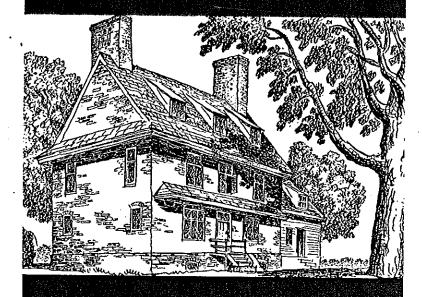
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### BRINTON 1704 HOUSE



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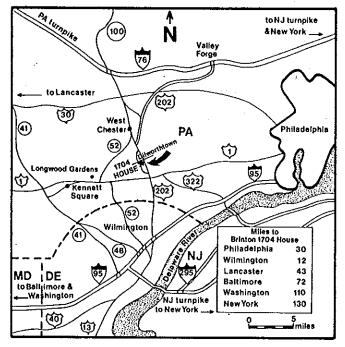
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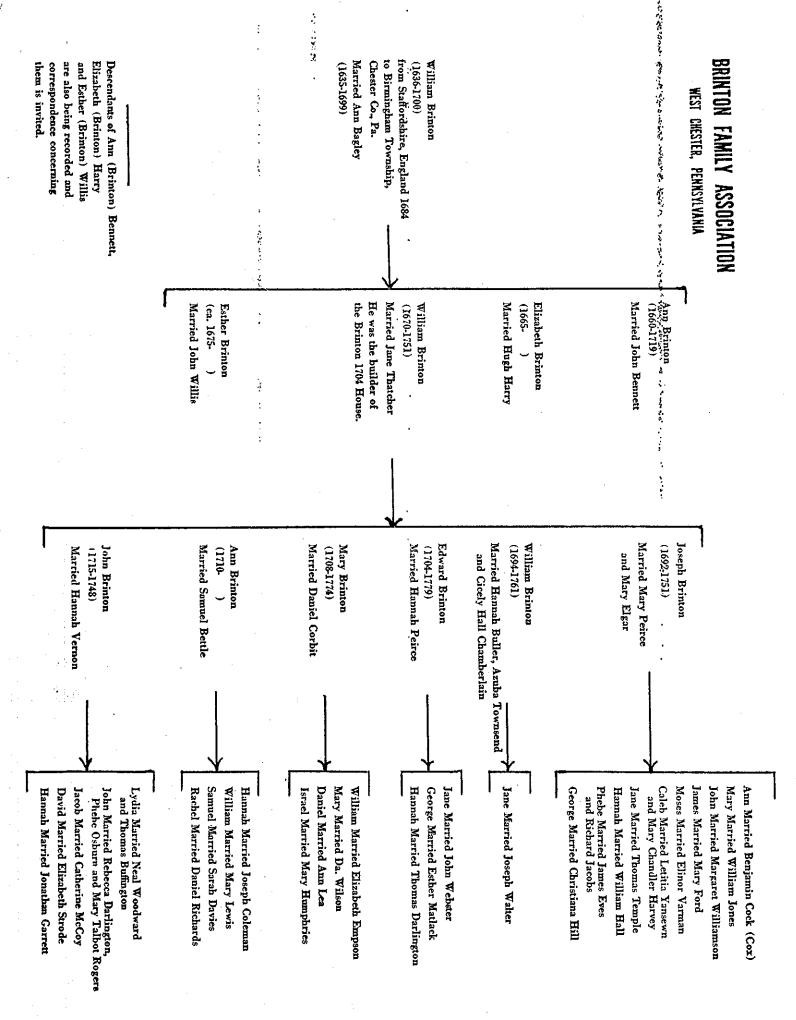
Set among the rolling hills of the Brandywine Valley, the Brinton 1704 House has been called one of the most authentic restorations in Pennsylvania and its neighboring states.

In 1684 Quaker farmer, William Brinton the Elder, arrived here from England with his wife and 14-year-old son, determined to start a new life based upon peace and freedom. Surviving an initial winter in a nearby cave, father and son built a plank cabin and began to farm the 400 acres subsequently granted by William Penn's agent. In 1704, to accommodate his wife and growing family, the younger William Brinton built this stone house based upon his recollections of medieval English architecture. What resulted was a home of uncommon grace.

Room-by-room inventories, taken at the death of the builder in 1751, provided his descendants with an unusually authentic basis upon which the restored house is furnished. There is a feeling that this is a home rather than a museum.

