

A GENEALOGY OF THE DESCENDANTS

OF

J O S E P H S H E L D O N

OF

SUFFIELD CONNECTICUT

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Mary WOODFORD	M		-1	
Isaac SHELDON	B 1629 D 1708	Dorchester Mass Northhampton M	193-2	
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Jonathon (Capt.) SHELDON	B 29 May 1687 D Jan 1768	Northhampton M West Suffield C	193-3	SFLD VR, V.1, p.120 V.NB1, p. 55
Mary SOUTHWELL	M	Northhampton M	197-3	See: SOUTHWELL
Phineas (ESQ.) SHELDON	B 1717 D 19 Sept 1806	West Suffield Cn.	193-4	
Deborah HATHAWAY	M 7 June 1743	West Suffield	201-4	See: HATHAWAY
Joseph SHELDON	B 31 Jan 1751 D 19 Sept 1806	West Suffield Dorset Vt.	193-5	
Ruth HARMON	M 1775	Suffield ?	209-5	See: HARMON
Joseph SHELDON	B 6 Oct 1776 D 29 Sept 1857	Suffield Conn Fairhaven Vt	193-6	
Diadema PRESTON	M 4 Oct 1800	Poultney Vt.	225-6	See: PRESTON
EMELINE SHELDON	B 9 Sept 1806 D 19 Aug 1896	No. Granville NY St. Charles Ill	193-7	
John RESSEGUIE	M 24 Nov 1831		129-7	See: RESSEGUIE
Emeline RESSEGUIE	B D		129-8	
Jared DeWitt ALCOTT	M		1-8	See: ALCOTT
William D ALCOTT	B D		1-9	
Gertrude GODARD	M		257-9	See: GODARD
William DeMilt Jr ALCOTT	B D		1-10	
Lois Marian MELLANDER	M		-10	
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	D		-11	
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Born at Suffield, Connecticut, 1751.

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PREFACE.

This compilation of Sheldon Genealogy treats mainly of the descendants of Joseph Sheldon, born in Suffield, Connecticut, in 1751. The brief sketch of his progenitors, and also that of his brothers and sisters, herein given, is derived mostly from the compilation of Sheldon genealogy by Rev. Henry O. Sheldon of Ohio, who gave much of his time for forty or more years in canvassing and correspondence to compiling a genealogy of all the Sheldons found in this country, tracing them back to three brothers, Isaac, John and (William ?).

A sentence is here due and gratefully given to the memory of Rev. Henry O. Sheldon for his arduous and painstaking work in compiling and preserving a history of Sheldon early settlers in this country. He was a descendant of John, one of the three brothers above mentioned and was born September 8, 1799 at Hartford, Connecticut. He moved with his father, first to Cayuga County, New York, second to Huron County, Ohio. He was a Methodist preacher for sixty-three years, - had a classical education, - lived in several towns in Ohio, but longest at Berea, - was for a number of years Secretary of North Ohio Conference, and was the founder of Norwalk Seminary. He died in Oberlin, Ohio, in 1883, and was buried there. Age 84.

Benjamin Sheldon, grandson of the Benjamin who was an own brother of the aforesaid Joseph, and who now lives (1901) in the house built by

his grandfather on the old original Capt. Jonathan purchase, in West Suffield, Conn., has also given valuable aid in compiling this genealogy.

It appears that very little is known of the aforesaid three brothers, but Sheldon is undoubtedly an English name, and Joseph, above mentioned, was a lineal descendant of Isaac.

The names underscored in the following list are the lineal progenitors of the branch of the Sheldon family herein considered.

1. ISAAC SHELDON (1st.) had two sons, John and Isaac.

2. ISAAC SHELDON, (2d.) was born in Dorchester, Massachusetts, about 1629 and died in 1708. As a small boy he went from Dorchester, Mass. to Windsor, Conn. He married, first, Mary Woodford, by whom he had twelve children, viz: Mary, Isaac, John, Thomas, Ruth and Thankful (twins), Mindwell, Joseph, Hannah, Eleazer, Samuel and Ebenezer. In 1654, the year in which his first child was born, he moved from Windsor, Conn. to Northampton, Mass.. His wife Mary died in 1681. He married, second, Mrs. Mehitable Ensign, who died in 1720, by whom he had two children, Mercy, who was born and died in 1684, and Jonathan, born 1687.

3. (CAPTAIN) JONATHAN SHELDON, born in 1687, married Mary Southwell and removed from Northampton, Mass. to West Suffield, Conn, about the year 1722 or 1723, where he bought a large tract of land whereon he lived and later settled five of his sons, viz: Daniel, Gersham, Elijah, Jonathan and Phineas, building for each a house and barn. A large part of said land is still (1901) owned by his lineal descendants. They had ten children, Mehitable, Jonathan, Rebecca, Daniel, Phineas, Elijah, Silence, Asa, Gersham and Mary. He died in 1769, aged 82.

4. PHINEAS SHELDON (Esquire), born in 1717, at West Suffield, Conn. He married, first, Deborah Hathaway, June 7, 1743, at West Suffield, by whom he had five children. Her children were:

I. Apphia, b. 1744.

II. Deborah, b. 1747, m. David Hanchett and lived and died at West Suffield, Conn. between 95 and 100 years old.

III. Phineas, b. 1749, m. Eleanor Smith. Three children, - Carlos B.F., b. 1775. He lived in Vergennes, Vermont, - Deborah, b. 1782, m. Thaddeus Smith and lived in Rupert, Vermont, - Nancy, b. 1792, m. Samuel Ames, Esq. and lived in Shaftsbury, Vermont.

IV. Joseph, b. at West Suffield Conn., Jan. 31, 1751. His history appears farther on. (No. 5.)

V. Benjamin, b. Jan. 11, 1753, m. Elizabeth King. They had eight children; - one, Elizabeth, b. 1788, m. Adam Smith and lived near Florida, N. Y., - another, Ruby, b. 1793 lived at Suffield, - another, John Adams, b. 1800, m. Hannah E. Stevens, lived at Suffield and had five children. The names and history of Benjamin's other children are not known. Some of them are said to have settled in Vermont.

Phineas Sheldon's (No. 4) wife Deborah died 1755 at West Suffield, and he married, second, Mrs. Ruth Harmon Smith, by whom he had ten children. All his children were born in West Suffield, on the homestead given him by his father. Children by second wife:

VI. Asaph, b. 1757.

VII. Lydia, b. 1759, m. first, Deacon Cephas Kent of Dorset, Vt., who died in 1813, probably at Dorset. His father's name was also Cephas. It appears that the Sheldons and Kents who settled in Dorset, Vt., came there from Suffield Conn. The name Cephas was a very common one among the Kents. It was at the home of one Cephas Kent, in Dorset, Vt., that the famous first meeting of the famous Council of Safety was held. It was also there, in September 1776, that the resolution was taken to declare Vermont a separate and independent district, in opposition to the rival claims of New Hampshire and New York, and there at his home its first local government was organized. They had ten children, - Deacon Cephas Sheldon Kent, who is thought to have lived at one time in Benson, Vermont, Lydia, who married William Farnsworth, - Lucinda, who m. Reuben Farnsworth, - Diantha, who m. Rev. Stephen Martineau, who lived at LaCrosse, Wis., - Sylvester, a physician, Beulah, who m. Webber Almer, - Rev. William, who lived at Waterloo, - Rev. Eliphalet, of Shelbyville, Ia., - Ebenezer, and Maria, who m. Samuel Voak.

Lydia Sheldon m. second, Daniel Welch. No children. She died 1846, aged 87.

VIII. Deacon Ezra, b. 1762, lived in Mendon, N. Y. and died in 1840. He m. Eunice Nelson. They had five children, - Eunice, who m. Rev. O. Leavit, Maysville, - Esther, who m. first, David Percy, second, Abram Flint, St. Joe County, Mich., - Ezra, who lived at Lima, N. Y., - Asaph, who lived at Randolph, N. Y., - Gad, who lived at South Bristol, N. Y.

IX. Anna H., b. 1764, m. Israel Sykes, Dorset, Vt. They had seven children, - Betsey, m. Licens Cranston, - Lucretia, m. Uriah Kent, Dorset, Vt. The names and history of the other children are not known.

X. Dr. Alexander, b. 1766, lived at Charleston, N. Y., m. first,

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Miriam King, by whom he had seven children, - Dr. Milton, lived at Mendon, N. Y., - Gaylor, lived at Albany, N.Y., - Alexander, Esq., lived at Albany, N.Y., - Thomas, lived at Grand Blanc, Mich., - Miriam, m. George W. Allen, Mendon, N.Y., - Smith, lived at Albany, N.Y., - Delia, m. Deacon B. C. Jackson, Minaville, N.Y.

He married, second, Mrs. Clarissa Isham, by whom he had three children, - Clarissa, b. 1819, m. Robert W. Mead, N.Y., - Henry, b. 1821, - Sarah M., b. 1823.

- XI. Increase, b. 1768, d. 1835, Rupert, Vt., m. Hannah King. They had nine children, one of whom was Julia Ann, b. in 1797 and m. David Fitch Sheldon as his second wife. She (Julia Ann) had five children, - Chauncey L., b. 1830, Sarah M., b. 1832, Delia Louisa, b. 1836, Mary M., b. 1838, and Julia Matilda, b. 1841.
- XII. David, b. 1771, occupied the homestead of his father, Phinehas, at West Suffield, Conn., and died there Dec. 1863, aged 93. He m. Betsey Hall, who died about 1860, aged 90. They had seven children, - Sophia, b. 1797, m. Henry Bowen, Lee, Mass., - Deacon Chauncy H., b. 1802, lived at West Suffield, Conn., - Elizabeth, b. 1804, m. Washburn, Rock Island, Ill., - David Newton, D. D., b. 1807, lived at Waterville, Me., - Luke Cooley, b. 1810, lived at Rock Island, Ill. The names and history of the other two children are not known.
- XIII. Beulah, b. 1773, m. John L. Voorhees. They had ten children, who lived as follows; - Ann, b. 1797, m. J. Vanderer've at Glenn, N.Y., - Ruth, b. 1798, m. Abram Vaught at Victor, N.Y., - Henry, lived at Root, N.Y., - Ebenezer, lived at Pittsford, N.Y., - James, lived at Amsterdam, N.Y. John Leslie, lived at Florida, N.Y., - Isaac Newton, lived at Glenn, N.Y., - William, lived at Florida, N.Y., - Daniel, b. 1808, d. 1828, - Sarah Jane, b. 1814, d. 1828.
- XIV. Silence, b. 1775, m. Dr. O. L. Harmon of Pawlet, Vt.
- XV. (Name and history not known.)

