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FAIRFIELD COUNTY.

The town of New Canaan was incorporated in 1801. Previous to this date what is now New Canaan was part of Norwalk and Stamford, and called Canaan Society, incorporated 1731. The Congregational Church of New Canaan was organized in 1733 from the churches at Norwalk and Stamford. The following are the marriages recorded on the New Canaan Church book

Josiah Weed & Abigail Boutten,	April 15, 1742
John Richards & Rebekah Fitch,	Jan. 19, 1742-3
David Holly & Sarah Little,	July 28, 1743
Peter Smith & Jemima Benedict,	Feb. 29, 1743-4
Jonathan Husted & Mary Carter,	Dec. 3, 1744
Elijah Green & Elizabeth Roberts,	Jan. 20, 1744-5
Eleazer Slosson & Sarah Raymond,	Aug. 20, 1745
Jonathan Burall & Hannah Carter,	April 7, 1746
John Benedict & Mary Benedict,	June 12, 1746
John Williamson & Mary Hoit,	Sept. 17, 1746
Peter Husted & Anne Seymour,	Oct. 23, 1746
David Stevens, Jr., & Susanna Seeley,	Sept. 1, 1747
Moses Comstock & Elizabeth St. John,	June 30, 1748
Israel Lockwood & Susanna Smith,	Sept 1, 1748
Nathanael Cryssey & Martha Bishop,	Sept. 29, 1748
William Bolt & Lydia Fitch,	Dec. 8, 1748
Benjamin Bolt & Hannah Keeler,	Dec. 29, 1748
James Hays & Eunice Wood,	Feb. 9, 1748-9
David Benedict, Jr., & Anna Hoit,	Feb. 20, 1748-9
Ezra Boutten & Mary Boutten,	June 28, 1749
Pierson Bishop & Hannah Finch,	Aug. 17, 1749
Hezekiah Boutten & Abigail Penoyr,	Oct. 12, 1749
Ebenezzer Crofoot & Sarah St. John, in Norwalk,	Nov. 1, 1749
Reuben Lockwood & Elizabeth Stevens,	Dec. 21, 1749
Eliphalet Seeley, Jr., & Sarah Schrivner,	May 10, 1750
Samuel Finch & Abigail Resco,	May 15, 1750
John Finch & Sarah Penoyr,	June 14, 1750
Abram Hoit & Dorothy Keeler,	June 20, 1750
Stephen Benedict & Ruth Keeler,	July 31, 1750
Samuel Seymour, Jr., & Sarah Betts,	March 17, 1750

"Here the names of 14 couples were torn out of the original records."

Enoch St. John & widow Sally Powers,	March 24, 1790
The daughter of Thadueus Hubbel & Mr. ——— of Wilton,	May 19, 1790
Caleb Benedict & Sally Seymour,	June 10, 1790
Matthew Fitch & Elizabeth Seymour,	June 15, 1790
Abijah Comstock, Jr., & Betsey Raymond,	Sept., 1790
Moses Hanford, Jr., & Betsey Husted,	Sept., 1790
Samuel Hoyt of Wilton & P. Weed of Norwalk,	Oct. 7, 1790
John Hanford & Sally Weed,	Dec. 28, 1790
Daniel Bouton, Jr., & Hannah Mills of North Stam- ford,	Dec., 1790
Stephen Dan of Salem & Sarah Jones,	Dec. 1, 1790
—— Beel of Frederickstown, N. Y., & Mercy Richards,	March 2, 1791
Mr. —— Deforest & Isabel Hoit,	April 28, 1791
William Raymond & Miss Clayland,	April 21, 1791
John St. John of Wilton & Mary Crissey of North Stamford,	May 12, 1791
Samuel Eells & Hannah Gray,	April, 1791
Andrew Seymour & Hannah Kellogg,	June 9, 1791
Elisha Stevens & Jane Stevens,	Nov. 13, 1791
Peter Buchout of Wilton & Susa St. John,	Nov. 24, 1791
Jesse Hickok & Betsey Hoit,	Nov. 24, 1791
—— Scofield of Pound Ridge & Susannah Nicols of North Stamford,	Jan. 4, 1792
Mr. —— Long & Esther Robinson, both of Wil- ton,	Feb. 10, 1792
Benjamin St. John & Dorcas Bouton,	June 20, 1792
Samuel Cooke Silliman, Esq., & Dinah Comstock,	June 28, 1792
Abijah Silsby & Mary Benedict,	——
Jona—— Hoit, Jr., & Peggy Taylor,	——
Abijah St. John & Hannah Hendrick,	Sept., 1792
Stephen Camp & Rachel Hickok,	Oct., ——
Ebenezer Deforest & Polly Gilbert,	Oct. 20, 1792
Daniel Weed & Mehetable Benedict,	Oct., ——
Matthias St. John & Esther Abbot,	Nov., ——
Daniel Butler & Dinah Eells,	Nov. 17, 1792
Col. Hickok of Sheffield & Miss Comstock of Wilton,	Nov. 29, 1792

Comfort Hoit of Danbury & widow Gregory of Wilton,	Jan. 16, 1793
Peter Hoit & Esther Weed,	Feb., 1793
Stephen Bouton & Polly Jarvis,	Feb. 27, 1793
Moses Stevens of North Stamford & Hannah Beebe,	Feb. 26, 1793
—— Fitch & Damaris Weed,	Feb. 27, 1793
Jehiel Keeler & Anne Hubbel of Wilton,	March 3, 1793
Asabel Weed of Stamford & Thankful Finch,	May, 1793
Luke Keeler & Jemima Benedict,	June, 1793
Peter St. John & Rachel Johnes,	July, 1793
—— Eells & —— ——,	Nov. 14, 1793
Matthew Hoit & —— Keeler,	Nov. 14, 1793
Daniel Weed & Patty Benedict,	Nov. 12, 1793
Isaac Hoit of Salem & Huldah Weed,	——
Isaac Keeler & Cornarine Tuttle,	March 2, 1794
Stephen Hoit & Polly Carter,	May 20, 1794
Isaac Benedict & Mary Davenport,	Aug. 18, 1794
Timothy Reed & Mrs. Hanford of Wilton,	Aug. 27, 1794
Eben'r Ayres & Thankful Lockwood,	Nov. 5, 1794
Seth Weed & Sally Ayres,	Nov. 26, 1794
Hezekiah Jennings & Hannah Hoit,	Nov. 27, 1794
Gilead Ambler of Danbury & Anne Hoit,	Jan. 1, 1795
—— Steward of Redding & Betsey Pennoyer,	Feb. 19, 1795
Samuel Kellogg & Patty Wilson of Pound Ridge,	March 1, 1795
Seth Hickok & Keziah Hoit,	Aug. 1, 1795
Ebenezer Carter & Rhoda Weed,	April 1, 1795
Nathan Hanford & Mary St. John,	Oct. 8, 1795
Lebbeus Reed of Canaan & Abby Davenport of North Stamford,	Oct., 1795
Nehe (?) Mead of Horse Neck & Ruth Richards,	Nov. 5, 1795
<u>David</u> Bishop & Mary Finch,	Nov. 22, 1795
John Tuttle & Isabel Garner,	Nov. 26, 1795
Ebenezer Hoit & Hannah Hayes,	Feb. 24, 1796
Thaddeus Hanford & Sally St. John,	March, 1796
Daniel Rumsey of Ballstown & Isabel Howes,	April 21, 1796
Ezra Ayres of Pound Ridge & Abby Kellogg,	Nov. 16, 1796