John and Margaret Wrightstone Estate, Deed, and Civil Records Timeline

York County Deeds

¹ *March 21*st 1839 – Joseph and Catherine Fetrow of Newberry Township sell to John Rightstone 44 acres and 38 acres on Conewago Creek. The second tract came from orphans' court in 1829, and was sold to Ann Frazer guardian of Joel Fetrow, son of Michael Fetrow. Joel sold on September 18, 1834 and it is subject to a widow (Barbara Fetrow). Recorded March 22, 1841

² February 14th 1841 – John Fetrow of Fairview, a cooper (makes barrels) sells or releases to John Rightstone of Wrightstone of Newberry Township. Mentions payments due Barbara Fetrow

³ August 4th 1845 – John and Margaret Wrightstone of Newberry Township sell to Fredrick A. Parthemore (Parthmore) of Conewago land on Conewago Creek 54 acres and 38 acres. Land was refused by guardian of Joseph and Joel Fetrow, children of Michael Fetrow. Recorded August 08, 1845

⁴ *January 15th 1846* – John (Margaret not mentioned) Wrightstone sells to Fredrick A. Parthemor (Parthmore) a release. Payment to Michael and Barbara Fetrow - Recorded February 26, 1846

⁵ *May 17th 1850* – John and Leah Wrightstone of Conewago sell to Israel Garetson of Newberry Township 21 acres of land, part of a tract purchased from Samuel R. Dulcher on November 22, 1850, Recorded May 18, 1850

Note: The name is spelled Rightstone and Wrightstone. Margaret is still living on August 04, 1845, but must have passed away prior to either January 15th 1846 or 1849-50.

York County Court Dockets

John must have had a few charges files against him. John's 1st wife would have died circa 1845. The following records could also be against John's son, John.

1847 April Session – The Court vs. John Wrightstone – Indictment assault and battery, true bill for April 6 1847 - Settled by parties with Constable Court - Defendant to pay the costs – Tried R. J. Fisher Esq - John paid \$1.31 ½ cents. This could also be John's son, John, who would be 17 years old.

Note: Michael is on the tax list for Fairview in 1847. (See Michael Eliza Wrightstone Family Bio) Where's the father John in 1844 to 1847? Also Check out R.J. Fisher

1851 November Session – County vs. John Wrightstone – Indictment assault and battery – true bill fined November 21st 1851. Tuesday defendant & Francis Werly as security \$200 for appearances of defendants at January Session1/5/52 to answerJohn Baker, Wm Eichiltz, Susanna Seip – Tuesday November 4 1851 – Each in \$100.00

1852 January Session - Tried January 8th 1852. The attached January 1852 Court Docket for the 8th shows Conewago, John Wrightstone

¹ York County Deeds, Book 3Q, Page 409, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

² York County Deeds, Book 3Q, Page 325, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

³ York County Deeds, Book 3T, Page 183, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

⁴ York County Deeds, Book 3T, Page 326, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

⁵ York County Deeds, Book 3V, Page 388, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

Notes:

- 1. John, or his son John, lived in Conewago during the 1851 assault, but John his son lived with the Hart family in Fairview Township September 23rd 1850. Where's the father John in 1844 to 1847?
- 2. Susanna Seip-Sipe may be on another estate document, she may also be related to Leah Sipe, who married John and lived with him during this time. Who is Susanne Sipe?

In the 1850 Census for Conewago Township record for John Rightstone, Susan Sipe, age 45, lives nearby. She is the wife of Henry Sipe, age 58. Catherine Billet lives next door, and is age 2, living in the home of John Wire.

In the 1850 Census for Conewago Township there is also a Susannah Sipe, age 21, living with Philip Sipe, age 72, Magdalena Sipe, age 71, and Mary Dottesman, age 10/

Margaret Wrightstone

May 20th 1854 - This is a Bond.

- "...Know all Men By These Presents That we Joseph McCreary of Newberry Township, John W. Witmer Esq. of the Borough of York, and Elijah Ganetson of Spring Garden Township, all of the County of York and State of Pennsylvania are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the sum of Fifteen Hundred (1550) Dollars, to be paid to the said Commonwealth, to which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, jointly and severally, for and in the whole, our heirs, executors, and administrators, firmly by those presents. Sealed with our seals, *dated the 20th day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and Fifty Four...*"
- "...The conditions of this Obligation is, that if the above bounden Joseph McCreary Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Margaret Wrightstone late of Newberry Township deceased, do make or cause to be made, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased, which have or shall come of the hands, possession or knowledge of him, the said Joseph McCreary..."