Phinehas Sheldon (No. 4) married, third, Mrs. Pomeroy. No children. He was a Justice of the Peace in Suffield for many years. At that time the office of Justice of Peace was an important one, much like Judge of Lower Court now, and the title of Esquire was usually given when addressing them. He died at West Suffield, Conn. 1867, aged 90. His homestead is now (1901) occupied by his great-grandson, Edwin John Sheldon.

FIFTH GENERATION.

Having thus briefly outlined the history of the antecedents of JOSEPH SHELDON, so far as known, we now come to the history of himself and his descendants. Readers will please note that the plan followed in this genealogy, has been to give to each person a designating number with the record of his or her birth, and that

the further history of the person, if any, is to be found opposite his or her number as it reappears upon the margin of the page.

5. JOSEPH SHELDON, b. Jan. 31, 1751 at West Suffield, Conn., d. Sep. 19, 1806 at Dorset, Vermont, aged 55. He married Ruth Harmon in 1775, probably in Suffield, Conn., as that is where his first child, Joseph (No. 6) was born. He moved from West Suffield to Dorset, Vt. (uncertain when).

Children:

6. I. Joseph, b. Oct. 6, 1776 at Suffield, Conn.
7. II. Oliver, b. Jan. 14, 1779.
8. III. Ruth, b. 1780.
9. IV. Israel, b. about 1784)
- 10 V. Lydia, b. about 1784) Twins.
- 11 VI. Anna Maria, b. July 23, 1787.
- 12 VII. Rachel, b. 1790.
- 13 VIII. Silas, b. Jan. 25, 1794 at Dorset, Vermont.

IX. A child was also born who died in infancy.

Ruth Harmon (above) married, second, E. Harmon, Esq. of Pawlet, Vermont, in 1821, and died there in 1827.

SIXTH GENERATION.

JOSEPH SHELDON, b. at Suffield, Conn., Oct. 6, 1776, m. Diadema Preston at Poultney, Vt., Oct. 4, 1800. She was born at Litchfield, Conn., March 6, 1778.

Children - All born at Fair Haven, Vermont.

- 14 I. Julia, b. Aug. 4, 1801.
- 15 II. Joseph, b. Dec. 27, 1802.
- 16 III. Harmon, b. Dec. 17, 1804.
- 17 IV. Emeline, b. Sep. 9, 1806.
- 18 V. Asaph, b. July 14, 1808, d. Aug. 12, 1832.
- 19 VI. Betsey, b. Sep. 28, 1811.
- 20 VII. John Preston, b. May 12, 1819.
- 21 VIII. Lydia Louisa, b. May 4, 1821.

Joseph Sheldon of this genealogy (No. 6) was of slender build but men priding themselves on their strength were often surprised to find him outlifting them. Wrestling was the athletic sport of the day. Seldon a house-raising or military training day that a match was not made up for public entertainment. On one occasion, while on a visit to his brother Oliver at Burlington, Vermont, he attended a large gathering for wrestling. Burlington had sent out a challenge for anyone to meet their champion. One man was apparently the champion, as he threw all who were willing to enter the lists. Joseph being called for, entered the ring and threw him, supposing that he had thrown the champion of that locality, but the real champion had been held in reserve. He was a man that weighed over 200 pounds and was very agile, while Joseph was so slim that he, in after years, confessed himself "ashamed of his legs, they were so small". After nearly an hour's tussle the large man said to him "I dont think you can throw me, and I dont

"seem to succeed in my effort to throw you. I move that we quit."- and they did so.

When about 24 years old he married and settled in Fair Haven, Vermont, but refused to further engage in wrestling sports, but finally, it having been noised abroad that an expert wrestler had come to town, he consented to take hold on condition that they would bring forward their best man and excuse him from further contest. It was the first Tuesday in June, Vermont's legal militia training day. They agreed to his proposition and chose Abram Sharp, a heavy but nimble man, as their best wrestler. The contest lasted less than one minute as Sheldon threw Sharp at the second pass made at him.

He was also quite an inventor. Among other things he planned and built two mills for sawing lumber and a mill for hulling clover seed, on his waterfall, with many ingenious contrivances not then used in other mills, such as a "Bull Wheel" for hauling logs into the mill, operated by a lever attachment to saw gate, also a gigging device by which the carriage was quickly and automatically returned after the saw had passed through the log. Many other ingenious, labor saving devices made by him might be enumerated. His good judgment and clear intellect remained with him to his dying day at 81 years. His wife, Diadema, died June 29, 1846 and he married, second, Rachel Preston, sister of Diadema, Feb. 5, 1847, who died June 8, 1873. He died at Fair Haven, Vermont, Sept. 29, 1857 and was buried in West Street Cemetery in Fair Haven.

7. OLIVER SHELDON, b. Jan. 14, 1779, m. first, Zeruah Field, who died June 27, 1805, a few months after marriage. He married, second, Phoebe Richardson, March 4, 1806, who was born June 18, 1785.

Children: - All born in Burlington, Vermont.

- 22 I. Sarah Wilson, b. Aug. 20, 1807.
- 23 II. Joseph Harmon, b. Jan. 20, 1809.
- 24 III. Harriet Elvira (1st.) b. Jul. 5, 1811. d. Aug. 9, 1814.
- 25 IV. Anna Maria, b. June 23, 1813.
- 26 V. John Murdock, b. March 13, 1816.
- 27 VI. Silas Orvil, b. Feb. 17, 1818, d. Aug. 24, 1820.
- 28 VII. William Richardson, b. Jan. 3, 1820, d. Oct. 15, 1842.
- 29 VIII. Harriet Elvira (2d.) b. March 5, 1822.
- 30 IX. Silas Anson, May 18, 1824.
- 31 X. Oliver Edgar, b. July 10, 1826, d. Feb. 11, 1845.
- 32 XI. George Augustus, b. May 22, 1828.
- 33 XII. Cornelius Henry, b. April 11, 1832.

Oliver Sheldon married both of his wives in Dorset, Vermont. He died in South Burlington, Vermont, Nov. 12, 1861, aged 82 years, 9 months and 28 days. She (Phoebe) died at same place Sep. 8, 1865, aged 80 years, 2 months and 21 days.

8. RUTH SHELDON, b. 1780, d. in Dorset, Vt. June 14, 1843, aged 63 years. She was deranged the major part of her life, said to have been caused by the seduction and unfaithfulness of man. Adeline, her daughter, died March 1, 1815, aged 5 years and was buried in the Cemetery at Dorset, Vermont.
- I. Adeline.

9. ISRAEL SHELDON, b. 1784, m. Ruth Prentice about 1808. He died Apl. 5, 1821, aged 37 years. She died March 7, 1853 at the home of her son Israel G., aged 84 years. He was a cooper by trade and a good workman. They were both buried in Dorset, Vermont.
Children:-
35 I. Alfred, b. about 1810, d. at 12 years of age.
36 II. Franklin Wellman, b. June 14, 1812 at Dorset, Vt.
37 III. Melissa, b. Dec. 7, 1814 at Dorset, Vt.
38 IV. Lafayette, b. June 24, 1817 at Kent, Conn.
39 V. Israel Gustavus, b. July 8, 1819 at Dorset.)
40 VI. Caroline Francis b. July 8, 1819. ")Twins
10. LYDIA SHELDON, b. 1784, m. Derias Stoddard of Pittsford, Monroe County, N. Y. She ~~was~~ is thought to have had three children:-
41 I.
42 II.
43 III.
She died at Pittsford, N. Y., Sept. 25, 1819, aged 35 years and was probably buried there, but her mother erected a tombstone to her memory, together with that of her twin brother Israel, in the cemetery at Dorset, Vermont.
11. ANNA MARIA SHELDON, b. July 23, 1787, m. Bronson Keeler of Malone, N. Y., June 17, 1832 at Burlington, Vermont. She died at Malone Apl. 30, 1864, aged 86 years, 9 months and 7 days. No children. She was his second wife and nearly 45 years old when she married him. Her business before marriage was nursing the sick at Burlington, Vermont.
12. RACHEL SHELDON, b. 1790, m. Alexander Ressegue, Benson, Vt., She died at the home of Emeline (No.17) at Fair Haven, Vt., Aug. 21, 1864 and was buried there in West Street cemetery, aged 74 years. No Children.
13. SILAS SHELDON, b. Jan. 25, 1794 at Dorset, Vt., m. first, Sarah Richardson, Jan. 25, 1818 at Northfield, Vt.
Children:-
44 I. Samuel Richardson, b. Nov. 26, 1818.
45 II. Silas Harmon (a twin) d. Oct. 10, 1819.
She died Dec. 1, 1818 at Northfield, Vt. He married, second, Anna Richardson, a twin sister of his first wife, Dec. 30, 1821
Children:-
46 III. Anna Sarah b. April 20, 1825.
47 IV. Chauncey Doubleday, b. Dec. 13, 1825, d. Sep. 8, 1832.
48 V. Martin, b. Nov. 11, 1831.
49 VI. Chauncey Goodwin, b. Jun. 8, 1835, d. Oct. 24, 1850.
She (Anna) died Aug. 22, 1859 at Northfield, Vt. He (Silas) died Aug. 16, 1881 at Northfield, Vt.

Joseph Sheldon married Rachel
Preston in 1847 in Fair Haven Ct—
and she spun and wove this linen
before she was married. My mother,
Emeline Sheldon Perreque told me this
her fathers wife.
Emeline Perreque about

SEVENTH GENERATION.

14. JULIA SHELDON, b. Aug. 4, 1801, m. first, Benoni Carpenter of Moriah, N. Y., Jan. 4, 1825. He died Nov. 13, 1826 at Moriah. She died July 5, 1881, aged 80 years and was buried in West St. Cemetery, Fair Haven, Vt.

Child:-

- 50 I. Benoni George, b. June 19, 1827 at Moriah, N.Y. She married, second, Lanson Day of North Granville, N.Y., March 23, 1843, who died Nov. 8, 1865.

Child:-

- 51 II. Julia Louisa, b. Aug. 5, 1844 at N. Granville, N.Y.

15. JOSEPH SHELDON, (Jr.) b. Dec. 27, 1802, m. Mary P. Billings, West Haven, Vt., Feb. 3, 1829. They lived and died at Fair Haven, Vt., where their children were born. She died Apl. 25, 1872, aged 70. He died July 16, 1872, aged 70. He owned and operated a canal boat, running between Whitehall and New York City, for many years. He was a man of rare natural abilities. With very limited school privileges and no pecuniary aid to start him in life, he became one of the wealthy men of the town in which he lived. Was chosen to represent the town in the State Legislature. Was President of the Rutland County Agricultural Society for several years, and was President of the First National Bank of Fair Haven, Vt. for many years and until his death. Was one of the leading sheep breeders of the state. Was called "sheep crazy" when he paid one thousand dollars for a choice Merino buck, but it proved to be one of the best financial ventures of his life.

