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## PREFACE

On October 1, 1891, George Washington Ladd of Bradford, Massachusetts (no. 1518 in this book) wrote his name and the date twice in bold copperplate in a copy of The Ladd Family (1) which we may suppose that he had just acquired. (One of these signatures is reproduced in facsimile on a later page.) George Washington Ladd's surviving descendants, who already numbered 7 on that day, have since increased to 84; and all of these are also the descendants of his son George Edgar (no. 2107), for none of his other children left any survivors.

In due course, George Washington Ladd's copy of The Ladd Family passed to his son George Edgar, thence to his son's widow, and thence to his granddaughter Dorothy (no. 4980). But she, by the nature of things, will not transmit the Ladd surname. It seemed desirable, in consequence, to place the copy with one of George Edgar's male Ladd descendants. But there are 31 of these, and only one copy of the book. The dilemma created by this situation supplied the primary purpose of the present publication, which is to

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1. The Ladd family. A genealogical and biographical memoir of the descendants of Daniel Ladd, of Haverhill, Mass., Joseph Ladd, of Portsmouth, R. I., John Ladd, of Burlington, N. J., John Ladd, of Charles City Co., Va. Compiled by Warren Ladd (no. 1506), of New Bedford. New Bedford, Mass.: Printed for the author, 1890. 1 p.l., xii, 413 p., frontis. (engraved portrait of the author), 23.5 cm., black cloth.

enable each of George Edgar's descendants to possess, in facsimile at least, that part of the contents of the book that records George Edgar's descent - and his own - from Daniel Ladd of Haverhill, Massachusetts.

A second purpose of this publication is to provide a census of the descendants of George Edgar Ladd, together with brief biographical notices, using information provided by the subjects themselves or members of their immediate families. This assistance we gratefully acknowledge.

It is not to be expected that such a compilation will escape error. The compilers request in consequence that recipients of the volume will report to them immediately any errors that they discover, so that an errata sheet may be distributed as soon as possible after publication. In anticipation thereof, space is being allocated in the present volume.

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1864-1940, FROM DANIEL LADD OF HAVERHILL, MASSACHU-  
SETTS, AS DISPLAYED IN WARREN LADD'S THE LADD FAMILY  
(NEW BEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS, 1890).

## LADD FAMILY.

A GENEALOGICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL

MEMOIR

OF THE DESCENDANTS OF

DANIEL LADD, OF HAVERHILL, MASS.,

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JOHN LADD, OF BURLINGTON, N. J.,

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[Facsimile of the title page of The Ladd Family]

## INTRODUCTION.

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In this progressive age,—this age of investigation and research,—when everything of the past, present, and the future, is challenged; when knowledge of the minutest atom is studied by the microscope, and with the telescope the broad arch of heaven is closely scanned for new constellations, and perhaps for a new sun with its revolving planets, one need not make any apology for a desire to learn something of his ancestors,—where they lived, their moral character, their social position, their business qualities, and the influence they exerted on their time and generation and upon their descendants. We are all more or less under hereditary influences, and it will be wise for us all to learn their strength and character, in order to combat the evil and cultivate the good.

My father, during the latter part of his life, made a genealogical record of his immediate ancestors. At his death that record came to me, and some eight years since I commenced to extend and enlarge it; in fact, to look up the genealogy of the Ladd family. But I was not then aware how much time, labor, and life's energies it would require. My intention, at first, was to compile a simple genealogical record of the family, but I had not proceeded far with the work before it became evident that to make the book interesting it should contain traditions, scraps of history, and biographical sketches. This change in the scope of the work necessitated much additional labor.

The record is made mostly of the descendants of Daniel Ladd, who took the "oath of Supremacy and Allegiance to pass to New England in the Mary and John of London, Robert Sayres, master, March 24, 1633," and who settled first at Ipswich, next at Salisbury, and then went to Haverhill with Rev. John Ward and eleven others, and was one of the original settlers of that town.

We also have the names of quite a number of Ladds, who without any doubt are descendants of Daniel, but we regret to say that there is a "*link*" connecting them with him which we have not been able to find.

We have quite a number of the descendants of Joseph Ladd, who we feel confident was a younger brother of Daniel Ladd, and who came over at the same time he did. We also have a record of some of the descendants of John Ladd, who arrived at Burlington, N. J., in 1678. Then we have a John Ladd, who was in Virginia in 1673, and descendants of William and Amos Ladd, of Virginia, who are supposed to have been sons of John of 1673. We shall give a brief record of the Ladds of England, though the ancestors of Daniel Ladd in England have not been traced.

We find the name spelled De Lade, Le Lade, Lad, Lade, Ladde, and Ladd. There is a tradition that the first Ladds came to England from France with William the Conqueror, and settled at Deal, Kent county.

We take great pleasure in stating that all, with very few exceptions, bearing the name of Ladd, or connected therewith, of whom we have solicited information, have kindly and promptly sent us all the facts in regard to themselves and their ancestors of which they were possessed. We would be glad to mention them all by name, but space will not permit. We will therefore only mention the names of a few of those who have rendered special aid and assistance: Alexander H. Ladd, of Portsmouth, N. H.; Charles H. Ladd, of Washington, D. C.; Francis Ladd Cutter, of New York; Matthew J. Harvey, of Epping, N. H.; Miss Maria S. Ladd, of North Hero, Vt.; Nathaniel W. Ladd and David M. Ladd, of Boston; Miss Elizabeth M. Ladd, of Benson, Vt.; William Dudley Ladd, of Concord, N. H.; George W. Ladd, of Bangor, Me.; Mrs. Ellen C. Conklin and Miss Mariana C. Ladd, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Gardner P. Ladd, of Groveland; Lewis A. Ladd and Dyer S. Smith, of Deerfield, N. H.; and Joshua Ladd Howell, Philadelphia, Pa.

This record has been compiled with great care, and extra effort has been made to have it correct; and yet we are aware that in it many errors may be found, but we trust there will be none which will mar its interest or impair its value.

One great trouble in obtaining correct results has been the

large repetition of christian names, which in some cases became badly mixed ; and it required a great deal of time and patience to unravel them.

ABBREVIATIONS.—Bo., born ; ma., married ; dau., daughter ; d., died. When towns are mentioned, but not the State, it means Mass. ; *thus*, John Ladd, Haverhill, — John Ladd, Haverhill, N. H.

[Abbreviations in Part II. The following special abbreviations and signs are used in Part II: b., born ; d., died ; dau., daughter ; g., grand ; g<sup>2</sup>, great-grand ; g<sup>3</sup>, great-great-grand, etc. ; m., married ; s., son. An asterisk, \*, indicates that the person whose name is so marked is treated in greater detail later in the book. Parentheses, ( ), indicate the maiden names of married women and also the names (or portions of names) not usually employed by their owners.]

## LADDS OF ENGLAND.

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While no special effort has been made by me, or by any one to my knowledge, to trace in England the ancestors of Daniel Ladd, who came from London in the *Mary* and *John* in 1633, a brief record of some of the Ladds of England may be not only interesting, but may, at some future time, be useful as a reference to any one who desires a more extensive knowledge of the character and genealogical record of those who bear the name of Ladd.

We learn from Edward Wilds Ladd, of London, that his ancestry, the "first Lads, came to England with William the Conqueror from France.—settled at Deal, Kent county, where a portion of land was granted them, eight miles from Dover,—Downes,—name spelled Lad, Lade, Ladd; his remote ancestors were seafaring people, Government pilots at Margate."

This looks reasonable when we remember that William the Conqueror first landed in England at Pevensey in the southeast part of Sussex co., moved his army to Hastings, which he fortified, and where the great "battle of Hastings," in which he won the right and title to the Crown of England, was fought. Dover, Deal, and Margate, in Kent co., are not far from Hastings, in Sussex, and it seems natural that many of William's followers should settle in Sussex and Kent counties. Elsewhere we find that "not many generations after the Norman Conquest the name of De Lad appears among the owners of land in the County of Kent, and ever since that day descendants of that family, spelling their name variously, according to the changes of time and circumstances, De Lad, Le Lad, Lad, Ladde, and Ladd, have held land in that and adjoining counties.

"Hastead, in his History of Kent, says the family is one of good antiquity in this county, in several parts of which they were possessed of land which still bears their name.

"In Snodland, near Rochester, and in Acris, there is an estate called Lad's, which had owners of that name in King Edward's

first reign, and at Eleham \* \* there is one called 'Ladwood,' which is elsewhere spoken of as a Manor. \* \* \* Boswick, now called Boyke, is a Manor in the south part of the parish, which in very ancient times was the residence of the Lads, who in several evidences are written De Lad. He also alludes to other lands that were owned by them.

"In the History of Hampshire, one William Ladd is mentioned as a juryman in 1294 in the reign of Edward I. In the History of Surry it is said that in 1325 King Edward II. bought the Manor of Henle from Walter De Henley, of which he granted the custody to Walter, Bishop of Exeter, but the next year revoked the grant and transferred it to Walter Lad. This Manor contains 1344 acres, and yields a net revenue for the year of £17 11s. 10d. From 1713 to 1722 John Ladd represented Southwark, in Surry, in Parliament, and was created a Baronet in 1740."

[From Burke's History of the Landed Gentry of England, Scotland, and Ireland, for 1853, page 685.]

#### LADE OF BOUGHTON HOUSE.

John Pryce Lade, Esq., of Boughton House, Co. Kent, is a magistrate of that county, and Major in the East Kent Regiment of Militia.

#### LINEAGE.

John Ladd, senior, of Eleham, Co. Kent, dying in 1476, left a son John Ladd of Eleham, who d. in 1527, having had by Alice his wife, with other issue, three sons: 1, Stephen, father of Thomas Ladd, of Otling; 2, John, father of Nicholas Ladd, of Wooton, whose eldest son Nicholas, of Swingfield, Co. Kent, gent., d. in 1669, leaving a son, Nicholas of Swingfield, buried at Hythe in 1699; and 3d, Thomas Ladd, of Barham, whose son, Thomas Ladd of Barham, m. Elizabeth, sister and heir of Thomas Mumbra, of Sutton, near Dover, and d. in 1602, aged 76, leaving, with daughters, a son Vincent Ladd, of Barham, who m. in 1575 Agnes, dau. of Vincent Denne, Esq., of Denne Hill, and d. in 1625, having had with other issue Robert, of whom presently; and Thomas of Barham, gent., who m. 1614 Margaret, dau. of William Denwood, and d. 1662, leaving, with other issue, two sons: 1, Vincent, bo. in 1615, father, by Eliz-



abeth Knowles, his wife, of an elder son, Thomas, who ma. and had issue, and 2d, Thomas of Warbleton, Co. Sussex, father of Sir John Lade, M. P., created a Baronet in 1730. (See Burke's Extinct Baronetage.) Mr. Vincent Lad's eldest son, by Agnes, his wife, Robert Lade, Esq., of Barham, Recorder of Canterbury in 1663, ma. in July, 1619, Mary, dau. of William Lovelace, of the Friary of Canterbury, and d. in 1666, leaving, with younger issue, a son, Lancolet Lade, Esq., barrister at law, who d. in. 1687, leaving, by Elizabeth Barrett, his wife, with other issue, two sons, Vincent, of whom presently, and Philip, of Barham, gent., who ma. Catharine Nethersole, and had numerous issue. The former, Vincent Lade of Archbishop's Palace, and afterwards of Burgate, ma. Ann, dau. of Kite, Esq. of Hoad House, in Bleane, and by her, who d. in 1720, left, at his decease in 1730, with other issue, who d. unm., two sons: John, the elder, bo. in 1695, ma. in 1723 Mary, dau. of William Frend, gent., of Wingham, and d. in 1766, leaving two dau. Ann ma. Isaac Ismay, of London, merchant, and Sarah ma. Charles Topping, of London. The younger son, Michael Lade, Esq., bo. in 1698, ma. 1st, in 1723, Eliza Evel, by whom he had two dau. who d. young. He ma. 2d, in Oct., 1730, Elizabeth Dodd, of Haverhill, widow, and by her was father (with a dau. Elizabeth, ma. to Benjamin Brown,) of two sons. Michael, the younger, barrister in law. ma. Sophia, relict of James, 6th Baron Cranstown. The elder John Lade, Esq., of Boughton, bo. 18 April, 1734, ma. 12 June, 1757, Hester, dau. of Hills Hobday, of Faversham, and had (with one dau., Hester, ma. to Will Stacy Coast, of Chartham Deanery,) three sons: John Hobday, of whom presently, William of Jesus Coll., Camb., and Charles, an officer in the army. The eldest, John Hobday Lade, of Boughton, an officer in the army, ma. 2 Jan., 1791, Eliza, dau. of Evers. Esq., and niece of Sir John Powell Pryce, Bart. of Newton Hall, Co. Montgomery, and by her had (with a dau. Marie, ma. to Wastee Brisco, Esq., of Bohemic, Co. Sussex,) a son, the present John Pryce Lade, Esq., of Boughton House.

Arms.—Arg. a fesse, wavey, between three escallops, sa. Crest.—A leopard's head, ppr. Seat.—Boughton House, near Faversham, Kent.

In "Nooks and Corners of English Life," by John Timbs, page 155, there is an expense account of Queen Isabella in 1358. Among many items charged is one of the 12th Sept. After the Queen's death a payment of twenty shillings is made to William Ladde of Shene, (Richmond,) on account of the burning of his house by accident while the Queen was staying at Shene.

[Westminster Abbey Register, page 412. Burials.]

1770, May 8. Miss Maria Ladd,<sup>10</sup> aged 11 years, 5 months ; in West Cloister. 10—Daughter, and evidently only Child of Nicholas Lade, one of the Abbey Choir. She died, according to the Funeral Book, 4th May. Her father died at Windsor, 9th July, 1783, and was described in the Journals of the day as "Mr. Nicholas Ladd, Senior, gentleman of the H. Ms. Chapel Royal, at St. James, a member of St. Peter's Westminster, father of the Choir of H. M. Chapel of St. George in Windsor Castle, and a member of the Collegiate Chapel of Eton." He was a sworn gentleman of the Chapel Royal, 15 Aug., 1743. His will (signed Nicholas Lade) as of Windsor Castle, Gent., dated 2 June, 1783, was proved 18 Sept. following by his relict Frances. He directed to be buried, if he died in London, in the Abbey Cloister, near his daughter and her grandmother. (See her burial as Mrs. Mary Smith, 17 Sept., 1773.) He bequeathed his real estate to his wife absolutely, and also the interest of £450 for her life, after which the principal was to go to Hannah Lade, widow of his deceased brother Charles Lade, her three daughters, Frances Ann, and Hannah Lade, and his niece Daloe. If his nephew, Charles Lade, who was at Madras when last heard from, should return to England, he was to have his musical instruments.

## DANIEL LADD.

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- (1) Daniel Ladd took the Oath of Supremacy and Allegiance to pass to New England in the Mary and John of London, Robert Sayres, master, 24th of March, 1633-4.

The first record we find of Daniel Ladd, after his arrival in New England, was at Ipswich, where "the 5th of February, 1637, there was granted Daniel Ladd six acres of land." On this land he built a dwelling-house, which eleven years later he sold to Henry Kingsbury, as we find by the following deed :

This present writing witnesseth that Daniel Ladd, of Haverhill, in the County of Norfolk, husbandman, for and in consideracon of ten pounds to him in hand paid, have bargayned and sould and by these presents doth confirm that his bargayne and sale unto Henry Kingsbury, of Ipswich, in the County of Essex, husbandman, all that his house wherin the said Henry now dwelleth; situate and being in Ipswich, aforesaid, in the street called High street, having the orchard and garden of William Payne on the Northwest, a lane towards the Southeast; one end abutting on the said street; butting at the other end on the land of Thomas Safford. To have and to hold the said house with the land about it, and all the apprtences and privelidges thereto belonging; unto the aforesaid Henry Kingsbury and his heirs for ever.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, 31 of March, 1648.

Q the mark of Daniel Ladd.

Sealed and Delivered in the presence  
of SAMUEL SYMONDS.

