

WALKER GENEALOGY:

A RECORD

OF THE

WALKER FAMILIES

OF

SHIRLEY, MASSACHUSETTS,

AND THEIR

DESCENDANTS.

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The ancestry of the Walker families of Groton and Shirley may be traced with reasonable certainty to Capt. Richard Walker, who came from England in 1630, and settled at Lynn. He was born in 1592, was admitted a freeman of the colony in 1634, and lived a long, active and useful life, much respected by his townsmen. He was chosen ensign of the military company of Lynn in 1630, and afterwards successively its lieutenant and captain. In 1638 he became a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, and the same year was chosen by the town one of a Committee to divide the common lands, or, as it was termed, "to lay out ffarmes." In this division Richard Walker's allotment was 200 acres of "upland and meadow."—(*Hist. of Lynn*, pp. 171, 172.) In 1640 and 1641, and again in 1648 and 1649, he was selected the deputy of Lynn to the General Court.

Lewis, the historian of Lynn, gives the following incident concerning him. In 1630, the people of Lynn becoming alarmed by a report that hostile Indians were meditating an attack on the town, appointed men for a night watch. "Once, about midnight, Ensign Richard Walker, who was on the guard, heard the bushes break near him, and felt an arrow pass through his coat and 'buff waistcoat.' As the night was dark, he could see no one, but he discharged his gun, which, being heavily loaded, split in pieces. He then called the guard, and returned to the place, when he had another arrow shot through his clothes. Deeming it imprudent to proceed in the dark against a concealed enemy, he desisted from further search till morning. The people then assembled and discharged their cannon into the woods; after which the Indians gave them no further molestation."

Capt. Richard Walker died at Lynn, May, 1687, at the great age of ninety-five years. Judge Sewall, in his Diary, thus briefly mentions his burial: "Monday, May 16, 1687. I go to Reading to visit Mr. Brock, and so to Salem. This day Capt. Walker, a very aged planter, buried at Lin." He had children, two sons and two daughters, viz.: Richard, born 1611, who came over in 1635, and settled at Reading,—noted for his bravery as a captain in the Indian wars; Samuel, born 1615, who came with his father in 1630; Tabitha, who married Daniel King, March 11, 1662; and Elizabeth, who married Ralph King, March 2, 1663.

Samuel Walker, Senior, of Woburn, is supposed to have been the son of Capt. Richard Walker, of Lynn.—(*Hist. of Woburn, p. 170.*) He was born in England, 1615, accompanied his father to New England in 1630, and after residing for a while at Lynn, removed with his brother Richard to Reading—originally Lynn Village. To whom he was married has not been ascertained—nor for how long a time he was a resident of Reading. He had children—Samuel, born 1643; Joseph, 1645; a daughter, 1647; Israel and Hannah, (twins,) 1648; John, 1650; and Benjamin, 1651, (died soon); all of whom were probably born in Reading,—as we find the name of Samuel Walker and wife in a list of members of the Reading church in 1650 or soon after. In 1652 the name of Samuel Walker also appears in a division of land by order of the town of Reading, in which he drew a "lotte" of fourteen acres of "playne land." Previous to the year 1662 he removed to Woburn,—his name being first mentioned in the records of Woburn in that year, as one of the highway surveyors of the town. By occupation he was a maltster. He was approved by the selectmen of Woburn in 1675, for a license to keep a tavern,—being the first person known to have followed that business in the town. Sewall, the historian of Woburn, says "he appears to have been much respected in his day, being chosen selectman in 1668, and appointed by the town the year before on a very important committee for taking 'a List of the persons and estates of the right Proprietors,' among whom it had been voted to divide a large portion of the common lands of the town." He died Nov. 6, 1684; when (agreeably to a testimony given by him in court in 1658) he must have been sixty-nine-years of age.

Joseph Walker, born 1645, son of Samuel Walker, Senior, of Woburn, and grandson of Richard Walker of Lynn, became a resident of Billerica in 1667, and made that town his home for life. The date of his settlement is shown by the following extract from the

records of the town: "26. 6^m 67. The town of Billerica granted to Joseph Walker liberty to be an inhabitant in their town, in case hee can provide for his owne comfortable subsistence; also, the towne do declare willingness to gratify him with some convenience of land, as they shall see meet afterward." The next year the following record appears: "22 March, 1668. The towne did grant to Joseph Walker priviledge upon our towne comons for the future, in all lands that are not divided nor agreed upon for division before this day, to the proportion of a five-acre lot, or half a single share." He received several grants of land from the town, and made purchase of more,—from the location of which it is inferred that he lived in the easterly part of Billerica, near Woburn line.—(*See Hazen's Hist. Billerica.*)

His name appears as tythingman of Billerica in 1667; he was admitted a freeman 1678, and was a representative to the General Court in 1689. He married, Dec. 15, 1669, Sarah Wyman, (b. April 15, 1650,) daughter of John and Sarah (Nutt) Wyman of Woburn. His wife died Jan. 26, 1728–9, aged seventy-eight; and he died July, 1729, at the age of eighty-four. Their children were Sarah, b. 1670, (d. in infancy); Joseph, 1673, (died); Sarah, 1676, (m. Benjamin Johnson of Woburn); Elizabeth, 1678, (m. Samuel Fitch of Billerica); Hannah, 1680, (m. Nathaniel Hill of Billerica); Susanna, 1682, (d. in infancy); John, 1684; Benjamin, 1686; Jacob, 1689, and Seth, Oct. 12, 1691.

Seth Walker, the youngest of the ten children above named, married, April 4, 1716, Eleanor Chandler, of Concord, (born 1695,) daughter of William and Eleanor (Phelps) Chandler of Andover, and became a resident of Groton as early as 1734. The births of their two youngest children, only, appear on the records of Groton; but four others are supposed to have been born previous to their settlement in that town. In 1741 Mr. Walker removed from Groton to the new township of Narraganset No. 2, now Westminster, and located at the outlet of Westminster Pond, where he erected a grist-mill—the first ever built in the town. Previous to the year 1750 he removed to Number Four, (afterwards called Charlestown, N. H.) In that year his name appears in the roll of Captain Phinehas Stevens' company, raised for the protection of that frontier settlement against the French and Indians. He was one of the grantees of Charlestown under the New-Hampshire charter in 1753,—was one of a committee the same year to provide a place for public worship, and in 1754 was appointed one of a committee to attend to the building of a dwelling-house for the first settled minister of the town. He was an active and useful citizen, and his name often appears in the records of the municipal affairs of the settlement.

The children of Seth and Eleanor (Chandler) Walker were Seth, b. April 16, 1717; Eleanor, b. March 11, 1719, (who m. May 25, 1741, Nathaniel Parker, Jr., of Groton); Samuel, b. Aug. 30, 1721; Lucy, (who m. Jan. 10, 1751, Philemon Holden of Shirley,)—see *Hist. Shirley*, p. 462; Abel,* b. at Groton, April 20, 1734; and Sybil, b. at Groton, March 23, 1736;—and perhaps there were others.

Tradition says that Eleanor Chandler, wife of Seth Walker, was a small but a very strong woman. "She could set barrels of cyder into the cart as fast as a man could roll them up to her." She died Nov. 6, 1769, aged seventy-four. Mr. Walker died July 7, 1772, at the age of eighty years. Both died in Charlestown, and their remains sleep in the village cemetery, where suitable stones, erected to their memory, mark their last resting-places.

Their two eldest sons, Seth and Samuel, became residents of Shirley, and the latter made it his home for life. They lived on farms in the south-east part of the town, bordering on the Nashua river.

Walker, Seth,⁵ (Seth,⁴ Joseph,³ Samuel,² Richard,¹) b. April 16, 1717, m. Jan. 14, 1742, Abigail Holden, (b. Sept. 15, 1719,) daughter of Nathaniel and Abigail (Stone) Holden of Groton. He was a

*Abel Walker, son of Seth and Eleanor, became a resident of Charlestown (No. 4) in early life, and was a prominent and leading man in the town. He m. Feb. 26, 1767, Elizabeth, widow of Phinehas Graves and daughter of Isaac Parker, Jr., of Groton. He kept a tavern or house of entertainment, in Charlestown, from 1760, for upwards of thirty years. He took an active part in the military as well as municipal affairs of the town, was one of a committee of safety in 1775, held a captain's commission during the exciting times of the Revolution, and was often called into active service in the cause of independence. In the winter of 1776 he went with a company to the relief of the Continental forces at Quebec, after the disastrous failure of Arnold's expedition;—was repeatedly called to the defence of Ticonderoga, and in 1777 participated in the battle of Bennington, under the gallant Stark,—his company and regiment being in the most fiercely contested part of the field. He was promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel, which gave him the title by which he was afterwards known. Col. Walker was treasurer of the town of Charlestown for a period of eight years, from 1772, and was selectman in 1787 and 1789. He d. in Charlestown, March 14, 1815, aged eighty-one. His wife, Elizabeth, d. Oct. 8, 1806, aged sixty-two.

They had ten children, of whom only four lived to maturity. A daughter—
1. PHILA, b. Jan. 19, 1773, m. Col. Aaron Dean of Charlestown; of her children, *Nathaniel* d. unmarried; a daughter, *Sally Walker*, m. Hon. Henry Hubbard of Charlestown, afterwards governor of New Hampshire; another, *Catherine*, m. Waldo Flint of Boston, and d. without issue; *Rebecca Scott* m. Hon. Stephen Salisbury of Worcester—had one son, Stephen Salisbury, Jr.
2. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 7, 1778, m. Thomas Melville of Charlestown—had two children, *Nancy* and *George*.
3. ABEL, JR., b. Sept. 11, 1783, m. Sally Doolittle of Westmoreland, N. H.; was a useful and esteemed citizen of Charlestown—had three children, *Mary D.*, *Phinehas*, and *Samuel*—and d. Oct. 3, 1827.
4. ELEUTHERA, b. July 21, 1786, m. John Willard, Jr., of Charlestown—had twelve children, ten of whom lived to manhood and womanhood, and have numerous descendants. Mrs. Willard d. April 12, 1862. He d. April 9, 1852.—[See *Sanderson's History of Charlestown*.]

resident of Shirley in 1753, the year of its incorporation, and probably had resided on the same farm in the south-east part of the town, from the date of his marriage,—the births of four of his children, born previous to 1753, being recorded in Groton. He remained here till about the year 1760, when he removed to Charlestown, N. H., and settled on one of the rich meadow farms of that town, afterwards occupied by his son-in-law, Peter Evans. His wife, Abigail, died in Charlestown, Jan. 31, 1762, and he married (second) Jemima ———. He was injured by a fall from his house, while making repairs, and died Jan. 4, 1794. His wife, Jemima, died in Charlestown, March 22, 1807, aged seventy-seven. He had eight children by first marriage, and three by the second. Children :

I. NATHANIEL, b. in Groton, Nov. 6, 1742, d. Sept. 23, 1753, in Shirley.

II. SYBIL, b. in Groton, March 3, 1745.

III. SETH, b. in Groton, April 5, 1747. He was the first settler in that part of Charlestown, N. H., afterwards set off and incorporated as Langdon. He went to the place in 1773, fifteen years before the organization of the town, and died there, Nov., 1804 ;—being drowned in a well, at his home, into which he is supposed to have accidentally fallen. The name of Seth Walker appears, in 1777, as sergeant in Capt. Abel Walker's company, called from Charlestown to the defence of Ticonderoga,—and is also found on important committees in the municipal records of Langdon. He was married and had children, but no account of his family has been obtained, beyond the fact that he had a son, named—

1. SOLOMON, who was living at the time of his father's death.

IV. ABIGAIL, b. in Groton, June 10, 1750, mar. Eliab Gleason of Charlestown, N. H. ; died there, May 20, 1788.

V. ASA, b. in Shirley, Sept. 8, 1753, settled in the south-easterly part of Charlestown, (afterwards Langdon, N. H.) ; was twice married, and died Nov. 8, 1804. Mr. Walker was one of the petitioners for the incorporation of Langdon. His first wife was Sally ———, who died Feb. 19, 1793, aged forty-two. He m. (second) Jan. 2, 1794, Sarah Perry of Langdon, by whom he had six children. (After Mr. Walker's death his widow m. ——— Brown.) Mr. Walker's children, by second marriage, were—

1. THEDA, mar. Josiah Crosby of Alstead, N. H. ; died Jan. 6, 1881, aged eighty-seven. Mr. Crosby d. Dec. 7, 1852, aged sixty-four. They had no children.

2. ALVAH, b. 1795, married Harriet Blake of Charlestown, N. H., (adopted daughter of Peter Evans.) He was in trade for a while at Drewsville, N. H., afterwards kept a hotel at Charlestown, and later became proprietor of the Cheshire House, at Keene, N. H., where he died Oct. 25, 1842. His widow, Harriet Blake, died at the residence of her son, in Corning, N. Y., 1881. Children :
- (1.) *James Evans*, born at Drewsville, became a member of the large iron firm, Corning & Company, of Troy, N. Y., and died in Albany.
 - (2.) *John*, died young.
 - (3.) *Charles C. C. Brainard*, removed to Corning, Steuben Co., N. Y., where he entered upon a successful business career, and in 1874 was elected a member of the 44th Congress. He resides in Corning,—is married, and has had two sons and two daughters.
 - (4.) *Harriet*, m. Dr. Troup, of Palmyra, Wayne Co., N. Y., had one child, a daughter, who was left an orphan at a tender age, and adopted by her uncle, Charles C. C. B. Walker, of Corning.
3. CLARA, b. in Langdon, married John Ingalls, son of John and Hannah (Massie) Ingalls, of Walpole, N. H. They had nine children,—all but one b. in Walpole. The family removed about 1832 to Dansville, Steuben Co., N. Y., where Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls died. Children :
- (1.) *Eliza*, born 1817, died unmarried, aged twenty-one.
 - (2.) *Maria*, born Oct. 31, 1819, m. King Belding Chapman, born Sept. 11, 1808, son of Calvin Chapman of Keene, N. H. They reside in Keene, (1883);—have no children.
 - (3.) *Cynthia*, b. 1821, m. Austin Rollins, a farmer, of Steuben Co., N. Y., and died in Dansville. They had two children : 1. "George," is m. and has children ; 2. "A son," d. æ. two yrs.
 - (4.) *Newcomb*, b. 1823, m. Elizabeth Preston, r. Steuben Co., N. Y., (1883)—a farmer. Has had three children : 1. "Frank," and a son and daughter, both of whom died in infancy.
 - (5.) *Lucy*, b. 1825, m. Lewis Robinson, and died in Steuben Co., N. Y., aged forty-two, leaving no children.
 - (6.) *Albert*, m. Lois Gilbert of Steuben Co., N. Y. ; two children : 1. "Merriam ;" 2. "Fred."
 - (7.) *Caroline*, m. — Osborne, a farmer, of Steuben Co., N. Y. They have two children : 1. "Albert ;" 2. "Clara."