Children:-

- 52 I. Mary Carpenter, b. Oct. 5, 1831, d. Jan. 15, 1843.
 53-V II. Emily Billings, b. Sep. 10, 1833, d. Jan. 9, 1846.
 54 III. Phoebe Pierce, b. Feb. 15, 1835.
 55 IV. Susan, b. Sept. 5, 1837.
 56 V. Infant son, b. Oct. 10, 1838, died same day.
 57 VI. Emeline, b. Mch. 26, 1840, d. May 5, 1846.

16. HARMON SHELDON, b. Dec. 17, 1804, m. Angeline Maynard, Oct. 22, 1839 at Cuttingsville, Vt. He died at Fair Haven, Vt. Aug. 29, 1874, aged 70 years. She died at Hull, Iowa, Dec. 23, 1889, aged 77 years, and was buried at Fair Haven, Vt. He was a farmer and lived and died on the old Sheldon Homestead at Fair Haven, Vermont.

Children:- Born at Fair Haven, Vermont.

- 58 I. Joseph Kiah, b. Aug. 8, 1840.
 59 II. Leander Harmon, b. Nov. 17, 1845.
 III. Ella Caroline, b (adopted) b. Jan. 25, 1855. Her name was Caroline Sherman before adoption. She m. Feb. 16, 1897, Dr. John Hermann, a very successful physician and surgeon of Sioux City, Iowa. Residence 1606, Jackson, Street.

EMELINE SHELDON, b. Sept. 9, 1806, m. John Ressegue, Nov. 24,

1831. At the request of the bride-elect no wine or spirituous liquors were furnished the wedding guests. This was a radical change in the custom of the day and caused much comment pro and con., but others soon followed the heroic example. He died in No. Granville, N.Y., Dec. 2, 1847, aged 44 years. She died at St. Charles, Ill., Aug. 19, 1896, aged 90 years.

Children:- All but Mary born at No. Granville, N. Y.

60 I. Asaph Sheldon, b. D.c.1, 1832, d. March 4, 1833.

61 II. Julia Diadema, b. Jan. 26, 1834. *cl. May 5-1912*

62 III. Mary Angeline, b. June 16, 1842 at Benson, Vermont *4/9/4*

62 IV. John Charles, b. Dec. 7, 1844, d. Dec. 28, 1845.

64 V. Emeline Sheldon, b. Jul. 2, 1847.

19. BETSEY SHELDON, b. Sep. 28, 1811, m. Harry Ressegue, Jun. 4, 1835. He died in Benson, Vt., Nov. 22, 1859, aged 53 years. She died in Syracuse, Neb., Jan. 11, 1884, aged 72 years. They lived in Benson, Vt., where all their children were born. He was a farmer.

Children:-

65 I. Sally Jane, b. Aug. 24, 1836.

66 II. John Henry, March 31, 1838.

67 III. James Gleason, b. Jul. 28, 1841.

68 IV. Amelia Louisa, b. May 26, 1844.

69 V. Joseph Alexander, b. Aug. 6, 1849.

70 VI. Frank Alonzo, b. June 28, 1852.

(John and Harry Ressegue above mentioned were brothers)

20 JOHN PRESTON SHELDON, b. May 12, 1819, m. first, Harriet Maria Barnes, Fair Haven, Vermont, April 14, 1842. She died Sep. 11, 1846, aged 22. No children. He married, second, Sarah Eliza Kittredge, Fair Haven, Vermont, Oct. 2, 1848, with whom he spent over 30 years of very happy married life. She was born in Salem, Mass., Oct. 12, 1821 and died Feb. 17, 1879. Was buried in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Fair Haven, Vermont.

Children:- All born in Fair Haven.

71 I. George Asaph, b. Aug. 1, 1850.

72 II. Herbert Kittredge, b. Oct. 5, 1853.

73 III. Frederick Burton, b. Dec. 1853.

John Preston Sheldon lived for many years at Fair Haven, Vt., and during his residence there served as Selectman, Lister and Overseer of the Poor for several years. After the death of his wife, Sarah Eliza, he traded his Vermont farm for land in Sioux County, Iowa, and in the spring of 1881, he, with his son George and wife, went there to live. In 1883 he returned to Vermont and married Martha Preston. He went into court in 1887 and got released from her. He is now (1901) living at 1606 Jackson St., Sioux City, Iowa.

21 LYDIA LOUISA SHELDON, b. May 4, 1821, m. Dr. Franklin W. Root of Hamilton, N. Y., March 7, 1844. He died May 8, 1876, aged 56 years. She died Oct. 27, 1880, aged 59 years.

Children:-

74 I. (a son) b. Feb. 12, 1845, d. March 5, 1845.

75 II. Marion Elizabeth, b. March 11, 1846.

76 III. Franklin Burton, b. June 25, 1848, d. Aug. 7, 1850.

77 IV. Emma Louise, b. Oct. 16, 1851, d. March 7, 1852.

- 22 SARAH WILSON SHELDON, b. Aug. 20, 1807 at Burlington, Vt., m. July 19, James Bostwick of Dorset St., South Burlington, where she lived and died Jan. 9, 1860. No children.
- 23 JOSEPH HARMON SHELDON, b. Jan. 20, 1809, d. at Jonesville, Mich. Sep. 2, 1841. Occupation farmer. m. May 14, 1838 at New York City, Eliza Van Horn, who was born in New York City, Dec. 15, 1815. She resides (1901) with her daughter Mary Amelia at Greenwich, N. Y.
Children:-
78 I. George, b. Apl. 27, 1839 at Clinton, Mich., d. Jul. 25, 1839 at Napoleon, Mich.
79 II. Mary Amelia, b. July 29, 1840 at Napoleon, Mich.
- 25 ANNA MARIA SHELDON, b. June 23, 1813, Dorset St., South Burlington, Vt., m. Thomas Jameson of Irasburg, Vermont, Sep. 28, 1864. He was town clerk of Irasburg, and died there Sep. 8, 1869. She died Oct. 8, 1896 at the home of her nephew Edwin A. Holbrook at Irasburg. No children.
26. JOHN MURDOCK SHELDON, b. March 13, 1816. Journeyed from Vermont to Michigan on horseback about A. D. 1837 and settled there as a farmer. m. first, Fidelia Bostedor at Brooklyn, Jackson Co., Mich., Nov. 12, 1841. She died at Napoleon, Jackson Co., about 1844. Child:
80. I. Joseph Harmon, b. Nov. 14, 1842, Jackson Co., Mich.
He married, second, Lydia J. Galer, March 20, 1845 at Washtenau County, Mich.
Children:- All born at Greenville, Mich.
81 II. Fidelia Elizabeth, b. Aug. 31, 1846, d. Apl. 26, 1854.
82 III. Eliza Anna, b. July 30, 1848.
83 IV. George William, b. Sep. 16, 1850.
84 V. Cornelius Henry, b. March 29, 1853.
85 VI. Edgar Oliver, b. Feb. 25, 1856, d. May 6, 1862.
86 VII. Edgar James, b. Oct. 12, 1861.
Lydia J. has lived (1899) in Greenville 54 years. He died at Greenville July 2, 1883. His son Edgar J. now (1899) occupies the old homestead.
29. HARRIET ELVIRA SHELDON, (2d) b. March 5, 1822, m. Lucius Holbrook of Burlington, Vt., June 9, 1852, who was born in Burlington, June 28, 1821. He died at Irasburg. She is living (1901) with her daughter Ella Maria at Johnson, Vermont.
Children.
87 I. William Edgar, b. May 4, 1853 in Burlington, d. Aug. 4, 1853
88 II. Charles Edgar, b. Feb. 20, 1855 in Burlington.
89 III. (Infant) b. July 25, 1857, d. Aug. 14, 1857.
90 IV. Ella Maria, b. Apl. 5, 1859 in Burlington.
91 V. Edwin Arthur, b. June 15, 1861 in Irasburg.
92 VI. Cornelius Herbert, b. Oct. 19, 1865 in Irasburg.

30. SILAS ANSON SHELDON, b. May 18, 1824, Burlington, Vt., m. Juliette Williams Farnham, Jan. 1, 1852 at Owego, N. Y. She was born July 10, 1832

Children:-

93 I. Edward Augustus, b. Oct. 10, 1852. He was hurt by overturning of a load of logs and died in four days, Feb. 9, 1871.

94 II. A. Ida Amelia, b. March 4, 1854 in Burlington.

95 III. Carrie Adelia, b. Sept. 1, 1856 in Burlington.

96 IV. Herbert Clayton, b. Sept. 17, 1858.

97 V. Willie, b. March 27, 1877; d. Apr. 15, 1877.

Silas A. is a farmer. Lives (1901) Center Lisle, Broom, County, NY.

- 32 GEORGE AUGUSTUS SHELDON, b. May 22, 1823, m. Louisa Maria Lyon at Shelburne, Vt., Sept. 26, 1855.

Children:- All born at South Burlington.

98 I. George Edwin, b. Dec. 22, 1856.

99 II. Hattie Louisa, b. Aug. 7, 1862.

100 III. Mary Amelia, b. June 6, 1865.

101 IV. Lillian Lyon, b. May 16, 1868.

102 V. Lena Marion, b. Jan. 24, 1879.

George A. was a farmer. He lived on the old homestead that his father reclaimed from the forest when a young man, and died there Aug. 18, 1893. His widow and daughter, Lena M., now (1901) reside at their home No. 13 Russel St. Burlington, Vermont.

- 33 CORNELIUS HENRY SHELDON, b. Apr. 11, 1832, m. Hattie A Hubbard at Burlington, Vt., Oct. 30, 1867. He died Jan. 29, 1870. He was a U. S. R. R. Mail Agent. No children.

36. FRANKLIN WELLMAN SHELDON, b. June 14, 1812, Dorset, Vermont, m. Lydia Lyon of Peru, Vt., Apr. 13, 1835.

Children:-

103 I. Charles Franklin, b. Oct. 9, 1837 at Chester, Vt.

104 II. Warren Jerome, b. Aug. 19, 1839 at Landgrove, Vt.

105 III. Lydia Ann, b. Oct. 9, 1841. " "

106 IV. Hiland Homer, b. May 3, 1845 " "

107 V. Jane Minerva, b. March 3, 1848 at Winhall, Vt.

108 VI. Duane Rollin, b. July 23, 1850, d. Aug. 18, 1864.

109 VII. Eugene Alfred, b. Dec. 19, 1852 at Winhall, Vt.

110 VIII. Willie George, b. May 17, 1855, d. Apr. 1, 1857.

111 IX. Fred Wayland, b. May 18, 1858 at Winhall)

112 X. Adelaide Luella, b. May 18, 1858 ") twins.

He was a farmer and school teacher. He was a selectman of the town of Winhall for ten years, and justice of the peace for twenty years. He died Feb. 9, 1876 at Winhall, aged 63 years 8 months. She died June 9, 1900, aged 81 years, 6 months. Bondville is the P.O. address for people living in Winhall.