JAMES CHEWTE.

We next find him at Salisbury, where, Oct. 29, 1639, "According to ye first division of ye town of Salisbury there was granted unto Daniel Ladd one acre, more or less, for a house lot, lying between the house lot of John Ayer and Robert Fitts; also there was granted him four acres, more or less, for a planting lott, lying between the planting lotts of John Clough and Willie Allen, butting upon the highway leading to the mill and the great swamp, lying towards the ferrie."

Also there was granted him two acres, more or less, of meadow, lying between the lotts of Anthony Sadler, &c.

1640, 7th 9 mo. Att a Gen. Meeting of ye ffreemen there was granted unto Daniel Ladd two acres meadow, more or less, lying to the eastward of the Elder's meadow towards Hampton.

Ye 20th of 12 mo., 1642, at a general meeting of ye ffreemen, it was ordered yt ye 22 lotts granted on the east side of Merrimack and Pauwas River shall be to these persons that have drawn lotts for ym. Daniel Ladd's lot No. 21. All ye lands granted to these (22) persons above named to be layed out at ye West end of ye second range of lotts on the West of ye Pauwas River and to be contained between yt and ye great pond on ye West. 15th of ye 11th mo., 1643. At a generall meeting of the ffreemen there was granted unto John Ayer, Daniel Ladd, John Clough, John Dickson, two acres of meadow, each of them, lying upon the north-east side of ye little River, over ags. Mr. Dow's and Mr. Munday's Meddow.

Ye 12th of April, 1654. These psents wittnes yt I, Daniel Ladd of Haverhill, in ye County of Norfolk, have bargained and sold unto Vallentine Rowell of ye same County in Salisbury, four acres of planting land ntt comonage belonging thereto att Salisbury old towne, bounded by John Clough on ye south west, and Willis Allen on ye North East and Swamp at ye lower end and ye highway at ye upper end, for and in consideracon of a valuable consideracon Allready pay'd wch four acres of planting land more or less and comonage ye aforesaid partee or grantee is to have and to hold to him, his heirs, executors and assigns forever. In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand: DANIEL LADD. his T marke.

In ye psence of KICH: LITTLEHALE, ROGER LANCKTON.

This bill of Sale was acknowledged by Daniel Ladd to be his act and deed in ye Court held att Salisbury, ye 11th of ye 2<sup>d</sup> mo., 1654.

L me THO: BRADBURY, rec'd.

Daniel Ladd removed from Salisbury to Haverhill, and was one of the original settlers of that town.

Chase, in his history of Haverhill, says: "The first company of settlers in the wild woods of Pentucket (Haverhill) was as follows: William White, Samuel Gile, James Davis, Henry Palmer, John Robinson, Christopher Hussey, John Williams, Richard Littlehale, Abraham Tyler, Daniel Ladd, Joseph Merrie, Job Clement."

Land granted Daniel Ladd, as per Town Records:

Six acres of accommodation, Four acres to his house lot, more or less; Robert Clements bounding on the East, and Henry Savage on

the West; Five acres in the plain, William White on the East and John Williams on the North.

Nine acres up the great river, Thomas Ayer on the East, and George Brown on the West, Four acres of meadow in the east meadow, more or less, Joseph Peasley on the south and George Brown on the north. One acre and a half of meadow in the pond meadow; James Davis, Sen., on the south, and Robert Clement, Jun., on the north; one acre of meadow at Hawkes' meadow; John Davis on the south, and Thomas Whittier on the north. All these parcels are so much as is expressed, more or less.

It was acknowledged by John Robinson at a town meeting on the 16th of April, '49, that Daniel Ladd had bought six acres of accommodations of him, which the town granted him.

Daniel Ladd's 2d Division, containing twenty-seven (27) acres of upland be it more or less, with sixteen acres of ox common, and a half, bounded by George Corley and John Hutchins on the west; by a black oak, and a white oak, a red oak and a walnut on the south, by a walnut and a white oak on the east, by two white oaks and an ash on the north; Three (3) acres of meadow lying on Spiket River, bounded by Thomas Davis on the South and Robert Clement on North; and one spot of meadow at Primrose swamp, and another spot at the East meadow, at the head of the meadow that was John Davis's adjoining his own.

For the land that was taken off Daniel Ladd's 3d division we added a piece on the north side of the highway round the meadow that was Goodman Hale's, bounded by the highway and Merrie's creek.

3d Division of meadow containing 5 acres, be it more or less, bounded by John Page on the south, a pine on the east, his own upland on the west and upland on the north of the said meadow, lying in Mistake meddow.

Daniel Ladd, Sen., Laid out to Goodman Ladd sixty acres of third division land lying upon Mistake meadow, bounded as followeth, viz.: A swamp by Samuel Gile east, and a black oak west, and a white oak south, and a white oak south-east. This parcel, according to the bounds mentioned being returned under the hands of George Brown and James Davis, Jun., as lot layers and by them allowed to be entered and recorded, was accordingly done, July 29, 1673.

We whose names are here subscribed, namely, James Davis and Robert Swan, Lot layers, having laid out a parcel of land of three score acres unto Daniel Ladd, Sen., which was addition to his third Division and cut off by the line, and it appearing that we were mistaken in the measure, the land wanting measure, having visited the land again; have now settled the bounds as followeth:—

Beginning at a great marked pine tree in a swamp, which is the north corner bounds of a parcel of land laid out formerly to John Ayer, and from thence to a black oak northward, upon the north-side of a pine swamp, and so eastwardly, or north-east to a pine tree marked, standing upon a knoll, to the northward of a hill called John Ayer's Darby-hill, on the north-east side of a small brook, and from thence southward to a marked pine tree on the south, or toward the south-east side of the aforesaid Darby-hill, which is the north-east corner bound of John Ayer's land, and so upon John Ayer's line to the first mentioned bound tree, which land was laid out by us, James Davis and Robert Swan. This parcel coming under the hands of James Davis, Jun., and Robert Swan as lot layers and being allowed to be recorded under the hands of James Davis, Jun., and Robert Clement, April 4, 1678. Was according to the said return entered upon record April the 4th 1678.

Upon April the 16th 1691 this which followeth was presented to me to be recorded, viz.:

Dated in Haverhill the 21st, 1688.

Daniel Ladd, Sen., having the better part of his third division of meadow at Mistake taken off by the line, and so by that means is content to lay down all his meadow there and to take it up other where. We whose names are underwritten being lot layers appointed for that end have laid out instead thereof three parcels of meadow and meadow bottoms, as followeth to the said Ladd, viz.:

One piece of meadow by the north-east corner of an oak-hill, which hill is about two miles north-eastwardly from the upper bridge at Spicket river.

The bounds of the meadow are, a white oak marked at the lower end eastward. and so round southwardly and westwardly by upland to another white oak marked, and so cross the brook to another white oak marked, and so eastwardly by upland and across the brook to the first named. The second is a rubbidgy piece of meddow bottom about a hundred rods eastwardly of the first, bounded by a pine on the north side, and so round by the upland running westwardly and so by the upland eastwardly to another pine tree marked, and so on to the first named.

The third is a little piece of pretty good meadow, about a half a mile eastward of the second, being bounded in all parts by the upland; with a convenient way to all the said pieces of meadow from said Spicket meadow or bridge.

Laid out by us, JAMES DAVIS, ROBERT SWAN.

Underwritten,—Allowed to be recorded by us. JAMES DAVIS, ROBERT CLEMENT.

As an addition to the return of the three pieces mentioned and entered April 10, 1691. This that follows was underwritten:—Know that whereas, the above writing does express that I, Daniel Ladd, Sen.,

is content to lay down my interest in my meadow at Mistake and to take it up elsewhere; I do hereby declare that on the consideration of the above expressed three parcels of meadow being allowed of record and confirmed to me, I do renounce all my right and interest in that and in every part of that meadow at Mistake before named.

As witness my hand this 9th day of April 1691.

Witness.

DANIEL LADD, SEN., and a mark.

JOSIAH GAGE.

EZEKIEL LADD's mark /.

Daniel Ladd Sen.'s 4th division of upland.

The forty third lot in the fourth division with the additions, is laid out to Daniel Ladd, containing one hundred and eighty acres, more or less,—bounded with a white oak marked C. L., thence north ninety poles to a white oak marked L. W., thence west three hundred thirty-two poles to an ash marked L. W. standing at the east end of Mr. Ward's 4th division lot, thence south ninety poles to a black oak marked C. L., thence east three hundred thirty-two poles to the bounds first mentioned; reserving what meadow there may be laid out in it, and what meadow is unlaid out in said lot, exceeding two acres in a piece with a highway to them, having also made allowance for an highway twelve rods wide across the west end of the lot. This lot adjoins on the north side of the 42 lot, laid out to the commoners. This being returned and subscribed by Richard Hassen and James Ayer as lot layers, for the *fourth* division, was accordingly entered June the thirteenth day 1718.

This fourth lot was laid out by the town in 1659, but it would seem that Daniel Ladd's lot in this division was not entered until 1718.

Chase, in his History of Haverhill, page 62, says: "Daniel Ladd doubtless found farming quite a different thing from what most farmers of the present day find it. His house lot was in the village; his planting ground in two places,—a part of it 'in the plain,' from one to two miles east of the village, and the other part 'up the great river,' at least as far, on the west of the village,—while his meadow lands were in seven lots, and as many distinct meadows. East meadow was in the easterly part of the town, three miles from his home lot, while Spicket meadow was at least eight miles in the opposite direction. Pond meadow was two miles north-east; Hawkes' meadow some three miles west; Primrose swamp two miles north-west; and Mistake meadow somewhere in the westerly part of the town.

"When we reflect that in those days 'highways' were at best

but primitive cart paths through the woods, with stumps still standing, hills ungraded, and streams unbridged, and that the land was new, rough, and worked only by great labor, we may have a faint idea of some of the hardships of our first settlers. Had they not been men of iron nerve, tireless muscle, and indomitable energy and perseverance, our now beautiful town, with its unsurpassed mosaic of cultivated fields, green hills, smiling lakes, its majestic river, and murmuring streams, would still be a waste and howling wilderness, the home of wild beasts, and the hunting ground of the miserable aborigines."

In 1646 Daniel Ladd was taxed forty pounds (£40.)

At a town meeting, June 12, 1651, it was ordered that Hugh Sherratt, Theophilus Satchwell, Bart Heath, James Fiske, and *Daniel Ladd*, "Shall view the upland that is fit to plough, by the last of March or the tenth of April next, and that they bring in their intelligence to the town by that time."

In 1659, "*Daniel Ladd* and Theophilus Shatwell, having received liberty from the town, erected a saw-mill on Spiggot (Spicket) River. It was built within the present limits of Salem, N. H., and was the first one erected upon that stream. The proprietors were required to pay the town *five pounds* per annum for the privilege."

In 1668, Daniel Ladd was one of the selectmen of Haverhill.

In 1683, Daniel Ladd voted against building a new meeting-house "upon the lot where the old meeting-house stands."

He was a very energetic and enterprising man, and held many positions of trust and responsibility. The records indicate that he was an extensive farmer, and that he dealt quite largely in land.

In 1675, Daniel Ladd, Peter Ayer, and Thomas Whittier, were appointed to designate what houses should be garrisoned.

From Registry of Deeds, Old Norfolk :

Daniel Ladd, Sen., and his wife Ann of Haverhill, sold George Brown of same place, five acres of planting land in the lower playne, be it more or less, bounded by land holden by William White, on ye east and at ye north-east corner wth a white oak markt, and at ye same side at ye River wth a stake, and on ye west side by land holden by John Williams, Sen., and wth a stake at ye north-west wth a stake, for and consideration of ye full sum of five and twenty pounds all ready paid, to have and to hold, &c. Signed by these marks, viz. : T his mark, ) her mark. March 6, 1661. 1: 208.



Daniel Ladd, Sen., of Haverhill, husbandman, sold to Ens. William Russell of Salisbury, about three acres of meadow in Haverhill, at Hogg Hill meadow, adjoining some meadow then owned by said W. Russell, a brook running through it, south-west corner of it runneth by a small strip up into a swamp, and is surrounded by ye upland, which is ye bounds of said meadow. His mark here is F. Dec. 8, 1669. 2: 236.

Daniel Ladd, Sen., of Haverhill, and wife Ann, sold to John Johnson, of Haverhill, blacksmith, the house and land, about four acres, that was formerly John Robinson's, in Haverhill, bounded on the eastward and westward side by land then in possession of said Johnson, and on north end by said Johnson and on ye south end by ye highway, next unto and lying upon the great River of Merremack. Ladd reserving the eastward end of the dwelling and the loose boards that are in the inside of the west end of ye same, and ye roof plates and boards of ye barne, and the small nurserie of trees in ye garden, and about twenty apple trees, and one plumb tree in the orchard, and the summer crop, and Johnson to take possession of the house in March following. Dated July 17, 1669. Ack. July 20, 1669. His T mark. 2: 372.

Daniel Ladd, Sen., of Haverhill, sold to Thomas Hale, Jr., of Newbury, three score acres of land in Haverhill which was laid out to him April 4, 1678, for the third division:—bounded, beginning at a great markt pine tree in a swamp, which is ye north corner bounds of a parcel of land layed out formerly to John Ayer, and from thence to a black oak northward upon ye north side of a pine swamp and so easterly, or north-east, to a pine tree marked, standing upon a knowle to ye northward of an hill called John Ayer, his Darby hill, on the north-east side of a small brook, and from thence southward to a marked pine tree, on ye south or towards ye south-east side of ye aforesaid Darby Hill, which is ye north-east corner bound of John Ayer, and so upon John Ayer, his land to ye first mentioned bound tree. Signed by Daniel <sup>His</sup> Ladd, Sen., and Ann <sup>Her</sup> Ladd, April 5, 1678. <sub>mark.</sub> <sub>mark.</sub>

3: 136.

He sold, for and in consideration of three pounds and a fitch of bacon, to Nathaniel Merrill of Newbury, an acre of meadow land in Haverhill, bounded with ye land of Michael Emerson, on ye north-east, and ye land of Peter Ayer on ye south-east, and staked out with stakes at ye four corners, with all and singular ye profits and appurtenances thereunto belonging. April 19, 1678. 3: 190. No wife's name mentioned in this deed.

#### Ipswich Series :

Daniel Ladd, Sen., and wife Ann of Haverhill, on ye north of Mer-rimack in New England, sold John Whittier of the same place, four acres in East Meadow, bounded on ye westward end by a river called

ye East Meadow river on ye northward side by an old stake standing in an alder bush, from thence running eastward to an old stake standing in ye meadow near to a swamp, and so to ye upland, running upon ye line with the other, &c., it having been peaceably possessed above thirty years. March 27, 1682, when they acknowledged the same. 5: 528.

#### Salem Series :

Daniel Ladd, Sen., of Haverhill, gave to his son Daniel Ladd, Jr., a parcel of swamp on Hawkes' meadow way which was granted to him on an ox common right, about six acres, "bounded on ye south-east by a walnut markt upon ye common, and thence to a white oak on ye N. E.. and a maple at ye N. W., joining on my other land, and so to Hawkes' meadow way to a red oak, and so by said way to ye first walnut tree," together with a piece of meadow in Haverhill, at Providence meadow, being one acre as it is accounted, "bounded by Nathaniel Elethrop on ye south and a brooke and upland on the other part and one commonage. To have," &c. March 23, 1691. Acknowledged by him and wife Ann, March 25, 1692. 10: 181.

Daniel Ladd, Sen., of Haverhill, "in consideration of marriage consummated between Onesiphorus Marsh, Jr., of Haverhill, and my daughter, Sarah Ladd, in way of portion which I give with my daughter, gave to him four acres lying near my barne, bounded as followeth: at ye south corner by an alder, at ye east corner by an hornbeam, at ye north corner by a walnut, at ye west corner by a white oak, all marked, also one commonage in ye said town. To have," &c. May 14, 1692. 12: 179.

