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- 1:154; SLR 13:455-56).
- vi JOHN, b. about 1664 (had come of age by 14 December 1685 [SPR 9:249]); m. by 1687 Sarah (Loving) Place (eldest known child b. Boston 4 August 1687 [BVR 1:172]), widow of John Place and sister of William Loving (on 28 July 1682, "John Place of Boston ... mariner and Sarah his wife" mortgaged land to Elizabeth Winsley, and, on 21 February 1688/9, Elizabeth Winsley "acknowledged full satisfaction for the within mortgage from John Bushnell who married the relict of John Place" [SLR 12:256-57]; on 1 June 1737, "Jane Underwood of lawful age" deposed regarding "John Pride who lived in the Eastern parts of New England and ... his wife was Jane Loving my mother's own sister" [YLR 18:253]; "Jane [daughter] of John and Sarah Place" b. Boston 18 April 1683 [BVR 160]; on 1 May 1703, Anthony Underwood and Jane Place were married at Boston [*Twenty-eighth Report of the Record Commissioners* (Boston 1898), p. 16]) [GDMNH 559, 445].
- vii WILLIAM, b. Boston 28 June 1666 [BVR 1:99]; d. Saybrook 31 August 1684 [SayVR 7].

ASSOCIATIONS: John Bushnell was brother of EDMUND BUSHNELL and FRANCIS BUSHNELL, and son of Francis Bushnell who came to New England in 1639, along with other members of the family.

COMMENTS: On 6 April 1635, "Jo[hn] Bushnell," glazier, aged 21, was enrolled at London for passage to New England on the *Hopewell* [Hotten 49].

In Samuel Archer's 1637 account to the town of Salem, John Bushnell was paid 7s. 4d. "towards the glassing of the windows in the meeting house" [STR 1:64]. He evidently supplied the raters' dinner that year, as well, and was paid £1 4s. for that service [STR 1:65].

Although there is no record of him found between 1637 in Salem and his re-emergence in Boston in 1651, his identity as a glazier makes the identification reasonably secure.