37. MELISSA SHELDON, b. Dec. 7, 1814 at Dorset, Vt., m. Burrows Benedict at Kent, Conn., Nov. 27, 1834. He died July 12, 1835 at Canaan, Conn. She died Nov. 7, 1898 at Canaan, Conn.

"She was a woman of very strong mind and good memory." (H.S.B. No. 126)

Children:-

113 I. Ann, b. Aug. 2, 1843 at Dover, N.Y.

114 II. George Sheldon, b. Dec. 14, 1848, Gaylordsville, Conn. Gaylordsville is in the township of New Milford, Conn.

38. LAFAYETTE SHELDON, b. Jun. 24, 1817 at Kent, Conn., m. Abigail B. Sprague of Stratton, Vt., Oct. 17, 1839. He was a Blacksmith, Postmaster and Town Clerk in Stratton, Vt. He died Dec. 25, 1891, aged 74 years, 6 months. Her address (1899) is Stratton, Vermont.

Children:-

115 I. Benjamin C., b. Aug. 6, 1840 at Winhall, Vt., d. Nov. 23, 1843 in Stratton, Vermont.

116 II. Isaac S., b. Sep. 16, 1842 at Stratton, Vt., d. Apl. 18, 1847

39. ISRAEL GUSTAVUS SHELDON, b. Jul. 8, 1819 at Dorset, Vt., m. Martha D. Wheeler, Londonderry, Vt., Oct. 16, 1844. He died Jan. 18, 1887, aged 67 years, 6 months, 10 days. She died Jul. 10, 1894.

Children:-

117 I. Ellen Rose, b. March 26, 1846.

118 II. Henry Kirke, b. Sep. 9, 1847, Dorset, Vt., d. Sep. 4, 1849.

119 III. Kirke White, b. Sep. 10, 1850 at Dorset.

120 IV. Carrie Brown, b. Oct. 16, 1852 at Manchester.

121 V. Frank Warren, b. Dec. 11, 1857, d. Nov. 30, 1862.

122 VI. Mary Emma, b. Oct. 16, 1862, d. Aug. 5, 1863.

123 VII. Martha Etta, b. Oct. 16, 1862, d. Aug. 13, 1863) Twins.

124 VIII. Fannie Ada, b. Dec. 13, 1864 at Manchester.

125 IX. Henry Frank, b. Oct. 31, 1869 at Wallingford.

- 40 CAROLINE FRANCES SHELDON, b. Jul. 8, 1819 in Dorset, Vt., m. Sep. 14, 1851, Amos H. Brown, New Milford, Conn. He was a carpenter. He died July 21, 1894, aged 83 years. She died at Gaylordsville, Conn., Jan. 17, 1899, aged 79 years, 6 mos. 9 days.

Children:- All born at New Milford, Conn.

126 I. Henry Sheldon, b. Nov. 5, 1852.

127 II. Fomer Minott, b. Sep. 15, 1854.

128 III. Phoebe Eliza, b. Dec. 14, 1857

129 IV. Flora Melissa, b. Feb. 23, 1859

- 44 SAMUEL RICHARDSON SHELDON, b. Nov. 26, 1818, Northfield, Vt., m. Feb. 26, 1845, Malentha W. Churchill, Brookfield, Vt. He was a carpenter. He died Dec. 5, 1886 at Elburn, Ill., aged 68 years

Children:-

130 I. Isaac Eber, b. Jan. 31, 1844 at Roxbury, Vt.

131 II. Lydia Anna Amelia, b. Oct. 22, 1845, Northfield, Vt.

132 III. Sarah Melissa, b. Sep. 19, 1852 at Blackberry, Ill.

133 IV. Emma Josephine, b. Apl. 16, 1856 at Kaneville, Ill.

Killed in a cyclone at Irving, Kans., May 30, 1876. Buried at Blackberry. She was a school teacher

- 134 V. Samuel Edgar, b. Feb. 25, 1860, d. Mch. 15, 1880
- 135 VI. Celia Ida, b. Feb. 4, 1861 at Kaneville.
- 136 VII. Quincy Gilmore, b. June 12, 1863 at Kaneville.

46 ANNA SARAH SHELDON, b. in Northfield, Vt., Apl. 20, 1825, went to Texas in 1849, m. William Porter at Bastrop, Texas, Dec. 25, 1851. He was born at Pittsburg, Penn. 1819. He was by trade a wheelwright. Entered Mexican war under Gen. Taylor and served to the close. Subsequently settled in Fayette Co., Texas. Afterward removed to Blanco County, Texas, and engaged in stock raising. Again removed with his family to the state of Coahuila in Mexico in 1883, where he died Dec. 20, 1892. Rev. Chauncey Richardson, an uncle of Anna Sarah Sheldon, gave her 320 acres of land for being the first relative to visit him in Texas. She lives (1901) with her daughter, Emma, at Junction City, Texas. She is a pensioned widow of the Mexican war.

Children:-

- 137 I. Mary Ann, b. Sep. 20, 1852, d. when 14 months old.
- 138 II. Benjamin Franklin, b. Dec. 30, 1854, d. Nov. 9, 1878.
- 139 III. William Ruric, b. Sep. 5, 1856.
- 140 IV. Emma Jane, b. Nov. 24, 1858.
- 141 V. Theodorick Stanton, b. Apl. 3, 1860.
- 142 VI. Sarah Elizabeth, b. Sep. 5, 1862.
- 143 VII. Nathaniel Silas, b. Feb. 3, 1864.

48 MARTIN SHELDON, b. Nov. 11, 1831, m. Jan. 8, 1855, Betsey Patterson, Northfield, Vt., who was born Sep. 19, 1834. In the war of 1861-1865 he was a Corporal in Co. C. 15th Reg. of Vermont Volunteer Infantry. He was mustered out in August 1863. He lost his health while in the army and was an invalid to the time of his death, which occurred Apl. 29, 1880.

Children:-

- 144 I. Edola Jessie, b. Feb. 26, 1857.
- 145 II. Frederick Martin, b. Apl. 9, 1860.

Betsey P. and daughter, Edola J., live (1901) at the home-
stead, Northfield, Vermont.

EIGHTH GENERATION.

- 50 BENONI GEORGE CARPENTER, b. June 19, 1827 at Moriah, N. Y., m. first, Fannie Reed at Northampton, Mass., Sept. 7, 1854. She fell dead in the street while walking with her husband at Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 27, 1879. Buried at Fair Haven, Vt. He married, second, Harriet M. Buel, Greenwich, N. Y., Oct. 5, 1882. Now (1901) dealer in Life Annuity bonds, 256 Broadway, N. Y. Children:- (By first wife.)
- 146 I. Georgia, Jul. 9, 1855, Elmira, N. Y. d. May 1, 1859, at Savannah, Ga.
 - 147 II. Jennie, b. Aug. 19, 1859 at N. Granville, N. Y.
 - 148 III. Ralph Ward, b. Sep. 21, 1861, drowned at Fair Haven, Vermont, July 12, 1869.

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SHELDON GENEALOGY.

- 51 JULIA LOUISA DAY, b. Aug. 5, 1844 at N. Granville, N. Y., m.
Dec. 28, 1869, Milo W. Kincaid, and died at Fair Haven, Vt.,
June 17, 1883. He died March 3, 1901.
Children:-
149 I. Meribah Ione, b. Nov. 11, 1871.
150 II. George Carpenter, b. Jul. 1, 1874.
151 III. John Clarence, b. March 15, 1876.
- 54 PHOEBE PIERCE SHELDON, b. Feb. 15, 1835, m. June 3, 1862, Sam-
uel W. Bailey of Whitehall, N. Y. She died at Greenwich, N.Y.
July 20, 1888, buried at Fair Haven, Vt. He was Cashier of
First National Bank of Fair Haven, Vt., and afterwards of the
First National Bank of Greenwich, N. Y., until his health
failed. He died Oct. 1, 1899 and is buried in Vedar Grove
Cemetery, Fair Haven, Vermont.
Children:-
152 I. Joseph Sheldon, b. Mch. 16, 1863, d. July 4, 1864.
153 II. Clayton Joyce, b. Nov. 17, 1864.
154 III. Mary Edna, b. Oct. 26, 1866. *d*
- 55 SUSAN SHELDON, b. Sep. 5, 1837, m. Edmund H. Gibson of Green-
wich, N. Y., Dec. 25, 1867. He died June 23, 1896 and is
buried in Cedar Grove Cemetery; Fair Haven, Vermont. He was
a lawyer. No children.
- 58 JOSEPH KIAN SHELDON, b. Aug. 8, 1840, m. first; Althea Morgan,
Patchogue, Conn., Nov. 16, 1869, who died Sep. 15, 1877. He
m. second, Sarah Squier of N. Clarendon, Vt., Sep. 1, 1880,
who died May 30, 1881 at Pacific City, Iowa. He m. third,
Edna May Brintnall at Stellacoom, Wash., Jan. 3, 1891. Lives
(1901) near Luverne, Minn. He is a farmer and stock-raiser.
P. O. address, Luverne, Minn.
Children:- (By first wife.)
155 I. Edwin Harmon, b. Feb. 9, 1871, d. Feb. 24, 1880.
156 II. Susan Leister, b. Oct. 17, 1872, d. Feb. 24, 1876.
157 III. Althea Morgan, b. Oct. 31, 1874.
158 IV. Mary Agnes, b. Aug. 16, 1877, d. Aug. 15, 1878.
(By third wife.)
159 V. Phoebe Edna, b. May 10, 1892.
160 VI. Joseph Brintnall, b. Feb. 13, 1894.
161 VII. Loren Leander, b. Nov. 7, 1895.
162 VIII. Donald, b. Sept. 3, 1898.
- 59 LEANDER HARMON SHELDON, b. Nov. 17, 1845, m. Sep. 9, 1880,
Emma E. Pearl of Grand Isle, Vt. Lives (1901) on old Shel-
don homestead, Fair Haven, Vt. Farmer, Dairyman and Fruit
Grower.
Children:-
163 I. Harmon, b. March 9, 1884.
164 II. Harold Pearl, b. Nov. 13, 1887.
165 III. Kenneth Joseph, b. May 18, 1891.
166 IV. Marjorie Pearl, b. June 19, 1895.
- 61 JULIA DIADYMA RESSEGUE, b. Jan. 26, 1834, m. June 3, 1858,
Died March. 1911..

William Balis of Hubbardton, Vt., They live (1901) at St. Charles, Ill.

Children:-

- 167 I. Frederick William, b. June 7, 1859. *Died May 9/1923.*
- 168 II. Charles Reuben, b. Jan. 8, 1869, d. Mch. 5, 1875.
- 169 III. Julia Grace, b. Apl. 28, 1877, d. Jul. 2, 1877.