Daniel Ladd, Sen., and wife Ann, of Haverhill, gives to his dutiful son Samuel one half of his 3d division, lying at or near ye west meadow in ye said town, to be laid out at ye end of it, yt is near or adjoining unto ye land yt was George Corliss, ye which said Samuel hath built upon. To have and to hold, &c. His mark at this time [ . July 10, 1682. Ackd. Sept. 18, 1682.

Samuel Ladd and his wife Martha. Son and daughter of George Corliss, of Haverhill, received a deed of gift from him of a piece of land beginning at a marked white oak at ye south-east corner by Spicket way and so westerly by ye said way about 30 rods to a stake, and so northerly on a straight line to a walnut tree marked, near to Merrie's pond, so-called, and from thence to ye eastward to a black oak marked, ye said pond being ye bounds on ye north end, and from thence on a straight line southeasterly to a white oak first mentioned, and also one commonage in ye said town, according to town orders. June 13, 1682.

Daniel Ladd, Sen., of Haverhill, husbandman, sold to Josiah Gage, of Haverhill, his son-in-law, three pieces of meadow. One piece was by ye north-east corner of an oak hill, which hill is about two miles northwesterly from the upper bridge at Spicket river, one piece near

the first, and the third piece about a  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile from the first mentioned. Also a privilege in ye cow common in Haverhill. April 10, 1691. Ackd. by him and wife Ann, March 8, 1692.

Daniel Ladd, Sen., of Haverhill, "did long since, about five or six years, or thereabouts, bargain and sell to my son Samuel Ladd, for a young beast, which he then paid me to my full satisfaction, and therefore do hereby sell and confirm to him, my said son Samuel, one acre of meadow in ye West Meadow in Haverhill aforesaid. Lying between Tho. Eaton's on ye west side, and John Johnson's on ye east side, and ye upland on both ends.

Signed by mark of Daniel (F) and Ann (⊗). April 28, 1693.

Daniel Ladd left a will dated Jan. 30, 1692. It is now, 1887, on file in the Probate Office at Salem, Mass., but it is so badly defaced that a true copy of it cannot be made. We gather from what remains that his widow should be "honourably maintained as long as she remained his widow; that his children should have his estate divided equally among them, counting in the value of what he had given by deed to some of them; that my son-in-law, Josiah Gage, in particular, should have meet recompence for ye time I have been at his house, and ye trouble I have already put him unto." Signed Daniel <sup>his</sup> / Ladd. O.  
<sub>mark.</sub>

From documents filed with the will it is evident, for some reason, that the will was not probated; that it was set aside, and his estate settled by an administrator. His son, Daniel Ladd, was appointed administrator, Jan. 9, 1694, and gave bonds for £150.

Josiah Gage, of Haverhill, petitions the Judge of Probate that Daniel Ladd, administrator of the estate of his father, Daniel Ladd, deceased, be cited to appear before his Honor. "A writ of settlement of said estate made and owned by the said Daniel Ladd, deceased, and before his son Daniel, in the presence of witnesses, was committed to Col. Saltonstall, and is now in his hands, and that I may have liberty and opportunity to speak to the same. In so doing it will much oblige your humble petitioner." Signed, Josiah Gage. March 27, 1695.

Gage was notified, June 27, 1695, to appear before the judge on Monday, July 1, 1695.

An agreement between Gage and others, sworn to by the witnesses of the same, before Nathaniel Saltonstall, July 1, 1695:

Josiah Gage, in persuanee and for the fulfillment of an obligation made the 11 of this instant, went this 12 day of the same month and made a division of the home land of Daniel Ladd, Sen., deceased, which is as followeth:—For that part at the east end, bounded by a little walnut tree, near the gape that is by the Spicket way, against the house, and from thence on a straight line to a stake by a rock, near an apple tree, and from thence on a straight line to a red oak near the Hawkes' meadow way, by a little swamp sid, and on the same range to said way; and the middle part is bounded, on all parts upon the above named, on the east and on the west by Spicket way, by a clump of willow bushes within the fence, from thence on a straight line to a red oak tree near the Hawkes' meadow way, and on the same range unto said way, which tree stands near a stone brig, near the corner of John Ayer's, his fence; and the third division or lot is bounded on the north by the upper Spicket way, on the east by the above said second division, on the south by Hawk's meadow way and land of Nathaniel Ladd, and on the west by land of Samuel Hutchins and land of John Corliss: be it here understood that Daniel Ladd doth hereby renounce all right and interest in all and every part of this whole home land, by virtue of his former deed given to him by his father, and do hereby covenant to and with Josiah Gage and Caleb Richardson to deliver to them the said deed in a short time. The parties concerned have made their choice of the above said divisions of land as foloeth: Daniel Ladd having his first choyce, choses this most eastern division, and Caleb Richardson having his next choyce, or choyce next, choses the most western part: and the middle part is hereby seated upon Josiah Gage, as his part in the said home land, and in witness of all above written act, persons conserved, here set their hands this 12 day April, 1694.

Witnesses—JOHN JOHNSON, SEN.,

DANIEL <sup>His</sup> V LADD,

TIMOTHY JOHNSON.

<sup>mark.</sup> JOSIAH GAGE,

CALEB RICHARDSON.

Inventory of Daniel Ladd, Sen.'s, estate, made by David Hazelton, William Sterlin, Robert Hastings, Stephen Coffin, and John Hazelton, July 9, 1695:

Homestead, with dwelling-house and orchard,	£68
A parcel of out lands, adjoining Merrie's creek,	13
Meadow at Providence, commonly so called,	7

The apprizers say the following are several parcels of lands which we are informed by the administrator were given by the deceased to the children:

To Daniel Ladd, six acres, or thereabout, at	£6
Nathaniel Ladd, eight acres, or thereabout, at	8
Onesiphorus Marsh, four acres, or thereabout, at	4
Samuel Ladd, a parcel of land adjoining Merrie's creek, at	13

Daniel Ladd, a parcel of meadow and one commonadge, at	4.10
Nathaniel Smith, deceased, a parcel of meadow at Priuurose swamp,	2
Josiah Gage, one commonadge,	1.10
Onesiphorus Marsh, Jr., one commonadge,	1.10

- (1) Daniel Ladd married Ann —, but we have been unable to find her maiden surname, where she lived, or the date of their marriage. He d. at Haverhill, July 27, 1693. His wife Ann d. Feb. 9, 1694.

*Children.*

2. Elizabeth, bo. Nov. 1, 1640, in Salisbury; ma. Nathaniel Smith, May 14, 1663.
3. Daniel, bo. July 26, 1642, in Salisbury; ma. Lydia Singletery, Nov. 4, 1668; no children. He was Representative from Haverhill in 1693 and 1694.
4. Lydia, bo. April 8, 1645, in Salisbury; ma. Josiah Gage.
5. Mary, bo. Feb. 14, 1646, in Haverhill; ma. Caleb Richardson, of Newbury, July 31, 1682. Her children: 'Mary, bo. Jan. 12, 1684; 'Ruth, bo. March 1, 1686.
6. Samuel, bo. Nov. 1, 1649, in Haverhill; ma. Martha Corliss.
7. Nathaniel, bo. March 10, 1651, in Haverhill; ma. Elizabeth Gilman.
8. Ezekiel, bo. Sept. 16, 1654, in Haverhill; ma. Mary Folsom.
9. Sarah, bo. Nov. 4, 1657, in Haverhill; ma. Onesiphorus Marsh, Jr., Dec. 12, 1685.

A descendant of the emigrant Daniel Ladd writes:

“Horace Walpole, when speaking of the times of Charles the 2d, said ‘that there were no Englishmen then left in England, for that all men worthy the name had gone to America;’ and though this is the language of hyperbole, there was enough of truth in it to give it point; and Lord Brougham said that ‘New England was founded by men of whom Old England was not worthy.’ It has been wisely as well as beautifully said\* that ‘God sifted a whole nation that He might send choice grain over into this wilderness.’ Of this grain was ‘that Daniel Ladd’ from whom we are descended. He came here in the prime of his youth, and for sixty years thereafter labored, trusting in God and fearing nothing, — neither labor, nor cold, nor privation, nor savage enemies, so that he might help to build up, on these rough shores, a better England than he had left behind.

\* By the Rev. Mr. Stoughton, in his Election Sermon, Memorial History of Boston, vol. 1, p. 148.

And wisely his work, and the work of those who were like him, do follow them.

“That Daniel Ladd was accounted a man of good social position, when that was a matter of no small consequence, though all were practically nearly on the same level in point of fortune, we have every reason to believe. He held at one time the rank of ‘Lieutenant,’ and his son Nathaniel, who came to Exeter, married there the daughter of Hon. John Gilman, one of the Council for the Government of Province, Speaker of the House of Assembly in 1697, and the leading man, both for wealth and influence, in the Province out of Portsmouth, and the founder of a family which, down to this day, has been one of the most distinguished in the Province and State. Other marriages, in this and the next generation, bear witness to the respectability and social consideration of the Ladd family.”

- (6) Samuel Ladd, of Haverhill, (son of Daniel,<sup>1</sup>) m. Martha Corliss, dau. of George Corliss, Dec. 1st, 1674. He lived in the West Parish, and his house stood on the spot where the West Parish church now (1889) stands. Chase, in his *History of Haverhill*, says: “Feb. 22d, 1698, this Samuel Ladd, with his son Daniel, and Jonathan Haynes, with his son Joseph, who lived in the western part of the town, had started that morning with their teams, consisting of a yoke of oxen and a horse each, to bring home some hay which had been cut and stacked the preceding summer in their meadow in the extreme western part of the town. While they were slowly returning, little dreaming of present danger, they suddenly found themselves between two files of Indians, who had concealed themselves in the bushes on each side of their path. There were seven of them on each side, with guns presented and cocked, and the fathers seeing that it was impossible to escape begged for ‘quarter.’ To this the Indians replied ‘boon quarter, boon quarter!’ (good quarter.) Young Ladd, who did not relish the idea of being quietly taken prisoner, told his father that he would mount the horse and endeavor to escape. But the old man forbade him to make the attempt, telling him it was better to risk remaining a prisoner. He cut his father’s horse loose, however, and giving him the lash the horse started off at full speed, and though repeatedly fired at by the Indians, succeeded in reaching home, and

was the means of giving an immediate and general alarm. Two of the Indians then stepped behind the fathers and dealt them a heavy blow upon the head. Mr. Haynes, who was quite aged, instantly fell, but Ladd did not. Another of the savages then stepped before the latter and raised his hatchet as if to strike. Ladd closed his eyes, expecting the blow would fall, but it came not, and when he again opened his eyes he saw the Indian laughing and mocking at his fears. Another immediately stepped behind him and felled him at a blow. The Indians, on being asked why they killed the old men, said they killed Haynes because 'he was so old he no go with us,' meaning that he was too aged and infirm to travel; and that they killed Ladd, who was a fierce, stern looking man, because 'he so sour.' They started for Penacook, where they arrived with the two boys."

*Children.*

10. Daniel, bo. Nov. 19, 1676; ma. Susannah Hartshorn, Nov. 17, 1701.
11. Lydia, bo. Sept. 25, 1679; d. May 22, 1684.
12. Samuel, bo. May 22, 1682; ma. Hannah Hartshorn, Sept. 26, 1705. No children.
13. Nathaniel, bo. Sept., 9 1684; ma. ~~Abigail Bodwell~~
14. Ezekiel, bo. Feb. 14, 1686; ma. Jemima Foster, of Boxford. He lived in Boxford. No children.
15. David, bo. April 13, 1689; ma. Hephziba Hazen.
16. Jonathan, bo. April 13, 1689; ma. Susannah Kingsbury.
17. Abigail, bo. Sept. 29, 1691; ma. Samuel Roberts.
18. John, bo. June 22, 1694; ma. Mary Merrill.
19. Joseph, bo. May 16, 1697; d. June 9, 1697.

- (18) John Ladd, of Haverhill, (son of Samuel.<sup>6</sup>) He m. Mary, dau. of Nathaniel and Sarah (Woodman) Merrill, of Haverhill, Oct. 17, 1717. He was one of the selectmen in 1747 and 1748.

*Children.*

66. John, bo. Feb. 14, 1718.
67. Timothy, bo. Nov. 1, 1719; m. Lydia Marble.
68. Lydia, bo. Dec. 8, 1721; m. John Carleton.
69. Nathaniel, bo. April 5, 1724; m. Abigail Bodwell.
70. Abigail, bo. July 12, 1726; m. Josiah Gage.
71. Mary, bo. Oct. 21, 1728; m. Joseph Butler, bo. in Woburn, Dec. 1, 1713. He removed to Pelham, N. H., where he owned a large farm, afterwards known as Butler's Mills. His wife Mary (Ladd) Butler was "considered one of the finest women of her day, and was greatly beloved by all who knew her." The general remark at her death was: "What a good Christian woman she has always been." Their children: <sup>1</sup>Mary, bo. Dec. 15, 1755, m. Timothy Ladd (220); <sup>2</sup>Jesse, bo. Dec. 15, 1757, m. Molly Greely, 2d Mehitabel Daly; <sup>3</sup>Thaddeus, bo. Nov. 15, 1759, m. Miss Beetle, of Salem; <sup>4</sup>Hannah, bo. Jan. 26, 1761, m. George Tolland; <sup>5</sup>Phebe, bo. Aug. 27, 1763; <sup>6</sup>Elijah, bo. April 13, 1765; <sup>7</sup>James, bo. Nov. 2, 1767; <sup>8</sup>William, bo. April 2, 1769; <sup>9</sup>Abigail, bo. May 11, 1771.
72. Rebecca, bo. Jan. 3, 1731; m. Evan Jones.
73. Martha, bo. Jan. 24, 1733; d. Dec. 22, 1735.
74. William, bo. Jan. 24, 1738; m. Hannah Ayer.

- (69) Nathaniel Ladd, of Haverhill, (son of John,<sup>18</sup>) m. Abigail Bodwell, June 16, 1748, dau. of Daniel Bodwell, of Methuen, who d. March 5, 1771. He m. 2d, May 21, 1772, Mary Harvey. He d. March 10, 1773.

*Children.*

232. John, bo. Dec. 4, 1748; d. unmarried at Methuen, Dec. 23, 1833.
233. Bodwell, bo. Dec. 12, 1750; m. Martha Lewis.
234. Heman, bo. Feb. 26, 1753; d. unmarried at West Indies, 1775.
235. Nathaniel, bo. Oct. 22, 1755; m. Sarah Noyes.



236. Thadeus, bo. Jan. 5, 1758; ma. Hannah Dow.  
 237. Abigail, bo. June 28, 1760; ma. Joshua Sargent, Nov. 9, 1780.  
 238. Achsah, bo. Aug. 7, 1762; ma. James Messer, of Methuen, Oct. 21, 1783.  
 239. Caleb, bo. May 29, 1765; ma. Betsey Taplin.  
 240. Ruth Ingalls, bo. Sept. 4, 1768; ma. Elisha Richardson, Aug. 23, 1787.

*Children by second wife.*

241. Timothy, bo. March 10, 1773; ma. Martha McCleary, March 1, 1803.

- (235) Nathaniel Ladd, (son of Nathaniel<sup>69</sup> and Abigail Bodwell Ladd) was born in Methuen, Oct. 22, 1755; ma. Sarah, dau. of Thomas and Ann (Follensbee) Noyes, at Haverhill, June 27, 1782. He lived in Haverhill.

Thomas Noyes was the son of Joseph and Hannah (Wadleigh) Noyes, grandson of Col. Thomas and Martha (Pierce) Noyes, great-grandson of Rev. James and Sarah (Brown) Noyes. Rev. James Noyes took the oath of Allegiance and Supremacy to pass to New England in the Mary and John, March 24, 1633. His wife was the daughter of Mr. Joseph Brown, of Southampton, England. He was born in 1608, in Chaulderton, County Wiltshire, England, and was the son of the Rev. William Noyes, who married a sister of the celebrated Rev. Robert Parker, of whom the Rev. Cotton Mather wrote, in *Magnalia Christi Americana*, page 433: "It may without any ungrateful comparisons be asserted, that one of the *greatest scholars* in the English nation was that renowned ROBERT PARKER, who was driven out of the nation for his *non-conformity* to its unhappy ceremonies in the worship of God."

