

Zwesper-Charles Henry Hall House, 127 Mountain Road, Epsom, NH

The home of Charles Henry Hall was built by Charles Hall about 1852, after being raised on Center Hill near the McClary Cemetery. He gathered additional adjoining land to complete his farm, and here raised his family having married Lucy Langley in 1852. Around 1857 he bought an additional house further up Mountain Road and moved his father into that residence. His son Hollis married Mabel Sanders in 1891, and he built a home next to his father.

CHRONOLOGY of owners (not necessarily resident):

1732, Original right of James Marden, Lot 20; 1749, Nathan Marden from James Marden; 1783, Nathan Marden (son) from Nathan Marden Sr., Lot 20; 1801, James Harvey McClary from Nathan Marden Jr., large part of Lot #20 in the first range, original right of Nathan Marden Sr.; 1807, Michael McClary from James H. McClary of Epsom, 80 acres, large part of Lot #20, no buildings mentioned; June 5, 1834, T.D. Merrill from the Piscataqua Bank, land of M. Steele, died, seized part of Lot #20 (Marden Lot) in the first range and part of Gore Lot; June 27, 1834, David Griffin from T.D. Merrill, 80 acres, land formerly owned by Michael McClary deceased, east side of Mountain Road, part of Marden and Gore lot, so called. 1839, John Griffin from David Griffin, 65 acres known as the Marden and Gore Lot; 1848, Joseph Lawrence Jr. from John Griffin of Epsom, 80 acres, pasture land, no buildings; 1852, Charles Henry Hall of Epsom from Joseph Lawrence Jr., 4 1/2 acres on Mountain Road, house of Mr. Hall now built on the property; 1904, Hollis Hall, son, from Charles H. Hall, all my real estate, by will written 1898 (Charles H. Hall died 1904); 1938, Flora H. Sullivan, daughter of Hollis Hall, sole heir on death of father; 1967, Blake Brook Campground from Flora H. Sullivan, land and buildings in deed of Lawrence to Hall (1852); 1968, Gottfried O. Zwesper from Blakes Brook Campground.

GENEALOGY: Nathan Marden married Susannah Berry and had children; Sarah, James, Lucy, Judith and Nathan. His wife Susannah died and he married second Hannah Marden. Son Nathan married Sarah Edmunds and had children: Edward Edmund, Susanna and William.

Benjamin Hall married first Polly Wells, daughter of Daniel Wells and Lucy Emerson. They had for children: Charles Henry Hall who married Lucy Jane Langley, daughter of True Langley and Mehitable Dow; Andrew J. Hall who married Sarah Poynter; and Hollis who died a young man. Benjamin married

second Mary Dowst, daughter of John Dowst and Betsy Wallace. Benjamin and Mary had for children: Lucy who married Charles Cofran; Daniel who married Hannah Piper; Mary who married James L. Batchelder; Ellen J. who married John J. Hill; Caroline who died young; Hannah who married Charles Roberts, and Edward who married Lucy Cofran.

Charles H. Hall who married Lucy Langley had for children: Charlie who died young; Sarah Jane who married Warren Bickford; Henrietta who died young; Charles A. who died young; Edward M. who married Clara Alton; Ella who married William B. Brown; Hollis who married Mabel Sanders; and Charles Henry who died a young man.

Hollis Hall and Mabel Sanders had one daughter, Flora D. Hall who married Arthur H. Sullivan.