Note: John's 1st wife Margaret died circa 1845. Are Joseph McCreary of Newberry Township, John W. Witmer Esq. of the Borough of York, and Elijah Ganetson of Spring Garden Township related?

There is an Israel Garetson who was involved with John and Leah Wrightstone in a Deed dated May 18th 1850 for Newberry Township. Vol 3-V Pg 388

There is a Joseph McCreary, age 50, living in Newberry Township in the 1850 census. He is living with Sarah, age 50, Washington, age 23, and Elizabeth, age 15.

There is a Joseph McCurry, age 61, in Newberry Township in the 1860 census. He is living with Sarah McCurry, age 67, Elizabeth, age 24, and Kess McCurry. Not far from John Wrightstone

Margaret hart-Wrightstone would have died, and Leah Wrightstone would be John's 2nd wife during the following timeline of John's estate. John died prior to September 1856.

1. This is an Inventory and Appraisement of the \$300 worth of goods and chattels allowed Leah Wrightstone. "\$300 Inventory for Leah Wrightstone widow of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Tp. deceased...Filed October 11th 1856 & approved..." "Inventory and appraisement of property selected by Leah Wrightstone widow of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Township York County deceased under law allowing \$300 worth of Property to widow of decedent..."

There is an extensive list of property that Leah took; all house furniture; 3 spinning wheels and reels; Shotgun; pistol; mantle clock and watch; stove and piping; all farm implements; tools; live stock-3 hogs, cow, calf, and horse; harrow and double trees; horse gear and 2 saddles; chains, 2 log chains and 2 hatters; a "lot" of straw; wagon and beads; 2 tons more or less of Hay; bushels of corn, rye, wheat, corn fodder, and potatoes. The total came out to \$299.99.

- "...We the undersigned appraisers selected to appraise \$300 \sim worth of property for Leah Wrightstone widow of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Township York County deceased, having first been duly qualified according to law, appraised the property mentioned in the foregoing Inventory selected elected to be taken by said widow on account of her claim under \$300 \sim and we certify that same is just true and correct and that she selected to take and claimed the balance of her \$300 worth out of the real estate, that upon examination we find the same cannot be divided on land to the value of the balance of her \$300 set apart without prejudice to or spoiling the whole. We therefore recommend the same be paid to her when the land is sold witnessed our hands this 21^{st} day of September AD 1856..." Frederick Shetter Peter Day John Coble John (??)
- 2. This is an appraisement of John Wrightstone's Goods. "Filed October 10th 1856 Inventory of John Rightstone late of Conewago Township Deceased List of the appraisement of John Rightstone Deceased."

"...Inventory and appraisement of the property of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Township York County Deceased..."

Articles	\$ Totals
1 Horse appraised	70.00
Horse gears and 2 saddles	6.00
2 old ploughs and fish gig	.62 1/2
Old wagon beads and feed trough	.12 1/2
Lot of Books	.50
Lot of Books	.31
Rope	.75
Lot of Tobacco	<u>5.00</u>
	\$ 83.31

Written in different hand writing: (This notation appears in the Filing conducted April 4th 1858)

Vendue List 132.17 Inventory 83.31

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⁶ September 20th 1856: These are simultaneous actions that appear to have occurred on September 20th 1856. The second (#2 below) of these two actions was filed 1st, but I suspect that Leah Wrightstone (#1 below) was permitted to take what she wanted of John's estate before a final apprising of property for auctioning.

⁶ John Rightstone, Estate Record, Book AA, Page 379, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

"We the undersigned appraisers selected to appraise the goods and chattels of John Rightstone Late of Conewago Township York County Deceas3ed having first been duly qualified according to law appraised the property mentioned in the foregoing inventory witness our hand this 20th day of September 1856." Frederick Shetter – Peter Day – John Coble

Note: John's last name is spelled Rightstone and Wrightstone. John Coble is one of the appraisers. There is a John Coble, whose son Lewis marries Mary Jane Wrightstone; Mary Jane is the adopted daughter of William Wrightstone, John's brother. Lewis was born November 1849 (adopted circa March 1851) ⁷ His adoptive parents were John and Catherine Coble. Is this Lewis's adoptive father, John?

October 10th 1856 – ⁸ The filing of the 2nd September 20th 1856 – "Inventory of John Rightstone late of Conewago Township Deceased - List of the appraisement of John Rightstone Deceased."

October 11th 1856 – The filing of the 1st September 20th 1856 - ⁹ "\$300 Inventory for Leah Wrightstone widow of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Tp. deceased..."