We quote from the same work, page 440: "The Rev. James Noyes was a man of singular qualifications, in piety excelling, an implacable enemy to all heresies and schism, and a most able warrior against the same. He was of reaching and ready apprehension, a large invention, a most profound judgment, a rare and tenacious and comprehensive memory, fixed and unmovable in his grounded conceptions; sure in words and speech, without rashness; gentle and mild in all expressions, without all passion or provoking language. He was resolute for the truth, and in defence thereof had no respect to any person. He was cour-

ageous in dangers, and still was apt to believe the best, and made fair weather in a storm. He was much honoured and esteemed in the country, and his death was much bewailed. I think he may be reckoned among the greatest worthies of this age."

Mr. Ladd was a blacksmith, and carried on the business at East Haverhill, Rocks village. He was a Justice of the Peace, and held Justice Court for the trial of such civil and criminal cases as were at that time within the jurisdiction of a justice court. I have the record book of the cases tried, and notice that he was neither severe in his judgments or extravagant in his charges. I copy from the records one civil and one criminal case :

" Nov. 24, 1821. At a Justice Court holden before me, Nathaniel Ladd, Esq., one of the Justices of the Peace for the County of Essex, at my dwelling-house in Haverhill, in said County, on the 24th day of November, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, Greenleaf Woodman, of Haverhill, plaintiff, vs. Paul Bailey, of Newbury, defendant, in a plea of the case, for that the said Bailey was indebted to the plaintiff, as he says, seventeen dollars, as is set forth in the writ, to the damage of the said Woodman, as he saith, the sum of twenty dollars; the parties appear, the plaintiff enters his action, and the defendant comes and defends, and saith that he doth not owe the plaintiff, as is set forth in the writ, and therefore puts himself on trial and the plaintiff likewise. Whereupon the case is fully heard, and after a full hearing it appears to me that the defendant doth owe the plaintiff the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents: it is therefore considered by me, the said Justice, that Greenleaf Woodman recover against the said Paul Bailey the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents debt or damage, and cost of suit taxed at two dollars and fifty-one cents.

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Debt,	12.50
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	15.01 "

" Haverhill, July 16, 1835. On complaint of Timothy Kinnerson, Ephraim Orne, and Timothy Flanders, Rhoda Willcomb was apprehended and brought before me, Nathaniel Ladd, one of the Justices for the keeping of the peace; after hearing the evidence and examining the case, it was adjudged by me, the said Justice, that she was guilty of the charge made against her in said complaint, and that she be sent to the County House in Ipswich, in said County of Essex, and there confined to labor for the term of three months.

NATHANIEL LADD, Justice of the Peace."

## Bill of costs in Miss Willcomb's case :

" Complaint and warrant,	\$1.00
Four witness, travel one mile each,	.32
Attendance one day each,	1.32
Entry,	.75
Trial,	.50
Officer's attendance one day,	.30
Two subpoenas,	.20
For filing papers, making up judgment and recording the same,	1.00
Officer's fees for serving writ,	.50
Stephen Hall for keeping prisoner,	.50 = \$6.39 "

He was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. The following record, written by himself, of his service in the army, was found among his papers after his death :

"The first time that I was out in the service, I enlisted for three months as a private soldier, on the last of December, 1775, in a company commanded by Capt. Timothy Johnson, of Haverhill; marched to Winter Hill in Charlestown; joined the army on Jan. 1st, 1776; was there when the British army left Boston, went into Boston with General Washington, and served my time out, which expired the first of April; was discharged and returned.

"The second time I was out was in the year 1777; enlisted the last of July of that year in a company commanded by Capt. Samuel Johnson, of Andover; marched the first of August for New York; joined the army at Stillwater; was wounded in the battle on the 7th of October, by a musket ball in my left hip; was carried to the hospital in Albany; remained there until I had so far recovered as to be able to ride, when I returned home, and was under the care of Dr. Benjamin Kittridge for four weeks after my return. In consequence of the wound I received, I am now receiving a pension of eight dollars per month.

"The third time I was out in the service of my country, I enlisted in a company commanded by Capt. Timothy Johnson, of Haverhill, the last of July, 1778, and marched on the first of August for Rhode Island; joined the army commanded by Gen. Sullivan. When the French fleet left the harbor of Newport we were obliged to retreat and leave the island. We stayed our time out; did duty in Providence and vicinity; were discharged and sent home; were out two months this time.

"The fourth and last time I was out in the service of my country was in the year 1779. I enlisted as a private soldier in a company commanded by Capt. Timothy Johnson, of Haverhill, the last of July in that year, for three months. We marched the first of August through Connecticut into New York; marched through New Haven.

East Haven, Fairfield, Norfolk, Green Farms, Horseneck, and Rye. Our regiment did duty in that part of the State of New York until the time of enlistment expired. I was not with the regiment but a small part of the time. The drummer belonging to our company was taken sick, sent to Stamford, Ct., and I was sent with him to take care of him, which I did until he died, which was about the time the term of our enlistment expired, when we were discharged and returned home. From the time I enlisted until I arrived home was four months."

Mr. Ladd, when 71 years old, attended the celebration at Newburyport, July 4, 1826, and offered at the dinner the following sentiment: "May the surviving officers and soldiers of the revolutionary army ever hold in grateful remembrance the hospitality of the citizens of Newburyport towards us who fought and bled to gain the independence which we are assembled this day to celebrate." He was kind and generous in his family, a good neighbor, and a highly respected citizen. His wife Sarah died, and he ma. for his 2d wife Miriam Pressey, 1826. He died Feb. 16, 1837.

*Children.*

1399. Betsey, bo. Sept. 21, 1784; ma. Benjamin Chase, Feb. 2, 1802. Children: <sup>1</sup>Mary Jane, bo. Nov. 23, 1803, ma. Ebenezer Fullington; <sup>2</sup>Eliza, bo. June 9, 1810, ma. — Hall; <sup>3</sup>John, bo. March 27, 1812; <sup>4</sup>Eustice, bo. Sept. 23, 1823. She d. Feb. 21, 1841.
1400. Nathaniel, bo. Sept. 17, 1786; ma. Sally Ingersoll.
1401. Sally, bo. Jan. 20, 1789; ma. William Poor. Children: <sup>1</sup>William B., bo. May 3, 1808; <sup>2</sup>Frederick L., bo. Dec. 7, 1817.
1402. John, bo. Sept. 27, 1791; ma. Sophia Jaques.
1403. Abigail, bo. Oct. 11, 1794; ma. Moses George, May 4, 1818. She d. Aug. 1868; he d. Feb. 10, 1854. Children: <sup>1</sup>Abbie W., bo. May 23, 1819, ma. Daniel T. Goss; <sup>2</sup>Elizabeth A., bo. Sept. 4, 1821, ma. William W. Colby; <sup>3</sup>Marette Theresa, bo. May 22, 1823, d. Nov. 20, 1840; <sup>4</sup>Amos E., bo. Aug. 22, 1825, d. Aug. 16, 1829; <sup>5</sup>Wallace T., bo. March 1, 1827, ma. Sarah F. Kinison, Oct. 3, 1851; <sup>6</sup>Gideon B., bo. Sept. 9, 1829, ma. Sophia Ann Ross, Dec. 18, 1856, and d. June 5, 1888; <sup>7</sup>Nathan C., bo. Sept. 7, 1831; <sup>8</sup>Eliza H., bo. Oct. 3, 1835, ma. Niles T. Stickney, Feb. 17, 1859; <sup>9</sup>Mary J. F., bo. Jan. 1, 1834, ma. Daniel S. Balch, Aug. 20, 1861; <sup>10</sup>Willard Kingman, bo. April 17, 1839, d. Feb. 15, 1870.
1404. Frederick P., bo. Jan. 21, 1797; ma. Maria Thayer.
1405. Heman, bo. Nov. 3, 1798; ma. Hannah Gilman.
1406. Ann, bo. Nov. 4, 1800; ma. Thomas Chase, of West Newbury. Child: Thomas P., bo. June 9, 1833. She died June, 1889.
1407. George Washington, bo. June 9, 1803; d. March 29, 1830; not ma.

1408. Rufus King, bo. June 9, 1803; ma. Emily Pollard.

1409. Emery, bo. June 9, 1805; ma. Louisa C. Knowlton.

- (1402) Major John Ladd, (son of Nathaniel<sup>235</sup> and Sarah (Noyes) Ladd.) was born in East Haverhill, Sept. 27, 1791. He ma. Sophia, dau. of Richard and Molly <sup>Emerson</sup> ~~Edwards~~ Jaques, Aug. 25, 1814. At the age of 14 he went to sea, sailing from Newburyport; rose to be mate, and assisted in bringing into this country the first Merino sheep, from Cadiz, Spain, for Consul Jarvis. He made several voyages across the Atlantic, sailing to various ports of England, Portugal, and Spain, up the Mediterranean, and several voyages to our southern ports. After seven years passed as a sailor he relinquished sea life in 1812, coming home from London, after war was declared, on a license from the English government. He then apprenticed himself to Richard Jaques, of West Newbury, to learn the comb-making business, and married his second daughter, as above. Settling at East Haverhill, where he resided most of his life, with short exceptions at Haverhill and Newburyport, he carried on the manufacture of combs for some years, then varied his employment with running a packet boat on the Merrimac River, transporting freight from Haverhill to Newburyport and *vice versa*, which occupation he followed for some ten years. Afterwards he was employed as a pilot on a steamer running between Haverhill and Newburyport. He also learned the art of making shoes, and was a natural mechanic in wood work. He was also prominent as a fisherman, in "the Spring season" catching fish in the Merrimac with nets, he owning one of the best fishing grounds

*This John (my G.L.H. Sr.) was undoubtedly in the war of 1812.*

on the river. Taking deep interest in local military affairs, he rose through the various grades to colonel of a militia regiment, but declined the honor and retired from the service. Having acted for several years as major, he was well known by that title. Mr. Ladd was always alive to the public interest, being a prominent member of the Baptist Church at East Haverhill, and an active worker for good public schools and temperance. Until the last years of his life he voted and acted with the Democratic party, but left it about 1850. He died Nov. 13, 1852. His widow died — *March 31 1875* (5)  
*aged 79 yrs - 7 mos.*  
*Children.*

1512. Sarah P., bo. Dec. 17, 1817; ma. Greenleaf Clark, Oct. 1835. Children: <sup>1</sup>Judson G., bo. Jan. 1837; <sup>2</sup>Isabella T., bo. Sept. 1839, d. Dec. 1842; <sup>3</sup>Irvin K., bo. March 1, 1842; <sup>4</sup>Leverett C., bo. May 22, 1842; <sup>5</sup>Emily, bo. June 3, 1847; <sup>6</sup>Annie L., bo. Sept. 11, 1848; <sup>7</sup>Warren, bo. Dec. 31, 1854.

1513. Sophia B., bo. Sept. 20, 1819; ma. William Reed, May 14, 1842. Children: <sup>1</sup>William, bo. Dec. 1, 1842, editor and proprietor of the Taunton Gazette; <sup>2</sup>Sophia, bo. Jan. 14, 1844; <sup>3</sup>Maria, bo. Aug. 17, 1845; <sup>4</sup>Milton, bo. Oct. 1, 1848, is a prominent lawyer at Fall River, and has been mayor of that city; <sup>5</sup>Waldo, bo. June 2, 1850.

1514. John W., bo. Jan. 7, 1822; ma. Sarah B. Evans.

1515. Nathaniel, bo. Jan. 10, 1824; d. 1825.

1516. Nathaniel, bo. Nov. 29, 1825; d. Sept. 3, 1835.

1517. Byron G., bo. Jan. 6, 1828; ma. Merinda Alexander.

1518. George W., bo. June 15, 1830; ma. Rebecca Morse. *2nd Eliza A. Morse*

1519. Judson W., bo. June 8, 1832; d. 1833.

1520. Elizabeth C., bo. May 31, 1834; ma. Horace Morse, May 31, 1853. Children: <sup>1</sup>Horace H., bo. Dec. 12, 1854, d. 1856; <sup>2</sup>Nellie A., bo. April 30, 1856, d. 1862; <sup>3</sup>Frank B., bo. Jan. 6, 1858; <sup>4</sup>Leslie, bo. Jan. 8, 1860; <sup>5</sup>George H., bo. Jan. 28, 1862, d. 1864; <sup>6</sup>Gertrude, bo. Jan. 27, 1865; <sup>7</sup>Mabel, bo. May 23, 1869.

1521. Emily A., bo. Jan. 8, 1836; d. 1839.

1522. Maria A., bo. Sept. 9, 1839; d. 1842.

- (1518) George W. Ladd, of Haverhill, (son of John,<sup>1402</sup>) was born at East Haverhill, June 15, 1880; was educated at the public schools; ma. Rebecca W., dau. of Horace T. and Charlotte (White) Morse, Nov. 27, 1851. She died Dec. 21, 1854, and he ma. 2d, April 6, 1856, Eliza A., dau. of John J. and Nancy (Dickey) Priest. He lived in Farmington, Iowa, where he kept a retail shoe store; in Lowell, where he kept a fancy goods store; and is now (1888) living in Bradford, and is in the furniture business in Haverhill. He has been surveyor, a member of the board of health, on the board of selectmen, and was treasurer for ten years of the Bradford Farmers and Mechanics Institute. He is a director in the Haverhill Cooperative Bank, and has been for the past nine years; is a member of the I. O. of O. F., and has been treasurer and held various other offices in the order. *d. July 15 1907, Bradford, Mass.*

*Child.*

2104. Lynn B., <sup>and</sup> <sub>^ d</sub> bo. Aug. 5, 1852; ma. Laura A. Graham, Feb. 6, 1872.

*Children by second wife.*

2105. Josephine M., bo. Dec. 3, 1860; ma. R. A. Wood, of Brentwood, N. H., Dec. 8, 1881; 2d, George W. Christie. *of Bradford, Mass.*  
 2106. Edgar L., bo. May 8, 1863; d. Aug. 24, 1864.  
 2107. George Edgar, bo. July 23, 1864; ma. Mary Oceana Hammond, May 24, 1889.  
 2108. Jennie B., bo. Sept. 29, 1865. *m. H. G. Parmelee Oct. 1894 of New London Conn.*

[A portrait in oils of George W. Ladd (no. 1518), painted in China from a photograph for his son Lynn (no. 2104), who d. before 1887, is now (1969) in the possession of his grandson, George E. Ladd, Jr. (no. 4978), in Wayne, Maine.]







