

# The 1623 Division of Land

The meersteads and garden plots of those which came first laid out 1620.

The north side

The south side

The street

Peter Brown  
John Goodman  
Mr. Wm. Brewster

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high way

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John Billington  
Mr. Isaac Allerton  
Francis Cooke  
Edward Winslow

The falls of their grounds which came first over in the *Mayflower* according as their lots were cast.

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| These lie on the<br>south side of<br>the brook to<br>the baywards | Robert Cushman . . . . .       | 1 | The number of<br>acres to each<br>one |
|   | Mr. William Brewster . . . . . | 6 |                                       |
|   | William Bradford . . . . .     | 3 |                                       |
|   | Richard Gardinar . . . . .     | 1 |                                       |
|   | Francis Cooke . . . . .        | 2 |                                       |
|   | George Soule . . . . .         | 1 |                                       |
|   | Mr. Isaac Allerton . . . . .   | 7 |                                       |
|   | John Billington . . . . .      | 3 |                                       |
|   | Peter Brown . . . . .          | 1 |                                       |
|   | Samuel Fuller . . . . .        | 2 |                                       |
| Joseph Rogers . . . . .   | 2                              |   |                                       |

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These contain 29 acres

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These lie on  
the south side  
of the brook to  
the woodward  
opposite the  
former.

John Howland . . . . . 4  
Stephen Hopkins . . . . . 6  
Edward . . . . . 1  
Edward . . . . . 1  
Gilbert Winslow . . . . . 1  
Samuel Fuller junior . . . . . 3

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These contain 16 acres besides Hobomok's ground which lieth between  
John Howland's and Hopkins'.

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This 5 acres lieth  
behind the fort  
to the little pond.

William White . . . . . 5

These lie on the  
north side of  
the town next  
adjoining to  
their gardens  
which came in  
the *Fortune*.

Edward Winslow . . . . . 4  
Richard Warren . . . . . 2  
John Goodman . . . . . [damage]  
John Crackston . . . . . [damage]  
John Alden . . . . . [damage]  
Mary Chilton . . . . . [damage]  
Capt. Myles Standish . . . . . 2  
Francis Eaton . . . . . 1  
Henry Sampson . . . . . 1  
Humility Cooper . . . . . 1

The falls of their grounds which came in the *Fortune* according as their lots were cast 1623. This ship came Nov. 1621.

These lie to the sea,  
eastward

These lie beyond the first brook  
to the wood westward.

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William Hilton . . . . . 1  
John Winslow . . . . . 1  
William Conner . . . . . 1  
John Adams . . . . . 1  
William Tench &  
John Cannon . . . . . 2

William Wright &  
William Pitt . . . . . 2  
Robert Hicks . . . . . 1  
Thomas Prence . . . . . 1  
Stephen Deane . . . . . 1  
Moses Simonson &  
Philip Delano . . . . . 2  
Edward Bumpass . . . . . 1  
Clement Briggs . . . . . 1  
James Steward . . . . . 1  
William Palmer . . . . . 2  
Jonathan Brewster . . . . . 1  
Bennett Morgan . . . . . 1  
Thomas Flavell  
& his son . . . . . 2  
Thomas Morton . . . . . 1  
William Bassett . . . . . 2

These following lie  
beyond the 2 brook

Hugh Stacey . . . . . 1  
William Beale &  
Thomas Cushman . . . . . 2  
Austin Nicholas . . . . . 1  
Widow Ford . . . . . 4

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15 acres

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19 acres

The falls of their grounds which came over in the ship called the *Anne*,  
according as their lots were cast. 1623.

|                   | Acres | These to the sea eastward. | Acres. |
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| James Rande ..... | 1     | Francis Sprague .....      | 3      |

These following lie beyond the brook to Strawberry Hill.

|                           |   |                              |   |
|---------------------------|---|------------------------------|---|
| Edmond Flood .....        | 1 | Edward Burcher .....         | 2 |
| Christopher Connant ..... | 1 | John Jenny .....             | 5 |
| Francis Cooke .....       | 4 | Goodwife Flavell .....       | 1 |
|                           |   | Manessah & John Faunce ..... | 2 |

These butt against the swamp and reed-pond

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| George Morton &<br>Experience Mitchell ..... | 8 |
| Christian Penn .....                         | 1 |
| Thomas Morton junior .....                   | 1 |
| William Hilton's wife<br>& 2 children .....  | 3 |

This goeth in with a corner by the pond.

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| Alice Bradford .....                                | 1 |
| Robert Hicks his<br>wife & children .....           | 4 |
| Bridgett Fuller .....                               | 1 |
| Ellen Newton .....                                  | 1 |
| Patience & Fear Brewster,<br>with Robert Long ..... | 3 |
| William Heard .....                                 | 1 |
| Mrs. Standish .....                                 | 1 |

These following lie on the other side of the town towards the Eel River.

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| Mary Buckett adjoining to<br>Joseph Rogers ..... | 1  |
| Mr. Oldham & those joined<br>with him .....      | 10 |
| Godbert Godbertson .....                         | 6  |
| Anthony Annable .....                            | 4  |
| Thomas Tilden .....                              | 3  |
| Richard Warren .....                             | 5  |
| Bangs .....                                      | 4  |

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|---|---|
| Robert Ratcliffe beyond the<br>swamp & stony ground ..... | 2 |
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These butt against Hobb's Hole

|                               |           |
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| Nicholas Snow .....           | [damaged] |
| Anthony Dix .....             | [damaged] |
| Mr. Pierce's 2 servants ..... | [damaged] |
| Ralph Wallen .....            | [damaged] |

South side

|                                  |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Stephen Tracey three acres ..... | 3 |
| Thomas Clarke one acre .....     | 1 |
| Robert Bartlett one acre .....   | 1 |

North side

|                                       |        |
|---------------------------------------|--------|
| Edward Holman 1 acre .....            | 1      |
| Frances wife to William Palmer .....  | 1 acre |
| Joshua Pratt &<br>Phineas Pratt ..... | 2      |