¹⁰ *October 24th 1856* – This is the date of the auction. There is a list of names and what they paid for John's goods. This list is part of the November 12th 1856 filing. "An Inventory of the goods of John Rightstone Deceased Late of Conewago Township York County sold this 24th day of October A.D. 1856 by John M. Wilt Administrator of said Deceased."

There are many names listed who bought John's goods. The total amount the auction brought in was \$132.17. The most notable people for my research are:

- Leah Rightstone: John's 2nd wife, she bought a "Lot of Hay".
- Daniel Strine: John's daughter Sara Ann married Daniel Strine
- Philip Seip (Sipe):
 - o Leah Wrightstone was married to Joseph Sipe before marring John Wrightstone.
- John Rightstone: John's son who made a number of purchases
- Henry Bare (Barr): My ancestor, the Barr's, of Lehigh county origins:
 - o My GG-Grandfather moved into Newberry and Conewago areas.
- Samuel Coble: Jon's brother, William Rightstone of Fairview
 - o Has a daughter Mary Jane who married Lewis Coble.

¹¹ November 12th 1856 – This is the filing of the auction held October 11th 1856. "...Filed November 12th 1856 Venue List John Wrightstone late of Conewago Township Deceased...List of Goods of John Rightstone Sold by John M. Wilt October 24th A.D. 1856."

Note: The name is spelled Wrightstone and Rightstone. Daniel Strine married John's daughter Sarah Ann Wrightstone Vendue means public sale at auction. The auction and list are contained in the November 12th 1856 Document.

⁷ Marriage Application and Licenses, Clerk of the Orphans' Court, Cumberland County Court House, Courthouse Square, Carlisle, PA, Book 6 Page 394

 ⁸ John Rightstone, Estate Record, Book AA, Page 379, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA
 ⁹ John Rightstone, Estate Record, Book AA, Page 379, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

¹⁰ John Wrightstone, Estates Records, Book AA, Page 137, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, PA

¹¹ John Wrightstone, Estates Records, Book AA, Page 137, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, PA

April 28th 1857 – This is the establishment of a Bond for John Wrightstone's estate.

"...Know All men by These Presents That We John M. Wilt and John Becker of Conewago Township York County are held and firmly bonded unto the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars lawful money of said Commonwealth, in trust for the heirs and all other persons interested in the real estate of John Wrightstone of Conewago Township deceased, to be paid to the said Commonwealth in trust as aforesaid; for which payment, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves jointly and severely, our and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seal and dated the twenty eight day of April in the day of our lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven..."
"... Whereas the said John M. Wilt intends making application to the Orphans' Court of York county for an Order authorizing him to sell certain real estate of the said John Wrightstone deceased, for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased..."

It was approved by Daniel Witmyer, and signed by John M. Wilt and Beacker.

Note: Is John M. Wilt and John Becker of Conewago related to John's family? ¹²In 1850 Sarah Ann Wrightstone, age 23, was living in the home of John Becker of Conewago Township.

- ¹³ May 26th 1857 This is a request to the court from John M. Wilt, John's Estate Administrator; requesting to sell John's Real Estate to pay his debts. "Petition of Administrator of John Wrightstone to sell real estate to pay debts Filed May 28th 1857
- "...On this 26th day of May AD 1857 personally appeared before me the subscriber a justice of the peace in and for the county the written named John M. Wilt who being duly affirmed according to law doth depose and say that the facts set forth in the annexed petition are true to the best of his knowledge & beliefs and (???) not affirmed & subscribed John M. Wilt before me May 26th 1857 George M. Shetter J.P."
- "...To the Hou: the Judges of the Orphans Court of York County. The petition of John M. Wilt administrator of the estate of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Township York County deceased. Respectfully represents that said decedent died sized of a tract of land situated in said township of Conewago bounded by lands of Grubbs, Jacob L. Bear, Samuel Lichtenberger and others, Big Conewago Creek. Containing about one hundred and one acres more or less, *that said decedent left a widow and eight children* that the amount of the Inventory of the personal estate applicable to the payment of debts is \$83.31. The Widow list these of amounts to \$131.97 That your petitioner has no knowledge of any other personal estate of said decedent that said decedent died indebted as follows..." The list of names John owed covered 2 ½ pages.
- "...besides other debts & liabilities & expenses and all That the personal estate is not sufficient to pay the debts and that it is necessary to sell the real estate for that purpose Your petitioner therefore prays your Honors for an order authorizing and empowering him to sell the real estate herein before mentioned for that purpose of raising money to pay the debts of said decedent, and he will pray for..." John M. Wilt (This is the list of people and amounts John owes a copy are also provided in the September 29th 1857 filing; #3.

