-530

EBENEZER HEMENWAY, brother Elias, was b. in Framingham, Mass., May 26, 1760; m., June 15, 1786, Ruth, dau. of Amos and Mary (Trowbridge) Gates, b. in Framingham, Feb. 12, 1768. He came to Marl. in 1787, and settled on what is now known as the Franklin Smith place. He was a member of the Congregational Church for over forty years, a man of Christian integrity, and universally respected. He d. Oct. 27, 1839. His widow d. Oct. 18, 1854.

DEA. [Deacon] ELIAS HEMENWAY, son of Samuel and Hannah (Rice) Hemenway, b. in Framingham, Dec. 22, 1757...

HEMINGWAY - A Genealogical History of The Rice Family Descendants of Deacon Edmund Rice - Genealogical Register, pg. 89

SAMUEL HEMENWAY, b. Aug. 3, 1724, m. Hannah Rice [446.1], and d. at Fram., June, 1806, in his 82nd year; brother of Jacob Hemenway of Bridport, VT, and of Daniel Hemenway of Shrewsbury; sons of Ebenezer and Hannah (Winch) Hemenway of Fram.

HEMINGWAY - The Massachusetts Hemenway Family Descendants of Ralph Hemenway of Roxbury, Mass., by Rufus Hemenway, Compiled by Mary Hemenway Newton, published in 1912, Pgs. 25-26



HEMINGWAY - A History of Framingham, Massachusetts including the Plantation, from 1640 to the Present Time with an Appendix, Containing a Notice of Sudbury & its First Proprietors by William Barry, published 1847, Pgs. 282-289

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