George Edgar Ladd, ca. 1914

## PART II.

### GEORGE EDGAR LADD, 1864-1940, AND HIS DESCENDANTS

- 2107      GEORGE EDGAR LADD (s. of George Washington Ladd 1518), economic geologist and college president, was b. in Haverhill, Massachusetts. By extraordinary efforts he overcame lack of adequate preparation and gained admission to Harvard with the intention of studying law, but, becoming the protégé of Prof. Nathaniel S. Shaler, turned to geology (1); earned his A.B. in 1887 and A.M. in 1889; worked in vacations in field surveys (in the Casco Bay region and elsewhere) as part of the U.S. topographic survey under the local direction of Prof. Shaler; on May 24, 1889 m. in Bradford, Massachusetts, Mary O. Hammond (see below); they spent their honeymoon on shipboard en route to Austin, Texas, where he served as assistant geologist in the State Geological Survey; thence he went to Jefferson City, Missouri, to participate similarly in the State Geological Survey of Missouri; served as assistant in geology at Harvard, 1892-4, receiving his Ph. D. in the latter year; meanwhile he had superintended the assembly and display of the Massachusetts mineral and stone exhibit at the Chicago World Fair, 1893 (the first of three such exhibits of which he was to have charge); after teaching the Harvard summer school course in geology he went to Europe in August 1894, taking his family with him, to study at the University of Munich, making use of the journey to attend the International Congress on Geology at Zurich, to do some climbing in the Swiss Alps, and to pene-

trate the passes to Trieste; in Munich he and his wife became life-long devotees of Wagnerian opera. In February 1896 he became chemist for the Georgia Geological Survey at Atlanta, its assistant geologist in April 1896, and in September 1897 he became director and professor of mines and metallurgy (later mining) of the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy at Rolla. Here began a decade of glorious accomplishment, violent controversy, and enormous frustrations, a decade of adulation from friends and of detraction and unrelenting opposition from entrenched enemies. He has left his own account of the matter (2), and an independent account supplies additional details (3). In his own words, "[A]gainst great and unscrupulous opposition I changed a moribund, thirty-year-old country academy of only local importance, into one of the finest technical institutions in America" (4). But by 1907 he had enough of politics and controversy, and resigned to engage in mining (5). This not proving successful, he became in 1908 the first president of the Oklahoma School of Mines (now Eastern Oklahoma State College) at Wilburton, which he "built from the ground up", but here, too, he encountered political interference and graft "on a huge scale" and in 1913 was forced by "intolerable conditions...to jump 'out of the frying pan into the fire'". He accepted the presidency of the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts (now New Mexico State University) near Las Cruces. "There, more of the same, but worse. Four years of it. Whew!" (6). In 1917 he became an economic geologist for the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads in Washington, D. C., serving until his retirement in 1937, and lecturing simultaneously on engineering geology at the University of Maryland from 1921. Quite aside from his career in administration, his professional achievements were substantial. He made a specialty of clays and did important work also on building stone and on quarrying (7); he became the world authority on landslides, sub-





George Edgar Ladd, 1932

sidences, rock-falls and fill-failures as related to engineering (8). He has been called the Father of Soil Dynamics as a result of his 1898 paper on geological phenomena resulting from the surface tension of water (9). He was a man of fine presence and enormous powers, with a wide span of interests, a persistent curiosity and strong family attachments. He loved the outdoors, sailing and fishing; he read widely in history and archaeology; and he was a prolific writer of occasional verse, especially on family subjects (10). Reflecting his interest in family, he constructed a genealogical "wheel" to display his ancestry (11). Through the female line (12) he had inherited the punchbowl of his g<sup>5</sup>-mother, the colonial heroine Hannah Duston (Dustin), with a record of its provenance in his father's writing. In 1921 he lent this bowl (described by the recipients as "a beautiful Delphic punch bowl") to the Haverhill Historical Society, where it was seen on display about 1960 by his dau. (no. 4980), who remembers it as about 10 in. in diameter. It has been broken and repaired several times. In Washington he played cowboy pool regularly at the Cosmos Club and bridge or chess at home, but his heart from 1924 on was in the family camp which he was developing on Wilson Pond, Wayne, Maine, with his son George (no. 4978). In religion he was agnostic, in politics Republican. He d. December 23, 1940 at the home of his dau. in Chevy Chase, Maryland. His ashes are buried in the Greenwood Cemetery overlooking the Merrimack River at Rocks Village (i.e., East Haverhill), Massachusetts.

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11. Ancestral chart of George Edgar Ladd, Sr. [Washington, D. C. ] 1919. Blueprint, 40.5 x 25 in. Copy in Library of Congress (CS71 L154.1919). The same, revised, n.p., n.d., shows little change from the 1919 edition.

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Abigail (Duston) Watts, 1690-1727 (dau.)  
Hannah (Watts) Emerson, 1718-1776  
(g.-dau.)  
Mary (Emerson) Jaques, 1762-1849  
(g<sup>2</sup>-dau.)  
Sophia (Jaques) Ladd, 1795-1875 (g<sup>3</sup>-dau.)  
George W. Ladd, 1830-1907 (no. 1518;  
g<sup>4</sup>-s.)  
George E. Ladd, 1864-1940 (no. 2107;  
g<sup>5</sup>-s.)

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MARY OCEANA (HAMMOND) LADD (dau. of Augustus and Sarah (Kimball) Hammond) was b. March 14, 1865 in Roxbury, Massachusetts; her father dying when she was 3 years old, she was brought up by her mother, maternal grandparents, great-grandmother and two aunts (all Kimballs) in the ancestral Kimball House, 2 Salem Street, Bradford, Massachusetts (a 17th century tavern, now a guest house of Bradford Junior College) (1). She attended Bradford Academy (now Junior College) where her mother taught mathematics. Spring vacations and summers she spent with her father's relatives, ships' captains and their kin in Marblehead; she took great pride in her seafaring ancestry (2) (reflected in her name Oceana); she could box the compass and name the sails of a full-rigged ship. She met G.E.L. on the tennis court. Although not an outdoorsman by nature as was he (she disliked living in tents, and never learned to swim), she gallantly collaborated in her husband's outdoor pursuits in an era when this was not usual; she accompanied him in her own canoe in an expedition down the Apalachicola while they were living in Atlanta, in family camping parties by railway to the Rockies when they were in Rolla, and (after the advent of the automobile) in an early trip (with tents on the running board) to the West Coast in 1916 and with a sleep-in trailer in a migration to the East in 1917. Her talents were indoors: she had marked artistic gifts and interests; she was an expert needlewoman who designed her own work; she painted china competently and with restraint; and she was a capable water-colorist (3). She was very happy in Munich where she took lessons in water color and china painting, and where she could visit the Pinakothek on the way from marketing. Two lifelong disappointments were that she had not seen the museums of northern Italy and that the National Gallery was closed when they passed through London in 1894. As a college presi-



Mary Oceana (Hammond) Ladd, ca. 1955



dent's wife she became an accomplished hostess, and she was very active in women's clubs, serving as president of the State Federations in both Oklahoma and New Mexico. She loved things, principally for their associations - the silverware, china and furniture that had descended to her from a dozen ancestors; the picture of her grandfather's barque Austerlitz leaving the port of Le Havre (4), the great crimson silk shawl brought from China by some seafaring forebear to his wife. She was a conspicuous success in the maintenance of affectionate relationships with daughters- and son(s)-in-law. From 1929 she and G.E.L. lived in a mutually rewarding relationship with their dau. (no. 4980) and her husband in Chevy Chase, Maryland, where she d. October 15, 1959. Her ashes lie beside those of her husband.

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2. [Ancestral chart of Mary H. Ladd, n.p., ca. 1920.] Blueprint, 40 x 24.5 in. Copy in the possession of her dau. (no. 4980).
3. An attractive view of the Frauenkirche, Munich, is in the possession of her g.-dau. Judith Bromley (no. 4997).
4. Now owned by her g.-s. Verner W. Clapp Jr. (no. 4996).

### Children

- \*4974 Hammond, b. August 12, 1890.
- \*4975 Shaler, b. September 24, 1892.
- \*4976 Paul Revere, b. April 19, 1894.
- 4977 Nancy Priest, b. Bradford, Massachusetts,  
November 23, 1895; d. Atlanta, Georgia,  
October 23, 1896; buried in Atlanta.
- \*4978 George Edgar, Jr., b. October 30, 1897.
- \*4979 John Gardner, b. November 10, 1899.
- \*4980 Dorothy Devereaux, b. September 8, 1901.

4974     HAMMOND LADD (s. of George Edgar Ladd 2107),  
civil engineer, was b. August 12, 1890 in Bradford  
(whither his mother had returned from Jefferson  
City to assure that he should be born in Massachu-  
setts); he attended successively the Missouri  
School of Mines, and the Oklahoma School of Mines,  
receiving degrees from both institutions in 1909.  
After a job experience in surveying in the Pacific  
Northwest, he attended the Harvard Law School in  
1911-2, but - the law proving uncongenial - went  
to Middlebury College for a year (during which he  
was active in President Theodore Roosevelt's Bull  
Moose campaign), receiving a 3d degree (B.S., 1913).  
He went to work as evaluation engineer for the  
A, B & A (Atlanta, Birmingham and ?) railroad,  
laying out new lines in Georgia and Alabama, based  
first in Atlanta, where he led a Boy Scout troop,  
and later in Toccoa. On September 30, 1916 he m.  
Edith Brayton Briggs (see below). During World  
War I and years immediately following he worked  
for the U. S. Railway Administration, living  
successively in Washington, Baltimore and Phila-  
delphia. Later he was operating superintendent  
successively at Filene's (Boston), Hecht's  
(Washington) and Loesser's (Brooklyn) - all large  
specialty or department stores. In 1930 he became

associated with the United Parcel Service in New York City. There he soon became chief engineer, and spent the next 30 years enthusiastically until his retirement in 1960 in overseeing the planning and construction of new stations and the layout and installation of materials-handling systems in the Service's branches throughout the country. He was the tallest of the Ladd boys (6 ft. 6 in.), topping his father by 4 in. He was an omnivorous reader with omnivorous interests, concentrating on his valuable stamp collection and on photography (after his retirement he and his wife made numerous photographic excursions to Florida and elsewhere around the U. S.) He planned and supervised the building of his home in North Tarrytown, New York, and built a cottage at Camp Ladd, Wayne, Maine, to which he was greatly devoted and where he was vacationing when he died July 6, 1967. His ashes lie near those of his parents.

EDITH BRAYTON (BRIGGS) LADD, (dau. of Joseph Winthrop and Mary (Brayton) Briggs) was b. in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, September 15, 1892; she graduated from the Haverhill, Massachusetts, High School and the Leland Powers School (of elocution), Boston (1912). Until her marriage she gave public recitations, specializing in dramatic Bible readings at churches and YMCA's. She was m. at the home of her parents in Newton Center, Massachusetts. She continues to reside at 151 Harwood Avenue, North Tarrytown, New York 10591; Tel. 914-631-3687.

#### Children

- \*4981 Mary Hammond, b. October 3, 1917
- \*4982 Edith Brayton, b. May 26, 1920
- \*4983 Hammond, Jr., b. January 4, 1927
- \*4984 Richard Winthrop, b. July 29, 1929

4975 SHALER LADD (s. of George E. Ladd 2107), officer, U. S. Marine Corps, was b. in Melrose Highlands, Massachusetts, September 24, 1892; attended schools in Rolla, Missouri, the Oklahoma School of Mines, and the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts where he won his letters in football, baseball, basketball and track (he is 6 ft. 2 in. in height) and from which he graduated (B.S.) in 1917. In 1916 he had served with the New Mexico National Guard on the Mexican border under General Pershing following the raid of Pancho Villa on Columbus, New Mexico. Immediately upon graduation (May 1917) he was commissioned as 2d lieutenant in the U. S. Marine Corps and went to France in December 1917, where he served with the 81st Company, 4th Marine Corps Brigade; he was severely wounded (head injury and mustard gas) at the Battle of Belleau Wood (since renamed the Bois de la Brigade Marine), June 6-9, 1918; he recuperated in the south of France and returned to his unit in August, serving until the Armistice in all 5 major engagements in which the Brigade was involved. He returned home in January 1919 and m. in Mesilla Park, New Mexico, February 12, 1919, Bendette Rentfrow (see below). He has made the Marine Corps his career, serving (among other assignments) at Guantanamo Bay (Cuba); New London (Connecticut) Submarine Base; U. S. Legation, Managua (Nicaragua); U.S.S. Maryland (twice; 1927-9 and 1931-3); Marine Expeditionary Force, Nicaragua; Marine Corps Schools (Quantico, Virginia); Army Motor Transport School (Baltimore, Maryland); Mare Island (California) Navy Yard; War Plans Office, Marine Corps HQ (Washington, D. C.). He commanded the special Marine guard assigned to cover the visit of Edward, Prince of Wales, to Washington, D. C. in 1919; during World War II he was commanding officer, U. S. Marine Corps HQ, European Theater (Londonderry, North Ireland); in 1945 he served as technical expert to the U. S. delegation at the United Nations Conference on International

Organization, San Francisco (at which the UN was founded); and he was chief of staff, Marine Corps HQ, Parris Island (South Carolina). He retired for physical disability with the rank of colonel, USMC, in 1946. He has received some 12 decorations, including the Order of the Purple Heart (for his injury at Belleau Wood) and the Secretary of the Navy's Special Commendation Medal upon his retirement. He has since devoted his energies to the cultivation of the avocado grove adjoining his home (for which he prepared himself by taking a course in subtropical agriculture at Palomar College) and to his hobbies - photography, camping and fishing. They live at 1810 Oak Avenue, Carlsbad, California 92008; Tel. 714-729-1793.

BENDETTE (RENTFROW) LADD (dau. of Benjamin Wesley and Mary Rebecca (Estes) Rentfrow) was b. in Sherwood, Texas, February 13, 1893. She graduated from the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts (B.S., home economics, 1918). She is noted for her skill in cooking.

### Children

- \*4985 Louise Bendette, b. July 16, 1920.
- \*4986 Beverly b. August 22, 1922.
- \*4987 Shaler, Jr., b. December 18, 1930.

4976 PAUL REVERE LADD (s. of George E. Ladd 2107), chamber of commerce executive, was b. in Cambridge, Massachusetts on the anniversary of the famous ride, April 19, 1894; while a student at Proctor Academy was taken as a companion by his cousin Milton Reed (ex-mayor of Fall River, Massachusetts) on an around-the-world tour; attended Bowdoin College, 1913-5; graduated from Harvard College



(A.B.), June 21, 1917; on the same day m., in Newton Center, Massachusetts, Helen G. Douglas (see below), and on the same day also enlisted in the U. S. Navy; served with rank of ensign as deck officer on a troop transport and as commanding officer of a submarine chaser, 1917-8, and as executive officer and instructor of the Naval Unit at the University of Florida, Gainesville, 1918-9. Served as Executive Secretary of the Framingham (Massachusetts) Civic League, 1919-29, and as General Manager of the Providence, Rhode Island, Chamber of Commerce from 1929 until his retirement in 1960. He has contributed to The Nation's Business and to other trade journals. He has for many years pursued an avid amateur interest in antiques; he has assembled a notable collection displaying the history of illumination and domestic heating, especially in the New England colonies and states (1), and another, only less well known, of early American tools and farm implements. In 1935 he and his wife purchased an old farm in the Mink Hills in Warner, New Hampshire where since his retirement he has established a Bygones Museum (on New Market Road at Waterloo in Warner) in the guise of a country store and post office (with an abundance of special exhibits including costumes, furnishings, games, spinning, weaving, iron-, tin-, and wooden-ware, harness- and shoe-making, etc.) (2). In 1936 they purchased the Windmill Cottage in East Greenwich, Rhode Island (consisting of a 1790 dwelling and a pre-Revolutionary windmill, originally separate, but joined by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow), which they have filled with their collections. He has lectured and written widely (in The Rushlight Bulletin, Rhode Island History, and other antiquarian journals) on these and related subjects. (3) In retirement he is pursuing these interests not only at home but abroad, specifically in European travels. He has served as president of the American Association of Retail Executives, the New England Chamber of Commerce Executives, as Chief

of the Town Criers of Rhode Island, and as a member and officer of numerous other business, educational, historical and civic organizations. Their home, the Windmill Cottage, is at 144 Division Street, East Greenwich, Rhode Island 02818; Tel. 401-884-4752. (See also Who's Who in Commerce until 1960.)

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HELEN GERTRUDE (DOUGLAS) LADD (dau. of Harry Alexander and Susan (Houston) Douglas) was b. on January 21, 1894 in Somerville, Massachusetts; graduated from Proctor Academy (1912) and Pembroke College (A. B., 1916); taught high-school English in Dover, New Hampshire (1916-7) and Everett, Massachusetts (1917-8); has been an enthusiastic practitioner of handicrafts, especially weaving, hooking and decorative painting, and has shared her husband's collecting activities, her interest centering on Canton china.

For many years she was president of the Pembroke Class of 1916, and she has been president of the Girl Scout Council for Rhode Island and the Parent-Teachers Association of East Greenwich, area chairman of the American Red Cross Home Service during World War II, and active in a number of other civic, educational and social organizations.

### Children

\*4988 Paul Revere, Jr., b. September 26, 1919.

\*4989 Douglas, b. September 10, 1922.