- 62 MARY ANGELINE RESSEGUE, b. June 16, 1842, Benson, Vt., m. Francis DeLong Douglas of Whiting, Vt., Jan. 18, 1876. He died June 25, 1890. She lives (1901) at St. Charles, Ill. *No children. - He died Feb. 6. 1913.*

- 64 EMELINE SHELDON RESSEGUE, b. Jul. 2, 1847, m. May 16, 1871, Jared DeWitt Alcott. Lives (1901) no. 430 Galena St. Aurora, Ill. *He died March -14- 1925.*

Children:-

- 170 I. Charles J., b. Jul. 25, 1872, d. Mch. 8, 1875.
- 171 II. William Demelt, b. March 18, 1876.
- 172 III. Frederick Melvern, b. Sep. 27, 1878, d. Jan. 6, 1885.

- 65 SALLY JANE RESSEGUE, b. Aug. 24, 1836, m. James Judkins, Mch. 3, 1863. He was born July 3, 1826 at Franklin, N. H. He was a skilled locomotive machinist. He died March 2, 1893 at Syracuse, Neb., aged 67. She lives (1901) on her farm at Syracuse, Neb. *She died in 1928*

Children:-

- 173 I. Arthur James, b. Nov. 19, 1865, at Fort Wayne, Ind., and died Apl. 13, 1884.
- 174 II. Caleb Resseguie, b. Sep. 16, 1867. at Ft. Wayne.
- 175 III. John Emery, May 16, 1873 at Ft. Wayne. He had three fingers cut off in a thresher July 27, 1898.
- 176 IV. Leonard Hiram, b. Nov. 18, 1877, Pacific City, Ia.

- 66 JOHN HENRY RESSEGUE, b. March 31, 1838, m. Jan. 1, 1880, Jennie A. Winkleman at Peru, Neb. She was born May 15, 1860. They live (1901) at Peru, Neb. He owns and manages a large farm on the Missouri River bottoms.

Children:-

- 177 I. Daniel, b. Jan. 27, 1882, died same day.
- 178 II. May Belle, b. May 5, 1883.
- 179 III. Paul Sheldon, b. Feb. 16, 1887.
- 180 IV. Bessie Jane, b. Jan. 19, 1889, d. Feb. 28, 1893.
- 181 V. Harry, b. Jul. 9, 1891, d. Jul. 15, 1891.

- 67 JAMES GLEASON RESSEGUE, b. July 28, 1841, m. Feb. 5, 1874, Jennie A. Knox. He is the senior locomotive engineer, in point of service, on the C.P.R.R. Lives (1901) No. 1267 Eleventh Ave., Oakland, Cal. Children:-

- 182 I. George Harry, b. Feb. 21, 1875, at Carlin, Nev.
- 183 II. Emma Ruth, b. Nov. 26, 1877 at Carlin, Nev.
- 184 III. Addie Betsey, b. Sep. 19, 1880 at Oakland.
- 185 IV. Jennie Mae, b. June 8, 1891 at Oakland.

- 68 AMELIA LOUISA RESSENGUE, b. May 26, 1814, m. Jan. 28, 1838, Lewis Reed Smith. Lived (1880) at Occidental, Sonoma Co., Calif. He was engineer of a stationary engine. Had a small farm and great variety of fruit. Climate so mild that they could pick flowers almost any day in the year. She died Feb. 10, 1899 at St. Luke's Hospital, San Francisco. He has poor health. Has sold the home in Occidental and is now (1901) living in San Francisco.
Children:-
136 I. Caroline Betsey, b. Jan. 10, 1870 at Hamilton, Mo.
137 II. Edwin Harry, b. Sep. 9, 1871 at Hamilton, Mo.
138 III. Charles Lewis, b. Jan. 19, 1874 at Carlin, Nev.
139 IV. Fannie Amelia, b. Dec. 12, 1875 at Carlin, Nev.
- 69 JOSEPH ALEXANDER RESSEGUE, b. Aug. 6, 1849, m. May 4, 1886, Harriet E. Wilcox, North Thetford, Vt. Lives (1900) at 2925 Walnut St., Everett, Wash. He is a locomotive engineer on the Everett and Monte Christo R. R.
Children:-
190 I. Henry Alexander Wilcox, b. Feb. 4, 1887.
191 II. Joseph Abner, b. Feb. 6, 1898.
- 70 FRANK ALONZO RESSEGUE, b. June 28, 1852, m. June 19, 1876, Hattie Judkins at Castleton, Vermont. Now (1901) in the grocery business at No. 1214 J. St., Sacramento, Cal. Residence No. 3022 J. Street.
Children:-
192 I. Harry Judkins, b. Dec. 25, 1877, d. Aug. 23, 1878 at Carlin, Nev.
193 II. Lulu Kimball, b. Feb. 21, 1879 at Castleton, Vt.
194 III. Caleb Frank, b. May 27, 1881 at Carlin, Nev., d. Apr. 30, 1882.
195 IV. A. Frank, b. Oct. 15, 1882 at Carlin, Nev.
196 V. Bessie Amelia, b. Sep. 28, 1890 at Sacramento.
- 71 GEORGE ASAPH SHELDON, b. Aug. 1, 1850 at Fair Haven, Vt., m. Alta Eliza Rite, Oct. 23, 1879 at Orwell, Vt. She was born at Crown Point, N. Y., March 7, 1851. They live (1901) at Hull, Sioux County, Iowa. Farmer and Dairyman. Hon. J. P. Dolliver once said of Northwestern Iowa, "It is the finest agricultural country on God's green earth." and the compiler would add, - Its high altitude (1500 ft.), dry atmosphere, few streams and no standing water, make Sioux County the most healthful locality within his knowledge.
Children:-
197 I. Sarah Eliza, b. at Fair Haven Vt., Dec. 17, 1880, d. Dec. 18, 1880.
198 II. Emeline Louise, b. Sep. 25, 1882 at Hull, Iowa.
199 III. Kirk Clayton, b. July 29, 1885 at Hull, Iowa.
- 72 HERBERT KITTREDGE SHELDON, b. Oct. 5, 1853, m. Adelaide Beaumelle Wood at Fair Haven, Vermont, March 22, 1883. She was born May 31, 1861. They live (1901) at Fair Haven, Vermont. He is half owner and manager of the Champlain Valley Creamery

and is underwriter for ten important fire insurance companies. He represented the town at the last session of the State Legislature (1900). No children.

FREDERICK BURTON SHELDON, b. Dec. 10, 1858, m. Jennie S. Hourse Fair Haven, Vt., Oct. 13, 1885. She was born July 28, 1859, at Pittsford, Vt. They live (1901) at Cheyenne, Wyoming. He was cashier in a bank at Cheyenne for ten years, until 1893 and is now (1901) Deputy Treasurer of the State and also Clerk of State Board of Charities and Reform. No children.

MARION ELIZABETH ROOT, b. March 11, 1846, m. June 28, 1871, Capt. Charles W. Underhill. They live (1901) at Hamilton, N.Y. He is a lawyer. Was a captain in the war of 1861-1865. Children:- All born at Hamilton.

- 200 I. Louisa Sheldon, b. Sep. 17, 1872, d. Nov. 23, 1882.
- 201 II. Carrie Wager, b. Oct. 2, 1874.
- 202 III. Mary Bogardus, b. May 14, 1878.
- 203 IV. Franklin Root, b. Dec. 5, 1880.
- 204 V. Genevieve Louisa, b. Aug. 28, 1883.
- 205 VI. Warren Halleck, b. Nov. 19, 1891, d. Mch. 9, 1895.

MARY ADELIA SHELDON, b. July 29, 1840 at Napoleon, Mich., m. at N. Y. City, Dec. 24, 1872, John M. Gill, who was born at Edinburgh, Scotland, Oct. 21, 1847. His occupation is book-keeper and accountant. Residence (1901) Greenwich, N. Y.

Children:-

- 206 I. Islay VanHorn, b. June 14, 1875 at N. Y. City. Degree A. B. from Williams College, 1896. Is a law student. Resides (1901) at Greenwich, N. Y.
- 207 II. Sheldon Bailey, b. Oct. 18, 1876 at Fair Haven, Vt.

JOSEPH HARMON SHELDON, b. Nov. 14, 1842, Jackson Co., Mich., m. Emma J. Reed, Dec. 15, 1867 at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Children:- All born at Grand Rapids.

- 208 I. Jay Anson, b. Apl. 11, 1891.
 - 209 II. Wilbur Harmon, b. Apl. 11, 1893.
 - 210 III. Rose Fidelia, b. June 18, 1896.
- Reside (1901) Grand Rapids, Mich. Occupation Farmer.

ELIZA ANNA SHELDON, b. July 30, 1848, Greenville, Mich., m. Joseph A. Dockeray, March 22, 1879 at Greenville, Mich. He is a carpenter and an old soldier. Reside (1899) at Pierson, Mich.

Child:-

- 211 I. Grace Florence, b. Apl. 20, 1881 at Greenville.

GEORGE WILLIAM SHELDON, b. Sep. 16, 1850 at Greenville, Mich., m. Bella Bishop, Sep. 24, 1879. Occupation, farmer. Resides (1899) at Greenville. Children,- born at Greenville.

- 212 I. N. G. (Full name, not initials), b. June 28, 1882.
- 213 II. Eva, b. May 11, 1885.

- 84 CORNELIUS HENRY SHELDON, b. March 29, 1853 at Greenville, Mich. Lives (1899) No. 14 So. Halstead St., Chicago. Is a carpenter. Not married.
- 86 EDGAR JAMES SHELDON, b. Oct. 12, 1861, Greenville, Mich., m. Dec. 25, 1891, Dollie Farr. He is a farmer on the old homestead of his father.
Children:- Born at Greenville.
214 I. Mabel Grace, b. Feb. 15, 1893.
215 II. Lena Eliza, b. Aug. 14, 1895.
- 88 CHARLES EDGAR HOLBROOK, b. Feb. 20, 1855, m. Elvie Comstock at Irasburg, Vt., Dec. 10, 1879. He is a farmer. Lives (1901) at Johnson, Vermont.
Child:-
216 I. Herman Edgar, b. Dec. 15, 1881.
- 90 ELLA MARIA HOLBROOK, b. Apr. 5, 1859, m. Edwin Rice, Dec. 22, 1879 at Irasburg, Vt. He is a farmer. Lives (1901) at Johnson, Vt.
Children:-
217 I. Herbert Arthur, b. Sep. 1, 1881.
218 II. Harriet Elvira, b. Oct. 23, 1882, d. 1885.
219 III. (a girl) b. Aug. 13, 1884, d. Sep. 3, 1884.
220 IV. Preston Holbrook, b. Apr. 7, 1887, d. Oct. 29, 1888.
221 V. Harry Elmer, b. Sep. 11, 1891.
- 91 EDWIN ARTHUR HOLBROOK, b. June 15, 1861 at Irasburg, Vt., m. Carrie Burt Stanford, at Irasburg, June 13, 1892. P. O. address, Irasburg, Vermont.
Children:-
221½ I. Roland, b. March 1893, died same day.
222 II. Sarah Marion, b. Sep. 25, 1894.
223 III. Anna Marie, b. July 10, 1896. Carrie, her mother, died Aug. 4, 1896 and Anna Marie was given to Harvey Whipple, a hardware merchant of Barton Landing, Vt., who changed her name to Dale Holbrook Whipple.
- 92 CORNELIUS HERBERT HOLBROOK, b. Oct. 19, 1865, m. Ida M. Daniels of Morrisville, Vt., June 13, 1893.
Child:-
224 I. Max Ray, b. July 20, 1895.
He is station agent (1901) on the Boston & Maine R. R. at Barnet, Vermont.
- 94 IDA AMELIA SHELDON, b. March 4, 1854 at Burlington, Vt., m. Guy E. Chew, Nov. 27, 1873 at Lisle, N. Y. He is running a feed mill (1901) at Dreyden, Tompkins Co., N. Y. Children:
225 I. Jessie Irene, b. March 29, 1875 in Dreyden, N. Y.
226 II. Eddie, b. Jan. 25, 1881, d. Jul. 25, 1881, Owego, N. Y.
227 III. Royal Vernon, b. Sep. 21, 1883 at Owego, N. Y.
Their P. O. address (1901) is Dreyden, N. Y.