- (8.) *Helen*, m. George Flint, a farmer of Steuben Co., N. Y.;—one child—1. "Mary."
- (9.) *Harriet*, born in Danville, Steuben Co., N. Y., died unmarried, aged twenty.
4. ORPHA, b. 1799, m. Dec. 28, 1817, Samuel Waldo, of Langdon. Removed, 1852, to Iowa, where Mrs. Waldo d. Nov. 1857; he d. June, 1876, aged eighty. They had ten children, b. in Langdon:
- (1.) *Sarah E.*, b. Dec. 1818, m. J. Heywood of Iowa.
 - (2.) *Maria*, b. May 1821, m. Leonard Buckminster of Walpole, N. H. She d. June, 1842.
 - (3.) *Asa P.*, b. April, 1823, m. Mary Allen, of Wardsboro, Vt. She d. Feb., 1883.
 - (4.) *Sam'l F.*, b. Nov. 1826, m. Harriet Blanchard, Cavendish, Vt.
 - (5.) *Rosamond*, b. 1829, m. Sept. 22, 1846, Amos R. Hubbard, son of Jacob P. Hubbard of Chesterfield, N. H. Mr. Hubbard is a farmer of Chesterfield,—selectman 1872, '73 and '76. Children: 1. "Rawson W.," b. Jan. 27, 1848, d. unm., April 8, 1881; 2. "Flora A.," b. Sept. 3, 1851, m. Nov. 21, 1873, Levi B. Ware of Westmoreland, N. H., and d. Feb. 3, 1881; 3. "Clara M.," b. Oct. 4, 1853, m. Nov. 21, 1871, Charles M. Davis of Chesterfield, N. H., and d. March 16, 1879; 4. "Etta L.," b. Nov. 16, 1866; 5. "Luna B.," b. April 25, 1870.
 - (6.) *Elijah D.*, b. Jan. 1833, m. Cordelia Ainsworth, d. Nov. 1866.
 - (7.) *James N.*, born Aug. 1835, died 1864.
 - (8.) *Orpha A.*, b. June, 1837, m. Henry Forbes, Windham Co., Vt. She d. Nov., 1857.
 - (9.) *Harriet E.*, b. July, 1840, m. Henry Heywood; d. July, 1876.
 - (10.) *Charles A.*, b. Nov. 1845, married, and r. in Oregon, (1883.)
5. ROSAMOND, d. in Langdon, July 30, 1859, aged fifty-seven, unm.
6. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 20, 1804, m. May 29, 1827, Asa H. Carpenter, b. Feb. 26, 1806, son of Dr. Eber Carpenter of Alstead, N. H. Mr. Carpenter was a farmer of Alstead; d. Dec. 5, 1866; his wife, Abigail Walker, d. Oct. 5, 1861. Children, b. in Alstead:
- (1.) *Frederick W.*, b. April 12, 1828, prepared himself for the practice of medicine, and received the degree of M. D. He d. at Alstead, April 23, 1854, unm.
 - (2.) *Mary J.*, b. March 15, 1830, d. Jan. 23, 1832.
 - (3.) *Emily A.*, b. April 18, 1833, d. Jan. 6, 1855, unm.
 - (4.) *Harriet Lucretia Walker*, b. Dec. 6, 1837, m. Aug. 16, 1860, Burrill Porter, b. Feb. 22, 1832, son of Burrill and

Susan Porter of Langdon, N. H. Mr. Porter has been principal of a high school at North Attleboro, where he now r. (1883.) His wife, Harriet L. W. Carpenter, d. at North Attleboro, Aug. 4, 1875. She had four children: 1. "Susan Abigail," b. at South Braintree, May 16, 1866; 2. "Asa Burrill," b. at North Attleboro, May 17, 1870; 3. "Benjamin Franklin," b. Dec. 12, 1872, d. Aug. 2, 1874; 4. "Lawrence Garfield," b. June 25, 1875, d. Aug. 5, same year.

(5.) *Albert H.*, b. Oct. 30, 1841, m. Mary Hale, daughter of Edmund Hale of Alstead, and r. Covington, Kentucky.

VI. ISAAC, (twin,) b. in Shirley, March 30, 1756. He was at Ticonderoga in 1776, in the company under Capt. Abel Walker, and was also in the service in Rhode Island. He d. unm., being killed by a fall, at the raising of a bridge, in 1785, at Bellows Falls. The bridge then erected was the first ever built over Connecticut river.

VII. NATHANIEL, (twin,) b. in Shirley, March 30, 1756;—went with the family to New Hampshire, and (with his brothers Seth and Asa,) was among those called to the defence of Ticonderoga, in 1777, from Charlestown.

VIII. JABEZ, b. in Shirley, June 2, 1758, m. Anna Watkins of Charlestown, N. H., pub. Oct. 17, 1790. He settled in Charlestown, N. H., where he d. Feb. 20, 1812. They had six children:

1. ORLANDO, b. 1793, m. Naomi Fowler, pub. Jan. 7, 1821. He was a farmer of Langdon, N. H., and d. May 24, 1837. Seven children:

(1.) *Charles Henry*, b. 1822, went in early life to Detroit, Mich., where he engaged in express business, was married, and had one son, who became a telegraph operator and railroad engineer.

(2.) *Ellen Caroline*, b. 1824, m. George H. Wilder, and d. in Swanzey, N. H., Dec. 11, 1860; had one child: 1. "Martin."

(3.) *David Hubbard*, b. 1827, went early to New York city, was m., had children, and at last accounts was living in Jersey City, N. J.

(4.) *Ellen Eleuthera*, b. June, 1830, d. March 24, 1831.

(5.) *Maryett*, b. Feb., 1832, d. July 11, same year.

(6.) *Milton F.*, b. July, 1833, d. Feb. 11, 1834.

(7.) *Martin Griswold*, b. 1835, went to Detroit, Mich., in early life, and rem., soon, to California, where he r. at last accounts.

2. CAROLINE, m. William Livermore, and removed to Sacketts Harbor, Jefferson county, N. Y. They had four children :
- (1.) *William*, r. in Watertown, N. Y.
 - (2.) *Lewis Walker*, b. 1822, was adopted by his uncle, Lewis H. Walker, of Langdon, N. H. He learned the trade of a shoemaker, was m., and r. at last accounts in Sacketts Harbor, N. Y.
 - (3.) *Fannie*, m. — Palmer of Sacketts Harbor.
 - (4.) *Helen*, m. — Butts of Sacketts Harbor.
3. LUCRETIA, b. Aug. 10, 1796, m. (pub. Sept. 26, 1819,) Roswell Hodgkins, b. Sept. 28, 1797, son of John and Hannah (Spooner) Hodgkins, of Charlestown. Mr. Hodgkins was a farmer,—died in Langdon, Aug. 14, 1847; his widow, Lucretia, d. July 11, 1849, æ. 53. Their children were :
- (1.) *Lucretia Evans*, b. Nov. 6, 1820, m. Martin Luther Hines, by trade a silver-plater, r. Springfield, Mass. (1883.) They have three children : 1. "Fred ;" 2. "Eugene ;" 3. "Louise."
 - (2.) *Roswell*, b. April 1, 1823, m. Mirab Russell, r. Saxton's River, Vt. He is a carriage painter, has one child : 1. "Frances," who m. George Bailey of Saxton's River, and has one child : 1. Annie.
 - (3.) *John*, b. Oct. 18, 1825, d. in Langdon, Nov. 28, 1847, unm., aged twenty-two years.
 - (4.) *Hannah Louise*, b. Jan. 18, 1831, m. Sept. 29, 1855, James Pierce, b. Jan. 27, 1837, son of Sewell and Mary (Stowers) Pierce. They r. in Malden. Mr. Pierce was engaged successfully in the dry-goods business in Boston, from 1858 till 1871, when he sold out that business, and has since been connected with the firm of Lane, Pierce & Co., leather merchants, of Boston,—being also connected with an extensive tannery business located in Albion, Oswego county, N. Y. He has been often called to official stations by his townsmen of Malden, having served as selectman,—for several years as representative to the General Court,—and for two years as member of the Massachusetts Senate. When Malden became a city he was made president of the Common Council, to which position he was re-elected the present year (1883). He has had five children : 1. "Joseph Frank," b. in Lowell, Feb. 14, 1858 ; 2. "Willie," b. in Malden, April 15, 1863, d. April 15, 1863 ; 3. "Charles Edwin," b. in Malden, Aug. 4, 1864, d. Oct. 12, 1864 ; 4. "Alice Louisa," b. in Malden, Jan. 29, 1869 ; 5. "Addie Florence," b. in Malden, May 23, 1872.

4. ABIGAIL, r. in Langdon, d. in Charlestown, unkm.
5. MARGARET, b. Oct. 10, 1800, (pub. March 29, 1818,) m. Nathan Bond, b. April 2, 1792, son of William Bond of Charlestown, N. H. He was for many years gate keeper at Cheshire bridge in Charlestown, but removed to Claremont, N. H., where he d. Mrs. Bond d. in Charlestown. They had no children.
6. LEWIS H., b. 1801, m. Dec. 25, 1828, Abigail Garfield, b. Nov. 3, 1805, daughter of John and Susan (Rogers) Garfield of Charlestown, N. H. He was a farmer, r. Langdon, and d. July 13, 1843. His widow m. (second) Warren H. Dodge, and died in Charlestown, Feb. 24, 1874. Mr. Walker had five children :
 - (1.) *Fannie Maria*, b. Dec., 1829, d. Sept. 26, 1830.
 - (2.) *George Mortimer*, b. 1831, d. Sept. 12, 1834.
 - (3.) *Elizabeth*, m. Fred Cooley, r. Bellows Falls, Vt.
 - (4.) *Jabez*, and (5.) *Eliza*, both d. in infancy.

(A daughter of Seth Walker married a Farnsworth, and resided in Charlestown ; which one, has not been ascertained.) His children by second wife, (Jemima)—born after he left Shirley—were

- IX. MARY, born in Charlestown, N. H., Aug. 9, 1766.
- X. JEMIMA, born in Charlestown, N. H., April 27, 1768.
- XI. EMMA (or EME), b. March 26, 1770, m. Peter Evans, b. Oct. 23, 1773, son of Peter and Mary (Gilbert) Evans of Charlestown, N. H. They resided at Rockingham, Vt., (where all their children were b.,) until 1817, when he removed to Charlestown, and became the owner of the Seth Walker homestead. He d. in Charlestown, July 29, 1856, aged eighty-three. His wife, Eme, d. March 11, 1862, at the age of ninety-three. Children :
 1. LUCRETIA, died Dec. 2, 1820, aged twenty-two, unmarried.
 2. JAMES WALKER, m. Jan. 1, 1825, Eunice Hodgkins, and d. in St. Charles, Ill. He had eight children :
 - (1.) *Lucretia*, d. unkm.
 - (2.) *Frances*, d. unkm. (3.) *A Son*, d. young.
 - (4.) *Albert*, was lost by the burning of steamer between New York and Nassau. He was m. and had three children : 1. "May," b. in St. Charles, and two b. in California. His widow and three children reside in California (1883).
 - (5.) *James*, a machinist, d. unkm. (6.) *Edward*, d. unkm.
 - (7.) *Catherine*, m. a Dr. Bunker. (8.) *Martha*, d. unkm.

3. SETH GILBERT, b. Dec. 13, 1803, m. Oct. 28, 1834, Hannah Louise Hodgkins, b. Nov. 21, 1807, daughter of John and Hannah (Spooner) Hodgkins. Mr. Evans d. May 31, 1856. Mrs. Evans died in Charlestown, Aug. 24, 1871. Children :
- (1.) *Clara L.*, b. Aug. 16, 1835 ; m. July 8, 1862, Rev. Lyman Dwight Chapin of Amsterdam, N. Y., b. Sept. 18, 1836, (son of Rev. A. L. and Abby (Hays) Chapin of Newark, N. J.) Mr. Chapin is a graduate of Amherst College and of Union Theological Seminary. Both he and his wife entered the foreign missionary field, under the auspices of the American Board, immediately after their marriage. Children : 1. "Lyman Dwight," b. at Tientsin, North China, Jan. 11, 1864, d. Feb. 2, 1867 ; 2. "Louise Evans," b. at Tientsin, North China, Jan. 10, 1866 ; 3. "Abbie Goodrich," b. at Tungchau, North China, April 2, 1868 ; 4. "Edward Dwight," b. at Tungchau, North China, Nov. 12, 1869 ; 5. "Mary Hannah," born at Tungchau, Feb., 1872 ; 6. "Nellie Gertrude," born at Tungchau, July 30, 1874, died at Tientsin, June, 1875.
 - (2.) *Louisa Dana*, b. March 9, 1837, d. July 22, 1858.
 - (3.) *Jane G.*, b. Nov. 7, 1838 ; missionary at Tungchau, China.
 - (4.) *Helen A.*, b. July 30, 1840, m. Feb. 1, 1871, John Lefferts of Flatbush, N. Y. Children : 1. "Leffert," b. Sept. 27, 1871 ; 2. "Dwight Chapin," b. Oct. 22, 1874 ; 3. "Arthur," died in infancy ;—all b. at Flatbush.
 - (5.) *Seth Gilbert*, b. Sept. 16, 1842, m. June 17, 1868, Mary Emma Frederick, r. (1883) in Albany, N. Y. Children : 1. "Frank Frederick," b. Oct. 6, 1870 ; 2. "Charles Gordon," b. June 6, 1873.
 - (6.) *Martha Isabel*, b. Sept. 17, 1844, m. Oct. 15, 1874, Rufus Phinehas Stebbins Webster, r. (1883) in Brooklyn, N. Y. ; two children,—1. "Evans," and 2. "Richard."
 - (7.) *Lucretia Estella*, b. Jan. 9, 1847, has been a teacher of a select private school in Charlestown.
 - (8.) *Ada Marion*, b. April 29, 1851,—a teacher.
4. ELIZABETH, m. Epaphroditus Ely, son of Isaac H. and Relief (Stone) Ely of Charlestown. She d. Oct. 7, 1866. Children :
- (1.) *Elizabeth Stone*, m. Nov. 10, 1846, Roswell Smith of Hadley, Mass.,—has one child : 1. "Emma Elizabeth," who m. Frank Smith of Hadley.
 - (2.) *Louisa Walker*, m. Dec. 1, 1847, Cotton G. Nash, b. Sept. 10, 1820, son of Erastus and Penelope (Gaylord) Nash ;—has

- three children: 1. "Allan Ely," b. Nov. 7, 1849; 2. "Samuel Gaylord," b. June 13, 1853; 3. "Edwin C.," b. Dec. 27, 1869.
- (3.) *Allan Evans*, m. Lois Brewster, dau. of Jonathan Brewster of Northampton, Mass. He was killed on a railroad in Georgia, in 1858. Had three children: 1. "Henry Allan;" 2. "Esther Brewster;" 3. "Louisa Walker," d. Aug. 22, 1859.