Twenty-seven leaded casement windows, plentiful closets, an indoor bake-oven, raised hearths and a colonial herb garden are among the many notable features.





The History of Chester County, PA - BRINTON

pp. 486-487 - Brinton, William

Footnote - "The English family of Brinton from whom those in America derive descent, took their name from the parish of Brinton, now Brimpton, in Berkshire. The first so named of whom we possess any definite account is Robert de Brinton, who received a manor in Shropshire from King Henry II about the year 1160. His lineal descendant removed to Staffordshire about 1450." -- Dr. Daniel G. Brinton.

William Brinton came to America in 1684 and settled in the Township since called Birmingham. He was born about 1630. His wife, Ann Bagley, d/o Edward was born about 1635. They married about 1659.

He had a son, William; dts.: Elizabeth, Esther and Ann. Ann married John Bennett 4,18,1684.

William Brinton suffered persecution as a Friend. He presented a certificate from Monthly Meeting of Dudley 15 of 11th month 1683. In 1686 he received a patent for 456 acres. He died in 1700; his wife died in 1699.

His daughter, Elizabeth, married Hugh Harris soon after 2nd month (April) 12, 1686. They had four sons and five daughters.

His daughter, Esther, married John Willis of Thornbury.

William Brinton, Jr. was born about 1667 and died in 1751. He married 10,9.1690, Jane, d/o Richard and Jane Thatcher. Jane was born 10,17,1670 and died 12, 17, 1755. He was buried 8th month 17th (1751) at Birmingham Meeting.

William Brinton Jr.'s children:

1. Joseph Brinton b. 11,30, 1692

buried: 10,18, 1751

- m. (1) Mary Peirce on 10,6,1711
  - (2) Mary Elgar on 2,14, 1748
- 2. William Brinton b. 6,25,1694
  - d. 3rd mo. 1761
  - m. 1. Hannah Buller on 2,26,1716
    - 2. Azuba Townsend on 5,9,1724
    - 3. Cecily Chamberlin on 5th mo. 1734
- 3. Edward Brinton b. 12,12, 1704
  - d. 3, 17, 1779
  - m. Hannah Peirce on 4,17, 1724

1,1708

- 4. Mary Brinton b. 2, 19, 1710 d. 12,13, 1774
  - m. Daniel Corbit on 9,8,1739

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### Brinton, Continued --

- 5. Ann Brintonb. 2,19,1710m. Samuel Bettle on 2,29,1731
- 6. John Brinton b. 5,4,1715
  - d. 3d mo. 1748
  - m. Hannah Vernon on 2,21, 1736

<sup>&</sup>quot;A genealogy and history of the family, quarto, pp. 60, was compiled and printed for private distribution by Dr. Daniel G. Brinton, 1878."

# Brinton-Willis-Fouke-Ward-Ferree Connections

## william Brinton m. Ann Bagley, dt. of Edward

| Esther Susannah<br>Stephen William<br>Susannah Sarah<br>William John<br>Sarah | Esther Stephen Sarah Thomas Ward Ward Ward Ward Ward Ward Ward Ward | Esther Foulke Eneas Foulke m. Keepers m.        | Benjamin Willis Henry Willis Mary                              | Ann Brinton  m. John Bennett  m. Hugh Harry     |
|---|---|---|--|---|
| Esther Stephen William Susannah Priscilla William John Sarah Jonathan         | Susannah William P<br>Ward Ward Ward W<br>m. Samuel m. Wdianness    | Priscilla Foulke Susanna Foulke m. William Ward | Mary Willis Anne Willis John m. John Wall m. Jos. Well m. N    | <u>ton</u>                                      |
| Susannah<br>Daniel Jr.<br>William<br>Sarah<br>John                            | riscilla James A ard ward ward ward ward ward ward ward             | John Foulke                                     | ohn Willis Esther Willis Edward m. Wary Webb m. Stephen Foulke | Esther Brinton m. John Willis (d. 1745) Will m. |
| Esther Stephen Susannah Wiliam Priscilla Sarah Thomas Baneas                  | Anthony<br>Ward<br>m. Priscilla                                     | Stephen   | ard Sarah Willis* m. Thos. Ward                                | William Brinton<br>m. Jane Thatcher             |

字Question: Is William Ward, who married Susannah Foulke, the son of Sarah Willis and Thomas Ward?????