- 6 HERBERT CLAYTON SHELDON, b. Sept. 17, 1858, at Lisle, Broom Co., N. Y., m. Rose Reed at Lisle, June 28, 1882. He is a farmer and has much mechanical skill.

Children:-

228 I. Ralph Edward, b. March 28, 1883.

229 II. Pearl Gertrude, b. Sep. 26, 1885.

230 III. Maud Miriam, b. Feb. 10, 1888.

P. O. address, Center Lisle, Broom Co., N. Y. Center Lisle is also known by the name of Yorkshire.

- 8 GEORGE EDWIN SHELDON, b. Dec. 22, 1856, m. Jennie M. Simpson of Mineville, N. Y., Feb. 22, 1882.

Children:-

231 I. John Otis, b. Feb. 13, 1884.

232 II. Willis Edwin, b. May 20, 1890.

233 III. George Christopher, b. Nov. 18, 1893, d. Mich. 26, 1897. He is a farmer. Lives (1901) East Cambridge, Vermont.

- 9 HATTIE LOUISA SHELDON, b. Aug. 7, 1862, m. George D. Spear, So. Burlington, Vt., June 4, 1890. He is a farmer. Has been afflicted with rheumatism for seven or eight years. Lives (1901) South Burlington, Vermont.

Child:-

234 I. Marion Louisa, b. Jul. 24, 1893.

- 10 MARY AMELIA SHELDON, b. June 6, 1865, m. at Burlington, Vt., Oct. 7, 1896, John Morie Perham of Brookfield, Vt. Degree of A. B. Burlington College 1890. He is a civil engineer. Is in the employ of the Fairbanks scale works, St. Johnsbury. P. O. address, St. Johnsbury, Vermont. (1901)

- 11 LILLIAN LYON SHELDON, b. May 16, 1868, at Burlington, Vt., m. June 16, 1892, at Burlington, Milford F. Berry of Malone, N. Y. He is a skilled Carpenter and Joiner. P. O. Address Fay, Franklin Co., N. Y. Fay is a hamlet in the township of Malone.

Child:-

235 I. Howard Sheldon, b. Oct. 10, 1894.

- 12 CHARLES FRANKLIN SHELDON, b. Oct. 9, 1837 at Chester, Vt., m. Ellen R. Muzzy, Jamaica, Vt., Feb. 13, 1868. Moved to Illinois in March 1868. He was a soldier in the war of 1861-65. Belonged to Co. G. 5th Vt. Volunteer Infantry. Was in the battle of Cedar Creek and saw General Sheridan on his famous ride from Winchester when he changed the tide of battle from defeat to victory. Was also in the battle in front of Petersburg. Lives (1901) at Dwight, Livingston Co., Ill. Occupation, Farmer.

Child :-

236 I. Myrtie Rebecca, b. Nov. 27, 1876, Greenfield Twp. Ill.

- 13 WARREN JEROME SHELDON, b. Aug. 13, 1839 at Landgrove, Vt., m. Jan. 28, 1864, Lydia A. Phillips of Winhall, Vt. He was a soldier in the war of 1861-65. Had a sunstroke at the battle

of Gettysburg. Has taught school. Is a farmer. Lives (19 Jamaica, Vermont. P. O. address, Rawsonville, Vermont.

Children:-

- 237 I. Etta Lydia, b. Feb. 22, 1865 at Winhall, Vt.
- 238 II. Burton Warren, b. Apl. 18, 1867 " "
- 239 III. Alta Bula, b. Dec. 24, 1869 at Jamaica, Vt.
- 240 IV. Ella Susan, b. Oct. 19, 1871 " "
- 241 V. Hoyt Jay, b. Dec. 10, 1873 " "
- 242 VI. Lora Adell, b. Oct. 13, 1875 " "
- 243 VII. Omer Arthur, b. Sep. 11, 1876 " "

- 105 LYDIA ANN SHELDON, b. Oct. 9, 1841, Landgrove, Bennington Co. Vt., m. June 7, 1866, Otis G. Eddy of Winhall, Vt., a farmer and a soldier in the war of 1861-65. She died Jan. 15, 1897. Child:-

- 244 I. Minnie Estelle, b. March 10, 1867.

- 106 HILAND HOMER SHELDON, b. May 3, 1845 at Landgrove, Bennington Co., Vt., m. Addie Marks of Pawlet, Vt., Sep. 5, 1877. Live (1901) at Winhall, Windham Co., Vt. P. O. address, Bondville Vermont. He is a farmer. Child:-

- 245 I. Maud Estelle, b. Aug. 26, 1863, Pawlet, Vt.

- 107 JANE MINERVA SHELDON, b. March 3, 1848 at Winhall, Windham Co Vt., m. Jan. 1, 1873, Henry F. Wheeler of Jamaica, Vt. He is a farmer. Lives (1901) Jamaica, Vt.

Children:- Born at Jamaica.

- 246 I. Ralph Hiland, b. Oct. 6, 1875.
- 247 II. Roland Floyd, b. Sep. 27, 1881.

- 109 EUGENE ALFRED SHELDON, b. Dec. 19, 1852 at Winhall, Windham Co., Vt. Unmarried. Is a shoemaker. Lives (1901), Winhall, Vt. P. O. address, Bondville, Vt.

- 111 FRED WANLAND SHELDON, b. May 18, 1858 at Winhall, Vt. Unmarried. Lives (1901) at Winhall. Is a farmer and dealer in hides. P.O. address, Bondville, Vermont.

- 112 ADELAIDE MABELLA SHELDON, b. May 18, 1858 at Winhall, Vt., m. Millard F. Coleman, Chester, Vt., Feb. 14, 1882. He is a farmer and scythe stick shaver. They live (1901) Chester Windsor Co., Vt.

Children:- All born at Chester.

- 248 I. Lula Bertha, b. Sep. 26, 1885.
- 249 II. Raymond Millard, b. Feb. 10, 1888.
- 250 III. Lora Eliza, b. May 13, 1890.

- 113 ANN BENEDICT, b. Aug. 2, 1843, Dover, N. Y., m. Jacob Anson, Jan. 3, 1865. He is a farmer. Lives (1901) Canaan, Y Conn Children:- Born at Gaylordsville, Conn.

- 251 I. George, b. Oct. 1, 1865.
- 252 II. John Arthur, b. March 9, 1868.

GEORGE SHELDON BENEDICT, b. Dec. 14, 1848, m. Ella Thomas, New Milford, Conn., Apl. 20, 1872. Lives (1901) Canaan, Conn. (P. O. Box 97). He is a cooper by trade.

Children:-

- 253 I. Flora, b. Oct. 31, 1874 at Gaylordsville, Conn.
- 254 II. Frank, b. May 12, 1879 at Canaan, Conn.
- 255 III. George, b. Feb. 25, 1891. " "

ELLEN ROSE SHELDON, b. March 26, 1846, m. Alvin Pettibone, Jan. 2, 1866 at Manchester, Vt. He is a farmer and lumberman. Lives (1901) Manchester Depot, Vt. "Her work is taking care of the sick."

Children:-

- 256 I. Jane Eliza, b. Feb. 14, 1870, d. Dec. 10, 1888.
- 257 II. Mary Anna, b. March 25, 1872.
- 258 III. Edwin Henry, b. Oct. 16, 1876.

KIRKE WHITE SHELDON, b. Sep. 10, 1850 at Dorset, Vt. He enlisted in the regular U. S. Army when but 16 years old (1866) Got his discharge in 1886. He soon after shipped on an Arctic whaler and was still in the Arctic regions when last heard from (1895) He married, Jan. 16, 1871, Augusta Day, Chittendon, Vt. She and the children were at Leavenworth, Kans., when last heard from.

Children:-

- 259 I. Ada, b. Feb. 1874.
- 260 II. Frank Kirke, b. Aug. 3, 1876, d. Nov. 28, 1876.
- 261 III. Herbert, b. Jan. 1, 1878.

CAROLINE BROWN SHELDON, b. Oct. 16, 1852, Manchester, Vt., m. James Lakin, Jan. 5, 1881. He is a stone mason. They live (1901) in Coin, Page Co., Iowa, which has been their home ever since marriage. Children:- Born in Coin.

- 262 I. Thomas, b. Dec. 26, 1881.
- 263 II. Frank, b. May 30, 1884.
- 264 III. Herbert, b. Feb. 4, 1887, d. June 26, 1888.
- 265 IV. Clark, b. Sep. 22, 1888.

FANNIE ADA SHELDON, b. Dec. 13, 1864, Manchester, Vt., m. Milton Johnson, July 3, 1881. She died Apl. 27, 1890.

Children:-

- 266 I. William Israel, (called "Rollie") b. Oct. 1884.
- 267 II. Bessie, b. 1887, d. March 1889.
- 268 III. Elland, b. March 1890, was shot and killed by a schoolmate, Nov. 8, 1895.

HENRY FRANK SHELDON, b. Oct. 31, 1869 at Wallingford, Vt., m. Oct. 25, 1894, Mamie Valiquette at Rutland, Vt. He is a machinist. Lives (1899) at Rutland, Vermont.

HENRY SHELDON BROWN, b. Nov. 5, 1852, New Milford, Conn., m. Camille E. Read, June 22, 1881 at New Milford, Conn. Children:

- 269 I. Ada Camille, b. June 26, 1888.
- 270 II. Caroline Frances, b. Nov. 12, 1892.