5. PETER ALLAN, b. Jan. 20, 1811, m. Nov. 5, 1838, Theodosia Story Willard, (b. April 14, 1818,) daughter of John and Thera Willard of Charlestown. Children:

- (1.) *Emma*, b. Dec. 20, 1839, m. Oct. 21, 1861, John Stratton Walker of Langdon. One child, r. Langdon: 1. "John Stratton," b. March 20, 1867.
- (2.) *Allan*, b. July 7, 1850, m. Oct. 21, 1871, Emma E. Ryder; reside in Boston. Children: 1. "Waldo Allan," b. May 21, 1872, d. March 11, 1873; 2. "Gertrude," and 3. "Grace," both died in infancy; 4. "Alice."

Walker, Samuel,⁵ (Seth,⁴ Joseph,³ Samuel,² Richard,¹) was a brother of Seth Walker, the register of whose descendants precedes this. He was born August 30, 1721, married Dec. 20, 1750, Mary Stratton, (born Jan. 2, 1723,) daughter of Ebenezer and Lydia (——) Stratton of Watertown. He settled in Shirley, about the time of his marriage, on the farm now owned and occupied by Charles H. Dodge—where he continued to reside through life. His wife died Dec. 7, 1794, and he died Dec. 15, 1817. Their remains lie buried side by side in the old cemetery, where very few of their family relatives have joined them;—and none of their descendants now reside in town. Mr. Walker lived with his wife forty-four years, and survived her a widower twenty-three years, his life being protracted to the great age of ninety-six years.

During his active manhood he was an enterprising and useful citizen, both in a private and public capacity. He was a thrifty and successful agriculturist, knowing how to turn both the sandy plain and the rich intervale to the best account. He was also a faithful public servant. For twelve years he was chosen to the responsible office of treasurer of the town, and from a subaltern arose to the chief command of the town militia. In addition to this he was frequently called to duties of a public nature, both in church and municipal affairs, and never allowed himself to betray his trust, or depart from a line of strict integrity. He was one of the eighty from Shirley who responded to the Lexington alarm, April 19th, 1775.

The Walker farm contained originally three hundred acres, a portion of which was excellent intervale land, while back from the river was a magnificent tract of pine timber, and other portions heavily timbered with hickory and the different kinds of hard wood. Over two hundred bushels of hickory nuts are known to have been sold from the place in a single year, and the pine timber has been a source of wealth to the recent owners. The farm remained in possession of the Walker family for three generations, when Dea. Samuel Stratton Walker sold it to Mr. Levi Dodge, the father of the present owner.

Capt. Samuel Walker had seven children, six of whom married and settled in New Hampshire—becoming pioneers in the settlement of a new country. Most of them had large families whose descendants are now scattered far and wide over the land. After the removal of his children to New Hampshire, it was the custom of Capt. Walker and his wife to visit them in the autumn of each year. They always performed the journey on horseback, tracing their way through the forests (in the days before highways had been constructed) by the aid of marked trees. After the death of Mrs. Walker in 1794, her surviving husband continued his visits as often as once in two years, till the autumn of 1804, when he was eighty-three years old. On his return from his last visit (Oct., 1804,) he was accompanied by his son Abel and wife,—all being on horseback. On the way they encountered a severe snow-storm, accompanied by violent wind. The way became so blocked with snow and obstructed by fallen trees that the journey was made with extreme difficulty and peril. This account was received from a daughter of Mrs. Abel Walker, born the second of April following the event. The mother would be likely to retain a vivid recollection of the journey.

I. SAMUEL, b. in Shirley, March 23, 1753, m. Dec. 12, 1776, Elizabeth Hartwell of Shirley (b. March 3, 1753). He settled in Chesterfield, N. H., was a deacon of the church, and in other ways a prominent and useful citizen. He d. in Chesterfield, Jan. 22, 1830; his widow d. in Feb., 1840. They had seven children, all b. in Chesterfield:

1. AIJA, b. Aug. 20, 1778, m. Nov., 1801, Sally Wheeler, b. April 20, 1780, daughter of Peter Wheeler. They resided in Chesterfield. Mr. Walker d. May 25, 1840, and she d. May 18, 1856. They had eight children:

(1.) *Sophia*, b. Jan. 28, 1803; m. in 1827, Abel Parks of Hanover, N. H. She d. May 5, 1843,—had no children.

- (2.) *Mary Priscilla*, b. May 8, 1805, m. April 26, 1821, Rufus Harvey, and d. July 9, 1837. Mr. Harvey d. March 29, 1868. They had two children: 1. "Horace H.," b. March 22, 1822, m. April 3, 1845, Orzaline K., daughter of Abel Stoddard, and d. May 16, 1853, leaving two children: 1. Henry Webster, b. in Chesterfield, Dec. 22, 1846, m. in Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 1, 1867, Maria Ruhamah Gray, b. at Mt. Vernon, Maine, Oct. 2, 1848, daughter of Timothy and Clarissa (Miller) Gray. Three children: 1. Arthur Henry, b. Jan. 3, 1869, at Keene, N. H.; 2. Grace Clara, b. Aug. 21, 1873, at Keene; 3. Bertrand Gray, b. April 24, 1883; they reside in Keene. 2. "Albert Horace," b. in Chesterfield, July 1, 1852, m. June 11, 1873, Lillie Simonds, b. Aug. 12, 1852, dau. of Alfred and Sarah M. Simonds of Brattleborough, Vt.; they now (1883) r. in Lexington, Kentucky, and have one child: 1. Leon Simonds, b. May 3, 1874.
- (3.) *Samuel Harry*, b. Nov. 17, 1807, m. Dec. 30, 1830, Laura, daughter of John Pierce. She died Jan. 28, 1861. He d. Oct. 4, 1864. They r. in Chesterfield, had one child: 1. "Laura Cornelia," who m. Almon White, of Newport, N. H. Mr. and Mrs. White both d. in Claremont, N. H., in 1859-60, leaving one daughter: 1. Mary Elizabeth, b. Nov. 17, 1858, m. Edward B. Knight in 1882, and r. in Charleston, West Virginia.
- (4.) *Frances S.*, b. Nov. 26, 1811, d. Nov. 3, 1813.
- (5.) *Elizabeth*, b. June 23, 1814, m. at Chesterfield, N. H., Aug. 23, 1837, William Francis Barnard, b. Jan. 31, 1811, at Holmanton, Me. She d. at Chesterfield, April 4, 1849. He d. at Sauk Centre, Minn., May 3, 1865. They had four children, all b. at Chesterfield: 1. "Sarah Jane," b. Sept. 7, 1838, m. at Otsego, Minn., Feb. 3, 1861, Stephen Gulicker Barnard, b. July 23, 1836, at Mexico, Me., son of John G. Barnard. They r. at Sauk Centre, and have three children: 1. Jennie Mabel, b. Nov. 26, 1862, at Anoka, Minn.; 2. Elmira Elizabeth, b. Feb. 8, 1865, at Sauk Centre, Minn.; 3. John Gulicker, b. Oct. 15, 1871, at Sauk Centre. 2. "Mary Ann," b. Jan. 8, 1841, m. at Anoka, Minn., Nov. 22, 1862, Henry Otis Nickerson, b. Nov. 1, 1833, son of Ephraim and Dora Nickerson, of New Salem, Franklin county, Me. Children: 1. Mary Elizabeth, b. Dec. 13, 1863; 2. Frederic William, b. April 10, 1866; 3. Harry Barnard, b. Dec. 8, 1873;

4. Alice Maud, b. Jan. 1, 1877. 3. "Frederic William," b. Oct. 22, 1843, m. at Sauk Centre, Minn., Nov. 20, 1863, Annie Hill Bartlett, b. April 25, 1847, daughter of Philander and Caroline (Hill) Bartlett of Dubuque, Iowa. Children: 1. Francis Wilder, b. Feb. 18, 1864; 2. William Norris, b. Jan. 7, 1866; 3. Mary Ella, b. May 14, 1868; 4. Harry Walker, and 5. Hiram Albert, (twins,) b. Oct. 17, 1870,—Hiram Albert d. Sept. 1, 1871; 6. Albert Warren, b. March 9, 1874; 7. Freddie Arthur, b. May 24, 1878. 4. "Ella Elizabeth," b. Jan. 16, 1848, m. at Sauk Centre, Nov. 7, 1866, William Pangburn, b. May 12, 1836, son of James and Polly Pangburn; r. in Maine. Children: 1. Minnie Ella, b. Sept. 3, 1869; 2. Frank Taylor, b. Dec. 14, 1871; 3. Josie Bell, b. Nov. 15, 1873; 4. Flora Maud, b. Dec. 31, 1875; 5. Jessie May, b. Aug. 17, 1877; 6. Harry William, b. Oct. 29, 1880, d. Sept. 29, 1881; 7. Ralph Henry, b. Nov. 27, 1882.

(6.) *John Warren*, b. Jan. 8, 1817, d. July 17, 1823.

(7.) *Almina*, b. July 26, 1821, d. Nov. 18, 1823.

(8.) *John W.*, b. Sept. 19, 1823, was living at Bloomfield, Ohio, at last accounts (1875); has been twice m., and by first wife had one son.

2. *SILVA*, b. Sept. 24, 1780, d. Dec. 18, 1782.

3. *JIMNA*, b. Sept. 7, 1782, m. March, 1804, Sally Woods, b. Aug. 15, 1785; r. in Westmoreland, N. H., and d. Jan. 7, 1861. His wife survived him, and was living in 1875. They had two children:

(1.) *Caroline*, b. in Westmoreland, Jan. 28, 1805, m. at same place, July 2, 1828, George Edmund Brewster, (b. at Walpole, N. H.; Sept. 25, 1800,) son of Edmund and Eunice (Snow) Brewster. Mr. Brewster d. at Detroit, Mich., March 17, 1867. They had eight children, all b. in Westmoreland: 1. "Sarah Caroline," b. Dec. 7, 1829, m. at Detroit, Mich., Oct. 17, 1854, Henry Douglas Harris, son of Frederick and Caroline (Vivard) Harris. She d. July 27, 1855. 2. "James Edmund," b. Dec. 31, 1831, unm. (1883.) 3. "Frances Maria," b. Sept. 21, 1833, m. in Westmoreland, May 13, 1857, Hamilton Alexander Britton, son of Calvin and Sarah (Wetherell) Britton. They have two children: 1. Ida Frances, b. in Winchendon, Mass., Nov. 25, 1860; 2. Sarah Caroline,

b. in Detroit, Mich., Aug. 16, 1868. 4. "Catherine," b. Dec. 27, 1835, m. (first) in Westmoreland, N. H., March 29, 1858, Almon Butler; he d. in California, Aug. 18, 1861; had one child: 1. Sarah Caroline, b. in Westmoreland, March 13, 1860, d. Oct. 17, 1863; she m. (second) in Rutland, Vt., May 4, 1864, Charles Munroe Wight, son of Forster and Mary (Foss) Wight; now r. in Novi, Mich.; children by second marriage: 2. Madgie Caroline, b. in Detroit, April 12, 1866; 3. Henry Brewster, b. in Westmoreland, N. H., Feb. 25, 1868. 5. "Georgianna," b. Feb. 22, 1838, m. in Detroit, Mich., April 29, 1862, Edmonds Green, son of Richard and Mary Ann (Arnold) Green. They have had two children: 1. Jessie Louise, b. in Detroit, Sept. 19, 1866; 2. James Edmonds, b. in Detroit, Oct. 9, 1871, d. Aug. 9, 1872. 6. "Henry Roscoe," b. June 7, 1840, d. Feb. 4, 1842. 7. "Elizabeth Elmina," b. Aug. 4, 1842, d. April 21, 1845. 8. "Elizabeth Henrie," b. April 9, 1845, m. in Detroit, Mich., Oct. 1, 1867, David D. Cady, son of David and Lovina (Potter) Cady. They have had five children, all b. in Detroit: 1. Mabel Henrie, b. June 27, 1869; 2. Carlos David, b. Oct. 1, 1871, d. July 28, 1872; 3. James Edmonds, b. May 29, 1875, d. July 24, same year; 4. Guy Brewster, b. July 3, 1876; 5. Elizabeth Caroline, b. Nov. 8, 1878.

(2.) *Almina*, b. Nov. 5, 1814, m. (first) April 3, 1834, Jotham Lord, Jr., b. April 11, 1812, son of Jotham and Hannah Lord of Westmoreland, (now Parkhill,) N. H.; had one child: 1. "James Walker," b. Dec. 4, 1836, who r. at Parkhill, unm., (1883). Mrs. Lord m. (second) Sept. 12, 1859, Chandler Ames Cressy, b. Dec. 2, 1806, son of Joseph and Martha Smith Cressy of Chesterfield, N. H. Mr. Cressy d. in Westmoreland, July 25, 1878; his widow d. Dec. 13, 1882.