4978 GEORGE EDGAR LADD, JR. (s. of George E. Ladd 2107), merchant, was b. in Atlanta, Georgia, October 30, 1897; after attending Proctor Academy, 1912-6, he entered Harvard. At the end of his first year he met his future wife while tutoring her young cousins. On June 1, 1918 he enlisted as private in the U. S. Marine Corps, resigning on August 1, 1919 as 1st lieutenant to finish the work towards his degree at Harvard (A.B., 1920). Following graduation he was employed by the Boston Hide and Leather Co., and in 1921 he became buyer and office manager for Parke Snow, Inc. On June 22, 1922 he m. in Weston, Massachusetts, Helen Filene (see below). On May 1, 1923 he entered executive training at Abraham & Straus, Inc. (major department store), Brooklyn, New York, ultimately becoming merchandise manager. In 1942 he resigned to serve once more in the U. S. Marine Corps, and as paymaster of the 5th Regiment which took a prominent part in the bloody battles of the Pacific Campaign of World War II on Guadalcanal and elsewhere, was stationed at base headquarters in Wellington, New Zealand, from April 1942 to January 1943. He was mustered out with the rank

of captain on August 1, 1943. In September 1943 he became president of Gladding's (major department store), Providence, Rhode Island, serving in that capacity until his retirement in 1952. From 1924 on, his principal preoccupation had been the development, in collaboration with his father, of Camp Ladd on Wilson Pond, Wayne, Maine. In 1953 he moved to the village of Wayne where he purchased the old Pocasset Inn which he renovated as a town residence, and where he has since devoted his attention chiefly to the further development of Camp Ladd and to village improvement and other public services. He and his wife gave the village the land for the new Wayne fire house (1956), as well as a new elementary school building (1958). Since 1956 he has served as a trustee of Bates College, where in 1959 he established a scholarship for Maine children. They live in Wayne, Maine 04284; Tel. 207-685-3376 (residence in village), 207-685-3517 (Camp Ladd).

HELEN (FILENE) LADD, dau. of A(braham) Lincoln and Therese (Weil) Filene, was b. in Boston, Massachusetts, August 31, 1899; graduated from Skidmore College (A.B., 1922). She has exerted a life-long interest in the welfare of her alma mater. She served as an elected alumnae trustee, 1932-7, and as an appointed trustee, 1937-69. She made possible the publication of Skidmore's first alumnae directory (1959), and contributed substantially to the erection of the Thérèse Weil Filene Music Building (1967). In the same year the College conferred upon her the honorary degree of Litt. D. She has been through the years an equal partner with her husband in making Camp Ladd a lovely and eminently habitable place as well as a focus of family togetherness.

Children

- \*4990 George Edgar Ladd III, b. December 5, 1923
- \*4991 Lincoln Filene                      b. May 22, 1926
- \*4992 Robert Milton                      b. September 25, 1928

4979 JOHN GARDNER LADD (s. of George E. Ladd 2107), engineer, cartographer, army officer, was b. in Rolla, Missouri, November 10, 1899; graduated from George Washington University (B. S., civil engineering, 1922); while in college was a "letter" man in baseball, basketball and tennis, business manager of the college newspaper, and (in 1918) a member of the Student Army Training Corps; he was subsequently a reserve officer in the U. S. Army; was employed in the service department of Woodward & Lothrop (major department store), Washington, D. C., 1922-6; m. in Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania, April 13, 1925, Annette Estelle Thomas Steel (see below); served as cartographic engineer, U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Washington, D. C., 1926 to February 1941 when he was ordered to active duty for one year as a captain in the U. S. Army at Fort Meade, Maryland; while there was sent to Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, where, on December 7, 1941, while watching a polo game, he heard a radio announcement of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, which automatically cancelled prospect of release at the end of the year. Upon completion of the course he was promoted major and assigned to the Department of the Army in the Munitions Building, Washington, D. C. In June 1942 he was ordered to the Engineer Section, Hq., Second Corps, and three days later was on a Europe-bound convoy.

Upon landing in Glasgow, they were met by a band of music, for they were the first U. S. soldiers to set foot in Scotland since World War I. A few months later he participated in the invasion of North Africa, and the capture of Oran (Algiers). When the 5th Army was activated in North Africa in the Summer of 1943, he was transferred to its Hq. Engineer Section, where he served throughout the invasion of Sicily and Italy as chief, Engineer Intelligence Division, with responsibility for surveying and mapping and control of all Engineer topographic troops and map distribution detachments. In late March, 1945, during a Winter lull in fighting, he was selected with 30 other officers for 10 days home leave; this trip coincided with his 20th wedding anniversary and promotion as full colonel. At the conclusion of hostilities he returned home by troopship, but his plans for returning to civilian life were diverted by the offer of a permanent commission (without loss of rank) in the Regular Army; this he accepted; he served for nearly 5 years in the office of the Chief of Engineers (Washington, D. C.) as chief, Engineer Intelligence and Mapping Division; in 1949 he was appointed post commander, Army Map Service (Washington, D. C.), with a staff of 30 military and over 4,000 civilians; in this position he was responsible not only for numerous improvements in the techniques of map-manufacture and distribution (e.g., applications of photogrammetry, methods of color-separation, and mass-production of plastic relief maps), but for even more important developments in the standardization of map-making among agencies of U.S. and foreign (especially NATO) governments (e.g. in the adoption of common control and grid systems); during these years, too, he published a number of articles relating to military map-making (1); in mid-Summer 1953 he was transferred to Hq., U.S. Army, Far East (Zama, Japan), where he was again chief of the Engineer Intelligence and Mapping Division, making frequent

short trips to Korea. There, in the Summer of 1954, he suffered a back injury for which he was hospitalized for 3 months, returning to the U. S. in October for further treatment at Walter Reed Hospital (Washington, D. C.) where he was retired on December 31, 1954 for physical disability, having 30 years accredited military service. His various assignments had involved him in extensive foreign travel and numerous friendships with opposite numbers in NATO and other countries in Europe, South America, and Asia, and he has also received a number of decorations and awards: as a result of his European service he received the Bronze Star, Legion of Merit, and American Defense Medal, as well as the Italian Cross of Military Valor; for his Far East service he received the Armed forces Reserve Medal, the oak-leaf cluster for the Legion of Merit, and the medal of the Royal (Thai) Order of the White Elephant (this coveted decoration must be returned at his death to the Thai government). Following this first retirement he took a position as executive director of the Association of Professional Photogrammatists, with headquarters in Washington, D. C. In 1957, becoming the American representative of Tellurometer, Ltd., of Cape Town (South Africa), manufacturers of a newly-invented device for measuring distances by means of microwaves, he created a Washington, D. C. corporation of the same name, of which he was president, treasurer, board chairman and (ultimately) majority stockholder. In 1966 he sold out to a British firm and retired for the second time. He has served as president of the Wesley Heights Community Club and is a member of a number of other social and business clubs. He is a devoted golfer and he and his wife are long-time ardent folk-dancers. In 1932 he built an attractive house adjoining Glover-Archbold Park (a natural wooded park in Wesley Heights) where their address is 2819 45th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20007: Tel. 202-363-3746.

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ANNETTE ESTELLE THOMAS (STEEL) LADD (dau. of James Irvin and Estelle (Thomas) Steel) was b. in Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvannia, August 2, 1899; attended schools in Geneva (Switzerland) and Forest Glen, Maryland; graduated from George Washington University (A.B., 1922; A.M., history, 1923); before her marriage spent a year in Cordova, Alaska, where her brother Harry published the Cordova Times (newspaper; since inherited from him but sold); since her marriage has devoted much time to volunteer work, especially with the Goodwill Industries (as treasurer, 2d vice president, and president of the Guild), the YWCA (as treasurer and member of the Board) and District of Columbia General Hospital (as chairman of the Volunteer Services Board); she also has served as president of the Wesley Heights Community Club, and she is a member of a number of other social and community organizations.

### Children

- \*4993 Annette Thomas, b. October 16, 1926.
- \*4994 Martha, b. May 1, 1932.



4980 DOROTHY DEVEREAUX (LADD) CLAPP (dau. of George E. Ladd 2107), was b. in Rolla, Missouri, September 8, 1901; grew up in Wilburton, Oklahoma and Mesilla Park, New Mexico; graduated from Central High School, Washington, D. C., and from George Washington University (A.B., 1923, English literature); was employed in the book department of Woodward & Lothrop (major department store), Washington, D. C., serving as assistant buyer, 1924-1930; m. in Washington, D. C. on August 24, 1929, Verner W. Clapp (see below); has been active in work with Girl Scouts, 1941-60, as troop leader, district distributor in annual cookie sales, chairman of district committee, chairman of Camp May Flather committee, and in other assignments; received the Girl Scouts' "Thank You" badge in 1955; during World War II served as volunteer staff assistant in District of Columbia Chapter, American Red Cross; served as Democratic judge of elections for Montgomery County, Maryland, 1941-67. As especial hobbies she hooks rugs and collects Staffordshire dogs. They live at 4 West Irving Street, Chevy Chase, Maryland 20015; Tel. 202-652-4918.

VERNER WARREN CLAPP (s. of George Herbert and Mary Sybil (Helms) Clapp), librarian, was b. as an American citizen in the Transvaal (now the South African Republic), June 3, 1901; spent his boyhood in Poughkeepsie, New York; graduated from Trinity College (Hartford, Connecticut; A.B., 1922) where he was an enrollee (being under enlistment age) in the Student Army Training Corps (1918), Phi Beta Kappa (1921), and captain of track (1921-2); did graduate work in philosophy at Harvard (1922-3); entered the service of the Library of Congress and worked under four librarians of Congress (Herbert Putnam to 1939; Archibald MacLeish to 1945; Luther H. Evans to 1953; and L. Quincy Mumford, 1954-6) in various capacities from manuscripts cataloger (1922) through the reference service (1923-40), as director of administration (1940-3), in charge of

acquisitions (1943-7), chief assistant librarian (1947-56) and acting librarian (1953-4); received numerous interesting special assignments, including cataloging the libraries of President Coolidge (1928-9) and Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes (1935); tracing the early wanderings of the U.S. Supreme Court (1933); serving as custodian of the Declaration of Independence, Articles of Confederation and Constitution of the United States as well as the Lincoln Cathedral copy of Magna Carta when those muniments were evacuated to Fort Knox during World War II (1); serving as librarian of the United Nations Conference on International Organization, San Francisco (April-July, 1945), entitling him to claim to be the first librarian of the United Nations; has continued to be active in connection with the UN library down to and including the dedication of the Dag Hammarskjold Library (1961); directing the Library of Congress Mission in Germany, representing American research libraries generally there (1945-7) and negotiating the release from the Russian zone of occupied Germany of the books stockpiled by German booksellers for American libraries on pre-War orders (1946); serving as a member of the U. S. delegation to the preparatory meeting of Unesco (London, 1946; he continued to be active in Unesco's library and bibliographic affairs, 1946-53); serving as chairman of the U.S. Library Mission to Japan (December 1947-February 1948) to advise on the establishment of a national Diet library; and doing the honors of the Library of Congress to a series of visitors of the highest distinction, e.g., the Princess Elizabeth of Great Britain (1951), Crown Prince Akihito of Japan (1954) and the Emperor Haile Selassie I of Ethiopia (1954). He retired from the Library in 1956 to establish, at the instance of the Ford Foundation, the Council on Library Resources, Washington, D. C., created to stimulate research toward the solution of library problems; as president of this organization, 1956-67, has been able to contribute to numerous significant

developments, including the manufacture of competitive permanent/durable book paper, a union catalog of manuscript collections in American repositories, the adoption of the Anglo-American catalog code and the international coordination of cataloging principles, the commencement of successful application of automation to library operations and a demonstration of "cataloging-at-source"(2); he continues to serve the Council as half-time consultant. He has also been a member of the board of Forest Press (the publisher of the Dewey Decimal Classification) since 1953 and its president since 1960. He has received a number of awards and other honors, including the creation of a publication fund in his name in the Library of Congress (1956), the Lippincott Award of the American Library Association (1960), and the Order of the Sacred Treasure, conferred by the Emperor of Japan (1968) for his part in the founding of the National Diet Library in 1948. He is the author of over 200 monographs and articles, principally on professional subjects. He is an amateur book-binder, flautist and practitioner of mechanic arts.

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### Children

- \*4995 Nancy Priest, b. November 18, 1930.
- \*4996 Verner Warren, Jr., b. March 20, 1932.
- \*4997 Judith Ladd, b. October 10, 1937.

4981 MARY HAMMOND (LADD) HAIR (dau. of Hammond Ladd 4974), high school teacher, was b. in Atlanta, Georgia, October 3, 1917; graduated from Middlebury College (B. S., 1939); has done graduate work at the University of the State of New York at Plattsburgh (M. S., 1959) and also at New York University and Cornell; taught home economics in public high schools in northern New York, 1939-42, and since 1955 in the Moriah (New York) Central School; m. 1st, January 20, 1941, in Reno, Nevada, Malcolm L. Dezendorf (see below); 2d, August 13, 1957, in Westport, New York, Howard F. Hair (see below). She and her first husband built with their own hands the house on Lake Champlain where she and her second husband now live, Westport, New York 12993; Tel. 518-962-4716.

MALCOLM LAURIE DEZENDORF (s. of William and Stella (Whittaker) Dezendorf), electrical engineer, was b. in Bellefont, Pennsylvania, October 20, 1894; self-trained, qualified as a registered electrical engineer; served in the U. S. Army in the United States in World War I; was employed as electrical engineer by Republic Steel in Michigan and Minnesota; worked in Russia for the Jones-Laughlin Steel Co., 1930-2, helping to set up an iron mine at Magnitogorsk; d. June 28, 1955 in Mineville, New York; is buried in Westport, New York.

HOWARD FRANKLIN HAIR (s. of Winfield Scott and Henrietta (Lower) Hair), teacher, was b. May 4, 1900 in Roaring Springs, Pennsylvania; served in

the U. S. Army in the United States in World War II; graduated from Pennsylvania State University (B. S., 1925); did graduate work at Johns Hopkins, Cornell and the University of the State of New York at Plattsburgh. Taught science at State College and Aspinwall, Pennsylvania and Moriah, New York until his retirement in 1965.

#### Children by 1st Marriage

- \*4998 Mary Laurie Dezendorf, b. October 30, 1942.
- \*4999 Malcolm Ladd Dezendorf, b. August 19, 1945.

#### Child by 2d Marriage

- 5000 David Franklin Hair, b. November 4, 1958  
in Ticonderoga, New York.

- 4982 EDITH BRAYTON (LADD) EVANS (dau. of Hammond Ladd 4974), dietitian, was b. May 26, 1920 in Washington, D. C.; she graduated from Middlebury College (A.B., 1941), did graduate work at Columbia University, 1941, and interned in dietetics at Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, 1941-2. She was employed as dietitian at Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, Hanover, New Hampshire, 1942-4; Mercy Hospital, San Diego, California, 1944-5. On February 27, 1944 she m. in New York City Thomas T. Evans (see below). She has continued the practice of her profession since her marriage; from 1946 to 1950 she edited the dietetics section of Southern Hospitals Magazine; she served as dietitian (part time) at the High Point (North Carolina) Memorial Hospital, 1947-55; she took courses in education at High Point College, 1959; from 1960 she has been administrative dietitian of the Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital, Greensboro, North Carolina; and in 1965 she taught diet therapy

at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. They live at 1014 Elk Place, High Point, North Carolina 27262; Tel. 919-882-8936.

THOMAS TYLER EVANS (s. of Thomas Clinton and Virginia (Tyler) Evans), sales manager, was b. June 1, 1916 in Terre Haute, Indiana; graduated from the University of Colorado (A.B., advertising and marketing, 1939); was employed as account executive by Bennett Advertising, Inc., High Point, North Carolina, 1939-41; during World War II served in the Supply Corps, U. S. Navy, reaching the rank of lieutenant-commander; reentered business in High Point, where he has been associated with Bennett Advertising, Inc. (vice-president), 1946-64; Tom Evans Co. (advertising), 1964-7; Washburn Printing, 1967-9; Alma Desk Co. (sales manager), 1969-. He served as president of the American Business Club, High Point, 1952, and is active in the High Point Chamber of Commerce.