Their P. O. address is Gaylordsville, Conn. R. R. station, Merwinsville on N. Y., New Haven and Hartford R. R., Berkshire Division.

- 127 HOMER MINOTT BROWN, b. Sep. 15, 1854, m. Esther Thorp, June 2, 1883, at Dover, N. Y. He died March 21, 1899.
Children:- Born at New Milford, Conn.
271 I. Mary Esther, b. March 25, 1884.
272 II. Melissa Ann, b. Sep. 28, 1885.
273 III. Harriet Cebelia, b. March 11, 1886.
274 IV. Edna F., b. Dec. 21, 1889, d. June 7, 1890.
Homer M. and brother Henry S. were blacksmiths (1898) at Gaylordsville P. O. (New Milford Twp.), Conn.
- 128 PHEBE ELIZA BROWN, b. Dec. 14, 1857, m. Sydney C. Barnes, Watertown, Conn., Nov. 28, 1888. He is a machinist. Lives, Plymouth, Conn. Children:-
275 I. Perry Dwight, b. March 11, 1890, Watertown, Conn.
276 II. Leslie Wellington, b. Feb. 21, 1895, Terryville, Conn.
She and her son Leslie live (1899) at Watertown, Conn.
- 129 FLORA MELISSA BROWN, b. Feb. 23, 1859, m. Hugh A. Kerr, New Milford, Conn., March 5, 1879.
Children:- Born at Bridgeport, Conn.
277 I. Thomas Homer, b. Dec. 1, 1881.
278 II. Amos Hugh, b. Sep. 2, 1885.
279 III. George Henry, b. Jul. 1, 1890.
280 IV. John Alfred, b. May 5, 1894.
They live (1899) 257 Hanover Street, Bridgeport, Conn. He is a Tailor.
- 130 ISAAC EBER SHELDON, (M.D.) b. Jan. 31, 1844, Roxbury, Vt., m. first, Sarah Weston, Nov. 25, 1867, from whom he was divorced 1869, m. second, Carrie Sabin, Dec. 25, 1869 at Blairstown, Iowa, who died at Norton, Kans., May 16, 1877, m. third, Ella A. Sabin, Aug. 14, 1878 at Irving, Kans. He died at Kansas City, Kans., Oct. 13, 1898. No children. He enlisted at 17 years of age in Co. A. 52d Illinois Volunteer Infantry, in war of 1861-65, for four years. Marched through Georgia with Sherman. He was a graduate of Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill., and practiced medicine in Kansas City, Kans. for sixteen years prior to his death. His wives Carrie and Ellen A. were sisters.
- 131 LYDIA ANNA AMELIA SHELDON, b. Oct. 22, 1845 at Northfield, Vt. m. May 1, 1865, Warren Beebe, Maple Park, Ill. He is a farmer. Lives (1901) at Homer, Hamilton Co., Iowa.
Children:-
281 I. Aurilla Matilda, b. Apl. 1, 1866, Kane Co., Ill.
282 II. Lyle, b. Oct. 10, 1867. " "
283 III. Carrie, b. Sep. 23, 1869 " "
284 IV. Herbert, b. March 19, 1872 " "
285 V. Almeda, b. May 14, 1874, Webster Co., Iowa.
286 VI. Hattie Melissa, b. June 23, 1876.

- 237 VII. Blaine, b. Aug. 16, 1830, at Homer, Iowa.
 238 VIII. Sophia May, b. Aug. 23, 1832. " "
 289 IX. Anna Lucretia, b. Sep. 30, 1834, d. Sep. 9, 1896.
- 32 SARAH MELISSA SHELDON, b. Sep. 19, 1852, Blackberry, Ill., m. A. Stewart Wilkinson, Oct. 29, 1876 at St. Charles, Ill. He is a farmer. P. O. address (1901) Elburn, Ill. She died Feb. 7, 1894.
 Children:- Born near Elburn, Ill.
 290 I. Annie, Feb. 2, 1878.
 291 II. Harry, b. Sep. 18, 1879.
 292 III. Earl, b. Apl. 7, 1881.
 293 IV. Chester, b. Nov. 4, 1883.
 294 V. Willis, b. Jan. 12, 1885.
 295 VI. Lillie, b. Feb. 14, 1887, d. Feb. 24, 1887.
 296 VII. Swain, b. March 24, 1888.
 297 VIII. Grace Mina, b. Aug. 23, 1892.
- 35 CELIA IDA SHELDON, b. Feb. 4, 1861. Is a dressmaker. Occupies the homestead with her mother at Elburn, Ill.
- 36 QUINCY GILMORE SHELDON, b. June 12, 1863, Kaneville, Ill., m. Feb. 18, 1885, Kate Melinda Shiltz, at Elburn, Ill. Lives (1901) at Warrens, Monroe Co., Wis. Is a farmer.
 Children:- All born at Elburn.
 298 I. Josephine Ella, b. Nov. 28, ~~1883~~ 1885.
 299 II. Eber Moses, b. March 5, 1887.
 300 III. Ida Irene, b. Apl. 18, 1888.
 301 IV. Hazel Pollie, b. July 24, 1891,
 302 V. Gilmore, b. Sep. 28, 1892, d. Nov. 9, 1892.
 303 VI. Mary Lucile, b. June 22, 1898.
- 38 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN PORTER, b. Dec. 30, 1854, d. Nov. 9, 1878, 24 years old. Was accidentally killed by a horse. Was not married.
- 39 WILLIAM RURIC PORTER, b. Sep. 5, 1856, m. Clara Valberd Day, Oct. 1893. Lives (1900) Poriferio Diaz, Coahuila, Mex. He is a machinist.
 Children:-
 304 I. Claude, b. June 1895 at Jiminez, Mex.
 305 II. Frederic, b. 1897 at C. P. Diaz, Mexico.
- 40 EMMA JANE PORTER, b. Nov. 24, 1858, m. Martin C. Eppes, a teacher, June 5, 1878. He died Dec. 4, 1896 at Llano, Texas. She is a photographer and milliner. Lives (1901) at Junction City, Texas.
 Children:-
 306 I. Carrie, b. March 27, 1880 at Blanco, Texas.
 307 II. Aileen Emma, b. Apl. 17, 1882 at Eastland, Texas.
 308 III. Ned Alwyn, b. Aug. 8, 1883 at Santa Rosa, Mexico.
 309 IV. Ruby Estelle, b. Mch. 25, 1887 at Blanco, Texas.

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- 141 THEODORIC STANTON PORTER, b. Apl. 3, 1860, m. Leonora Day in Sept. 1890. He is a Mill Superintendent and Machinist. Lives (1900) at Jiminez, Coahuila, Mexico.
Child:-
310 I. Henry, b. about 1897.
- 142 SARAH ELIZABETH PORTER, b. Sep. 5, 1862, m. C. L. Eppes, a farmer and stockman, July 15, 1887. Lives (1901) at Fiskville, Travis Co., Texas.
Children:-
311 I. Ila May, b. Sep. 30, 1889, State of Washington.
312 II. William Alvin, b. July 1892 at C. P. Diaz, Mex.
313 III. Arthur Gorton, b. Oct. 1894.
314 IV. Nellie, b. Feb. 14, 1897.
- 143 NATHANIEL SILAS PORTER, b. Feb. 3, 1864, m. Miss J. F. Janey, Oct. 1893, at Cherokee, San Saba Co., Texas. He is a Blacksmith and Machinist. Lives (1900) Island, Limestone Co., Tex.
Children:- Born at Island, Texas.
315 I. Eric Darden, b. 1898.
316 II. Mary Beatrice, b. 1900.
- 145 FREDERICK MARTIN SHELDON, b. Apl. 9, 1860, Northfield, Vt.; m. Oct. 19, 1887, Emma J. Truax, Swanton, Vt. She died Aug. 3, 1889. Child:-
317 I. Earl Truax, b. July 25, 1889. He was missing Feb. 19, 1898. Was last seen at play in Burlington City Park. Was thought to have been kidnapped. Body was found in Lake Champlain Apl. 22, 1898.
- He married, second, Louisa J. Pettit, Burlington, Vt., May 6, 1891. Children:- Born at Burlington.
318 II. Elizabeth, b. Apl. 4, 1894.
319 III. Ralph Wells, b. July 3, 1895.

Fred. M. is Superintendent of Wells, Richardson & Co's. printing department, Burlington, Vt. Residence No. 63 King St. Burlington.

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- 147 JENNIE CARPENTER, b. Aug. 19, 1859 at N. Granville, N. Y., m. Louis Buhl King, March 14, 1883. Lives (1899) No. 570, Secor Ave., Detroit, Mich. He is a dealer in Chinaware.
Children:- Born at Detroit.
320 I. Dorothea, b. Feb. 6, 1884.
321 II. Ralph Benjamin, b. May 23, 1885.
322 III. Robert Kent, b. July 8, 1887.
323 IV. Janet Elizabeth, b. Feb. 10, 1889.
324 V. Louis Buhl, b. Jan. 30, 1892, d. Jan. 6, 1893.
325 VI. Francis Carpenter, b. Nov. 17, 1894.

- 149 MERIBAH IONE KINCAID, b. Nov. 11, 1871, m. Frank Merrill, Fair Haven, Vt., June 7, 1893. Live (1900) Fair Haven, Vermont.
Children:- Born at Fair Haven.
326 I. Walter Ralph, b. Sep. 30, 1895)
327 II. Wallace Kincaid, b. Sep. 30, 1895 (Twins.
328 III. Ruth, b. Aug. 1896.
329 IV. Wilber H., b. Oct. 20, 1898.
- 150 GEORGE CARPENTER KINCAID, b. Jul. 1, 1874, m. Lizzie Burdick, Fair Haven, Vt. He is Freight Agent for the D. & H. R. R. at Fair Haven, Vt.
Children:- All born at Fair Haven.
330 I. Raymond Burdick, b. Jan. 16, 1897.
331 II. Wendal Wheaton Day, b. March 5, 1899.
332 II. Ione Emma Elizabeth, b. July 9, 1900.
- 151 JOHN CLARENCE KINCAID, b. March 15, 1876, m. Aug. 17, 1897, Ada Louise Peck, Fair Haven, Vt.
Child:-
333 I. Herbert Milo, b. Jan. 21, 1898 at Fair Haven, Vt. He is an electrical machinist and worker. Is now (1901) with the Stanley Electrical Works, Pittsfield, Mass.
- 153 CLAYTON JOYCE BAILEY, b. Nov. 17, 1864, m. Sep. 29, 1896, in the Temple St. M. E. Church, Boston, Lida J. Hay. He was Captain of Co. I. 4th N. J. Reg., during the Spanish-American War, and was mustered out Apl. 6, 1899. He went to the Phillipines Sep. 1899 as a Lieutenant in a Volunteer Company.
- 154 MARY EDNA BAILEY, b. Oct. 26, 1866, m. May 29, 1901, at Greenwich, N. Y., James B. Ellwood of Sycamore, Ill. His business relations are with the Diamond Match Co., at Chicago, Ill., where they will reside.
- 167 FREDERICK WILLIAM BALIS, b. June 7, 1859 at Hubbardton, Vt., m. Oct. 16, 1884, Harriet E. Mattoon, St. Charles, Ill. She died May 4, 1897. He is a farmer. Principal product is milk.
Children:- Born at St. Charles, Ill.
334 I. William Henry, b. July 31, 1885.
335 II. George Robert, b. Jan. 7, 1887. (Blind)
336 III. Mary Emeline, b. July 19, 1888.
Live (1901) St. Charles, Kane Co., Ill.
- 171 WILLIAM DEWEET ALCOTT, b. March 18, 1876, m. Gertrude Godard, June 22, 1899 at Yorkville, Ill. Residence (1900) No. 430 Galena St., Aurora, Ill. He has charge of Black Dress Goods Department in J. V. Farwell & Co's. Store, Chicago.
- 174 CALFB RESSEGUIE JUDKINS, b. Sep. 16, 1867, m. Jan. 29, 1895, at Pawnee City, Neb., Winnie Moore. Lumber dealer at Lincoln, Neb. Residence (1901) 1125 So. 16th St., Lincoln, Neb.
Child:-
337 I. Jennie Milrae, b. Aug. 12, 1896 at Table Rock, Neb.