4. ARZA, b. June 6, 1784, m. 1807, Lydia Baker, b. June 26, 1788. Mr. Walker d. May 17, 1828; his widow, Lydia, d. June 26, same year. They had seven children all b. in Chesterfield:

(1.) *Sebrana Shaw*, b. Jan. 18, 1809, m. at Chesterfield, July 14, 1828, Hon. William Haile, b. in Putney, Vt., May 6, 1807. He was for many years a prominent and influential citizen of Hinsdale, N. H., where he was extensively engaged in trade, and, later, in the manufacture of woolen goods. From 1846 to 1856, (with the exception of two years,) he was a member of

one or the other branch of the New-Hampshire legislature ; was president of the State Senate in 1855,—and in 1857, and again in 1858, he was elected governor of New Hampshire. He removed to Keene in 1873, where he died, July 22, 1876, and where Mrs. Haile, his widow, still resides (1883). They had four children : 1. "Harriet Cornelia," b. at Chesterfield, June 22, 1829, m. Nov. 23, 1853, at Hinsdale, John Mills Stebbins, b. at Hinsdale, Dec. 27, 1825. They have had five children, all b. at Springfield, Mass. : 1. William Haile, b. March 29, 1858, d. at Hinsdale, March 2, 1862 ; 2. Frederick Haile, b. May 24, 1860 ; 3. Charles Gay, b. June 13, 1863, d. at Springfield, July 7, 1864 ; 4. Walter Gay, b. June 4, 1865 ; 5. Arthur Walker, b. May 20, 1872, d. at Springfield, May 30, same year. 2. "Ellen Maria," b. at Chesterfield, Sept. 12, 1831, m. at Hinsdale, Dec. 13, 1854, Sylvester Osmond Davenport, b. at Hinsdale, 1829. He r. at Hinsdale (1883). Mrs. Davenport d. Feb. 14, 1861. They had one child : 1. Gertrude Ellen, b. at Hinsdale, May 3, 1856, m. at Keene, N. H., March 5, 1878, Edmund Pierson Dole, b. at Skowhegan, Me. They have one child : 1. Henry Haile, b. at Keene, Jan. 30, 1882. 3. "William Henry," b. at Chesterfield, N. H., Sept. 23, 1833 ; m. at Springfield, Mass., Jan. 1, 1861, Amelia Louisa Chapin, b. at Springfield, April 22, 1840, daughter of Ethan Samuel and Louisa (Burns) Chapin. Mr. Haile r. at Springfield, of which city he was chosen mayor at the municipal election in 1880. The following year he was elected a member of the Massachusetts Senate, for 1882, to which body he was re-elected for the present year (1883). He is engaged in the manufacture of woolen goods at Hinsdale, being a member of the firm established by his father,—Haile, Frost & Co. He has three children, all b. at Springfield : 1. William Chapin, b. Dec. 2, 1863, d. Aug. 14, 1864 ; 2. Alice, b. July 20, 1865 ; 3. Henry Chapin, b. Oct. 26, 1868. 4. "Sara Jane," b. at Hinsdale, N. H., Feb. 1, 1837, m. at Hinsdale, Dec. 7, 1863, Obed Gilman Dort, b. at Surry, N. H., Jan. 25, 1828. Mr. Dort is President of the Citizens National Bank, Keene, N. H. (1883.)

- (2.) *Horton Dudley*, b. June 9, 1811 ; m. (first) 1834, Susan P. Rugg, b. May, 1815 ; she d. June 27, 1837, and he m. (second) Aug. 20, 1839, Mary Ellen Cleaves, of Portsmouth, N. H., b. Nov. 3, 1821, by whom he had two children. He

- m. (third) Oct. 11, 1865, Hannah Knowlton of Portsmouth, b. 1825, daughter of Nathaniel and Rosanna Knowlton. Mr. Walker r. in Portsmouth many years, and was one of its most prominent citizens. He d. May 9, 1872. His children (by second wife) were: 1. "Susan Ellen," b. July 4, 1840, m. May 3, 1865, William Brooks Trask, b. May 30, 1836, son of William G. and Rebecca (Brooks) Trask. They r. at Erie, Pa. (1883.) 2. "Henry Cleaves," b. Dec. 9, 1841, m. Nov. 8, 1865, Martha Davis Fisk, b. Sept. 9, 1843, daughter of John Boyle and Arabella (Robertson) Fisk of Chesterfield, N. H. He resided at Portsmouth, N. H., where he d. Jan. 7, 1876. He was a representative from Portsmouth in the New Hampshire legislature the year previous to his death. Two children: 1. Horton Dudley, b. June 9, 1869; 2. Mary Ellen, b. July 6, 1874.
- (3.) *Polly Baker*, b. Nov. 16, 1813, d. Aug. 16, 1815.
- (4.) *Lawson*, b. July 16, 1816, m. (first) Nov. 13, 1838, Mary Fisk Lovett, b. July 13, 1816, daughter of Josiah and Hannah (Standly) Lovett of Beverly. She d. Nov. 9, 1840, and he m. (second) Oct. 27, 1841, Ellen Maria Lovett, b. Jan. 18, 1819, sister of his first wife; she d. April 23, 1849, and he m. (third) Nov. 21, 1849, Elizabeth Gage Masury, b. March 2, 1828, daughter of John and Sally (Hull) Masury of Beverly. Mr. Lawson Walker had (by second wife) five children, all b. in Beverly: 1. "Horace Lawson," b. Aug. 28, 1842, m. Sept. 6, 1864, Annie Maria Quimby Smith, b. Sept. 28, 1843, daughter of Francis A. and Sarah R. (Brown) Smith of Marblehead; they have had three children, b. in Beverly: 1. Frank Lawson, b. Oct. 5, 1865; 2. William Porter, b. Nov. 6, 1868; 3. Ellen Maria, b. Nov. 12, 1871. 2. "Mary Ellen," b. March 19, 1844, d. Aug. 3, 1844. 3. "Mary Louise," b. May 16, 1845, d. July 30, 1846. 4. "Josiah Lovett," b. Oct. 18, 1847, d. Feb. 13, 1850. 5. "Ellen Maria," b. March 19, 1849, d. Sept. 22, 1849.
- (5.) *Parker Davis*, b. Aug. 26, 1820, m. 1840, Margaret Jaynes, and d. May 7, 1875. They had six children: 1. "Willie," d.; 2. "Grace;" 3. "Parker;" 4. "Albert;" 5. "Ellen," d.; and 6. "Charles."
- (6.) *Caroline Baker*, b. May 3, 1822, m. Nov. 4, 1841, John B. Merrill, b. July 15, 1818, son of Pardon Hubbs and Emily

(Taylor) Merrill, of Hinsdale, N. H. They had two children :
 1. "Gertrude Emma," b. Sept. 9, 1842, m. June 10, 1873, Horatio Pratt, b. July 31, 1837, son of Horatio and Ann (Bushnell) Pratt of Westbrook, Conn. Mr. Pratt is a coal merchant, and r. Chicago, Ill.; has had two children : 1. Caroline Merrill, b. at Beloit, Wis., Oct. 9, 1875, d. Feb. 18, 1880; 2. Anna Bushnell, b. June 25, 1878. 2. "Isabel Walker," b. Oct. 31, 1849, m. Aug. 14, 1876, Charles Lincoln Morgan, b. Jan. 31, 1849, son of David and Marian Morgan of Boston. Mr. Morgan is a clergyman, residing at Moline, Ill. (1883.) One child : 1. Carl Merrill, b. Jan. 15, 1880.

(7.) *William Porter*, born Feb. 4, 1825, m. August 19, 1851, Anna C. Peale, of Salem, Mass., b. Oct. 21, 1826; had one child : 1. "Nellie Peale," b. in Portsmouth, N. H., April 2, 1862.

5. BETSEY, b. Oct. 28, 1786, was twice m., (first) to ——— Chamberlain, and (second) Jan. 12, 1815, to Joseph Dewey of Hanover, N. H. She d. at Hanover, Sept., 1828. Mr. Dewey d. June 30, 1872. They had two children :

(1.) *Gardner Walker*, b. at Hanover, Jan. 22, 1816, m. Sept. 16, 1839, Marcia Ann Clark of Enfield, N. H.; he d. May 25, 1872; his widow, Marcia A., is now living (1883) in Des Moines, Iowa. They had two children : 1. "Walter Whipple," b. July 18, 1841, m. Julia Hess of Bowling Green, Kentucky, and now r. Des Moines, Iowa. One child : 1. Ernest Dewey, b. July 7, 1880. 2. "Carrie E.," b. July 22, 1848, m. March 12, 1871, Addison L. Day of Utica, N. Y. They have one daughter : 1. Daisy, b. Dec. 7, 1879, r. Utica, N. Y.

(2.) *Catherine Elizabeth*, b. at Hanover, April 5, 1826, m. April 29, 1852, J. A. Melcher of Alabama. They now (1883) r. in San Francisco, Cal.; have one son : 1. "Eugene Appleton," b. 1853, r. San Francisco.

6. PHILA, b. April 21, 1790, m. Feb. 28, 1810, Ebenezer Robertson, b. July 7, 1787. She d. April 10, 1876; he d. April 22, 1882. They had four children :

(1.) *Stratton Walker*, b. Feb. 19, 1812, was twice m., (first) June, 1834, to Lucy Ann Curtis, b. May 13, 1813; (second)

June, 1868, to Mrs. Margaret J. (Noyes) Norris. He died in Salem, Mass., March 25, 1881. Children (by first wife) 1. "Lucy Ellen," b. April 24, 1837; 2. "William Walker," b. May 28, 1843, m. Oct. 31, 1868. Mary Jane Symonds, b. Nov., 1843.

(2.) *Arabell*, b. April 12, 1815, m. Nov. 13, 1838, John Boyle Fisk, b. April 10, 1816, son of Thomas and Lucinda (Trowbridge) Fisk of Chesterfield, N. H. Mr. Fisk r. in Chesterfield (1883), is a farmer, a justice of the peace, and has served his town as selectman. Mrs. Fisk d. Oct. 3, 1876; had three children, b. in Chesterfield: 1. "Harry F.," b. May 15, 1840, m. Oct. 16, 1865, at Winchester, N. H., Mary Wyman, b. Aug. 6, 1845, daughter of Timothy and Eliza Wyman of Wardsborough, Vt. They have one child: 1. Fred Nathaniel, b. at Hinsdale, Aug. 16, 1867; they r. in Springfield, Mass. (1883.) 2. "Martha Davis," b. Sept. 9, 1843, m. (first) Nov. 8, 1865, Henry Cleaves Walker, son of Horton Dudley Walker of Portsmouth (*see page 20*). She had two children: 1. Horton Dudley, b. June 9, 1869; 2. Mary Ellen, b. July 6, 1874. She m. (second) Edward Stebbins of Hinsdale, N. H., where she now r. 3. "Frank Delos," b. Feb. 17, 1846, m. Jan. 5, 1870, Celina Emily Aldrich, daughter of Alfred Aldrich of Westmoreland. He is postmaster and telegraph operator at Hinsdale. Children: 1. A son, b. July 22, died August 15, 1874; 2. Pauline, born July 13, 1875; 3. Marion, b. March 30, 1877; 4. Florence, b. Oct. 18, 1878.

(3.) *Noyes*, b. Nov. 4, 1818, m. (first) Nov. 2, 1842, Eveline Melissa Day, b. Feb., 1823, daughter of David and Phebe (Fletcher) Day of Chesterfield. She d. Jan. 29, 1852. He m. (second) June 9, 1853, Helen Maria Cobb, b. Feb. 12, 1830, daughter of Richard Cobb of Saxtons River, Vt. He is a farmer, of Chesterfield. Children: 1. "Edgar Francis," b. June 24, 1844, m. July 26, 1866, Sarah Jane Amsden, b. Aug. 28, 1845, of Hinsdale, where he r. He d. Nov. 13, 1879. They had three children: 1. Chrissie Eveline, b. April 13, 1869; 2. Winthrop Samuel, b. July 10, 1875; 3. Clinton Edgar, b. April 15, 1877, d. Sept. 8, 1877. 2. "Gertrude Eveline," b. Oct. 2, 1855. 3. "Cadmen David," b. Nov. 23, 1863.

(4.) *James Frederick*, b. Oct. 1, 1824, m. March 17, 1846, Mary Emeline Cobleigh, b. Dec. 8, 1823, daughter of Jonathan and Harriet (Hastings) Cobleigh, of Chesterfield. He d. March 6, 1865, in Chesterfield. They have had three children: 1. "Emma Frances," b. Sept. 22, 1847, m. Nov. 26, 1868, Webster Lucius Rixford, b. Aug. 6, 1848, of Winchester, N. H. They have two children: 1. Willie Lucius, b. Feb. 3, 1870; 2. Emma Frances, b. June 28, 1873. 2. "Freddie Stratton," b. Oct. 22, 1855, d. Feb. 28, 1857. 3. "Cora Adell," b. Sept. 23, 1858, m. Sept. 5, 1878, Henry Hamilton Pratt, b. March 15, 1858, of Winchester, N. H. They have one child: 1. Fred Wells, b. Oct. 20, 1879.

7. STRATTON, b. May 18, 1795, d. Oct. 10, 1811.

II. MARY, b. in Shirley, March 10, 1755, m. Jonathan King of Alstead, N. H., (pub. Nov. 21, 1784). After a short residence in Alstead, they removed to East Windsor, Conn., where they d., leaving descendants. Mrs. King d. March 8, 1801. They had two children, both of whom were m. and had families; beyond which facts we have been able to obtain little information.

1. LYDIA, m. Epaphroditus Grant of East Windsor.

2. JOEL, m. and lived in Connecticut.

III. BATHSHEBA, b. in Shirley, Feb. 25, 1757, m. Feb. 27, 1783, James Egerton, b. at East Bridgewater, March 1, 1753, and settled in Langdon, N. H. They had seven children. (*See genealogy of the Egerton family.*) She was a woman of genial and kindly disposition, of rare force and beauty of character. She managed her household affairs with wisdom and prudence, and passed an active and useful life, idolized by her children, and esteemed by her neighbors, for her many good qualities of mind and heart. She d. March 9, 1849, her life having been prolonged through ninety-two years. She lived to count over forty grandchildren and thirteen great-grand-children; and her residence in the town of Langdon extended from its settlement over a period of two generations. Mr. Edgerton died Oct., 15, 1813.