#### Children

- \*5001 Thomas Ladd, b. September 28, 1945.
- 5002 Peter Hammond, b. May 1, 1949 in High Point, North Carolina; graduated from the High Point Central High School, 1966, and is (1969) a junior at North Carolina State University at Raleigh, majoring in geology.
- 5003 Nancy Tyler, b. May 15, 1953 in High Point, North Carolina.

- 4983 HAMMOND LADD, JR. (s. of Hammond Ladd 4974), marketing and management executive, was b. in Washington, D. C., January 4, 1927; attended the College of the City of New York, 1944-5, receiving an Army diploma; served as private first class in the 39th F. A. Battalion, 3d Division, U. S. Army,

stationed in Germany, 1945-6; graduated from Middlebury College (B. A., mathematics, 1950); m. in Tenafly, New Jersey on August 16, 1952, Dawn Ryhn (see below); has worked for a number of organizations including the Borden Company (1950-3) and Minneapolis-Honeywell (1953-6); since April 1968 has been president of Interactive Sciences Corporation, Braintree, Massachusetts, engaged in computer-based problem-solving projects including time-sharing computer services, real-time computer analyses and specifications, consulting and management science. They live at 135 Linden Drive, Cohasset, Massachusetts 02025; Tel. 617-383-9444.

DAWN (RYHN) LADD (dau. of John Ryhn and Dorothy (Lunan) Ryhn, now Mrs. Raymond Blake) was b. in Boston, Massachusetts, January 28, 1932. She attended Washington Irving High School, New York City, and the Bloomington (New Jersey) College and Seminary. Her major avocations are tennis, skiing and swimming.

### Child

5004 Paul Justin, b. in Boston, Massachusetts, January 11, 1962.

4984 RICHARD WINTHROP LADD (s. of Hammond Ladd 4974), chemical engineer, was b. in Hempstead, New York, July 29, 1929; graduated from the Missouri School of Mines (B.S., chemical engineering, 1951); has been employed by the Allied Chemical Company, 1951-8, and as Specialist, Air and Water Conservation by the Getty Oil Company, 1958-. He m. 1st, August 11, 1952, in Sewaren, New Jersey, Ethel A. Bishop (b. March 17, 1932 in Astoria, New York, the dau. of Daniel and Eva (Bradshaw) Bishop); di-

vorced, July 1963. He m., 2nd., November 8, 1963 in Wilmington, Delaware, Patricia M. Kashalonis (see below). They live at 708 Brook Drive, Newark, Delaware 19711; Tel. 302-368-3050.

PATRICIA MARGARET (KASHALONIS) LADD (dau. of William and Rosalia (Igo) Kashalonis) was b. in Mahoney City, Pennsylvania, June 8, 1937; she attended St. Elizabeth's High School (Wilmington, Delaware), and is trained as an x-ray technician; before marriage she was employed as a medical secretary in the Wilmington General Hospital.

Child by 1st Marriage

5005 Thomas James, b. March 31, 1957 in Buffalo, New York.

Children by 2d Marriage

5006 Diane Elizabeth, b. October 27, 1964 in Wilmington, Delaware.

5007 Christopher Richard, b. March 25, 1966 in Wilmington, Delaware.

4985 LOUISE BENDETTE (LADD) LINSCOTT (dau. of Shaler Ladd 4975) was b. at the U. S. Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, July 16, 1920; graduated from the University of Maryland (B.S. in home economics, 1942); m. in Chevy Chase, Maryland, October 24, 1943, Henry Dallas Linscott, Jr. (see below); they live at 1439 East Shore Drive, Alameda, California 94501; Tel. 415-865-0408.

HENRY DALLAS LINSCOTT, JR. (s. of Lieut. Gen. H. D. Linscott, USMC (Ret.) and May (Rich)



Linscott), was b. at Parris Island, South Carolina, December 2, 1920; graduated from the University of Missouri (B. J., 1941), Stanford University (M.A.E., 1952); entered the U. S. Navy in September 1941 as an Ensign and served until his retirement in October 1968 as a Captain, Supply Corps, USN, from the Naval Supply Center, Oakland, California where he served as Executive Officer and briefly Commanding Officer during Viet Nam buildup and hostilities; is now employed as Director of the Work Measurement and Standard Costing Division of Crocker Citizens National Bank in San Francisco.

### Children

- \*5008 James Henry, b. April 6, 1945.
- 5009 Diana Louise, b. November 16, 1949 in Bethesda, Maryland; now (1969) a junior at the University of California at Santa Barbara, majoring in history.

4986 BEVERLY (LADD) CLINCHY (dau. of Shaler Ladd 4975) was b. in Quantico, Virginia; graduated from the University of Maryland (B. S., home economics, 1941); commissioned as lieutenant in the Women Marines, 1941; m. at Norton Air Force Base, San Bernardino, California, May 1, 1954, Arthur H. Clinchy, Jr. (see below); they live on Mountain Way at the base of Thompson Peak (7,742 ft.) in northeast California, with the address Box 8, Janesville, California 96114; Tel. 916-253-3380.

ARTHUR HENRY CLINCHY, JR. (s. of Arthur Henry and Frances Mary (Goulding) Clinchy), officer, U. S. Air Force, was b. in New York City,

October 6, 1915; spent his youth in Jersey City, New Jersey; attended junior college in Ontario and also Boston University; served as pilot in the U. S. Air Force in World War II and the Korean War; retired on July 31, 1967 with more than 28 years' service as lieutenant-colonel, U.S.A.F.; is currently employed as editor of the base paper at Sierra Army Depot, Herlong, California.

### Children

- 5010 Michael Ladd, b. at Mather Air Force Base, Sacramento, California, February 5, 1955.
- 5011 David Goulding, b. in Waco, Texas, October 13, 1956.
- 5012 Lisa Bendette, b. in Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, June 25, 1960.

4987 SHALER LADD, JR. (s. of Shaler Ladd 4975), teacher, was b. in Washington, D. C., December 18, 1930; graduated from the California State Polytechnical College (B.S., animal husbandry, 1955); served in the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve; on active duty, 1951-2, released with rank of sergeant. On August 14, 1955 he m. in San Dimas, California, Betty Jean Wurtz (see below). He has taught in the Oceanside, (California) Union School District since 1955 - for 7 years in the intermediate grades of elementary school, and for the last 7 years as building principal of the Mission Elementary School; he is also currently serving as Principal-in-Charge of Science for the school district. He is co-author of a San Diego County Guide for the Utilization of Science Material available in the county. He has served as president of the local teachers' organization (1961) and of the recently formed principals' organization (1968). They live at 3058 Valley Street,

Carlsbad, California 92008; Tel. 714-729-2245.

BETTY JEAN (WURTZ) LADD (dau. of Frank and Anna (Swango) Wurtz), teacher, was b. in Escondido, California, March 29, 1930; graduated from La Verne College (B. A., education, 1954); has taught elementary grades in San Dimas, Arcata and Oceanside, California, with time out for three children; has now "retired" for the third time to raise the family. She illustrated a primary grade word study booklet still in use in the Oceanside Union School District.

### Children

5013 Shaler III, b. in La Jolla, California, October 30, 1958.

5014 Kevin, b. in La Jolla, December 2, 1960.

5015 Corey, b. in La Jolla, May 24, 1965.

4988 PAUL REVERE LADD, JR. (s. of Paul R. Ladd 4976), Physics teacher, organist and choir master, was b. in Framingham, Massachusetts, September 26, 1919; graduated from Harvard (S.B., 1941); m. in Putney, Vermont, January 2, 1943, Eva Maria Hegemann (see below); taught music in the Warwick (Rhode Island) high school, 1953-4, and has taught physics in the South Kingstown (Rhode Island) high school, 1954- ; has served as music director and organist in Our Lady of Mercy Church, Putney, in St. Bernard's (Roman Catholic church), Wickford, Rhode Island, and at Quonset (Rhode Island) Naval Air Station. He is the author of Christian Life in Song - The Christian Year, with illustrations by his wife (Boston: McLaughlin & Reilly, 1963). They live at 145 Post Road, Wakefield, Rhode Island 02879; Tel. 401-783-8863.

EVA MARIA (HEGEMANN) LADD (dau. of Werner and IdaBelle (Guthe) Hegemann), woodcut-maker, was b. in Naples (Italy), January 31, 1922; graduated from Bennington College (B.A., 1944).

### Children

- \*5016 Elisabeth, b. August 15, 1944.
- 5017 Craig, b. March 14, 1947 in Stratton, Vermont.
- 5018 Eric, b. July 23, 1949 in Putney, Vermont.
- 5019 Eva Maria, b. December 24, 1951 in Putney, Vermont.
- 5020 Thomas, b. September 25, 1953 in Warwick, Rhode Island.
- 5021 Rosemary, b. August 29, 1956 in Warwick, Rhode Island.
- 5022 Joseph, b. April 10, 1958 in Warwick, Rhode Island.
- 5023 Paul Revere III, b. May 23, 1960 in Wickford, Rhode Island.
- 5024 Rebecca, b. August 16, 1963 in Warwick, Rhode Island.
- 5025 Felicity Ann, b. June 26, 1965 in Wakefield, Rhode Island.

4989 DOUGLAS LADD (s. of Paul R. Ladd 4976), antique and art dealer, was b. in Framingham, Massachusetts, September 10, 1922; graduated from Harvard (B. S., economics, class of 1944); commissioned as ensign in the U. S. Navy, February 7, 1944; served on a landing ship in the Pacific and was mustered out on September 13, 1946 as lieutenant, junior grade; m. in Hopkinton, New Hampshire, February 23, 1952, Marjorie Hoskins (see below); entered the antiques business and has operated shops in Warner and Henniker, New

Hampshire, and London, England. They live at 64, Lancaster Close, St. Petersburg Place, London W. 2, Tel. (01) 229 6560; they also maintain a residence in Warner, New Hampshire, which they occupy for some weeks each year; Tel. 603-456-3619.

MARJORIE (HOSKINS) LADD (dau. of Chapin and Carrie (Bowbeer) Hoskins) was b. in Wheaton, Illinois, May 8, 1925; graduated from Wellesley College, 1947; is a partner with her husband in the antiques business.

### Children

5026 Peter, b. December 13, 1952 in Henniker, New Hampshire.

5027 Nancy, b. October 4, 1956 in Warner, New Hampshire.

4990 GEORGE EDGAR LADD III (s. of George E. Ladd, Jr. 4978), merchant and manufacturer, was b. in Brooklyn, New York, December 5, 1923; after graduation from Proctor Academy (June 1942) enlisted in the submarine service of the U. S. Navy; served on U.S.S. Croaker in 6 war patrols in the Pacific area; was discharged with rank of quartermaster third class in January 1946; entered Brown University, February 1946, and graduated (A.B.), June 1949; entered retail business, serving as assistant buyer for Hochschild-Kohn (Baltimore), 1949-51; from assistant buyer to divisional merchandise manager for Gladdings, Inc. (Providence), 1952-8; general merchandise manager for Kennington (Jackson, Mississippi), 1958-62; and general merchandise manager for Liberty House (Honolulu), 1962-4. Took graduate work at the University of Hawaii leading to the M.B.A., 1965.

In 1965 he formed Hawaiian Fragrances, Inc., of which he is president, engaged in the manufacture of Hawaiian brand perfume and cologne and also representing several mainland cosmetic and drug manufacturers. He m., 1st, Elizabeth Ford (dau. of Emmett B. and Elizabeth (Washburne) Ford); divorced 1952. He m., 2d, November 1, 1952, Dorothy McRea Ford (see below); they live at 45 Kai Nani Place, Kailua, Oahu, Hawaii 96734; Tel. 261-6389.

DOROTHY McREA FORD (dau. of Burton A. and Dorothy Justice Ford) was b. in Baltimore, Maryland.

Child by 1st Marriage

5028 Catherine Elizabeth, b. in Baltimore, Maryland, November 15, 1950.

Children by 2d Marriage

5029 George Michael, b. in Providence, Rhode Island, August 31, 1953.  
5030 David Justice, b. in Providence, Rhode Island, April 5, 1955.

4991 LINCOLN FILENE LADD (s. of George E. Ladd, Jr. 4978), university professor, was b. in Brooklyn, New York, May 22, 1926; served in the U. S. Navy in World War II; m., 1st, in Pawtucket, Rhode Island, June 28, 1947, Ruth Ferguson (see below); graduated from Brown University (A.B., 1949); studied at the University of Virginia (M. A., 1955); is currently (1969) working on his dissertation toward the Ph. D. at Duke University; has taught at North Carolina State University, 1955-8, and at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, 1962 - ; is working (1969) on a bibliographic guide for graduate students in English and American literature; was divorced,

September 1964; m., 2d, in Washington, D. C., September 11, 1965, Sandra Elizabeth Hall (see below); their address is RFD 1, Box 76 D, Climax, North Carolina 27133; Tel. 919-674-0010.

RUTH (FERGUSON) LADD (dau. of Duncan H. C. and Margaret (Allen) Ferguson) was b. in Pawtucket, Rhode Island, November 9, 1923; graduated from Brown University (A.B., 1945).

SANDRA ELIZABETH (HALL) LADD (dau. of Frederick Pfalzgraff and Esther (Matta) Pfalzgraff, now married to Elbert Hall who adopted Sandra) was b. in Washington, D. C., February 22, 1943; graduated from Duke University (A. B., 1965).

#### Children by 1st Marriage

- 5031 Lincoln Filene, b. March 9, 1949 in Providence, Rhode Island.
- 5032 John Duncan, b. December 15, 1950 in Charlottesville, Virginia.
- 5033 Sarah Filene, b. November 16, 1955 in Raleigh, North Carolina.

#### Child by 2d Marriage

- 5034 Gillian, b. January 11, 1968 in Greensboro, North Carolina.

- 4992 ROBERT MILTON LADD (s. of George E. Ladd, Jr. 4978), guidance counselor educator, was b. in Brooklyn, New York, September 25, 1928; graduated from Bard College (B.A., 1952); served in the U.S. Army as private 1st class, 1952-4, teaching courses in education in the Instructional Methods School at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and serving in

Intelligence, Armed Forces, Far East, Tokyo; was employed as a junior executive in G. Fox & Co. (department store), Hartford, Connecticut, 1954-6; m. in North Plainfield, New Jersey, October 8, 1955, Virginia Lewis (see below); employed as office services manager by the J. B. Williams Co. (manufacturing), Glastonbury, Connecticut, 1956-7; took graduate courses in education at Trinity College (Hartford) leading to the M.A., 1958; taught U.S. history and government and European history, while serving also as coach in football, baseball and basketball, in the Hallowell (Maine) High School, 1958-61; served as guidance director in the Hallowell-Farmingdale (Maine) District High School, 1961-5; served as graduate instructor in the University of Virginia, 1966-7, while doing graduate work in counselor education (Ed. D., 1968); since 1968 has been Consultant in School Psychology, Florida State Department of Education. He is a member of Kappa Delta Pi and Phi Delta Kappa, honor societies in education, and is active in a number of professional and other organizations, including the Boy Scouts. They live at 519 Short Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32303; Tel. 904-224-6981.

VIRGINIA (LEWIS) LADD (dau. of Arthur Carroll and Gladys (Miller) Lewis) was b. in Plainfield, New Jersey, on May 10, 1930; graduated from Plainfield High School (1947) and Wilson College, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania (1951). Before her marriage she was employed as a correspondent in the General Actuarial Department of the Prudential Insurance of America, 1951-5.

### Children

- 5035 Robert Douglass, b. December 20, 1956 in Hartford, Connecticut.
- 5036 Jonathan Scott, b. November 8, 1958 in Augusta, Maine.



- 5037 William Lewis, b. December 21, 1960 in Augusta, Maine.
- 5038 Elizabeth Helen, b. March 6, 1963 in Augusta, Maine.