- 175 JOHN EMERY JUDKINS, b. May 16, 1873. He is a farmer. Unmarried. P. O. address, Syracuse, Neb.
- 176 LEONARD HIRAM JUDKINS, b. Nov. 18, 1877. He is carrying on his Mother's farm. Unmarried. P. O. address, Syracuse, Neb.
- 186 CAROLINE BETSEY SMITH, b. Jan. 19, 1870, m. June 1, 1895, William J. Meeker, Occidental, Calif. He is a carpenter. Live (1897) Sebastopol, Sonoma Co., Calif.
Child:-
338 I. Merton, b. Dec. 25, 1896 at Occidental, Cal.
- 187 EDWIN HARRY SMITH, b. Sep. 9, 1871, m. Dec. 12, 1893, Rhoda Kingwell, who was born Nov. 27, 1871. Live (1901) College Park, Santa Clara County, Cal. He graduated at the University of the Pacific, College Park, Cal., May 1901, and expects to enter the conference and regular ministerial work of the M. E. Church the following Sept.
Children:-
339 I. Amelia Rhoda, b. Sep. 7, 1894.
340 II. Anna Edwina, b. Apl. 7, 1896.
341 III. Ruth Elaine, b. Jan. 21, 1898.
- 188 CHARLES LEWIS SMITH, b. Jan. 19, 1874, m. Jun. 24, 1896, Gratia Emma Fuller, who was born Dec. 16, 1878, at Los Alamos, Santa Barbara Co., Cal. He is now (1898) clerk in a general merchandise store at Los Alamos.
Children:-
342 I. Sidney LeRoy, b. March 8, 1898.
343 II. Hazel Winnifred, b. May 6, 1899.
- 189 FANNIE AMELIA SMITH, b. Dec. 12, 1875, m. at Occidental, Cal., Apl. 10, 1894, Stanley W. Collister. He is ticket agent, express agent, and telegrapher in R. R. office at Occidental.
Child:-
344 I. Eloise, b. Oct. 8, 1896.
- 193 LULU KIMBALL RESSEGUE, b. Feb. 21, 1879 at Castleton, Vt., m. Fred. Bennett, May 1897 at Sacramento, Cal. He is a Plumber. Child:-
345 I. Hiram Delano, b. March 13, 1898.
- 238 BURTON WARREN SHELDON, b. Apl. 18, 1867, m. Lena Bedee, June 8, 1892. Resides (1899) Schenectady, N. Y. He is a draftsman.
Children:- Born at Schenectady, N. Y.
346 I. Beatrice Olive, b. March 15, 1894.
347 II. Thelma Irene, b. Nov. 21, 1899.
- 239 ALTA BULA SHELDON, b. Dec. 24, 1869 at Jamaica, Vt., m. Harry Howard, July 4, 1889. He is a Blacksmith. Lives (1899)

Wardsborough, Windham Co., Vermont.

Children:-

- 348 I. Hazel Etta, b. Jul. 23, 1890.
- 349 II. Hudis Eudell, b. Aug. 9, 1892.
- 350 III. Levi Jerome, b. Dec. 4, 1894.
- 351 IV. Alvah Sheldon, b. Sep. 2, 1896.

- 40 EULA SUSAN SHELDON, b. Oct. 9, 1871 at Jamaica, Vt., m. Wilton Holt at Weston Vt., June 5, 1897. Is a laborer. Lives (1900) Chester Depot, Vt.
Children:- Born at Chester, Vermont.
352 I. Marjorie Emma, b. Nov. 14, 1897.
353 II. Gladys May, b. Sep. 12, 1900.
- 41 HOYT J. SHELDON, b. Dec. 10, 1873. Is a farmer. Lives (1899) Rawsonville, Vermont.
- 42 LORA ADELL SHELDON, b. Oct. 13, 1875. Stenographer and Typewriter, New York City (1899), m. Delbert J. Kendall, N.Y. City, Feb. 20, 1900. His occupation, Bakery and Provision Store. Residence and place of business, 795 Corner of Amsterdam Ave. and 99th St., N. Y. City.
- 43 OMER ARTHUR SHELDON, b. Sep. 11, 1878. Is farming (1899) at Rawsonville, Vermont.
- 44 MINNIE ESTELLE EDDY, b. March 10, 1867 at Winhall, Vt., m. Feb. 5, 1885, at Winhall, Kirk F. Hewes of Winhall.
Children:- Born at Winhall, Vermont.
354 I. Clarence Eddy, b. March 30, 1889.
355 II. Ethel Estelle, b. Oct. 1893.
- 46 RALPH HIRSH WHEELER, b. Oct. 6, 1875 at Jamaica, Vt., m. Nettie M. Martin of Jamaica, March 28, 1899. He is a farmer. P. O. address, Jamaica, Vermont..
- 47 GEORGE ANSON, b. Oct. 1, 1865, m. Ida Major, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Jan. 1, 1887. He is a farmer. Lives (1899) West Cornwall, Conn.
Children:-
356 I. Edith Mary, b. Mch. 18, 1888, d. Dec. 25, 1894.
357 II. Lydia Rood, b. Apl. 28, 1891 at Canaan, Conn.
358 III. Annie Melissa, b. Jul. 10, 1895, d. Sep. 20, 1898.
359 IV. Georgie May, b. May 24, 1897 at Cornwall, Conn.
- 48 JOHN ARTHUR ANSON, b. March 9, 1868. Lives (1899) Cooperstown, N. Dak. Is a farmer. Was married Sept. 9, 1892 to Elizabeth Silvernail, but is said to have parted from her.
Child:-
360 I. John, b. Aug. 6, 1893. (G.S.B., No. 114)
- 49 FLORA BENEDICT, b. Oct. 31, 1874, m. John I. Dermond, Nov. 1, 1891. Live (1899) Bridgeport, Conn. Child:-
361 I. John, b. Dec. 6, 1892.

- 257 MARY ANNA PETTIBONE, b. Mch. 25, 1872, m. Oct. 27, 1897, Charles W. Sykes at Manchester Depot, Vermont, and resides there (1899)
- 258 EDWIN HENRY PETTIBONE, b. Oct. 16, 1876, m. Jessie R. Dean of Manchester, Vermont, May 26, 1896. He died Jan. 6, 1897.
Child:-
362 I. Edna Janette, b. Jan. 18, 1897.
- 281 AURILLA MATILDA BEEBE, b. Apl. 1, 1866, Kane Co., Ill., m. May 9, 1886, George Edward Fox, Webster City, Hamilton Co., Iowa. He is a farmer. P. O. address (1901) Wisconsin Valley Junction, Wisconsin.
Children:-
363 I. Walter Allen, b. Feb. 16, 1887.
364 II. Carey Jasper, b. Jan. 16, 1890.
365 III. Rena, b. May 9, 1895.
366 IV. George Edward, b. Jan. 11, 1898.
- 282 LYLE BEEBE, b. Oct. 10, 1867, Kane Co., Ill., m. Lola Carson, Feb. 7, 1892 at Webster City, Hamilton Co., Iowa. He is a farmer. P. O. address (1901) Homer, Hamilton Co., Iowa.
Children:-
367 I. Glenn Carson, b. Nov. 2, 1892.
368 II. Ralla Hattie, b. Dec. 24, 1893.
369 III. Fern May, b. May 30, 1897.
- 283 CARRIE BEEBE, b. Sep. 23, 1869, Kane Co., Ill., m. William Carey, Feb. 7, 1892 at Webster City, Hamilton Co., Iowa. He is a farmer. P. O. address (1901) Ogden, Boone Co., Iowa.
Children:- Born at Stratford, Hamilton Co., Iowa.
370 I. Simpson Oliver, b. Feb. 4, 1894.
371 II. Hazel Leona, b. March 3, 1896.
372 III. Blaine, b. Apl. 27, 1897.
373 IV. Irving Percy, b. March 4, 1899.
- 284 HERBERT BEEBE, b. March 19, 1872, m. Marian Darr, Homer, Iowa, Sep. 12, 1895. He is a farmer. P. O. address (1901) Ham-rar, Hamilton Co., Iowa.
Children:-
374 I. Amelia, b. July 12, 1896.
375 II. Dewey, b. Apl. 27, 1898.
- 285 ALMEDIA BEEBE, b. May 14, 1874, Webster Co., Iowa, m. Rice Casbolt of Webster Co., Iowa, Oct. 1, 1896. He is a farmer. P. O. address (1901) Homer, Hamilton Co., Iowa.
Children:-
376 I. Lloyd, b. Sept. 12, 1897.
377 II. Floyd, b. Aug. 2, 1899.

- 286 HATTIE MELISSA BEEBE, b. June 23, 1876, m. Rev. Robert Percy,
a United Brethren preacher, Dec. 8, 1897 at Webster City,
Iowa. P. O. address (1901) Ogden, Boone Co., Iowa.
Children:-
378 I. Harold Mason, b. Aug. 24, 1898.
379 II. Lela Faye, b. Aug. 28, 1900.
- 288 SOPHIA MAY BEEBE, b. Aug. 23, 1882, m. Elmer Heck, Nov. 3,
1900, at Homer, Iowa. He is a farmer. P. O. address
(1901) Homer, Hamilton Co., Iowa.
- 306 CARRIE EPPES, b. March 27, 1880 at Blanco, Texas, m. Edward
Finney.

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Errata:- The name "PHINEAS" wherever it appears on pages 2 and 3
of this record, should be spelled "PHINEHAS".