IV. ABEL, b. in Shirley, July 11, 1759, m. Feb. 22, 1783, Hannah Page, b. March 24, 1757, daughter of Simon and Hannah (Gilson)

Page of Shirley. He was one of six brothers and sisters who married and left their native town to make homes for themselves in the wild forests of New Hampshire. He settled in the town of Langdon, (then Charlestown,) where he became a skillful and successful farmer, and a worthy and respected citizen. He died April 16, 1833, at the age of seventy-three, and his widow died July 20, 1841, aged eighty-four. They had ten children, all born in Langdon :

1. GILSON, b. April 12, 1784, m. Abigail Carter of Needham, Mass., b. April 16, 1792. He was a farmer of Langdon, where he d. Nov. 14, 1860, aged seventy-six. His wife, Abigail, d. March 1, 1850. They had eleven children, all b. in Langdon :

- (1.) *Otis*, b. Jan. 24, 1814, m. April 4, 1859, Orpha W. Thurston, b. Nov. 14, 1835, daughter of Moses H. and Charlotte (Fifield) Thurston of Orange, Vt.; was a farmer of Langdon, was often called to the transaction of town affairs, and d. Oct. 17, 1870. He had two children, b. in Langdon : 1. "Ellery Otis," b. Nov. 1, 1860, r. Bellows Falls, Vt., unm.; 2. "Etta Maria," b. Oct. 3, 1863. Mrs. Walker r. Alstead, N. H. (1883.)

- (2.) *Calvin Warren*, b. March 29, 1815, m. Sept. 20, 1843, Emily Parker Scripture, b. Nov. 18, 1822, daughter of Hills and Patty (Parker) Scripture of Nelson, N. H. Mr. Walker r. at Bellows Falls, Vt., where he was the principal owner and manager of the Fall Mountain brewery. He died Jan. 5, 1883. He had one daughter : 1. "Eva Louise," born in Charlestown, N. H., Nov. 19, 1847, m. Sept. 2, 1880, Charles Marshall Blake, b. July 21, 1849, son of Seth and Martha Jane (Glover) Blake of Bellows Falls. She has one child : 1. Emily Isabel Walker, b. Jan. 27, 1882. They r. Bellows Falls. Mrs. Walker r. with her daughter (1883).

- (3.) *John*, b. July 25, 1816, m. Nov. 13, 1862, Evelyn Sarah Upton, b. Nov. 13, 1840, daughter of Alson and Sarah (Scott) Upton of Stoddard, N. H. He was a farmer, and an active and influential citizen of Langdon, where he d. Nov. 20, 1869. He had one child : 1. "John Everett," b. in Langdon, Dec. 18, 1864, d. at Nashua, N. H., Sept. 25, 1876. Mrs. Walker r. Nashua (1883).

- (4.) *Samuel*, b. Feb. 9, 1818, m. Sept. 12, 1848, Nancy Waitt Pierce, b. Aug. 21, 1827, daughter of James and Nancy (Waitt) Pierce of Marblehead. Mr. Walker is an oil merchant of Boston, and r. in Watertown. He has had six children: 1. "Abbie Melissa," b. in Boston, Sept. 19, 1849, m. June 6, 1872, Charles Bartlett Gardner, and r. Watertown; has one child: 1. Roy Richardson, b. March 6, 1873. 2. "Ella Pierce," b. in Boston, Jan. 12, 1851, d. May 1, 1862. 3. "Walter Warren," b. in Boston, April 8, 1853, r. Watertown. 4. "Alma Carter," b. in Watertown, Jan. 22, 1855, m. Oct. 6, 1881, Walter Channing Whitney, an architect, r. Minneapolis, Minn.; has one child: 1. Marion, b. Aug. 16, 1882. 5. "Mabel Waitt," b. in Watertown, Nov. 5, 1858, m. April 12, 1877, John Dana Dickinson, a dentist, of Boston, r. Watertown, has two children: 1. Mabel Draper, b. in Watertown, March 17, 1878; 2. John Walker, b. Oct. 20, 1879. 6. "Mary Eugenia," b. Oct. 19, 1860, d. June 23, 1861.
- (5.) *Caroline*, b. Jan. 11, 1820, m. Dec. 15, 1842, Samuel H. Grinnell, b. Oct. 27, 1811. Mr. Grinnell resides in Charlestown, N. H.,—selectman in 1854, '55 and '56. Mrs. Grinnell d. in Langdon, Jan. 1, 1846, of consumption; one child: 1. "Abbie Walker," born March 17, 1844; resides Charlestown.
- (6.) *Nancy*, born Dec. 6, 1821, m. Oliver Campbell, and resides in Cambridge, Mass. One child: 1. "Emma," b. in Alstead, N. H., Aug. 5, 1849.
- (7.) *Sophia*, b. Feb. 14, 1823, m. William Murphy, son of William and Laura (Shumway) Murphy of Langdon. She d. in Alstead, N. H., Sept. 20, 1864, of consumption. They had two children: 1. "Carrie Walker," who is married and r. in Cambridge; 2. "a son," d. in infancy.
- (8.) *Jarvis Columbus*, b. Dec. 14, 1824, m. Jan. 4, 1862, Marcia A. Hammond, b. (in Reading, Vt.) Sept. 7, 1839, daughter of Luther and Amanda (Currier) Hammond of Weathersfield, Vt. They r. in Langdon, N. H.; he is a farmer. Two children: 1. "Mary Abbie," b. at Alstead, Nov. 11, 1866; 2. "Della Carrie," b. at Alstead, Nov. 20, 1869.

(9.) *Harriet*, b. Dec. 5, 1826, d. Dec. 19, same year.

(10.) *Alvah*, b. July 17, 1828, m. Isabel Flanders, b. in Cambridge, July 27, 1840, daughter of Joseph and Nancy Oakes (Coburn) Flanders. Mr. Walker is an oil merchant of Boston, and has had two children: 1. "Guy Warren," b. in Boston, Oct. 5, 1869; 2. "Blanche Bel," b. in Swampscott, July 24, 1872.

(11.) *Ira*, b. April 28, 1831, d. in Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 21, 1863, unm.

2. JOHN, b. Nov. 20, 1785, d. unm. in Boston, Aug. 27, 1806.

3. HANNAH, b. Sept. 12, 1787, m. June 2, 1806, Marvin Way, b. at Newport, N. H., March 24, 1781, son of Raynolds and Irena Way. Mr. Way became a resident of Langdon, N. H., where he followed the occupation of a farmer, and d. there Oct. 6, 1856. Mrs. Way d. April 16, of the same year. They had seven children:

(1.) *Warren Walker*, b. in Windham, Vt., Nov. 4, 1807, m. Nov. 21, 1836, Mary Ann Osgood, b. Oct. 1, 1816, daughter of Manassah Osgood. Mr. Way was a farmer in Charlestown, N. H., where he d. March 25, 1872. Mrs. Way d. Oct. 6, 1869. They had two children, both b. at Newport, N. H.: 1. "Mary Maria," b. April 15, 1840, m. Oct. 9, 1860, George Sumner Bond, b. March 2, 1837, son of Silas and Alice (Abbott) Bond of Charlestown, N. H.; child: 1. Herbert Warren, b. July 30, 1861, r. Charlestown. 2. "Alvah Charles," b. Dec. 5, 1843, m. Sept. 30, 1867, Catherine Jane Putnam, b. Sept. 15, 1845, daughter of Oliver and Catherine (Dunsmoor) Putnam of Charlestown, N. H. Children: 1. Stella Augusta, b. April 17, 1870; 2. Frederic Elwin, b. June 11, 1872; 3. Byron Oliver, b. 1874, r. Charlestown.

(2.) *Sophronia*, b. at Windham, Vt., April 2, 1810, m. Jan. 1, 1833, Asa Smith, b. March 6, 1807, son of Ebenezer and Susan (Durant) Smith of Langdon, N. H. They reside in Langdon, in the enjoyment of a good old age, having passed over fifty years of wedded life together. He is a farmer. One child: 1. "Ira Persons," b. in Langdon, May 29, 1835, m. Jan. 24, 1860, Melissa Maria Hurd, b. Aug. 9, 1842,

daughter of Moses and Adelia D. (Barton) Hurd of Newport, N. H. ; r. in Langdon.

- (3.) *Samuel Walker*, b. in Newport, April 17, 1812, m. Angeline Turner of Maine, settled at Nealesville, Clark county, Wis., where he r. at last accounts (1872), a farmer. Children : 1. "Arthur ;" 2. "Nettie ;" 3. "Seward."
- (4.) *Cynthia Maria*, b. in Newport, N. H., July 4, 1815, m. May 26, 1838, Joseph Burt, b. in Milford, N. H., July 22, 1814, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Abbott) Burt. He is a carpenter. They r. in Charlestown, N. H. (1883), and have had three children : 1. "James Elliott," b. in Putney, Vt., Sept. 24, 1839, m. in Worcester, Fanny Driscoll of New Bedford, r. Somerville, is a news-dealer ; 2. "Joseph Ellery," b. in Alstead, N. H., Feb. 7, 1843, m. in Philadelphia, Ara Banner DeMille, r. Washington, D. C. ; 3. "George Marvin," b. in Charlestown, N. H., Feb. 11, 1857, m. in Boston, Bessie Chapin.
- (5.) *Jonathan Brown*, b. in Newport, N. H., May 29, 1818, m. May 13, 1852, Emily Sartwell, b. Oct. 21, 1827, daughter of Simon and Betsey (Elwell) Sartwell of Langdon, N. H. He died at Alstead, N. H., July 14, 1869. Children : 1. "John Sartwell," b. in Alstead, Oct. 9, 1854, m. Jennie Humphrey, daughter of Thomas and Jennie (Moulton) Humphrey of Boston, resides in Boston ; 2. "Emily," b. Dec. 3, 1858, d. April 15, 1859 ; 3. "Minnie Etta," b. Oct. 28, 1860, d. June 26, 1862 ; 4. "Freddie Marvin," b. May 22, 1863, d. Aug. 15, 1865 ; 5. "Ida Betsey," b. Aug. 22, 1866 ; 6. "Gertrude Abbie," b. March 4, 1869. Mrs. Emily Way, widow of Jonathan B., (now Mrs. Ansel Glover,) resides in Alstead (1883).
- (6.) *James Egerton*, b. Nov. 27, 1820, d. Sept. 2, 1824.
- (7.) *Elvira*, b. Sept. 19, 1823, d. Dec. 21, 1827.
4. ABEL, b. Oct. 3, 1789, m. Rachel Perkins. He d. in Langdon, July 22, 1825. He had two children :
 - (1.) *John L.*, b. in Langdon, 1825, d. June 3, 1826, aged fourteen months.
 - (2.) *William*, b. in Langdon, 1826, m. and r. in Cambridge (1883).
5. SAMUEL, b. Dec. 12, 1791, d. in Langdon, Jan. 5, 1792.

6. LUCY, b. Aug. 31, 1793, m. Feb. 13, 1811, Calvin Dinsmore, b. Feb. 7, 1788, son of Thomas and Sally Dinsmore, of Alstead, N. H. Mr. Dinsmore was a farmer, of Alstead, where he d. June 26, 1860. His widow, Lucy, d. Aug. 18, 1863. They had eleven children :

(1.) *Mary Ann*, b. in Langdon, July 27, 1812, m. March 16, 1838, Frederick Willard Scovell, of Walpole, N. H. She d. at Walpole, July 26, 1848. Mr. Scovell r. in California (1883). They had five children, all born in Walpole : 1. "George Henry," b. Dec. 23, 1838, m. Caroline O. Mason of Walpole, has one daughter : 1. Lillian Mason, born Aug. 4, 1876. Mr. Scovell deals in butter and cheese, at Faneuil-Hall market, and r. in Boston ; 2. "Albert Dinsmore," born March 30, 1840, m. Carrie Wright of Walpole, has one son : 1. Homer, and r. in Manchester, N. H. ; 3. "Mary Ellen," b. April 27, 1842, m. Martin Van Buren Clark, who is a grocer of Keene, N. H. They have three children : 1. George Henry, b. Nov. 17, 1867 ; 2. Nellie Elizabeth, b. Feb. 6, 1872 ; 3. Lena Agnes, b. June 13, 1877. 4. "Ozro Addison," b. June 6, 1845, m. Emma F. Drew, daughter of A. S. Drew of East Boston ; they r. in Chelsea, and have three children : 1. Edith Aileen, b. March 16, 1876 ; 2. Clifford Addison, b. May 15, 1877 ; 3. Orzo Mortimer, b. Aug. 6, 1878. Mr. Scovell is in the provision business in Faneuil-Hall market, Boston. 5. "Frederick S.," b. July 9, 1848, went to Nevada, and m. there.

(2.) *Caroline*, b. in Langdon, Feb. 11, 1815, d. March 14, 1816.

(3.) *John Green*, b. in Alstead, Jan. 29, 1817, m. Sept. 29, 1846, Mary Elizabeth Spencer, b. in Springfield, Vt., Nov. 26, 1826, daughter of Guy and Mary (Warren) Spencer of Springfield, Vt. One child : 1. "William Warner," b. in Alstead, Feb. 12, 1857. They r. in Alstead.

(4.) *Caroline*, b. in Alstead, Nov. 5, 1818,—fatally injured by a fall from a carriage,—d. at Alstead, March 31, 1842, unm.

(5.) *Thomas*, b. in Alstead, March 4, 1821, m. March 27, 1844, Mary A. Graham. Mr. Dinsmore is in the butter and cheese business at Faneuil-Hall market, Boston, but resides in Alstead, N. H. ; has been railroad commissioner for the State of New Hampshire, and was elected a member of the New-Hampshire Senate for 1883. He has two children : 1. "Arthur Thomas,"

b. in Boston, Sept. 25, 1857, m. Sept., 1879, Lizzie Buchanan, daughter of John Buchanan of Brooklyn, N. Y. He is in business in Faneuil-Hall market, Boston; has one child: 1. Artie Agnes, b. Feb., 1881. 2. "Mary Graham," m. Charles G. Maynard. Mr. Maynard is proprietor of the Dinsmore House, Walpole, N. H.

(6.) *Sumner*, b. in Alstead, Aug. 24, 1822, d. Aug. 14, 1824.

(7.) *Lemuel Willis*, b. in Alstead, March 24, 1824, m. Jan. 10, 1855, Clarissa Maria Egerton, b. Jan. 23, 1820, daughter of Samuel and Clarissa (King) Egerton of Langdon. He is a farmer, and occupies the Calvin Dinsmore homestead in Alstead.

(8.) *Lucy Jane*, b. in Alstead, Feb. 28, 1826, m. June 2, 1846, George Addison Brooks, b. April 15, 1826, son of Frederick and Susan H. Brooks of Stoddard, N. H. Mr. Brooks is a manufacturer of edged tools, and r. at Alstead. They have had two children: 1. "George Eugene," b. April 19, 1849, d. April 23, 1862; 2. "Addie," b. May, 1853, d. in infancy.