Important Names John owed money to:

1. George Palmer: ¹⁴ Leah Wrightstone's first husband was Joseph Sipe. One of their children was George, who married Catharine Billet. Catherine's parents were George Billet and Susan Palmer. Catherine

¹² 1850 Census Record, December 12, 1850, Page 295, Conewago Township, York County PA, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

¹³ John Wrightstone, Estates Records, Book AA, Page 137, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, PA

- Billet is living with John Wire in 1850, next to Henry Sipe who lives next to Philip Sipe, and a few houses away from John and Leah.
- 2. Susanna Billet: See George Palmer to Catherine Billet
- 3. Fred Strine: See Daniel Strine as a person who bought John's goods at auction. John's daughter Sara Ann married Daniel Strine
- 4. Fetrow and Coble and John V. Coble: There is also a Samuel Coble who bought John's goods at the auction. John's brother, William Rightstone of Fairview has a daughter Mary Jane who married Lewis Coble
- 5. John Sipe: There is also a Philip Seip (Sipe) who bought John's goods at the auction. Leah Wrightstone was married to Joseph Sipe before she married John Wrightstone.
- 6. Jacob Greenfield:
- 7. George and Daniel Witmer: John's oldest daughter Elizabeth married a George Witmer.
- 8. Jacob and Lewis Wire (may be Wise):

May 28th 1857 – This is the filing of the Bond mentioned above in April 28th 1857. "..Bond with Administrator of John Wrightstone...Filed May 28th 1857 - bond approved..."

May 28th 1857 – "...York County...at an orphans court held at York for the County of York May 28th 1857. The petition of John M Wilt

- "... above forgiving facts affirmed to before George M. Shetter Esq a justice of the peace in and for the county of York..."
- "...Whereupon the court award a sale of said real estate to said Administrator he to file his bond with approved security in the sum of \$ and order & direct him to expose said real estate to public sale and see the same for the best price that can be had therefore after first giving due & public notice of the time & place of sale and make report to the next court thereafter..." By the court Joseph O. Stewart Clerk

May 28th 1857 – This is the results of the Inventory appraisal. 15 "...Filed May 28th 1857 Sale Awarded..."

- "...To the Honour; the Judges of the Orphans Court of York County... The petition of John M. Wilt administrator of the estate of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Township York County deceased & respectfully represents. That said decedent died seized of a tract of land situated in the said Township of Conewago bounded by lands of Grubbs Jacob S. Bear, Samuel Lichtenberger & others and Big Conewago Creek containing about one hundred and one acres more or less That said decedent left a widow and eight children That the amount of the Inventory of personal estate applicable to the payment of debts is \$83.31. The vendue list thereof amounts to \$131.97. That your petitioner has no knowledge of any other personal estate of decedent That said decedent died indebted as follows..." (This is the same list as in the 1st Document dated May 28th 1857)
- "...That the personal estate is not sufficient to pay the debts and that it is necessary to sell the real estate for that purpose Your petitioner therefore prays your Honours for an order authorizing and empowering him to sell the real estate herein before mentioned for the purpose of raising money to pay the debts of said decedent and he will pray to." John M. Wilt This was repeated in the filing of September 29th 1857.

¹⁶ September 29th 1857 – There are two actions that were filed on September 29th 1857.

Descendants of Kraft Billet, 1751 immigrant, settled Hellam Twp., York Co., Pa (Compiled by Donald F. Billet, co-author of "Billet and Related Families of York, Lancaster and Dauphin Counties, Pennsylvania 1751-1997," Gateway Press, Inc., 1998, Baltimore, ISBN 0-9638721-1-7)

¹⁵ John Wrightstone, Estate Records, Book AA, Page 137, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA John Wrightstone, Estate Records, Book BB, Page 50, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA

- 1. "This is the filing of the May 28th 1857 order to sell John's Wrightstone's Real Estate, and the filing of confirmation of the sale. "Orphans Court May 28th 1857 Order To Sell the real estate of John Wrightstone deceased. Filed September 29th 1857 Sale Confirmed"
- "...To the Hou: the judges of the orphans Court of York County The undersigned to whom the awarded order of Court was issued authorizing him to sell the Real estate therein described or mentioned respectfully reports. That after giving due and legal notice of the time and place of sale be sold the property written mentioned to William Reeser for the sum Twelve dollars ninety one cents per acre amounting to Thirteen Hundred and Seven Dollars Sixty two cents payable on the first of April next he being the highest and best bidder and that... highest and best price bidden or the same which sale so made your Honour Court is prayed to confirm subject to the payment of the purchased money according to the term and conditions of sale and he will pray..." John M. Wilt
- 2. "Confirmation of Sale of real estate of John Wrightstone deceased...as an orphans court held at York for the County of York Sept 29th 1857. The undersigned to whom the *annexed* (#3 below) order of Court was issued authorizing him to sell the real estate of therein described or mentioned Respectfully reports. That after giving due and legal notice of the time & place of said he sold the property said & him mentioned to William Reeser..." The remaining statement repeats what is mention above,
- "Whereupon the court confirm said sale and order & direct that the estate be sold be transferred & vested in the said purchaser as fully & amply as the (?) held the same subject & liable to payment of the purchase money according to the timing & conditions of sale..." by the Court Joseph O. Stewart Clerk
- 3. Affixed is the *annexed* May 28th 1857; a copy of the list of people and amounts John owned money to. See May 28th 1857 entry. This copy is then followed by...
- "...above foreseeing facts affirmed to be before Georg M. Shetter Esq. a justice of the peace in & for the County of York..."
- "... Whereupon the court awarded a sale of said real estate to said Administrator he to file his bond with approved security in the sum of \$ and order & direct him to expose said real estate to public sale and sell the same for the best price that can be had, therefore after first gicing due 7 public notices of the time & place of sale and make report to the next court thereafter..." By the Court Joseph O. Stewart Clerk

Is this the total debt Load?

Note: The name is spelled John Wrightstone. John's land was about 101 acres, which was sold to William Reeser for about \$12.91 per acre; totaling \$1,307.62 The abbreviation of "Hou: is for Honour.

April 14th 1858 – This is a filing of John M. Wilt's report on his duties and affairs of settling John Wrightstone's estate. "No. 62, Filed April 14th 1858 – The Administration account of the Estate of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Township Deceased By John M. Wilt Administrator – Copied

- "...The account charges himself with the amount of the Inventory filed in the Registers Office of York County \$83.31..."
- "... with advance on sale of property including contents not appraise see venue list \$48.86..."
- ".. The accountant charged himself with the amount received from William Reeser for about 100 acres of land sold to him by venture of an order of orphans' court to pay debts \$1291.00..."
- "...The accountant prays to be allowed the following credits..." A list of names and amounts for settlement cost

Written in different hand writing: Balance

\$ 335.80 ½ - Cost of Settlement paid to various people \$ 1087.36 ½ - Cost \$ 1423.17

Note: The names significant to my research are: George Seip Is this George the son of Leah Sipe who is John's 2nd wife?

June 1, 1858 – This is an appointment of an auditor to audit John M. Wilt; as Administrator to John Wrightstone's estate. The court appointed John A. Wilson Esq. as an auditor to ¹⁷ "…average and distribute the balance on the account of John M. Wilt administrator of John Wrightstone late of Conewago Township deceased and direct three weeks and notice to be given by publication in our newspapers in the usual manner."

John died with a debt load of \$839.56. His personal assets and items were valued at (??).

The most notable names mention that John owed money to, and may be related are:

- 1. Jacob Greenfield
- 2. Susanna Billet (may be related to Sipe
- 3. Lewis and Jacob Wire: Elizabeth Wire married John's son John Wrightstone, Michael's brother
- 4. John Sipe: may be a relationship to Joseph Sipe who married Leah (???), who later married John
- 5. John Coble and Lewis Coble: Lewis married Mary Jane (Ferry) Wrightstone who was William Wrightstone's adopted daughter. ¹⁸ John was Lewis's adoptive father.
- 6. George Witmer: Elizabeth Wrightstone, John's daughter, married George Witmer
- 7. Fred Strine: Sara Ann Wrightstone, John's daughter, married Daniel Strine, whose parents where known to be John and Catherine Strine
- 8. Fetrow and Coble: is there a business relationship between Fetrow and Cobler?