4993 ANNETTE THOMAS (LADD) GUION (dau. of John G. Ladd 4979), school teacher, was b. in Washington, D. C., October 16, 1926; attended Sidwell Friends School (Washington, D. C.); graduated from Skidmore College (B. S., 1948); has taught art and elementary grades in both public and private schools in a number of places both before and since her marriage, including New York, Alaska, California, Tokyo and South Carolina; received a Master's degree in education at Troy State University (Alabama), 1969; m. in Washington, D.C., June 18, 1950, James L. Guion (see below). They live at 601 West Kingston Lane, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452; Tel. 703-340-6678.

JAMES LOUIS GUION, JR. (s. of James Louis and Dorothy (Sublette) Guion), Army aviator, was b. in Chicago, Illinois, December 30, 1924; graduated from the Landon School (Bethesda, Maryland), 1944; served in the U. S. Army Air Corps, 1944-5; graduated from the U. S. Military Academy (B. S., 1950) as a lieutenant in the Infantry Branch, in which his service has been principally as an aviator; he has served in numerous stations, including Ladd Air Force Base, Fairbanks, Alaska (1950-1), Fort Benning, Georgia (1952), Gary Air Force Base, San Marcos, Texas (1952); Fort Sill, Oklahoma (1953); Korea (1953-4); Camp Zama, Japan (1954-6); Fort Benning (1956-7); Ford Ord, California (1957-62); Tokyo (1961-5); The Citadel, Charleston, South Carolina (as instructor in R.O. T.C.-Reserve Officers Training Corps) (1965-6); Vietnam (with 52d Aviation Battalion as a heli-

copter pilot, 1966-7); Old Dominion University, Norfolk, Virginia (as professor of military science and director of the R.O.T.C. program, 1969- ); is an Army aviator with Senior Wings and rank of lieutenant colonel, qualified in all Army helicopters and fixed-wing airplanes; he was awarded the Bronze Star for his service in Vietnam in September 1967.

#### Children

- 5039 Christopher James, b. December 20, 1952 in Fort Benning, Georgia.
- 5040 Annette Louise, b. July 7, 1955 in Camp Zama, Japan.
- 5041 Jonathan Scott, b. September 21, 1957 in Fort Ord, California.

4994 MARTHA (LADD) ALLEE (dau. of John G. Ladd 4979), school-teacher, was b. in Washington, D. C., May 1, 1932; attended Woodrow Wilson High School, Washington, D. C. and Middlebury College (A.B., 1953); m. in Washington, D. C. on June 30, 1953, David J. Allee (see below); attended Cornell University 1956-7; has taught secondary and high school English in Sumter, South Carolina and Ithaca, New York; is active in the League of Women Voters. They live at 201 Oak Hill Road, Ithaca, New York 14850; Tel. 607-273-1095.

DAVID JEPSON ALLEE (s. of Ralph H. and Ruth (Hitchings) Allee), agricultural economist, university professor, was b. in Caribou, Maine, September 13, 1931; attended Woodrow Wilson High School, Washington, D. C., Cornell University (B.S., 1953; M.S., 1954); served in U. S. Air Force, as 2d and 1st lieutenant, 1954-6; attended

Oxford University (Brasenose College; diploma in agricultural economics, 1958); returned to Cornell for his Ph. D., 1960; has held positions as assistant professor, University of California, Berkeley, 1960-4, and as associate professor, Cornell, 1964 - . Has published extensively (about 90 monographs and articles) especially on land use and water resources; is a member of Phi Kappa Phi (scientific honorary society). See also Who's Who in the East.

### Children

- 5042 Leslie Ladd, b. in Oxford, England,  
January 13, 1958
- 5043 Lisa Helen, b. in Walnut Creek, California,  
April 29, 1962
- 5044 Elizabeth Ann, b. in Ithaca, New York,  
May 14, 1964
- 4995 NANCY PRIEST (CLAPP) ROE (dau. of Dorothy D. (L.) Clapp 4980), chemist, was b. in Washington, D.C., November 18, 1930; graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School, Washington, D.C. and Vassar College (A.B., chemistry, 1952); spent the summer in 1952 in Denmark in the program conducted by the Experiment in International Living, and subsequently, with two college friends, bicycled through Scotland, England, France, Switzerland and Italy as far as Naples; was employed as laboratory technician at the National Heart Institute, Bethesda, Maryland, 1952-3; m. in Washington, D. C., June 6, 1953, Joseph Hiram Roe, Jr. (see below); taught chemistry in the Johns Hopkins University Hospital School of Nursing, 1953-7, while her husband was in medical school; has been active in volunteer

work for the Girl Scouts with emphasis on outdoor programs, and was selected for special training for this service at the Audubon Natural Science Field Workshop, Greenwich, Connecticut, Summer 1957; is a member of the Nature Center Advisory Board of the new community of Reston. They live at 12018 Canter Lane, Reston, Virginia 22070; Tel. 703-471-7326.

JOSEPH HYRAM ROE, JR. (s. of Joseph Hiram and Grace Senseney (Lauck) Roe), pathologist, librarian, was b. in Washington, D. C., October 26, 1927; entered Yale in 1945; enlisted as a private in the U. S. Army, March 1946-August 1947 and served as a radio operator on an armed car in Korea; returned to graduate from Yale (A.B., English and philosophy, 1950); had summer employment in the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases (Bethesda, Maryland), 1949-52; as student and research assistant in biochemistry at George Washington University worked closely with his father, writing his Master's thesis on pancreatotomy (M.A., 1951); studied medicine at Johns Hopkins University (M. D., 1956) where he held the Denison Scholarship in Medicine, 1955 and two Polio Foundation Fellowships, 1954 and 1955; was research fellow in legal medicine of the University of Maryland and the (Maryland) Chief Medical Examiner's Office, Baltimore, 1956-7; interned in the George Washington University Medical School Service at the District of Columbia General Hospital, 1958-9; was assistant resident, resident, and chief resident (all in pathology), George Washington University Hospital, 1958-61, and received the Hospital's Outstanding Resident Award (Pathology), 1959; was assistant in pathology at the George Washington University Medical School, 1958-61; was certified in anatomic pathology by the American Board of Pathology, 1961; was licensed to practice medicine in Maryland (1956) and Virginia (1964); was commissioned as Senior Assistant Surgeon in the Public Health Service, 1961, and

assigned to the National Library of Medicine by which he was sent for training in library science to the School of Library Service, University of California at Los Angeles (M.S., 1962) where he was president of his class; served as chief of the Reference Services Division of the National Library of Medicine, 1963-4; resigned to go into the practice of pathology with the Northern Pathology Laboratories, Fairfax, Virginia, 1964-9, serving a number of hospitals in northern Virginia; since 1969 has been associated with the pathologist Richard E. Palmer, M.D., Alexandria, Virginia; has published a number of articles on biochemical subjects (pancreatectomy and myasthenia gravis), 1953-4, and several on the National Library of Medicine, 1963-5.

#### Children

- 5045 Judith Ladd, b. May 9, 1957 in Baltimore, Maryland.
- 5046 Rebecca Priest, b. March 27, 1959 in Washington, D. C.
- 5047 Peter Lauck, b. May 15, 1961 in Washington, D. C.
- 5048 Jennifer Ann, b. October 17, 1967 in Fairfax, Virginia.

- 4996 VERNER WARREN CLAPP, JR. (s. of Dorothy (L.) Clapp 4980), forester and wood technologist, was b. in Washington, D. C., March 20, 1932; graduated from the New York State University College of Forestry at Syracuse University (B.S., 1955); while an undergraduate, was employed during several summers in forestry work in the West; after graduation enlisted in U. S. Navy and attended Officers Candidate School; was commissioned as Ensign, USNR, November, 1955; received special training in photographic intelligence; m. in Syracuse, N. Y.

February 4, 1956, Jessie Elizabeth Albrecht (see below); was assigned to Amphibious Intelligence School as instructor in photographic intelligence at Little Creek Amphibious Base, Norfolk, Va.; volunteered for sea duty on Antarctic resupply ship, USS Arneb, and completed a one-year cruise to the various bases in Antarctica as well as to New Zealand, Australia and South America; was released from active duty as Lieutenant in 1959, after which he made an extensive road trip with his wife to Alaska and the West. He was employed as forester and lumber salesman for Cotton-Hanlon, Inc., a hardwood lumber company at Odessa, New York (1959-61); and as plant manager for Skaneateles Handicrafter, Inc., a wooden toy manufacturer at Skaneateles, New York (1961-1964); he entered the U. S. Forest Service as a forest products utilization specialist, stationed at La Vale, Maryland (1964-6); Duluth, Minnesota (1967) and Juneau, Alaska (1967 to present) where he is responsible for forest products utilization and other cooperative forestry programs in the state; he has had special training in wood technology and forest products utilization; he lectures extensively on problems in his field and is the author of a number of published reports; he is devoted to the outdoor life, boating, hunting and fishing, and his hobbies include woodworking and gunsmithing. They live, overlooking Juneau and the Gastineau Channel, at 210 Nowell Avenue, Juneau, Alaska 99801; Tel. 586-6212.

JESSIE ELIZABETH (ALBRECHT) CLAPP (daughter of George Jacob and Sarah Virginia (Gardner) Albrecht), teacher, was b. in Bennington, Vermont, October 29, 1934; graduated from Syracuse University (A.B., psychology, 1956). Has taught in elementary schools in Norfolk, Virginia and Juneau, Alaska. Is an accomplished photographic technician (darkroom) and food processor (canning, smoking, preserving, etc.)

### Children

- 5049 Son, b. November 14, 1960, d. November 15, 1960 in Ithaca, New York. Buried in Odessa, New York.
- 5050 Christopher Alan, b. in Ithaca, New York, September 26, 1961.
- 5051 Timothy Warren, b. in Syracuse, New York, July 9, 1963.
- 5052 Nancy Elizabeth, b. in Syracuse, New York, June 9, 1964.
- 5053 Daniel Ladd, b. in Cumberland, Maryland, September 8, 1965.

4997 JUDITH LADD (CLAPP) BROMLEY (dau. of Dorothy D. (L.) Clapp 4980) was b. in Washington, D. C., October 10, 1937; graduated from Skidmore College (A. B., biology, 1959); m. in Washington, D. C., June 13, 1959 James F. Bromley (see below); is active in the Girl Scouts, with emphasis on crafts and outdoor programs, and in Maryland Ornithological Society; they live at 6303 Rockhurst Road, Bethesda, Maryland; Tel. 301-365-8670.

JAMES FREDERICK BROMLEY (s. of Charles Dunham and Sarah (Wendelken) Bromley), lawyer, was b. in Denver, Colorado, June 26, 1935; attended University of Colorado (1953-4) and graduated from Hamilton College (A.B., political science, 1957); Phi Beta Kappa; attended University of Colorado Law School (1957-8) and Harvard Law School (LL. B., 1960); is a member of the bar of the District of Columbia and admitted to practice before the Interstate Commerce Commission, U. S. Court of Claims and U. S. Supreme Court; has practiced law in Washington, D. C. with Macleay, Lynch, Bernhard and Gregg, 1960- (partner, 1966- );

was a member of the editorial board of the Rocky Mountain Law Review (1958); is active in the Association of I.C.C. practitioners (including, inter alia, co-authorship of Abstracts of Supreme Court Decisions Interpreting the Interstate Commerce Act, vol. 2, 1965); also in civic associations (president, Marymount Citizens Association (1966-8); president, North Bethesda Congress of Citizens Associations (1966-8); president, North Ashburton Citizens Association (1968-9)).

### Children

- 5054 Benjamin Carter, b. March 23, 1960 in Boston, Massachusetts.
- 5055 Susan Dunham, b. February 6, 1962 in Washington, D. C.
- 5056 Michael Ladd, b. May 11, 1963 in Washington, D. C.

4998 (MARY) LAURIE (DEZENDORF) McCABE (dau. of Mary H. (L.) Hair 4981), high school teacher, was b. in New York City, October 30, 1942; graduated from the University of the State of New York at Cortland (B.S., 1964); has done graduate work at USNY at Plattsburgh; has taught high school mathematics at Monterey, California (1964), Lake Placid, New York (1966-7), and Willsboro, New York (1968-9); m., 1st, April 7, 1962 in Cortland, New York, William L. Joubert (see below); 2d, August 29, 1964 in Monterey, California, Robert McCabe (see below). They live in Elizabethtown, New York 12932; Tel. 518-873-6405.

WILLIAM LEE JOUBERT (s. of Paul and Thelma (Goodman) Joubert), was b. August 23, 1942 in Ticonderoga, New York; attended the University of



the State of New York at Cortland. He was killed in Cortland in an automobile accident February 19, 1964 and is buried in Ticonderoga.

ROBERT McCABE (s. of Frank and Eleanor (McCambridge) McCabe), postmaster, was b. September 2, 1939 in Ticonderoga, New York; attended the Albany (New York) Business College (accounting), 1959-60; served in the 758th Postal Unit, U. S. Army, at Fort Ord, Monterey, California, 1963-5 (Certificate of Achievement); is postmaster-designate (for 1970) at Elizabethtown, New York.

Child by 1st Marriage

5057 Michael William Joubert, b. August 30, 1963 in Cortland, New York.

Children by 2d Marriage

5058 Robert Ladd McCabe, b. January 11, 1966 in Elizabethtown, New York.  
5059 Anthony Paul McCabe, b. May 5, 1968 in Elizabethtown, New York.

4999 MALCOLM LADD DEZENFORD (s. of Mary H. (L.) Hair 4981) was b. August 19, 1945 in Elizabethtown, New York; he attended the Adirondack Community College 1963-4; served in the U. S. Army as Specialist, 4th Class, teletype operator, including a year in Vietnam. Is employed in the dividend department of the Hirsch Brokerage, New York City; lives at 380 Flagg Place, Staten Island, New York 10304; Tel. 212-979-0809.

5001 THOMAS LADD EVANS (s. of Edith B. (L.) Evans 4982), naval communications technician, was b. in San Diego, California, September 28, 1945; after graduation from the High Point (North Carolina) High School in 1962, entered the U. S. Navy, in which he has graduated from the Advanced Naval Electronics School (Treasure Island, San Francisco) and with honor from the Cryptographic Maintenance School (Norfolk, Virginia), as well as having completed the freshman year in the U.S. Armed Forces Institute. He currently (1969) holds the rank of communications technician, first class, and has two more years to serve in the Navy. He m. in Lodi, California, February 11, 1967, Kathleen Lois Moore (see below). They have been stationed since December 1969 in Norfolk, Virginia, but their legal address is that of his parents.

KATHLEEN LOIS (MOORE) EVANS (dau. of Stillman and Helen Elizabeth (Weisbrod ) Moore) was b. April 18, 1943 in Redlands, California; she graduated from the Lodi (California) Union High School, 1962, and from Delta Junior College, Stockton, California; prior to her marriage she was employed as a secretary.

5008 JAMES HENRY LINSKOTT (s. of Louise B. (L.) Linscott 4985) was b. in Houston, Texas, April 6, 1945; graduated from Stanford University (A.B., English, 1967) is currently (1969) serving in the Peace Corps in Panama, Central America.

5016 ELISABETH (LADD) SEMICH (dau. of Paul R. Ladd, Jr. 4988), holographer, was b. in Bennington, Vermont, August 15, 1944; studied art (sculpture) at the Cornell School of Architecture; transferred to the School of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts (with degree of B.F.A. to be awarded by Tufts College in May 1970); m. in Wickford, Rhode Island, December 14, 1963, (Joseph) William Semich (see below); they live at 61 Prescott Street, Somerville, Massachusetts 02123; Tel. 617-666-1069.

(JOSEPH) WILLIAM SEMICH (s. of Joseph William and Temperance Levester (Thornton) Semich), writer-photographer, was b. in Louisville, Kentucky, April 24, 1944; graduated with distinction in English from Boston University (A.B., 1967) was employed as reporter for the Providence (Rhode Island) Journal; since January 1969 has been radio-TV specialist, Action for Boston Community Development, Boston, Massachusetts.

#### Child

5060 Mark Alan, b. May 6, 1965 in Wakefield, Rhode Island.

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