(9.) *Ellen Sophia*, b. in Alstead, Nov. 16, 1827, m. Dec. 30, 1852, James Egerton King, b. May 13, 1822, son of Samuel and Sophia (Egerton) King of Acworth, N. H. Mr. King d. Oct. 16, 1861, and she m. (second) Jacob Richardson, a merchant of South Acworth. Her children (by first husband) were: 1. "Emma Eliza," b. at Ottawa, Canada, April 25, 1856; 2. "Clarissa Elmira," b. at Ottawa, Oct. 20, 1860, d. in Alstead, Sept. 20, 1865.

(10.) *Edmund*, b. in Alstead, Jan. 18, 1832, m. Jan. 31, 1861, Arvilla L. Barrett, daughter of Asa and Arvilla (Wheeler) Barrett. They r. in Alstead; have had four children: 1. "Elmira E." b. Nov. 19, 1861, d. Mar. 19, 1864; 2. "Myra," b. 1863, m. March 26, 1883, Ernest Mack of Marlow, N. H.; 3. "George Calvin," b. 1866; 4. "Gertie May," b. May 23, 1872, d. Dec. 14, 1874.

(11.) *Elmira*, b. in Alstead, Oct. 9, 1833, m. Sept. 30, 1854, Elisha Smith Kent, son of Isaac and Susan (Ware) Kent of Alstead. She d., Sept. 10, 1860, in Alstead. Two children: 1. "Charles," b. Dec. 9, 1854, a blacksmith, r. Alstead; 2. "Carrie," b. May 2, 1856, m. Norman Howard, son of

Stephen Howard of Alstead ; has had three children : 1. Bertrand Elisha, b. in Alstead, March 19, 1878 ; 2. Bertha Sarah, b. in Alstead, Feb. 24, 1880, d. aged eleven months ; 3. Mabel Jane, b. in Alstead, May 24, 1882.

7. SAMUEL, b. June 10, 1795, d. Dec. 20, same year.

8. EDMUND, b. in Langdon, N. H., Jan. 5, 1797, m. April 14, 1822, Adaline Howard, b. June 15, 1799, daughter of Jeremiah and Sally (Humphrey) Howard of Langdon. He was a farmer, and resided in Langdon, where he d. April 20, 1859. His widow d. April 21, 1872. They had five children, all b. in Langdon, viz. :

(1.) *Harriet Elizabeth*, b. Jan. 19, 1823, m. Nov. 24, 1842, Almon Franklin Cooper, b. June 27, 1819, son of Horatio and Betsey (Gale) Cooper of Alstead, N. H. Mr. Cooper was a blacksmith. His wife d. at Langdon, Dec. 25, 1860, leaving one daughter : 1. "Emma Anna," b. at Alstead, March 30, 1843. She m. July 14, 1862, Bernard Harrington, b. Sept. 4, 1818, son of Nahum and Rachel (Miles) Harrington of Northborough, Mass. They have had three children, b. in Keene, N. H., where she still r. (1883.) Children : 1. "Mary Emma," b. Nov. 28, 1863, d. Feb. 27, 1864 ; 2. "Edith Rachel," b. Oct. 28, 1865 ; 3. "Helen Eliza," b. Sept. 14, 1869.

(2.) *Sarah Adaline*, b. Nov. 19, 1825, m. Sept. 9, 1847, Winsor Gleason, b. Jan. 19, 1817, son of Curtis and Betsey (Randall) Gleason of Langdon. Mr. Gleason is a produce merchant, and r. in Boston. Mrs. Gleason d. March 17, 1881, leaving three children, all b. in Boston, viz. : 1. "Haskell Winsor," b. May 26, 1848, m. May 17, 1870, Nellie Foss, daughter of Alfred and Sophronia (Parker) Foss of Woodstock, Vt. ; 2. "Edmund Walker," b. May 12, 1853, m. Jan. 14, 1878, Hannah E. Paige, daughter of John Paige of Plymouth, N. H. ; 3. "Walter Howard," b. Jan. 28, 1864.

(3.) *Edmund Howard*, b. August 12, 1828. He is a merchant in Boston, and r. in Melrose (1882), unrm.

(4.) *John Stratton*, b. March 28, 1831, m. Oct. 10, 1861, Emma Evans, daughter of Peter Allan and Theodosia (Willard) Evans of Charlestown, N. H. He is a farmer, and r. on

the homestead formerly occupied by his father, in Langdon. He has one child : 1. "John Stratton," b. March 20, 1867.

- (5.) *Frances Adelaide*, b. April 25, 1839, m. March 8, 1882, Winsor Gleason, b. Jan. 19, 1817, son of Curtis and Betsey (Randall) Gleason of Langdon, N. H. (being his second wife.) They r. in Boston.

9. JONAS PAGE, b. Sept. 6, 1800, m. in Charlestown, N. H., June 11, 1826, Eliza Spaulding, b. June 15, 1805, daughter of Alpha and Elizabeth (Tyler) Spaulding of Leominster, Mass. He settled first at Westport, N. Y., but soon removed to Essex, N. Y., which place he made his home for life, following the occupation of a farmer. Mrs. Walker d. June 15, 1853; he d. May 12, 1861. They had six children :

- (1.) *Eliza Ellen*, b. in Westport, May 9, 1827, m. March 10, 1851, Melville Sheldon of Essex. She died Feb. 5, 185-, of consumption, leaving no children.

- (2.) *Gardner Jonas*, b. in Westport, Oct. 24, 1828, m. June 26, 1853, Camilla Royce, daughter of Calvin and Abigail W. (Mather) Royce of Essex. He is a farmer of Whallonsburgh, Essex county, N. Y., (1883) and has four children : 1. "Jonas Gardner," b. June 13, 1854, m. Feb. 9, 1882, Charlotte Ursula Fisher, b. Nov. 3, 1863, daughter of William J. and Armenia Southwell (Skinner) Fisher ; 2. "Howard Calvin," b. June 13, 1859, m. April 12, 1882, Alma Augusta Stafford, b. Nov. 24, 1858, daughter of Adam and Elvina (Brasted) Stafford ; 3. "Asaph," b. April 27, 1862 ; 4. "Ellen," b. May 10, 1865.

- (3.) *Sophia*, born May 27, 1830, died Jan. 12, 1833.

- (4.) *Asaph T.*, b. Nov. 8, 1832, m. Oct. 8, 1855, Abbie Sophia Claflin of Leominster, Mass. He died at Essex, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1865, leaving no children.

- (5.) *Abel Page*, b. Sept. 7, 1835, m. July 5, 1866, Abbie Baldwin, daughter of Phillip and Abigail (Spaulding) Baldwin of Essex, and has children ; he resides at Essex (1883).

- (6.) *Myra Estelle*, b. May 5, 1840, m. April 23, 1864, John Wilson, and resides (1883) in Westport, N. Y. She has three children : 1. "Wallace," b. Dec. 31, 1864 ; 2. "Addie," b. Dec. 17, 1866 ; 3. "Minnie," b. July 13, 1868.

10. **HARRIET**, b. April 2, 1805, m. June 8, 1826, Elisha Garfield, b. Jan. 1, 1802, son of Elisha and Polly (Vance) Garfield of Langdon, N. H. Mr. Garfield became the owner of the Abel Walker homestead in Langdon, where he followed the occupation of farming till 1846, when he removed to Fitchburg, and was for eighteen years connected with the Fitchburg Sentinel printing establishment. During his residence in Langdon he was much engaged in town affairs, being often chosen to represent the town in the legislature, and to perform the duties of selectman and town clerk. In 1865 he removed to Chicago, which city he made his future home. He d. while on a visit to Saratoga, Oct. 25, 1873. Mrs. Garfield r. with her daughter, at Hartford (1883). They had six children :

(1.) *Elisha Sumner*, b. at Westport, N. Y., March 8, 1827, d. at Fitchburg, Jan. 6, 1847.

(2.) *Allen Stearns*, b. at Westport, N. Y., April 19, 1829, d. at Fitchburg, Nov. 11, 1846.

(3.) *Albert George*, b. at Westport, N. Y., Oct. 31, 1831, m. March 11, 1861, Jane Amelia Manchester, b. in New York city, Nov. 2, 1840, daughter of Peter Bois and Jane Amelia (Sheldon) Manchester. They r. in Chicago, Mr. Garfield being at the head of the Garfield Manufacturing Co., in the manufacture and sale of horse-clothing. They have had three children : 1. "Minnie Manchester," b. at Chicago, April 8, 1862, d. Jan. 8, 1871 ; 2. "Albert George," b. at Allen's Grove, Wis., July 20, 1863, d. at Chicago, March 12, 1864 ; 3. "Walter Sumner," b. in Chicago, June 16, 1868.

(4.) *Mary Reed*, b. July 4, 1834, m. Dec. 22, 1873, Erastus James Bassett, b. March 27, 1820, son of Jesse and Aurelia (Tuttle) Bassett of Stockbridge, Mass. They r. in Hartford, Conn., Mr. Bassett being connected with the Ætna Insurance Company.

(5.) *Ellery Irving*, b. Dec. 7, 1837, m. March 16, 1864, Mary Elizabeth Straw, b. Aug. 19, 1838, daughter of Stephen Stanley and Miriam (Bean) Straw of Lowell, Mass. Mr. Garfield at present resides in Lexington, Mass. They have three children, all of whom were b. in Detroit, Mich. : 1. "Alexander Stanley," b. March 3, 1866 ; 2. "Warren Hamilton," b. Nov. 22, 1868 ; 3. "Miriam Elizabeth," b. July 15, 1876.

- (6.) *Sarah Maria*, b. Dec. 17, 1839, m. Aug. 30, 1871, Horace Hamilton Barber, b. Oct. 11, 1827, son of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Ball (Miller) Barber of Canaan, N. H. They r. in Chicago. They have had one child: 1. "Winthrop Garfield," b. in Chicago, March 19, 1876, d. in Hartford, Conn., Nov. 30, 1881.
- V. JOHN, b. in Shirley, June 3, 1762, m. Sept. 6, 1781, Sarah Parker of Shirley, b. April 29, 1767, daughter of Lemuel and Betsey Parker. The only member of the family that remained in his native town, Mr. Walker retained his father's farm,—had seven children,—and d. (by suicide) July 14, 1820. His widow d. Jan. 3, 1822. His children were all b. in Shirley, and were:
1. BASIL, (twin,) b. July 14, 1788, d. July 24, 1788.
 2. BLAZE, (twin,) b. July 14, 1788, d. July 30, 1788.
 3. JOHN, b. Nov. 27, 1789, m. Susan Blood of Bolton, went to r. in some part of Alabama, and d. there, July, 1835.
 4. SOPHIA, b. March 5, 1792, m. Theophilus Parkhurst of Harvard in 1812, had one child:
 - (1.) *Sophia*, b. Feb., 1821, d. June 8, 1826.
 5. SARAH, b. July 21, 1794, m. June 25, 1818, Jason Bigelow of Harvard, had one child, and d. Dec. 21, 1857. Her child:
 - (1.) *Sarah Elizabeth*, b. June 21, 1819, d. June 8, 1826.
 6. SAMUEL STRATTON, b. Oct. 4, 1796, m. Mary Fletcher of Groton, lived for a time on the farm where he was born, but eventually removed to Harvard, where he d. Nov. 18, 1846. He lived in Shirley at the time of the great excitement which pervaded the Commonwealth, occasioned by the division in the Congregational church into Unitarian and Trinitarian denominations. As a follower of the old Puritan faith, Mr. Walker took a very active part in this excitement, and even went from town to town in the vicinity of Shirley, on a mission for collecting funds, by the aid of which the brick meeting-house, in the centre of Shirley, was erected. Outside of his efforts as a religionist he was not especially known to the public.
 7. LARRIET, b. Aug. 6, 1799, d. in Harvard, Sept. 1, 1856, unm.

VI. LYDIA, b. in Shirley, March 3, 1765, m. Caleb Hunt of Stoddard, N. H. He was b. March, 1761, and was descended from William¹ Hunt (the immigrant) of Concord, through Isaac² of Concord, Isaac³ of Sudbury, Abidah⁴ of Holliston, and Willard⁵ and Martha (Wadkins) Hunt of Dublin, N. H. He had been previously m. (Dec. 25, 1786,) to Lavina Ball. He r. for different periods of time in Stoddard, in Alstead, and in Charlestown, N. H., and after the death of his second wife, Lydia Walker, which occurred at Charlestown, Jan. 15, 1801, he removed to Marlborough, N. H., where he d. May 5, 1811. He bore the title of captain. His children (all by second wife) were :

1. SAMUEL WALKER, b. in Stoddard, Dec. 3, 1790. He became clerk for James Reed & Co., Boston, where he d. Sept. 18, 1812, unm.

2. LUTHER BALL, b. March 16, 1792. At the early age of twelve he left his New-Hampshire home, and went to the vicinity of St. Albans, Vt., where he entered the office of Judge Turner, and began the study of law ;—was admitted to practice at the age of twenty,—and from that time (except while serving the town or Commonwealth in civil or military offices) was constantly engaged in a large and lucrative practice of law. When twenty-one years old, he became a member of the Vermont legislature,—and for seven years continued the youngest member of that body,—democracy being his political faith. He was a member of all the Constitutional Conventions of the state for fifty years, and in 1844 was appointed Assistant-Judge of the Court of Common Pleas. He r. for some years at Fairfax, Vt., but spent the latter portion of his life at St. Albans. He was twice m., (first) to Sally, daughter of Capt. Nathaniel Gove ; she d. Jan. 18, 1851, aged fifty-four. He m. (second) Mrs. Charlotte I. (Hubbard) Hall. His first wife, a lady greatly beloved, became a member of the Roman Catholic church, and died in the communion of that faith. On the 7th of June, 1852, Judge Hunt and his second estimable wife were confirmed in the same ancient faith. He d. at Fairfax, Feb. 18, 1866. He had seven children :

(1.) *Fane L. C.*, b. Dec. 21, 1815, m. W. L. Strong of Burlington, Vt.

(2.) *James L.*, b. April 23, 1817, m. (pub. March 9, 1846,) Mary W. Bellows, r. at Loon Lake, N. Y. (1883.)