Research on these lines done by: Pam Sims, Indianapolis, Indiana

Evelyn McDaniel Ward, Raleigh, NC

Barbara A. Ferree, Winter Park, Florida

Notes; John Willis, who married Esther Britton, was a son of Henry Willis and Mary Peace. \* For information on Sarah Willis, who married Thomas Ward, see family charts of Frank A. Ward, Esquire, of Galesburg, Illinois.

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### Edward Bagley

William Brinton m. Ann Baqley (1630-1700) (1635-1699)

|   |   | (2) Ruth Buffington) /  Evan, Hugh, Jr., John, Jane, Lois, Olive | (One of these men is father of / Are they the Moses, whose Are they married hydratic parents of John Ferree, Jr., s/o John & / | Wm. III, Edward, Mary, Ann, John / m. T                      | m. Jane Thatcher m.Hugh Harris in1686 m. Jo<br>(1670-1755) (he d. 1708) (s<br>d/o Richard / | Elizabeth Brinton Est |
|---|---|--|--|--|---|-----------------------|
| John Daniel Ferree  m. (1) Adalene Heaston  John W. Ferree, M.D.  m. Roberta North  Barbara A. Ferree | m. (1) Lydia Elliott  John Ferree m. (1) Rebecca Harvey | Priscilla Ward  m. Daniel Ferree Sr.  Daniel Ferree Jr.          | Susannah Foulke? m. William Ward   | is Esther Willis Wm., John Jr., Ann, Olive m. Stephen Foulke | John Willis m. John Bennett in 1684 (s/o John) (he d. 1709)                                 | Brinton Ar            |

William Brinton, from Nether Gournall, parish of Sedgeley, Staffordshire (nr. Birmingham)in1684.

Sources: Research by Pam Sims, of Indpls, IN, and Barbara Ferree, Fern Park, FL. History of Delaware County, PA by George Smith, M.D.

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grandson of Daniel Ferree & Marie Warembour(g)
               Solomon Ferree or his brother, Moses Ferree father of:
                        <u>Daniel Ferree Sr</u>. (ca. 1760 - d. 1803/4)
                         m. Priscilla Ward
               Probable Lineage of Priscilla Ward
                        William Brinton (1636-1700)
                         m. Ann Bagley, d/o Edward (1635-1699)
William Brinton
                         Esther Brinton
                          (b. ca. 1675)
(1670-1751)
                          m. John Willis
m. Jane Thatcher
Joseph Brinton
                                                        Sarah Willis
(1692 - 1751)
                                                        (b.
m. (1) Mary Peirce
                                                        m. Thomas Ward
                          m. Stephen Foulke
                         Susannah Foulke
Moses Brinton
                                                        William Ward (???)
m. Elinor Varman
                          m. William Ward -
                                                    ---- m. Susannah Foulke)
                                               ???????
William Brinton
                         Priscilla Ward
                               - 1850 )
                         Daniel Ferree Sr. (ca. 1760-1803/4)
m. Lydia Ferree *
                         Daniel Ferree Jr.
                          (1802-1890)
                         m. (1) Lydia Elliott, d/o Joseph and
*Lydia was the do
                                                    Ruth (Wilson) Elliott
John Ferree (see above)
and his 2nd wife, Ruth
 Buffington
                         John Ferree (1828-1909)
      and the
                         m. (1) Rebecca Harvey
  d/o Jbhn Ferree Jr.
    and Betty Bailey
                         John Daniel Ferree (1871-1961)
                          m. (1) Mary Adalene Heaston
                         John Willard Ferree, M.D. (1904-1975)
                          m. Roberta North
                         Barbara A. Ferree (b. 1932)
                          m. Jim C. Barden, 1960; div. 1973;
                                resumed maiden name in 1982
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Solomon Ferree (ca. 1725?-1782)

son of John Ferree and (1) Mary Musgrave

William Brinton (1436-1900)

m. ann Bagley

w. Brinton (1670-1901)

Daniel Ferree

m. Maria Varenteer

m. Maria Varenteer

m. Mary Peirce

m. Betty Bailey

m. Cliner Harman

William Brinton (1959-1842) y Lydia Ferree (1766-1807)

m. Lydia Ferree

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m. Betty Bailey

m. Lydia Ferree (1766-1807)

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