Note: The name is spelled Wrightstone

Courthouse Square, Carlisle, PA

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¹⁷ John Wrightstone, Estate records, Book BB, Page 329, York County Archives, 150 Pleasant Acres Road, York, PA Marriage Application and Licenses, Clerk of the Orphans' Court, Book 6 Page 394, Cumberland County Court House,

There are other pre-1830 records that carry the name spelling of Rightstone, Wrightstone, and other variations similar to these associated to the Wrightstone's we are researching in York and Cumberland Counties. (See Conrad Richstein-Wrightstone Dover Twp York Co 1810)

1830 Fairview Township York County PA

John Rightstone

Males:				Females:		
Under 5 years old:	1	born 1825 to 1830	John (1830)	Under 5 years old:	1	Daughter Sarah Ann (1827)
Of 5 and under 10:	1	born 1820to 1825	Michael (1825)	Of 5 and under 10:	1	Daughter Elizabeth
Of 10 and under 15:	0			Of 10 and under 15: 0		-
Of 15 and under 20:	0			Of 15 and under 20: 0		
Of 20 and under 30:	1	born 1800 to 1810	Sister's Husband	Of 20 and under 30:	2	John's Wife Margaret
Of 30 and under 40:	1	born 1790 to 1800	John (1791)	Of 30 and under 40:	0	and Sister

Note: There is *I* female listed "Of 5 years and under 10"; this person would have been born between 1820 to 1825 *My Interpretation/Comment:* ²⁰ Elizabeth Wrightstone who marries George Whitmore (Witmer) on September 26, 1844

Is page 269 "Wm", "Mrs" or "Mr"; William was born 1807. Was he living with John, page 261, or is there in error on page 269?

Males: 1 Male listed 15 and under 20"; this person would have been born between 1810 and 1815 I believe this is the youngest Wrightstone son; William, who was born 1807. I believe this record is an error.

Females:

- 2 females listed "15 and under 20"; these ladies would have been born 1810 to 1815; most likely sisters, could be twins:
- *I* female listed "50 and under 60"; this person would have been born between 1770 to 1780; Mrs. Wrightstone, mother to John and William ²² Conrad Richstein-Wrightstone: 1810 Dover Township York County Census list one male and one female, "45 and over"; these two would have been born prior to 1765. Pretty close.... Check 1830 Fairview Twp records for this female.

¹⁹ Page 261: John Rightstone; Married: Margaret Hart circa 1820-1822

²¹ Page 269 Wm Rightstone (as I believe it is written in the 1830 Fairview Twp Census)Married: Catharine (Katie) Morgan on April 10, 1836

¹⁹ 1830 U S Census: Fairview, York, Pennsylvania, Page: 261; NARA Roll: M19-160; Family History Film: 0020634.; Family History Film: 0020634; Ancestry.com. 1830 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009

²⁰ York County Heritage Trust Library and Archives, 250 East Market Street, York, PA

²¹ 1830 U S Census: Fairview, York, Pennsylvania, Page: 269; NARA Roll: M19-160; Family History Film: 0020634; Ancestry.com. 1830 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009

²² Conrad Richstein-Wrightstone Dover Twp York Co 1810, Boog Graham, January 2010

1840 Newberry Township York County PA

John Retestone

Males:				Females:		
Under 5:	1	born 1835 to 1840	Samuel	Under 5:	1	born 1835 to 1840 Jane
5 and under 10:	2	born 1830 to 1835	John	5 and under 10:	0	
10 and under 15:	1	born 1825 to 1830	Michael	10 and under 15:	1	born 1825 to 1830 Sarah Ann
15 and under 20:	0			15 and under 20:	1	born 1815 to 1820 Elizabeth
20 and under 30:	0			20 and under 30:	0	
30 and under 40:	1	born 1800 to 1810		30 and under 40:	1	born 1800 to 1810

1850 Conewago Township York County PA Census

John Ritestone

Males:		Females:	
John	age 59 born circa 1791 Laborer	Leah	age 49 born circa 1801
Michael	age 25 born circa 1825 Miller	Jane	age 15 born circa 1835
Joseph	age 14 born circa 1836	Ellen	age 4 born circa 1846
Samuel	age 12 born circa 1838	Barbara age 1	born circa 1849

Neighbors; George Wier - John Waldman - John Felty - Peter Lefever - John Eichelberger -

1860 Newberry Township York County PA Census

Leah Wrightstone	age 52	Widow
John	age 22	Laborer
George	age 20	Laborer Not a Wrightstone – a Sipe – Leah's 1 st Marriage to George Sipe
Joseph	age 18	Laborer Not a Wrightstone – a Sipe–Leah's 1st Marriage to George Sipe

Neighbors: John Richcreek, age 43, born circa 1817, see 1810 census and 1876_Newberry_Twp_Map Levi Kline, Amelia Brubacker, Daniel Palmer