- (3.) *George Gove*, b. Aug. 9, 1824.
- (4.) *Henry J.*, b. March 4, 1826, m. Sept. 9, 1852, Sybil M. Browning of Hubbardston. He d. at Chelsea, Mass., Oct. 14, 1861, leaving no children.
- (5.) *Grace A.*, b. Aug. 16, 1827, m. Henry G. Edson of St. Albans, r. St. Albans (1883).
- (6.) *Luther B.*, b. Nov. 9, 1830, r. St. Albans.
- (7.) *An Infant*, d. young.
3. STRATTON, b. 1793, d. at Shirley, Feb. 27, 1795.
4. ELVIRA, b. Sept., 1795, d. at Alstead, Nov. 17, 1797.
5. STRATTON BALL, b. at Alstead, N. H., Jan. 12, 1799. In 1820 he went to Fairfax, Vt., where his brother, Luther B. Hunt then lived,—making the journey on foot. After living in Fairfax five years he went to Cambridge, where he engaged in business with success, but in a few years returned to Fairfax, where he lived until his death, which occurred June. 1, 1881, at the age of eighty-two years. He was m. Oct. 8, 1826, to Abigail C. Parmelee of Fairfax, who survives him—with three children, Luther B. Hunt of Buffalo, N. Y., Mrs. Charles E. Halsted, and Clarissa C. Hunt of Fairfax. “Mr. Hunt was an invalid for fifty years of his life. What would have crushed ordinary men at once he met, and in a measure overcame, by his indomitable will-power and resolution to keep himself interested in the activities of the social, civil, and political life of the times. He interested himself with decided convictions and a remarkable tenacity of purpose in everything that pertained to his own town and the political issues of the country. His opinions once formed were held with an unflinching grasp against all opponents, and without fear of consequences. He was a zealous Mason for sixty years, and was buried with the impressive rites of that order.” He had four children :
- (1.) *Joseph Parmelee*, b. Oct. 31, 1833, m. June 19, 1861, Cynthia S. Bradley ; had one son : 1. “Frank Parmelee,” b. Jan. 15, 1863, d. Dec. 31, 1866. Joseph P. Hunt d. Sept. 15, 1865.

(2.) *Luther Ball*, b. Aug. 30, 1836, r. Buffalo, N. Y.

(3.) *Abigail Jane*, b. Sept. 24, 1838, m. Nov. 15, 1860, Charles E. Halsted of Fairfax; has two children: 1. "Aletha C.," b. May 5, 1862; 2. "Stratton Hunt," b. June 23, 1866. Charles E. Halsted d. March 8, 1868.

(4.) *Clarissa Collins*, b. Oct. 17, 1842.

6. HENRY, born Nov., 1800, died at Charlestown, N. H., June 15, 1801.

VII. ISAAC, b. in Shirley, March 18, 1767. He m. July 21, 1794, Polly Porter, b. Feb. 18, 1769, of Charlestown, N. H., and settled in Langdon, N. H., where all his children, eleven in number, were born. About the year 1813 he removed with his family to Covington, Tioga county, Penn., where he d. July 25, 1839, at the age of seventy-two. He followed the occupation of a farmer. Mrs. Walker d. in Covington, Mar. 24, 1847, aged seventy-eight. Of their eleven children, ten lived to the age of manhood and womanhood, and became industrious and useful citizens; most of whom were honored from time to time with offices of trust in the townships where they resided. At the time when Mr. Walker sought a home for his family in Pennsylvania, (writes one of his grand-children) "Tioga county was one vast wilderness, containing less than two thousand inhabitants;—now it teems with a population of over fifty thousand. Then there were no roads and no mills,—the settlers having to go thirty or forty miles through the forests with a pack-horse, to get their grist of corn or wheat ground (if they were lucky enough to have any); now the iron rail spans all of our valleys, and the whistle of steam-mills are heard in all directions. Then not a ton of coal had been mined within the borders of the county; now the yearly shipments exceed nine hundred thousand tons. Then there was but one school-house in the county; now we have a state normal-school, a soldiers'-orphan school, numerous high-schools, and our hill-sides are dotted with houses for the free education of our children. The main industries of the county are mining, tanning, lumbering and farming." Children:

1. ROYAL, b. Jan. 14, 1796, m. Feb. 7, 1822, Rachel Johnson, b. May 8, 1797, of Bradford Co., Penn. He was a farmer, and r. in Covington, where he d. Oct. 16, 1875, aged seventy-nine.

His wife d. Aug. 30, 1842. They had eight children, all b. in Covington :

- (1.) *Samuel S.*, b. Sept. 28, 1822, m. May 18, 1862, Charlotte A. Johnson, b. Aug. 27, 1827, daughter of Jacob Johnson of Covington. Mr. Walker follows the occupation of a railroad engineer, r. at Port Jervis, N. Y. He has two children : 1. "Ida M.," b. at Port Jervis, Sept. 18, 1864 ; 2. "William H.," b. at Port Jervis, May 20, 1867.
- (2.) *Eliza*, b. Aug. 11, 1824, m. Jan. 1, 1849, Charles Howland, b. Feb. 17, 1820, a farmer of Covington. She had seven children, and d. of consumption at Covington, Oct. 29, 1873. 1. "Ella J.," b. Dec. 1, 1849, m. Dec. 5, 1877, Sidney Hoagland ; 2. "Eddie L.," b. Aug. 13, 1851, m. Oct. 29, 1879, Mary Williams, b. in Aberdair, Wales, July 4, 1860. He r. in Covington, where he is employed in a glass-factory ; has one child : 1. Eliza May, b. May 15, 1881 ; 3. "Emma L.," b. Aug. 2, 1853, d. at Covington, Sept. 12, 1861 ; 4. "William E.," b. Oct. 16, 1855, m. Sept. 11, 1878, Louise Lutes of Covington. He is a farmer, and r. in Covington. Children : 1. Maud Eliza, b. March 31, 1880, in Troy, Pa. ; 2. Charles F., b. Aug. 10, 1881, in Covington ; 5. "Charles H.," b. Feb. 12, 1858, m. Oct. 24, 1877, Sarah Coe ; 6. "Ransford," and 7. "Randolph," (twins,) b. Nov. 18, 1859 ; Ransford m. Nov. 24, 1881, Anna Marvin ; Randolph d. July 9, 1862, at Covington.
- (3.) *William*, b. March 26, 1826, went to Australia some years ago, since which he has not been heard from.
- (4.) *James Porter*, b. Sept. 5, 1830, m. Nov. 5, 1859, Adaline J. Canfield, b. Feb. 10, 1839. He was a railroad conductor, and r. in Brooklyn, N. Y. He d. at Port Jervis, N. Y., Jan. 31, 1882, leaving a widow and two children, who r. (1882) in Brooklyn. Children : 1. "Laura," b. Nov. 13, 1861 ; 2. "Ada," b. Jan. 14, 1873.
- (5.) *Henry E.*, b. Feb. 6, 1833, was killed by a railroad accident on the Erie railroad, April 18, 1853, while employed as fireman with his brother, Samuel S. Walker.

- (6.) *Elmina*, (twin,) b. March 3, 1835, m. April 5, 1852, John M. Hoagland, b. Nov. 15, 1827, son of John Hoagland of Covington. He is section-master on the Tioga railroad, and r. in Covington. Children, all b. in Covington: 1. "Stewart M.," b. Dec. 4, 1853, m. April, 1875, Josephine Crowley of Covington. He is a railroad engineer, and r. Port Jervis. He has one child: 1. Harry L., b. Aug. 28, 1879. 2. "Leila E.," b. Nov. 8, 1859; 3. "Kitty M.," b. March 12, 1866; 4. "John R.," b. Nov. 21, 1871.
- (7.) *Elvina*, (twin,) b. March 3, 1835, m. Feb. 22, 1872, Samuel Bevans; has no children (1883).
- (8.) *Zilphia J.*, b. May 9, 1837, d. at Covington, April 4, 1842.
2. ISAAC, b. Feb. 25, 1797, m. Aug. 20, 1822, Sally Harkness, b. March 10, 1802, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Holland) Harkness of Pelham, Mass. He removed from Covington, Pa., to Elmwood township, Peoria county, Ill., where he found a home for life, and followed the occupation of farming. Mrs. Walker d. Aug., 1839; he d. Sept. 30, 1861;—both d. of consumption. They had three children:
- (1.) *Julius Daniel*, b. at Covington, Pa., Nov. 26, 1826, m. Feb. 1, 1849, Susan Green, b. at Warren, R. I., Jan. 6, 1832, daughter of Abraham and Susan (Smith) Green. Mr. Walker is a farmer, and r. at Olathe, Johnson county, Kansas. Mrs. Walker d. at Olathe, Dec. 29, 1874. They had five children, all b. at Elmwood, Ill.: 1. "Harry Edgar," b. May 11, 1850, d. at Olathe, Kansas, Jan. 20, 1871, of consumption; 2. "William Ralph," b. Aug. 9, 1852, m. Dec. 20, 1876, Harriet Stener; 3. "Annette Mabel," b. June 24, 1858, d. at Elmwood township, Nov. 7, 1859; 4. "Percy Lynn," b. Sept. 28, 1860; 5. "Ray Elliot," b. Dec. 31, 1865.
- (2.) and (3.) *Twins*, both of whom d. in infancy.
3. POLLY, b. April 14, 1798, m. Nov. 14, 1815, Absalom Kingsbury, b. May 6, 1793, of Langdon, N. H. Mr. Kingsbury was a farmer, and r. in Covington, Pa., where he d. Aug. 5, 1868. Mrs. Kingsbury d. May 4, 1872. They had four children, viz.:
- (1.) *Lucinda*, b. Dec. 8, 1817, at Covington, m. March 17, 1836, Eli Dartt, b. March 20, 1811. He is a farmer, and r.

(1883) at Covington. Mrs. Dartt d. Dec. 11, 1866. She had two children: 1. "Orson R.," b. Jan. 21, 1843, at Blossburg, Pa., m. May 8, 1869, Mary Jane Robbins, who was b. April 15, 1853, at Springfield, Bradford county, Pa. He follows the occupation of a blacksmith, and r. in Covington (1882). They have had four children: 1. Ada L., b. June 21, 1870, at Morris Run, Pa.; 2. Ray, b. March 16, 1875, at Covington, d. March 27, 1875; 3. Cora, b. June 3, 1878, at Covington; 4. Eli, b. Feb. 15, 1882, at Covington. 2. "Ellen A.," b. April 4, 1846, at Blossburg, Pa., m. Sept. 21, 1867, John J. Bowen, b. in Wales, June 22, 1833. He is a farmer, and r. in Charlestown, Pa. (1882.) They have one child: 1. Nellie L., b. June 18, 1868, at Covington.

(2.) *Asahel W.*, b. Aug. 2, 1821, at Covington, m. Sept. 14, 1853, Belinda Everts, b. April 1, 1827, daughter of Cyrus and Olive (Jennings) Everts of Covington. He was a farmer, r. at Covington, where he d. Feb. 20, 1856, leaving one child: 1. "Frederick W.," b. Sept. 12, 1854.

(3.) *Julia Ann*, b. July 27, 1827, at Blossburg, Pa., m. Oct. 24, 1867, Joseph W. Whiting, b. in the state of Vermont, Jan. 5, 1820, son of Danforth and Rebecca (Sherman) Whiting. He follows the occupation of farming. They have one child: 1. "Gena S.," b. July 28, 1871, in Covington.

(4.) *William F.*, b. in Blossburg, Pa., Dec. 25, 1837, m. (first) Jan. 2, 1858, Jane Brown of Covington, by whom he had one child. He m. (second) Ruth Price of Covington, by whom he had two children. 1. "Harry W.," b. in Covington, July 27, 1860, m. July 4, 1879, Tressa Whiting; 2. "Bertie," b. in Morris Run, Pa., April, 1873, d. when about three years old; 3. "Ina," b. in Covington, Pa., May, 1878.

4. *ASAHEL*, b. Nov. 24, 1799, m. Sept. 23, 1824, Anna Holland Harkness, b. in Pelham, Mass., June 29, 1805, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Holland) Harkness. Mr. Walker was by trade a carpenter, and r. at Covington, Pa., till about the year 1834, when he removed to Jubilee township, Ill. Mrs. Walker d. in Elmwood township, Ill., Nov. 7, 1853. He r. Elmwood (1882). He has had four children:

- (1.) *Angeline Elizabeth*, b. at Covington, July 4, 1825, m. April 6, 1842, Samuel Wood Pulsipher, b. in Rockingham, Vt., Oct. 11, 1817, son of Samuel Wood and Sally (Weaver) Pulsipher. Mr. Pulsipher is a farmer, and r. at Brimfield township, Peoria county, Ill. They have had five children: 1. "Florence Eugenie," b. at Southport, Ill., Aug. 6, 1843, m. May 16, 1871, James Edward Wilson; 2. "Frances Augusta," b. at Brimfield township, Ill., Nov. 2, 1845; 3. "Edmund Charles," b. at Brimfield township, Ill., April 7, 1848; 4. "Leslie Orville," b. at Brimfield township, Ill., Sept. 23, 1850; 5. "Eldon Samuel," b. at Brimfield township, Ill., March 8, 1853, m. Oct. 13, 1881, Ella Phoebe Strain.
- (2.) *Julia Smith*, b. at Covington, Pa., June 27, 1831, d. at Covington, March 4, 1833.
- (3.) *Francis Marion*, b. at Jubilee township, Ill., Nov. 27, 1835, d. at Jubilee township, Sept. 19, 1836.
- (4.) *Perry Stratton*, b. at Jubilee township, June 23, 1839, m. Jan. 31, 1861, Nancy Jane Klock, b. in Covington, Pa., Sept. 18, 1842, daughter of Jesse and Polly (Marvin) Klock. He became a member of the 77th Regiment Illinois Volunteers, and d. of disease at the siege of Vicksburg, Feb. 16, 1863. He had one child: 1. "Louis Earl," b. at Southport, Ill., Nov. 23, 1861.
5. STRATTON, b. July 7, 1801, r. at Covington, Pa., where he d. Feb. 14, 1880, at the age of seventy-eight. He was never m.
6. LUTHER, (twin,) b. Dec. 15, 1803, d. in infancy.
7. LEWIS, (twin,) b. Dec. 15, 1803, m. Dec. 14, 1826, Isabelle Butler, b. Aug. 22, 1805. He was a farmer of Covington, Pa., where all his children, ten in number, were b., and where he d. June 17, 1870. His widow d. at Covington, Dec. 23, 1876. Children:
- (1.) *Elizabeth*, b. Oct. 25, 1827, m. Nov. 12, 1846, Charles Jaquish, b. in Kortright, Delaware county, N. Y., Nov. 21, 1823, son of Joseph Jaquish. Mr. Jaquish is a farmer. They have had six children, the first b. in Covington, the others in Sullivan, Tioga county, Pa.: 1. "Charles Lewis," b. Feb. 16, 1848, m. Oct. 12, 1871, Eliza Robinson of Fall Brook, Pa. He d. in Sullivan, Pa., Dec. 30, 1880, of consumption. He

