

After his mother's death, his father sold to him his first Goshen farm, and two years later (1732), John married Hannah Davies, the daughter of Welsh parents, and lived in the old homestead during the rest of his life, conducting the affairs of his farm.

In 1831 he was one of four trustees appointed to act in the matter of a grant of land made to Goshen meeting of Friends for building a meeting house, etc.

He also took some part in public matters, his name being recorded as holding office in Chester county by appointment of the Court of Private Sessions as "Constable" in 1732, as "Overseer of the Poor" in 1738, and as "Supervisor of the Highways" in 1742. He died in 1747, pre-deceasing his father.

Of Hannah his wife, frequent mention is made in Friends' meeting records, as overseer, clerk, and in charitable work.

She remained upon the farm for over ten years after the death of her husband, and until the marriage of Jonathan, the eldest son, soon after which she removed to Chester, where she resided the remainder of her life.

Goshen Records :

- (58) 6-21-1732. John Ashbridge and Hannah Davies declare intentions of marriage. Richard Parks and George Garret were appointed to inquire into his clearness from other engagements, and Sarah Smedly and Mary Williams to make the like inquiry respecting Hannah Davies.
- (59) John Ashbridge, son of George Ashbridge of the County of Chester, Hannah Davies, daughter of David Davies of the said County, yeoman, married 8-12-1732, at Goshen Meeting.

Signers

Thomas Smedley	Ellie Golding	David Lloyd	John Ashbridge
John Hains	Ann Gibbons	Rees Jones	Hannah Ashbridge
Mordecai Yarnall	Susanna Parks	Elizabeth Baker	
Benja Hibberd	Mary Wright	Jane Ashbridge	George Ashbridge
J ^{no} Hibberd	Phebe Taylor	Isaac Malin	David Davies
Rich ^d . Parks	Phebe Hibberd	Lowry Evans	Jane Davies
Samuel Garratt	Sarah Garratt	Caleb Cowpland	Margaret Ashbridge
Benoni Griffith	Alice Hoopes	Sarah Cowpland	Thomas Evan
Daniel Hoopes	Lydia Malin	Dowse Yarnall	Hannah Evan
John Hoopes	Mary Yarnall	Jane Malin	Geo. Ashbridge Jr.
Daniel Hoopes Ju ^r	Catharine Evans	Hannah Paschall	Aaron Ashbridge