- had one child: 1. Frank, b. at Fall Brook, Dec. 7, 1874. 2. "George H.," b. March 14, 1850, m. May 21, 1872, Emma A. Bryant, b. in Covington, Pa., May 1, 1852, daughter of Samuel and Maria (Moffatt) Bryant. He r. at McIntyre, Lycoming county, Pa., and has had three children: 1. Lewis C., b. May 8, 1874; 2. Hattie M., b. June 15, 1878; 3. Joseph, b. June 8, 1880. 3. "Ellen L.," b. July 7, 1852; 4. "Joseph S.," b. Oct. 8, 1855. 5. "Frances E.," b. Nov. 1, 1858, d. at Sullivan, March 13, 1873. 6. "Jane A.," b. Nov. 12, 1862, m. March, 1881, Lincoln Whittaker, and has one child: 1. Ray. Elizabeth, wife of Charles Jaquish, d. March 27, 1874.
- (2.) *Emeline*, b. March 13, 1829, m. Dec. 24, 1850, Rev. James G. Noble. He is pastor of the Baptist church, Meriden, Ct.
- (3.) *Martha A.*, b. June 27, 1830, m. April 17, 1858, Holland Clemens, b. in Covington, Aug. 10, 1834, son of Alanson and Luthana (Copp) Clemens. He is a farmer; r. Covington; has two children: 1. "Frank L.," b. Feb. 14, 1862, at Covington; 2. "Mary I.," b. Aug. 3, 1865, at Covington.
- (4.) *Olive*, b. June 1, 1832, m. Jan. 1, 1852, Charles Marvin, b. in Covington, April 20, 1829, son of Tilly Marvin. He is a farmer, r. Smithfield, Bradford county, Pa. (1883.) They have had eight children, of whom the five elder were b. in Covington, the others at Smithfield, Pa.: 1. "Ellis C.," b. Dec. 16, 1852, d. at Covington, Oct., 1861; 2. "Emma J.," b. Dec. 9, 1854, m. April 20, 1879, Alvin Palmer; they have one child: 1. Alice Olive, b. April 20, 1879; 3. "Elizabeth," b. Nov. 12, 1856, m. Nov., 1877, Joseph Hubbard; they have one child: 1. Ona, b. April 20, 1879; 4. "Hattie," b. Jan. 20, 1859; 5. "Martha," b. Dec. 20, 1862; 6. "Fred," b. March 20, 1867; 7. "Cora," b. April 5, 1870; 8. "Lewis Tilly," b. Sept. 12, 1872.
- (5.) *Lewis Randall*, b. Dec. 1, 1834, m. Dec. 26, 1860, Arvilla Wilcox, b. in Delmar, Tioga county, Pa., May 28, 1842, daughter of John and Caroline Wilcox. She d. of consumption, March 14, 1882. He is a farmer of Covington, and has had nine children, all b. at Covington: 1. "Henry E.," b. May 24, 1862; 2. "James A.," b. Nov. 29, 1863; 3. "Isaac D.," b. Sept. 17, 1866; 4. "Ora J.," b. Aug. 13,

- 1868 ; 5. "Eva A.," b. June 29, 1870 ; 6. "Lewis S.," b. July 29, 1873, d. at Covington, March 22, 1876 ; 7. "Earl S.," b. Dec. 31, 1876 ; 8. "Martha A.," b. Sept. 14, 1878 ; 9. "Alfred G.," b. July 12, 1880.
- (6.) *Ellis D.*, b. April 12, 1836, d. Dec. 25, 1838.
- (7.) *Isaac D.*, b. May 4, 1838, m. Sept., 1861, Sarah Olmsted. He d. July 27, 1864, at Nashville, Tenn.
- (8.) *Mary Jane*, b. Aug. 16, 1840, m. Jan. 30, 1869, Benajah Wilcox. Has no children (1882).
- (9.) *James W.*, b. Aug. 6, 1843. He was a soldier in the Union army, and d. in Andersonville prison, 1864.
- (10.) *Milton R.*, b. June 14, 1846, m. May 4, 1872, Hannah Wilcox, b. in Covington, Aug. 30, 1850, daughter of Benajah and Hannah Wilcox. Mr. Walker is a farmer, and r. in Covington. He has had four children, all b. in Covington : 1. "Cora May," b. July 10, 1873 ; 2. "William J.," b. Aug. 17, 1874 ; 3. "Lewis," b. Jan. 1, 1878 ; 4. "Isabelle," b. Jan. 31, 1879.
8. ROSWELL, b. May 24, 1805, m. at Covington, Nov. 4, 1830, Huldah Sampson Harkness, b. in Pelham, Mass., Dec. 6, 1803, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Holland) Harkness. He followed the occupation of farming, and d. of consumption at Jubilee township, Ill., Dec. 6, 1855. He had six children, two b. at Covington, the others at Jubilee township :
- (1.) *Jane Adelaide*, b. Sept. 18, 1831, m. Feb. 3, 1849, John Henry Green, b. Nov. 12, 1827, son of Abraham and Susan (Smith) Green. She d. at Monmouth, Warren county, Ill., July 18, 1865. He d. Dec. 2, 1869. Both d. of consumption. She had three children : 1. "Elizabeth DeWolf," b. Jan. 15, 1850, at Southport, Ill., d. June 27, 1873, at Olethe, Kansas, of consumption ; 2. "Ella Eliza," b. Sept. 11, 1852, at Southport, Ill., d. Nov. 16, 1882, at Southport, of consumption ; 3. "Ellis Lee," b. June 30, 1857, in Warren county, Ill.
- (2.) *Edward Irving*, b. Aug. 30, 1833, m. Dec. 25, 1856, Sarah Ann Gibbs, b. at Williamstown, Oswego county, N. Y., Sept. 25, 1835. He is a farmer, r. (1882) Elmwood, Ill. ; has had three children : 1. "Helen Huldah," b. at Jubilee township,

Ill., Aug. 26, 1858, d. at Elmwood, Ill., Oct. 2, 1858; 2. "Ethel Josephine," b. at Lenox, Warren county, Ill., March 6, 1862; 3. "Gertrude Blanche," b. at Elmwood, Ill., March 25, 1867.

(3.) *Charles Randolph*, b. Jan. 10, 1836, m. March 9, 1865, Josephine Snyder, b. in Boonville, Cooper county, Mo., Oct. 25, 1842, daughter of Samuel and Mary Jane Snyder. Mr. Walker is a farmer, and r. (1883) at Mexico, Mo. He served during the Rebellion as a member of the 11th Cavalry Illinois Volunteers. He has had five children: 1. "Grace," b. Dec. 15, 1865, at Jubilee township, Ill.; 2. "Mary Huldah," b. June 13, 1867, at Jubilee township, Ill.; 3. "Jessie," b. Feb. 24, 1871, at Jubilee township, Ill.; 4. "Dot," b. Feb. 4, 1877, at Newton, Harvey county, Kansas; 5. "Charles Edward," b. Aug. 23, 1881, at Mexico, Mo., d. Sept. 25, 1881.

(4.) *Holland Harkness*, b. May 2, 1839, d. at Jubilee township, Dec. 23, 1842.

(5.) *Ellis Lewis*, b. July 15, 1841, d. at Jubilee township, Nov. 15, 1846.

(6.) *Austin Ernest*, b. Jan. 20, 1844, m. Dec. 3, 1867, Olivia Catherine Snyder, b. in Boonville, Cooper county, Mo., July 12, 1845, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Stansbury) Snyder. During the Rebellion Mr. Walker was a member of the 77th Regiment Illinois Volunteers. He r. at Jubilee, Ill., and follows the occupation of farming: has had two children: 1. "Alvin Stanley," b. March 10, 1872, at Jubilee, Ill.; 2. "Elizabeth," b. July 6, 1881, at Brimfield, Ill., d. July 25, 1881.

9. *LYDIA*, b. May 27, 1807, m. Jan. 20, 1825, Everett W. Bloss, b. Sept. 20, 1800, son of Aaron Bloss. Mr. Bloss follows the occupation of farming, at Covington, and has had four children:

(1.) *Fuliet E.*, b. May 24, 1826, at Blossburg, Pa., m. Aug. 24, 1843, Joseph Husted, b. in Rutland, Tioga county, Pa., Dec. 17, 1820, son of David Husted; he r. (1882) at Covington, Pa., and has had four children, all b. at Covington: 1. "Cordelia L.," b. July 2, 1846, m. Nov. 22, 1861, David S. Ireland, and has had two children, b. at Covington: 1. Charles C., b. Sept. 9, 1863; 2. William B., b. Oct. 16, 1865,

- d. Oct. 24, 1872, at Wilmington. 2. "Wilmot D.," b. April 15, 1855, m. Jan. 20, 1876, Kate Johnson, b. in Covington, Sept. 19, 1856, daughter of Ansel Johnson. He has three children: 1. Ray, b. Jan. 21, 1877, at Covington; 2. Harry Lee, b. Dec. 6, 1879, at Covington; 3. Marcus, b. June 27, 1882, at Mansfield. 3. "Lyman S.," b. July 7, 1858; 4. "Leila I.," b. April 3, 1870.
- (2.) *Josephine M.*, b. Jan. 27, 1828, at Blossburg, Pa., m. William Slingerland; has no children.
- (3.) *Randolph F.*, b. Sept. 16, 1830, at Blossburg, m. April 19, 1855, Mary Fenetter. He is a farmer, r. Covington; has had two children: 1. "Edie R.," b. Aug. 8, 1861, at Covington, m. Judson Burr, and had one child: 1. Herman, who died at Blossburg, Aug. 11, 1882. 2. "Mertie E.," b. April 5, 1867, at Covington.
- (4.) *Warren W.*, b. March 10, 1835, m. Jan. 1, 1857, Maryette Dond, b. in Sullivan, Pa., March 22, 1831, daughter of Alvah and Electa (Rumsey) Dond. Mr. Bloss is a painter by trade, and r. Mansfield, Pa. (1882). He has had two children, b. at Covington: 1. "Willard W.," b. March 8, 1858, d. June 18, 1864, at Covington; 2. "Arthur Lafayette," b. July 19, 1859.
- (5.) *Clara A.*, b. April 16, 1844, m. John Everts, has no children (1883).
10. JAMES, b. April 26, 1809, m. Sept. 1, 1833, Eliza Hazleton, b. in Townshend, Windham county, Vt., Aug. 12, 1807, daughter of John and Taphath Hazleton. Mr. Walker is a mechanic, r. Blossburg, Pa. (1882), and has had three children, all b. at Covington:
- (1.) *Delos Hazleton*, b. Nov. 25, 1835, m. June 9, 1860, Julia A. Frost, b. in Covington, June 28, 1839, daughter of Lyman and Hannah (Ufford) Frost. At the age of twenty Mr. Walker was elected clerk of Covington township, which position he held till his removal to Morris Run in 1863, from which time till 1873 he was in the employ of the Morris Run Coal Company in the capacity of weigh-master and book-keeper. In the fall of 1873 he was appointed deputy-sheriff for Tioga county, and removed to Wellsboro, which position

he occupied till the fall of 1876, when he received the republican nomination for high sheriff, to which office he was elected by a majority of thirty-three hundred,—eight thousand three hundred votes being cast. After holding the office for the term of three years he returned to Covington, where he now resides (1883), having resumed the occupation of his youth, that of farming. He has had five children: 1. "Maud Lilian," b. April 11, 1861, at Covington, d. at Covington, June 21, 1862; 2. "Bertie Roswell," b. May 19, 1864, at Morris Run, Pa., d. Aug. 31, 1864, at Covington; 3. "Houston Frost," b. Sept. 6, 1868, at Morris Run, Pa.; 4. "Bertha May," b. May 3, 1873, at Morris Run, Pa.; 5. "Lyman James," b. Dec. 24, 1880, at Covington.

(2.) *Roswell Amzi*, b. July 19, 1840, d. Dec. 9, 1862, at Belle Plains, Va. He was a member of the 152nd Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

(3.) *Mary Adelaide*, b. Nov. 6, 1845, m. Feb. 25, 1875, Alfred T. James. Has no children (1882).

11. *CYNTHIA O.*, b. May 22, 1812, m. May 1, 1834, Moses Wheeler, Jr., b. in Troy, Bradford county, Pa., Sept. 27, 1810. She d. May 4, 1880, at Elba, Knox county, Ill., where Mr. Wheeler still r. (1882.) They had six children:

(1.) *Julia E.*, b. Jan. 19, 1835, at Charleston, Tioga county, Pa., m. June 7, 1854, H. H. Potts of Litchfield, Bradford county, Pa. They r. at Elba, Knox county, Ill., and have had nine children,—five boys and four girls, all of whom are living (1882).

(2.) *Lydia M.*, b. July 27, 1837, in Charleston, Pa., m. Feb. 26, 1857, W. P. Kinyon, of Litchfield, Pa. They have five children, all boys, and r. in Woodson county, Kansas.

(3.) *Charlotte M.*, b. Jan. 4, 1841, at Charleston, Pa., m. Dec. 29, 1859, Demetrius H. Baird. They have had one child.

(4.) *Fane*, b. Sept. 5, 1842, at Charleston, Pa., m. Nov. 24, 1864, Jerome B. Curtis. She d. at Creston, Union county, Iowa, March 26, 1878; had seven children, of whom five are living (1882).

- (5.) *Norris S.*, b. Nov. 10, 1845, at Charleston, Pa., m. Feb. 22, 1871, *Jerusha G. Baird* of Elba, Ill. He d. at Elba, Nov. 8, 1880, leaving a widow, and three children, all boys.
- (6.) *Laura A.*, b. Sept. 15, 1849, at Litchfield, Bradford county, Pa., m. Oct. 28, 1869, *J. M. Oberholtzer* of Elba, Ill. They have five children, four boys and one girl (1882).